



# Logos Class – Book of Malachi

On-Campus and Zoom class for June 5, 2022

Malachi – Ch 3b-4

# Our next few weeks...

- ✓ *May 15, 2022 – Testimony and Malachi Intro/Ch 1A*
- ✓ *May 22, 2022 – Malachi Ch 1B & 2A*
- ✓ *May 29, 2022 – Malachi Ch 2B & 3*
- ✓ *June 5, 2022 – Feedback & Malachi Ch 4*
- *June 12, 2022 – Special lesson, Prepare room for VBS*
- *June 19, 2022 – Combined Lesson –Banquet Hall (VBS)*
- *June 26, 2022 – Carroll Springer*

# Class Discussion Feedback

- *Apology for Last week*
- *Friends to Friends*
- *Balance of Comments/Prophecy and Study*
- *Calls to teach and be a watchman on the wall*
- *More scriptural references to ICYMI*
- ***Enough said, Let's get back to Malachi***

# Before we start the actual lesson

***Discussion about Fathers and Fathers Day that is upcoming.***

***Malachi 1:6***

***<sup>6</sup> “A son honors his father, and a slave his master. If I am a father, where is the honor due me?”***

***Ex 20:12***

***<sup>12</sup> “Honor your father and your mother, so that **you may live long in the land the LORD your God is giving you.**”***

***Crisis on raising of boys in our nation***

*No father present in the home, no father figure in a boy's life, cultural substitutes are not working. Isolation and no one to pattern life from.*

*Culture devalues the value and need for a male figure in a child's life, especially a boy.*

# Malachi 3:16-18 *The Faithful Remnant*

*<sup>16</sup> Then those who feared the LORD talked with each other, and the LORD listened and heard. A **scroll of remembrance** was written in his presence concerning those who feared the LORD and honored his name.*

*<sup>17</sup> “On the day when I act,” says the LORD Almighty, “**they will be my treasured possession. I will spare them,** just as a father has compassion and spares his son who serves him.*

*<sup>18</sup> And you will again see the distinction between the righteous and the wicked, between those who serve God and those who do not.*

# Malachi Ch 4:1-3 Judgment and Covenant Renewal

*4 “Surely the day is coming; it will burn like a furnace. All the arrogant and every evildoer will be stubble, and the day that is coming will set them on fire,” says the LORD Almighty. “**Not a root or a branch will be left to them.***

*2 But for you who **revere my name**, the sun of righteousness will rise with healing in its rays. And you will go out and frolic like well-fed calves.*

*3 **Then** you will trample on the wicked; they will be ashes under the soles of your feet **on the day when I act**,” says the LORD Almighty.*

# Malachi Ch 4:4-6 The last word for 400 years

<sup>4</sup> *“Remember the law of my servant Moses, the decrees and laws I gave him at Horeb for all Israel.*

<sup>5</sup> *“See, I will send the prophet Elijah to you before that great and dreadful day of the LORD comes.*

<sup>6</sup> *He will turn the hearts of the parents to their children, and the hearts of the children to their parents; or else I will come and strike the land with total destruction.”*

## Youngs Literal Translation

<sup>6</sup> *And he hath turned back **the heart of fathers to sons**, And the heart of **sons to their fathers**, Before I come and have utterly smitten the land!*

# Malachi Ch 4 Related thoughts

One last verse **2 Pet 1:19**

*<sup>19</sup> And so we have the prophetic word made more sure, to which **you do well to pay attention as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star arises in your hearts.***

# Living today in light of the Lords imminent Return

*J.C. Ryle, an Anglican Evangelical from the late 1800s in England who said*  
*“We are to:*

- Live as if you thought that Christ might come at any time.*
- Do everything as if you were doing it for the last time.*
- Say everything as if you were saying it for the last time.*
- Pray every prayer as if you felt you would never pray again.*
- Hear every sermon as if you thought it might be your last.*

*This is the way to be found ready when Christ comes again.*

# Next Week - June 12, 2022

- *We will have a special topical lesson, and I will let you know*
- *Pray for Israel and the Middle East, the Peace of Jerusalem*
- *Pray for our leaders in the country, state, and the church*
- *Pray for each other*