

# Scriptural pictures of the Messiah

## Passover

The Passover lamb was sacrificed – Exd.12

Jesus was crucified at Passover.

*“The Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.”*

*“For Christ our Passover has been sacrificed, therefore let us celebrate the feast.” 1 Corth 5:7*

## “Not a bone shall be broken”

God gave instructions not to break the bones of the Passover lamb – Exd.12:46.

When Jesus was crucified *“not a bone of Him was broken”*

so the Scripture would be fulfilled – John 19:36

## God provided the substitute sacrifice

The picture was Abraham & Isaac. God provided the substitute sacrifice without spot or blemish. Abraham called that place *“the LORD Will Provide” Gen 23:14.*

God provided Jesus at that very place as the substitute sacrifice for our sin.

His *“precious blood, as of a lamb unblemished and spotless” 1 Peter 1:19*

## 3 days and 3 nights

God gave the picture of Jonah. *“Just as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of the fish so shall the Son of Man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth” Matt.12:40.* Jesus was crucified on Wednesday, put in the grave before the sunset on Wednesday night and He was in the grave 3 nights (Wed. night, Thurs night, Friday night) and 3 days (Thurs, Friday, Saturday).

## Firstfruits

*“the day after the sabbath the priest shall wave (the firstfruits of harvest) Lev.23:11*  
Jesus arose from the dead. He is the firstfruits offering. *“Christ has been raised from the dead, the firstfruits of those who are asleep” 1 Corth.15:20*

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This year it's a perfect picture of the year Messiah died. Passover is always on the 14th of God's Biblical Calendar, but it doesn't always fall on the same day of the week each year. This year Passover is on Wednesday. It's the only count that shows Jesus in the grave 3 nights and 3 days.

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## Passover

### The Year Messiah Died

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**Firstfruit**



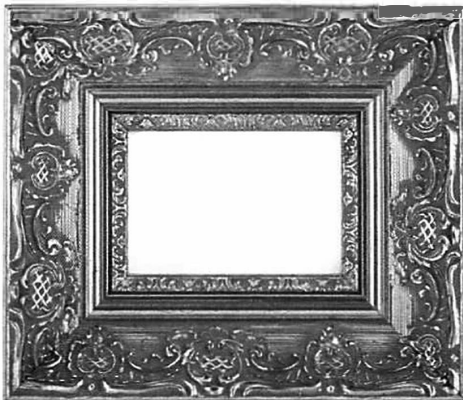
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"...just as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of the fish, so will the Son of Man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth" Matt 12:40

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### HAPPY "BIBLICAL" NEW YEAR

God's Biblical New Year begins in the spring when the barley is aviv. *"This month shall be the beginning of months for you; it is to be the first month of the year"* Exodus 12:3.

God's Biblical New Year began this year on March 16, 2010 at sunset when the first sliver of the new moon was seen. *Genesis 1:14, Isaiah 66:23, Psalm 81:3, Psalm 19:1*

**Passover** = is the 14th day of the first month according to God's Biblical Calendar. It's March 31, 2010 (Tues night & Wed) on our Gregorian Calendar. Passover is also called "preparation day" *John 19:14*- the day the lamb is prepared/ sacrificed

**Feast of Unleavened Bread** = begins the 15th day of the first month of God's Biblical Calendar and last 7 days. The 15th day is a "holy convocation day" - a no work "high day" - *John 19:31*. This year it's April 1, 2010 (Wed night & Thurs).

**Firstfruits** = is "the day after the Sabbath" after Passover. It's April 4, 2010 (Sunday). HalleluYah. He's alive. *He's the "firstfruits" of those who were raised from the dead - 1 Corth 15:20*