

SHOCKING TRUTH ABOUT CHRISTMAS Pt. 3: NIMROD, OSIRIS, TAMMUZ, HORUS, SUN GODS, SEMIRAMUS, ASHTORETH, ASHERAH, FREEMASONRY

What is now called Christmas has existed since ancient times, thousands of years before the Roman Catholic Church renamed the winter solstice festival of Sol Invictus to Christmas. Sol Invictus was the celebration of the Roman sun God. We have to go all the way back to the time of Nimrod to see where Christmas came from because there have been many sun gods worshiped at the winter solstice all through time. Before the Romans were doing it, the Babylonians did it, the Egyptians did it, the nations surrounding Israel did it. God was continuously dealing with pagan sun worship all through The Old Testament and that is what the pagan winter solstice festivals were all about and from them came Christmas.

NIMROD

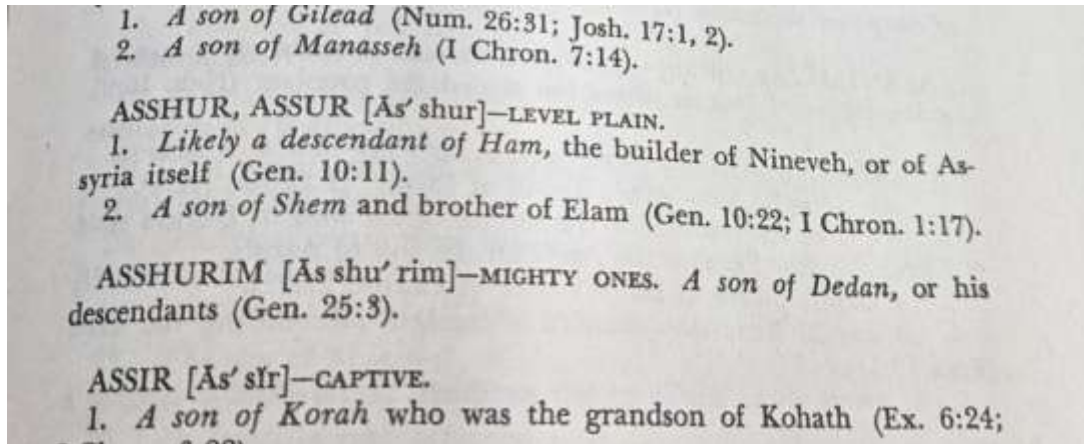
After the flood Noah's genealogy is listed let's start here:

Genesis 10:6-12 – And the sons of Ham; Cush, and Mizraim, and Phut, and Canaan. And the sons of Cush; Seba, and Havilah, and Sabtah, and Raamah, and Sabtecha: and the sons of Raamah; Sheba, and Dedan. And Cush begat Nimrod: he began to be a mighty one in the earth. He was a mighty hunter before the LORD: wherefore it is said, Even as Nimrod the mighty hunter before the LORD. And the beginning of his kingdom was Babel, and Erech, and Accad, and Calneh, in the land of Shinar. Out of that land went forth Asshur, and builded Nineveh, and the city Rehoboth, and Calah, And Resen between Nineveh and Calah: the same *is* a great city.

Notice nothing much was said about the other children until we got to Nimrod and then he has his own little section of information about what he did in life. He is highlighted here and no one else was. Something is being communicated to us here.

Verse 11 says out of that land went forth Asshur and built Nineveh etc. That seems confusing, who all of a sudden is Asshur? We know those cities are

attributed to being built by Nimrod. The translation in my KJV says “he went forth into Assyria” talking about Nimrod. Sometimes I think things have been done on purpose to make it hard for us to get at the truth.



From one of my reference books entitled *All the Men of the Bible*: It says under Asshur 1. Likely a descendant of Ham, the builder of Nineveh, or of Assyria itself.

So there is a link to Nimrod being called Asshur and to Assyria. I'll share more on this later.

Verse 9 says Nimrod was a mighty hunter before the LORD. Other translations say he was a mighty warrior or a heroic warrior. He obtained a reputation that was widespread and became proverbial. The phrase suggests that his exploits were well-known and talked about among the people of that time. It implies that Nimrod's legacy was significant enough to be remembered and referenced by subsequent generations.

I noticed that other translations are trying to paint him in a good light saying it was a compliment to those who were called by that proverb, being compared to Nimrod.

1 Chronicles 1:10 - And Cush begat Nimrod: he began to be mighty upon the earth.

Some of the literal translations say that he began to be powerful on the earth, he began to be mighty in the land and along those lines. The Bible doesn't say who built the Tower of Babel but it fits the timeline of Nimrod rising up in power and ruling over the people. The Bible also doesn't go into much detail about Nimrod

and he is not listed in historical records of Babylon or Assyria as a ruling king. He seems to be somewhat elusive. I believe he's hard to trace because he was called by other names and titles as we saw with him being called Asshur and we will learn more on that in a moment.

The Geneva Bible has marginal notes regarding the passage in Genesis about Nimrod: Nimrod was a cruel oppressor and tyrant. His tyranny began to be expressed in the form of a proverb both of God and man: for he did not fail to commit cruelty even in God's presence. So there's another witness for us that he was not in favor with God, the proverb was not a compliment in regards to being like Nimrod. It meant you were cruel, mean and rebellious against God. It was a shame to have the proverb spoken about you.

Micah 5:5-6 - And this *man* shall be the peace, when the Assyrian shall come into our land: and when he shall tread in our palaces, then shall we raise against him seven shepherds, and eight principal men. And they shall waste the land of Assyria with the sword, and the land of Nimrod in the entrances thereof: thus shall he deliver *us* from the Assyrian, when he cometh into our land, and when he treadeth within our borders.

This was prophetic at the time about a future war with Assyria. The sense of their deliverance is by God's hand or by the coming Messiah. Notice Assyria is plainly called the land of Nimrod. That whole area in Mesopotamia, Babylon, Assyria was sometimes called Babylonia but it was all attributed to Nimrod. One of my study bibles says the land of Nimrod was another name for Assyria, which in this passage, is a symbol of all the evil nations in the world.

and the land of Nimrod with the blade drawn

Nimrod, a figure associated with the founding of several ancient cities, including Babylon, represents human rebellion against God. The "land of Nimrod" likely refers to regions under Assyrian control, emphasizing the extent of the prophesied victory. The "blade drawn" signifies readiness for battle and divine intervention. This imagery connects to the broader biblical theme of God using His people to execute judgment on nations that oppose His will, as seen in the stories of Joshua and the conquest of Canaan.

This is from Bible Hub: Nimrod, a figure associated with the founding of several ancient cities, including Babylon, represents human rebellion against God. The "land of Nimrod" likely refers to regions under Assyrian control, emphasizing the extent of the prophesied victory. Let's stop there. I wanted you to see they plainly state here that Nimrod represents human rebellion against God. So earlier where

those other translations want to paint Nimrod in a good light, that is a lie. He was in rebellion against God. You have to be careful in your study to be led by The Holy Spirit and keep vetting information when something doesn't seem right.

Nimrod, grandson of Ham, who was one of the sons of Noah, was the real founder of the Babylonish system that has gripped the world ever since—the system of organized competition—of man-ruled governments and empires, based upon the competitive and profit-making economic system. Nimrod built the tower of Babel, the original Babylon, ancient Nineveh, many other cities. He organized the world's first *kingdom*.

Nimrod comes from the Hebrew verb *marad*, meaning “rebel.” Adding an “n” before the “m” it becomes an infinitive construct, “Nimrod.” (see Kautzsch 1910: 137 2b, also BDB (Brown-Driver-Briggs Hebrew and English Lexicon 1962: 597). The meaning then is “The Rebel.” Thus “Nimrod” may not be the character's name at all. It is more likely a derisive term of a type, a representative, of a system that is epitomized in rebellion against the Creator, the one true God. Rebellion began soon after the Flood as civilizations were restored. At that time this person became very prominent.

This information could explain why his name is not found in records of the cities he established or in cuneiform writings of the Mesopotamian area.

In Genesis ch. 10, verse 11 switches and begins to call Nimrod, Asshur and that can be confusing. Asshur / Ashur is the Assyrian name for Nimrod. Assyria's national god was Asshur and the first capital city of the Assyrian Empire was named Asshur.

Nimrod was mighty in hunting, and that meant in opposition to God; not ‘before the Lord’ in the sense of according to the will and purpose of The Lord. The name itself, ‘Nimrod’ from *marad*, ‘We will revolt,’ or “we will rebel” points to some violent resistance to God...Nimrod as a mighty hunter founded a powerful kingdom; and the founding of this kingdom is shown by the verb with consecutive to have been the consequence or result of his strength in hunting, so that hunting was intimately connected with the establishing of the kingdom. Hence, if the expression ‘a mighty hunter’ relates primarily to hunting in the literal sense, we must add to the literal meaning the figurative signification of a ‘hunter of men’ (a

trapper of men by stratagem and force); Nimrod the hunter became a tyrant, a powerful hunter of men (Keil and Delitzsch 1975: 165).

We read this and we think it is just referring to going out hunting animals but that's not what's being conveyed there. He hunted down men and forcibly made them build his kingdom.

Before The Lord - meaning "In the face of The Lord" can only mean 'in defiance of The Lord' as Josephus and the Targums understand it (op. cit.: 166).

Today we would phrase it as "In your face" so he was boldly in God's face with what he was doing. He was in opposition to God.

Often attributed to Nimrod, the Tower of Babel (Gn 11:1-9) was not a Jack and the Beanstalk-type of construction, where people were trying to build a structure to get into heaven.



Instead it is best understood as an ancient ziggurat (Assyrian "mountaintop"), as the one pictured at ancient Ur of the Chaldees, Abraham's hometown (**Gn 11:31**) which is shown here. A ziggurat was a man-made structure with a temple at its top, built to worship the host of heaven. (**Gen.11:1-9**) The host of heaven being the sun, moon and stars but what that really is – is fallen angels and their consorts. Sumerians constructed their staged temple – towers or ziggurats as artificial mountains for worship. They had a small shrine on top so the deity would come down and inhabit the temple. They were trying to get their deity to

come down and dwell among men.*Knowing what we know about the luciferians looking for portals and gateways between this realm and the spirit realm, some of that was probably at play with the tower of Babel too.*

From many ancient writings, considerable is learned of this man, who started the great organized worldly apostasy from God that has dominated this world until now. Nimrod was one of the very first antichrist figures. He was so evil, it is said he married his own mother, whose name was Semiramis. After Nimrod's untimely death, his so-called mother and wife, Semiramis, propagated the evil doctrine of the survival of Nimrod as a spirit being.

When dealing with false deities, goddesses, gods and humans worshipped as gods you will see different versions of certain things. I will share two versions of what supposedly happened to Nimrod and how his wife and mother, in some accounts his sister, managed to hang on to the empire. Nimrod became deified in death.

In one account she claimed a full-grown evergreen tree sprang overnight from a dead tree stump, which symbolized the springing forth unto new life of the dead Nimrod. She was believed because she was revered as the “Queen of heaven.”

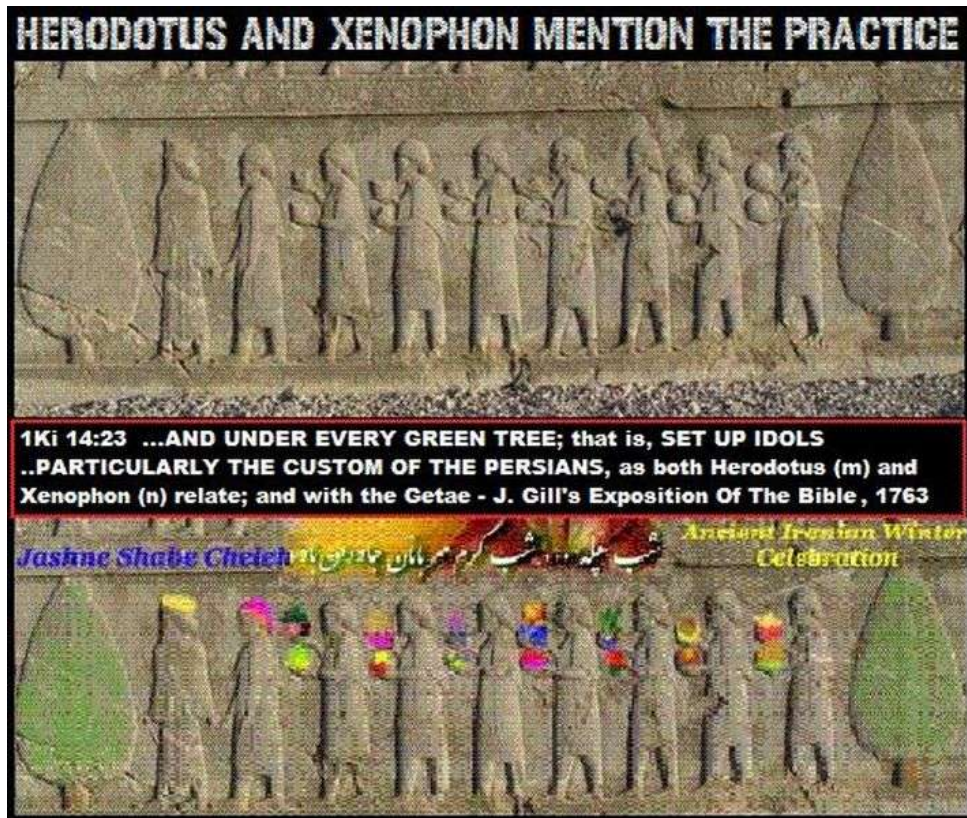
(Jer.7:18, 44:17-25)



"On each anniversary of his birth (Dec 25) Nimrod would visit the evergreen tree and leave gifts upon it."

--The Plain Truth About Christmas
by David J. Stewart | December 24th, 2005

On each anniversary of his birth, she claimed, Nimrod would visit the evergreen tree and leave gifts upon it. The Plain Truth About Christmas by David J. Stewart. December 25th was the birthday of Nimrod. This is the real origin of the Christmas tree.



Here you see an ancient depiction of pagan Persians going out to place their gifts and offerings under the green trees. Whoever put this together added color on the bottom so you can see they were carrying things to leave under the tree. Herodotos and Xenophon mention this practice. They were Greek historians who lived before the time of Christ. The Getae Thracians also did this as per Gill's exposition of the Bible. 1 Kings 14:23 mentions them doing this and there are several other passages in our Bibles as well. They tagged this "Ancient Iranian Winter Celebration."



The serpent is a symbol of the true sun god who is satan and here you see it wrapped around the tree stump, the origin of the lie that Semiramis told to keep her grip on the kingdom that Nimrod had created. After the story went out, then everyone in her kingdom began to include evergreen trees in worship of the sun god.

She told the Babylonians that she had become the goddess of the moon and the sky and that Nimrod was being “reincarnated” in her womb as “Ba’al” the sun-god on December 25th. She told the Babylonians that Nimrod impregnated her with the “rays of the sun” supernaturally and Nimrod “re-incarnated” himself as her new son Tammuz on December 25th.

Her new son was named Tammuz.

Let’s take a look at a passage of Scripture where God is showing Ezekiel what is going on in Jerusalem at His Temple:

Ezekiel 8:14-16 - Then He brought me to the door of the gate of the LORD'S house which *was* toward the north; and, behold, there sat women weeping for Tammuz. Then said He unto me, Hast thou seen *this*, O son of man? turn thee yet

again, *and* thou shalt see greater abominations than these. And He brought me into the inner court of the LORD'S house, and, behold, at the door of the temple of the LORD, between the porch and the altar, *were* about five and twenty men, with their backs toward the temple of the LORD, and their faces toward the east; and they worshipped the sun toward the east.

God was showing Ezekiel that sun gods were being worshiped right in the Temple where He had placed His holy name and said He would always dwell. In Ezekiel chapters 10 & 11 He showed Ezekiel that He was removing His presence from The Temple and leaving.

We just read that the false god Tammuz was being worshipped at the Temple. The Roman Catholics incorporated all pagan holy days and worship into that false religion. So we should not be surprised to learn that they incorporated the 40 days of weeping for Tammuz into what is now known as lent. Semiramis decreed that no meat should be eaten during this time. She is linked to and seems to be the same as Asherah and is called "The Queen of Heaven" in our Bibles.

Nimrod deified in death was worshiped as a sun god, his son Tammuz was the reincarnated sun god. In Egypt they were called Osiris and Horus and the mother and wife was Isis. Some of her other names are Inanna, Ishtar (Easter), Astarte etc. They are called by different names depending on the region.

Place	Nimrod	Tammuz	Semiramus
	Sun God	Pagan Son	Queen of Heaven
LEBANON	BAAL	TAMMUZ	ASHTORETH
PHOENICIANS	EL	BACCHUS	ASTARTE
BABYLON	BELUS	TAMMUZ	RHEA, ISHTAR
ASSYRIA	NINUS	HURCULES	BELTIS
GREECE	ZEUS	DIONYSUS	APHRODITE
ROME	JUPITER	ATTIS	CYBELE, DIANA
EGYPT	RA	OSIRIS, HORIS	ISIS, HATHOR
INDIA	VISHNU	KRISHNA	ISI, DEVAKI
CHINA	PAN-KU	YI	HENG-O, MA TSOOPO
MEXICO	TEOTL	QUETZALCOATL	COATLICUE
SCANDINAVIA	ODIN	BALDER	FREGG, FREYDA

Here is a chart someone put together to show some of their various names:

On the left you can see the different countries and regions then Nimrod, Tammuz and Semiramus' names listed. Baal, Tammuz, Ashtoreth, El, Bacchus, Astarte, Belus, Tammuz, Rhea, Ishtar (Easter), Ninus, Hercules, Beltis, Zeus, Dioonysus, Aphrodite, Jupiter, Attis, Cybele, Diana, Ra, Osiris, Horus, Isis, Hathor, Vishnu, Krishna, Isi, Devaki, Pan-Ku, Yi, Heng-o, Ma Tsoopo, Teotl, Quetzalcoatl, Coattlicue, Odin, Balder, Fregg, Freyda. This isn't even all the places they were worshipped or names they were called by. Tammuz is also called Dumuzi and Ishtar is also Inanna, that's from my NKJ Chronological study Bible p. 784.

satan supernaturally empowered these people to be one of his first false trinities on the earth. He was thrown out of heaven and knew full well of The Father, The Son and The Holy Spirit. He always mocks God and this was his way of doing just that. He will have a new false trinity during the tribulation. It will consist of the antichrist who is the counter to Jesus, the false prophet who is the counter to The Holy Spirit and himself possessing and empowering the antichrist – being the counter to The Father.

Tammuz was said to be revived in the springing forth of the vegetation in the spring. Generically he was called "Ba'al" (which means Lord or husband). Baal was also the god of the Canaanites. Each year on Tammuz's birthday on December 25th, the pagans were ordered by Semiramis to go into the groves (forests) and place a gift on a tree to honor Nimrod who was "cut down" like a tree. They were also ordered to cut down an evergreen tree, take it into their homes and decorate it with silver and gold balls. ((Some say the balls represent sun worship. Some say it has to do with Nimrod's testicles and fertility.)) In other research I have found that the gold balls were for the sun, Nimrod, and the silver balls were for the moon, Semiramis who was the moon goddess and mother or queen of heaven.



During the celebration of the Roman saturnalia, they would place gilded nuts and orbs on green trees to symbolize the sun. The ancient pagans didn't have the same kind of gold and silver ball ornaments we see today but this gives us a better idea of the kind of things they put on their trees.

Trees and branches became symbols of Nimrod because Nimrod was “cut down” by Shem, the son of Noah who placed a bounty hunt on his life. The book of Jasher Chapter 27 tells us that it was Esau (the son of Jacob) who actually killed Nimrod. In the Egyptian account of who killed Osiris who was supposed to be Nimrod in that land, it was his brother Set. In all the accounts of the murder of Nimrod or Osiris, he was cut into pieces in the end and the pieces were scattered. That part remains consistent among all accounts.

CLOSING

There are different versions of what actually happened to Nimrod. One account says that the Egyptian god Set, tricked him into getting into a coffin and sealed it shut and threw it into the Nile river. Then it washed up into a tree and the coffin was stuck there and Osiris' body or that is Nimrod's body began to grow into the

tree. This is another way that the pagans began worshipping evergreen trees believing their deity was actually in the tree. That his spirit became part of the tree.



This is a freemasonic tracing board showing a coffin with the skull and bones making an x which is a symbol for Osiris. The green sprig or branch above the coffin is from an acacia tree which is an ever green tree and symbol of Osiris. Kay Griggs shared about the rituals they do in coffins in the secret societies. I shared about all of this in the sermon on Freemasonry part four. Seems this is all tied in with Christmas as I have already shown the high level freemasons know all about Osiris and do worship him and their ultimate god is lucifer. I have revealed all of this in the series entitled "Freemasonry" in parts 7 – 15.



Here's a freemasonic apron with the coffin and acacia sprig at the bottom and you plainly see the sun, moon and stars to represent worship of false gods that God forbids to His children. They eye of lucifer which is also the eye of sodomy is hovering over the whole thing.

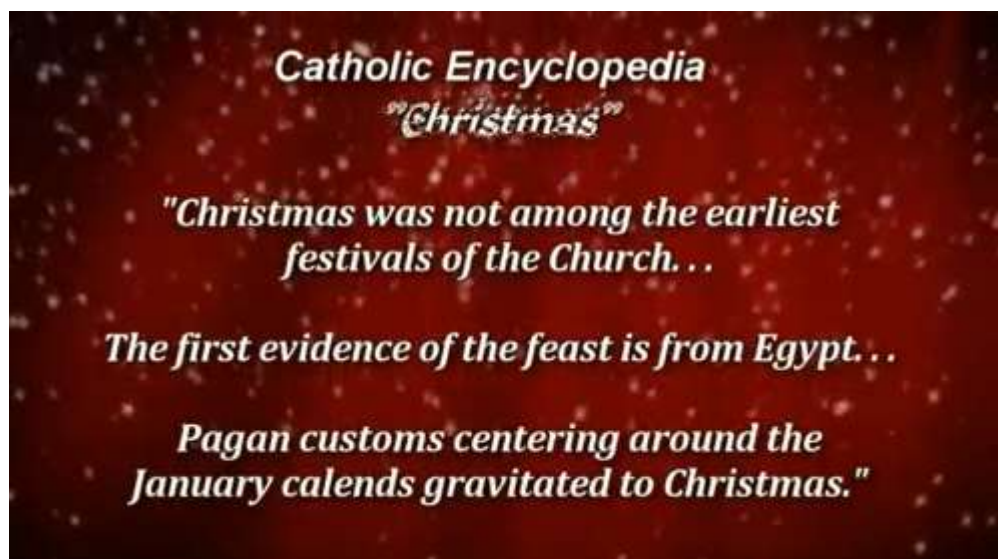


Freemasonic jewelry of the coffin and skull and cross bones making an X. On the right is an ancient depiction of Osiris on his throne with his X sash. The exoteric information for the pawns in freemasonry is that the coffin represents mortality but the real truth goes back to Osiris.



High level freemasons know it all goes back to sun worship which is all about satan.

Before you dismiss this remember the research from Part One:



From The Catholic Encyclopedia – “Christmas was not among the earliest festivals of the church. The first evidence of the feast is from Egypt. Pagan customs centering around the January calends gravitated to Christmas.”

They attributed the first celebration of what is called Christmas to the Egyptians. They certainly worshiped sun gods.

The pagans have always had greenery in their rituals, feasts and celebrations and we are going to go deeper into that as this series continues.

PRAYER

This references Alexander Hislop's Two Babylons

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Shocking But True- "Is Christmas Christian?"

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Is Christmas a Pagan Holy Day? - Mr E

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