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FACTIONS IN FIRST CENTURY JUDEA

Herodians

Sadducees

Essenes

Pharisees

Zealots

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Wisdom of Solomon 2:2-10
(Apocrypha)

For we are born of nothing,
and after this we shall be as if we had not been.
For the breath in our nostrils is smoke:
and speech a spark to move our heart,
which being put out, our body shall be ashes;
and our spirit shall be poured abroad as soft air,
and our life shall pass away as the trace of a cloud,
and shall be dispersed as a mist,
which is driven away by the beams of the sun,
and overpowered with the heat thereof.

Wisdom of Solomon 2:2-10
(Apocrypha)

And our name in time shall be forgotten,
and no man shall have any remembrance
of our works.

For our time is as the passing of a shadow,
and there is no going back of our end:
for it is fast sealed, and no man returneth.

Wisdom of Solomon 2:2-10

(Apocrypha)

Come therefore, and let us enjoy
the good things that are present,
and let us speedily use the creatures as in youth.
Let us fill ourselves with costly wine, and ointments:
and let not the flower of the time pass by us.
Let us crown ourselves with roses,
before they be withered:
let no meadow escape our riot.

Wisdom of Solomon 2:2-10
(Apocrypha)

Let us oppress the poor just man,
and not spare the widow,
nor honour the ancient grey hairs of the aged.

Mark 12:18-19

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but leaves no child,
the man must take the widow
and raise up offspring for his brother.”

Deuteronomy 25:5-6

If brothers are living together
and one of them dies without a son,
his widow must not marry outside the family.
Her husband's brother shall take her
and marry her and fulfill the duty
of a brother-in-law to her.

The first son she bears shall carry on
the name of the dead brother
so that his name will not be
blotted out from Israel.

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Mark 12:20-22

“There were seven brothers;
the first took a wife,
and when he died left no offspring.

“And the second took her, and died,
leaving no offspring.
And the third likewise.

“And the seven left no offspring.
Last of all the woman also died.”

Mark 12:23

“In the resurrection, when they rise again,
whose wife will she be?
For the seven had her as wife.”

Mark 12:24

Jesus said to them,

“Is this not the reason you are wrong,
because you know neither the Scriptures
nor the power of God?”

1 Corinthians 15:3-8

For what I received I passed on to you
as of first importance:
that Christ died for our sins
according to the Scriptures;
that he was buried;
that he was raised on the third day
according to the Scriptures;
and that he appeared to Peter,
and then to the Twelve.

1 Corinthians 15:3-8

After that, he appeared to
more than five hundred
of the brothers at the same time,
most of whom are still living,
though some have fallen asleep.

Then he appeared to James,
then to all the apostles,
and last of all he appeared to me also,
as to one abnormally born.

Psalm 23:6

Surely goodness and love will follow me
all the days of my life,
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD
forever.

Isaiah 25:7-9

On this mountain he will destroy
the shroud that enfolds all peoples,
the sheet that covers all nations;
he will swallow up death forever.
The Sovereign LORD will wipe away
the tears from all faces;
he will remove the disgrace of his people
from all the earth.

Isaiah 25:7-9

The LORD has spoken.

In that day they will say,

“Surely this is our God;

we trusted in him, and he saved us.

This is the LORD, we trusted in him;

let us rejoice

and be glad in his salvation.”

Job 19:25-27

I know that my Redeemer lives,
and that in the end
he will stand upon the earth.

And after my skin has been destroyed,
yet in my flesh I will see God;
I myself will see him with my own eyes –
I, and not another.

How my heart yearns within me!

1 Corinthians 15:13-19

If there is no resurrection of the dead,
then not even Christ has been raised.

And if Christ has not been raised,
our preaching is useless
and so is your faith.

1 Corinthians 15:13-19

More than that, we are then found
to be false witnesses about God,
for we have testified about God
that he raised Christ from the dead.

But he did not raise him
if in fact the dead are not raised.

For if the dead are not raised,
then Christ has not been raised either.

1 Corinthians 15:13-19

And if Christ has not been raised,
your faith is futile;
you are still in your sins.

Then those also who have
fallen asleep in Christ are lost.

If only for this life
we have hope in Christ,
we are to be pitied
more than all men.

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because you know neither the Scriptures
nor the power of God?”

Romans 1:1-4

Paul, a servant of Christ Jesus,
called to be an apostle
and set apart for the gospel of God –
the gospel he promised beforehand
through his prophets in the Holy Scriptures
regarding his Son,
who as to his human nature
was a descendant of David,
and who through the Spirit of holiness
was declared with power to be the Son of God
by his resurrection from the dead:
Jesus Christ our Lord.

Philippians 3:10-11

I want to know Christ
and the power of his resurrection
and the fellowship of sharing in his sufferings,
becoming like him in his death,
and so, somehow, to attain
to the resurrection from the dead.

John 14:18-19

“I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you.
Before long, the world will not see me anymore,
but you will see me.
Because I live, you also will live.”

John 11:25-26

Jesus said to her,
“I am the resurrection and the life.
He who believes in me will live, even though he dies;
and whoever lives and believes in me will never die.
Do you believe this?”

Mark 12:24-25

Jesus said to them,

“Is this not the reason you are wrong,
because you know neither the Scriptures
nor the power of God?

“For when they rise from the dead,
they neither marry nor are given in marriage,
but are like angels in heaven.”

1 Corinthians 15:51-54

Listen, I tell you a mystery:

We will not all sleep,
but we will all be changed –
in a flash, in the twinkling of an eye,
at the last trumpet.

For the trumpet will sound,
the dead will be raised imperishable,
and we will be changed.

1 Corinthians 15:51-54

For the perishable must clothe itself
with the imperishable,
and the mortal with immortality.

When the perishable has been clothed
with the imperishable,
and the mortal with immortality,
then the saying that is written will come true:
“Death has been swallowed up in victory.”

“We do know this, that the flower
is the perfect maturity of the seed.
Our own resurrection body has been chosen
for each one of us by the Master Gardener.

“He is the one who will give
to each of our individual bodies
the full perfection of our characters.”

~John Penry, 1559-1593

Mark 12:26-27

“And as for the dead being raised,
have you not read in the book of Moses,
in the passage about the bush,
how God spoke to him, saying,
‘I am the God of Abraham,
and the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob’?

“He is not God of the dead,
but of the living.

“You are quite wrong.”

Hebrews 11:10, 13-16

For [Abraham] was looking forward
to the city with foundations,
whose architect and builder is God.

All these people were still
living by faith when they died.
They did not receive the things promised;
they only saw them and welcomed them
from a distance.

And they admitted that they were
aliens and strangers on earth.

Hebrews 11:10, 13-16

People who say such things
show that they are looking for
a country of their own...

They were longing for a better country –
a heavenly one.

Therefore God is not ashamed
to be called their God,
for he has prepared a city for them.