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JESUS' PRE-INCARNATION MANIFESTATIONS

PART 3 – ABRAM AND MELCHIZEDEK

Chapter 14 of Genesis tells of a war in which four kings defeated five kings, including the King of Sodom. They took Abram's nephew Lot captive. When Abram learned of it, he pursued the four kings, defeated them, took much spoil, and recovered Lot.

Upon Abram's return, he was met by Melchizedek, the King of Salem, who was the priest of "the God Most High" (Genesis 14:18 NKJV). Melchizedek brought bread and wine, and he and Abram shared communion together. Then, this High Priest of God blessed Abram saying in verse 19, ***"Blessed be (is) Abram of (by) God Most High, Possessor of heaven and earth."*** Then in verse 20 it says that Abram gave Melchizedek tithes of all. (Genesis 14:20.)

As we dig deeper into the scripture, it is clear to me that Melchizedek was a pre-incarnation of Jeshuah, Jesus Christ. He was the priest of the Most High God, which could only be Yahweh (Jehovah). Only the Son (Jesus) manifests Jehovah in physical form.

Abram recognized the unique nature of this high priest from God in such a way that he gave the tithe (10%) of everything to Melchizedek, something that he had never done before. This is the first recorded example of tithing to God and His works.

Melchizedek was also the King of Salem. Salem means "peace" or "peaceful." It was the ancient name of Jerusalem [Jeru-Salem] which we know to be very special to God. As King of Salem, he could also be called Prince (king) of Peace, which is a title given to Jesus. As a king and a priest, he could also carry the title of King of Kings.

Tomorrow we will look at additional scriptures that will support my thesis that Melchizedek was in fact the pre-incarnate appearance of Jesus Christ. Not all bible scholars agree with me, because some think Melchizedek was a mere mortal person. We shall let the bible address their misconception.

Yes, God (Jesus) has appeared in man-like form at various times beginning with Adam and Eve. He has always made his presence known in various ways since the dawn of time.