



MATTHEW 6

The Lilies of The Valley

The Hill of the Skull

The story of David and Goliath is one of the most told, of bravery and victory over giants.

I Samuel 17 give us that magnificent day how David fought and killed the mighty giant, Goliath. David was a young boy and not believed to have been a large man in stature.

It was said in I Samuel 17:4, “And there went out a champion out of the camp of the Philistines, named Goliath, of Gath, whose height was six cubits and a span.”

David was well prepared when he took the five stones, as he learned about Golaith's four brothers.

David didn't wear Saul's armour, because it didn't fit, he used only his slingshot with a small stone to take down the mighty giant, for YHVH was with him.

David had experience in defending the sheep he guarded with his sling and stones. It would seem that the animals David had faced were far braver than the men with Goliath, because they all turned and ran away (1 Samuel 17:51).

David told Goliath that he (Goliath) came with spear and sword, but his weapon was YHVH (1 Samuel 17:37). David trusted YHVH with all his heart, believing that YHVH would tell him exactly what to do and how. And so He did.

In 1 Samuel 17:54 there is something unusual that happens after Goliath was slain. *“And David took the head of the Philistine, and brought it to Jerusalem; but he put his armour in his tent.”*

Now the battle between David and Goliath took place in the Valley of Elah, which was almost 32 Km away from Jerusalem. Interesting David taking Goliath's head all the way to Jerusalem?

During the Biblical times, the people had a strict set of laws that were to be followed. If any of the laws were to be broken, or even if it was suspected that a law was broken, the person being accused was to pay a serious price.

The most common forms of capital punishment in the Bible include burning at the stake, stoning, hanging, displaying a person on a cross and crucifixion just to name a few. A few other punishments that were common but did not result in death include scourging and in cutting off limbs.

Putting Goliath's skull on display would not have been odd but it would make us wonder about the strict hygiene laws YHVH gave the Israelites, which would make them unclean handling the dead.

Why and where was David taking this Giant's head to Jerusalem? Surely David had a reason. We know that David was a Man after YHVH's Heart, so was he doing something in the natural, which was significant in the spirit, a prophetic act of some sort?

David is fighting to protect Israel, while Goliath is trying to destroy Israel, the righteous family. David's lineage is Ruth and Goliath, his lineage is from Orpha, who produced the race of giants.

So, David took Goliath's head to Jerusalem, and displayed it as a sign of victory. As no body of the dead could be inside the city where the Temple grounds are, it was known that this had to be outside the walls.

Think about that and let me bring a bit more information in to get a deeper look at the death of Goliath and why God loved David so much.

When Yeshua was crucified, Matthew, Mark, Luke and John all shared His Story. They spoke about Yeshua being crucified on a hill called "Calvary" and In Hebrew the word Calvary is "Golgatha" and it is called, "The hill of the skull."

The question remains. Was this the same place where Yeshua was crucified. Outside the city at “The hill of the skull,” has

Ron Wyatt dug into the hill and claimed to have found the Ark at Golgotha and some of Yeshua's blood on it, but did not bring forth any proof to substantiate his claims.

It is also believed the blood of Yeshua ran down into the ground at Golgotha, and covered the Mercy seat of the Ark of the Covenant.

The one thing we do know is, Golgotha was the place where Yeshua was crucified, but why there? Is there a spiritual reason?

Maybe it's in the Name? The name Goliath according to the Bible, Goliath of Gath, is a name derived from the words Gola Gatha.

Some believe from this formation of words Goliath and Golgotha are tied together. David took the head of Goliath, (the head of the serpent) and buried it in Jerusalem, on the hill of Golgotha. And that is why it became known as, the hill of the skull. Goliath, being part of the fallen Angels, the Nephilim.

Genesis 6:4,

The Nephilim were on the earth in those days and also afterwards

Numbers 13:33

And there we saw the Nephilim (the sons of Anak, who come from the Nephilim), and we seemed to ourselves like grasshoppers, and so we seemed to them.”

Deuteronomy 3:11

For only Og the king of Bashan was left of the remnant of the Rephaim. Behold, his bed was a bed of iron. Is it not in Rabbah of the Ammonites? Nine cubits was its length, and four cubits its breadth, according to the common cubit.

Joshua 11:21

And Joshua came at that time and cut off the Anakim from the hill country, from Hebron, from Debir, from Anab, and from all the hill country of Judah, and from all the hill country of Israel. Joshua devoted them to destruction with their cities

Genesis 3:15 YHVH's s Prophetic Words

And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.

When Yeshua was crucified, think about him being crucified on the hill of Golgatha. Think about Him being on the hill of the skull (head) of Goliath, the seed of the serpent (Satan).

If Goliath's skull, his head, was indeed buried somewhere underneath the place of the cross of Yeshua it will have very deep meaning.

The glorious truth is that Yeshua already completely destroyed Satan's power over us through His death and resurrection. Yeshua HaMashiach was victoriously raised from the dead . Death could not hold him.

Never forget the only place that rightfully belongs to the devil is the small space of ground right under your feet!

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