

# **BA18. Being Reconciled to God in Yeshua.**

*We are to be reconciled to God in Yeshua.*

This precept is derived from His Word (blessed is He):

## **Key New Testament Scriptures**

### 2 Corinthians 5:18-20

*And it is all from God, who through the Messiah has reconciled us to himself and has given us the work of that reconciliation, which is that God in the Messiah was reconciling mankind to himself, not counting their sins against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. Therefore we are ambassadors of the Messiah; in effect, God is making his appeal through us. What we do is appeal on behalf of the Messiah, "Be reconciled to God!"*

### Colossians 1:20-22

*.. and through his Son to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace through him, through having his Son shed his blood by being executed on a stake. In other words, you, who at one time were separated from God and had a hostile attitude towards him because of your wicked deeds, he has now reconciled in the Son's physical body through his death; in order to present you holy and without defect or reproach before himself-*

## **Additional New Testament Scriptures**

Romans 5:10-11, 11:15

Ephesians 2:16

## **Related New Testament Mitzvot**

BA03 Being United (in Unity /Union) with God and Yeshua

BA14 Knowing God through Yeshua

BA36 Embracing Yeshua's Sacrifice for Forgiveness, Righteousness, and Redemption

BA40 Receiving and Following God and Yeshua

BA58 Standing Firm in Union with the Lord

## **Supportive Tanakh Scriptures**

None

## **Comment**

Mankind was in reconciled relationship with God in the Garden of Eden but fell out of reconciliation when Adam disobeyed God and ate from the Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil. God wanted to provide a means by which man could come back into relationship with him, so He devised a plan whereby, when the time was right, He would send his son Yeshua to earth

and would reconcile with whomever of us did what Adam failed to do – obey him. It is, of course, too late to for us to undo Adam having eaten of the forbidden tree, so our New Covenant means of obeying God is to receive and follow Yeshua as our Lord and Messiah.

**Related Mitzvot in Volumes 1 & 2**

None