

THE MARK OF THE BEAST, WHAT IS IT?

The work of Lucifer all down through the ages has been to destroy the truth and knowledge of God, and His form of Government. He succeeded in removing God's timepiece, CREATION CALENDAR, by setting up the 'man of sin's form of worship and government, by which he controls mankind. For Daniel 7:25 says, "He shall speak against the Most High and oppress the holy ones of the Most High, thinking to change the feast days of (Lev. 23) and the law...." New American {Catholic} Bible. "The new law has its own spirit....and its own feasts which have taken the place of those appointed in the law of Moses. If we would know the days to be observed, we must go to the Catholic Church, not to the Mosaic Law." Quoted from Cardinal Gibbons in the Catholic Catechism.

As we look at the Gregorian Calendar, which hangs on walls the world over, we quickly see that the above quotation has been accepted and obeyed almost 100%. Facts show that the majority of the world observe Sunday, Easter, St. Valentine's Day, St. Patrick's Day, Halloween, Christmas, etceteras. And since these special days are of pagan origin, according to historical facts, and they are not Scriptural, but acclaimed by the Roman Catholic Institution as their feast days, is proof that the above quotation by Cardinal Gibbons has reached fulfillment. Also the Gregorian Calendar show a change in (1) the beginning of the day from sunset to midnight; (2) the beginning of the solar year from spring, or March 16-17 {the vernal equinox} to winter, or January 1; (4) the beginning of the lunar months, set by the New Moon, to a manmade beginning; and (5) the day of worship from the seventh day Saturday, to the first day of the week, Sunday. Since these changes are out of harmony with the Scriptures and astronomical law, it is evident that a bible Christian cannot use the Gregorian Calendar in the study of the Scriptures, or in obeying the Biblical commands. In following the 'man of sin's false worship system you automatically receive the mark of the beast! This is very serious, for Revelation 14: 9-11 warns us that if we receive that mark, we "shall drink of the wine of the wrath of God!