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MINISTRIES

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Strange Math

Matthew 12:40

For just as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of the great fish, so will the Son of Man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth.

Ok, let's count three days and three nights. Friday NIGHT. Saturday DAY. Saturday NIGHT. Then he rose. No, That's not right.

Let's try again. Friday DAY. Friday NIGHT. Saturday DAY. Saturday NIGHT. Then he rose. No, that's not right either.

Hmmm maybe it's Friday DAY. Friday NIGHT. Saturday DAY. Saturday NIGHT. Sunday DAY. No that still doesn't work.

Friday DAY. Friday NIGHT. Saturday DAY. Saturday NIGHT. Sunday DAY

Ok, well, NONE OF THOSE ADD UP AT ALL.

So how do we get 3 days and 3 nights?

Because Messiah said ... “three days and three nights”.

Matthew 12:40

For just as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of the great fish, so will the Son of Man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth.

Jesus, his Hebrew name being Yeshua, did say that there are 12 hours to a day.

John 11:9

Jesus [Yeshua] answered, “Are there not twelve hours in the day? If anyone walks in the day, he does not stumble, because he sees the light of this world.

And we know he didn't die until the evening hours on the day he did die.

Matthew 27:46

And about the ninth hour Jesus cried out with a loud voice, saying, "Eli, Eli, lema sabachthani?" that is, "My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?"

So, we know that we can't count THAT day. So let's work backwards. We know that He rose on the first day of the week.

Mark 16:9

Now when he rose early on the first day of the week, he appeared first to Mary Magdalene, from whom he had cast out seven demons.

But wait, a Hebrew day goes from SUNSET TO SUNSET. Making the first day of the week start on what we call a Saturday night. That makes sense because Mary Magdalene began her way out to the tomb on the first day of the week while it was still dark and HE HAD ALREADY RISEN.

John 20:1

Now on the first day of the week Mary Magdalene came to the tomb early, while it was still dark, and saw that the stone had been taken away from the tomb.

So that would mean that he rose on Saturday night at sunset. Because that would be the beginning of the first day of the week. So let's count backwards from there.

Saturday DAY. Friday NIGHT. Friday DAY. Thursday NIGHT. Thursday DAY. Wednesday NIGHT.

So that would mean He WAS CRUCIFIED AT THE 9TH HOUR ON WEDNESDAY and put into the grave by sundown that evening.

But they wanted him off the cross because the next day was a Sabbath.

John 19:31

Since it was the day of Preparation, and so that the bodies would not remain on the cross on the Sabbath (for that Sabbath was a high day), the Jews asked Pilate that their legs might be broken and that they might be taken away.

That would HAVE to make it a Friday evening, wouldn't it? Wait a minute. THE FIRST DAY OF UNLEAVENED BREAD IS CONSIDERED A HIGH SABBATH, a day of rest.

Leviticus 23:7

On the first day you shall have a holy convocation; you shall not do any ordinary work.

That makes sense because Mark says that Mary bought spices AFTER the Sabbath and yet still waited for the first day of the week to anoint Messiah's body.

Mark 16:1-2

When the Sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, Mary the mother of James, and Salome bought spices, so that they might go and anoint him. And very early on the first day of the week, when

the sun had risen, they went to the tomb.

Now, THIS adds up.

HIGH SABBATH				WEEKLY SABBATH		
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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