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The manner in which a group treats the Bible reveals exactly what that group is. For example, if a group is Bible-believing in nature, they would look at the Bible as the unique revelation from the Holy Spirit.

They would also believe in verbal inspiration, inerrancy, and infallibility of the 66 books of the Bible. Such a group would not allow the apocrypha books, any other human books, or any traditions to be placed on par with the Bible. They will also believe in the truth of the history of creation, temptation, fall, flood, and incarnation of Jesus.

On the other hand, if any group teaches that Genesis 1-10 is poetic or figurative in nature, then it is a deviant group. A low view of the Bible accompanies every False Cult and Movement. In this chapter we will examine the views held by Prajapati Proponents on Inspiration, Infallibility, and Inerrancy of the Bible. We will also study what these people say about the religious books of others, specially about that of the Hindus.

A look at Prajapati books shows at least two major assertions about the bible. These are:

- Bible is NOT the unique word of God. Rather, it is only one among the books inspired by the Holy Spirit. Books of Hinduism, Zorostrianism, Islam, Buddhism, and other are also fully (or in part) inspired by Holy Spirit.
- Many theological ideas, philosophies, and practices in the Bible have been borrowed straight from Hinduism. Thus in these matters Hindu scriptures have some priority, and they throw much more light on these subjects than the Bible.

Bible-believing Christians would be shocked to hear the two assertions above, but unfortunately these are the firm beliefs of the Prajapati Movement. This is not an indirect deduction from their writings, but based upon direct statements made by them. These can be documented amply from their own statements. These statements indicate the following assertions:

- The Bible Is Not Unique
- Holy Spirit Revelation Is Found In All Religions
- Portions Of Bible Are Purely Human In Origin and Content
- Hindu Books Are Holy-Spirit Inspired Revelation
- All Religious Books Come From Holy Spirit
- Bible Has Borrowed From Hindu Holy Books
- Jesus Borrowed Statements From Hindu Holy Books
- Hindu Scriptures Are Clearer In Meaning Than the Bible
- Hinduism Is Essential If Anyone Wishes To Understand Christology

A detailed study of some of the above points, with quotes from Prajapati-Christians, is given below:

[Their Claim Number 01: The Bible Is Not Unique](#)

According to the Bible, it is a unique book. There is no other book that contains the same history, message, theology, prophecy and divine inspiration. There is no other book that has the same life-giving power.

However, in Prajapati literature one can often see such comparison with other material. In these comparisons, the uniqueness of Bible is denied and Bible is brought to the level of human speculation. For example:

- 'Messiah' of the Bible has been foreshadowed in the nation study of Greek philosopher Plato. (J. C. Dev in foreword of Cosmic, Koshy Abraham, Page ix).
- It is true that there are references about Christ in Plato, Virgil, Greek Orian stories, Rigveda etc. (J. C. Dev in foreword of Cosmic, Koshy Abraham, Page x).

Uniqueness of Bible in the matter of Holy Spirit inspiration is also denied by these people. This is seen in many places including:

- If the RELIGIOUS BOOK with the ritualistic laws of worship and rules, in which all the ups and downs of the Hebrew people are inscribed is accepted as God-inspired, how can we refuse similar recognition to the Aryan Scriptures in which the same or similar subject are written. (Cosmic, Koshy Abraham, Page 30).

Here the author not only denies the uniqueness in the matter of divine-inspiration of the Bible, but uses a debater's tactic to debase the Bible. All the while he was referring to the Bible as Hebrew Scriptures, but to reduce its status he suddenly uses the term RELIGIOUS BOOK for the Bible.

Obviously the Prajapati-Christians would go to any length to devalue and debase the Bible so as to prove that Bible is not a unique revelation from God. That much for their mockery of the Bible!

[Their Claim Number 02: Holy-Spirit Inspired Revelation Is Found In All Religions](#)

God loves the world, and this is why He sent his Son to die on their behalf (John 3:16). However, He communicates this message only through the Bible. There is no written revelation in any other religion that communicates this message about Jesus Christ.

Nature declares the glory of God and the firmament shows His handiwork (Ps. 19:). But this knowledge (Rom. 1:20,21) does NOT reach the pagans through their religious books. General revelation reaches them only and only through the Bible. Before the Bible was written, God had chosen a family line beginning with Seth to communicate this message. This family line is mentioned repeatedly in the Bible.

However, many Prajapati-Christians claim that divine REVELATION about God is given in the RELIGIOUS BOOKS of pagans:

- God has given REVELATIONS about Him to the world. This kind of REVELATION is scattered all over the RELIGIOUS BOOKS of these religions. (Bharatheeya, R. Krishnankutty, Page vi).

Bible is very clear in this matter that general REVELATIONS about God are available in nature, but specific revelation are available in the Bible alone. Before such revelations could be written down by Moses, this information passed through the family-line of people whom the Jewish believers could identify as Jewish FATHERS.

God, who at sundry times and in divers manners spake in time past unto the FATHERS by the prophets, (Hebrews 1:1).

And we declare unto you glad tidings, how that the promise which was made unto the FATHERS, (Acts 13:32)

Now I say that Jesus Christ was a minister of the circumcision for the truth of God, to confirm the promises [made] unto the FATHERS: (Romans 15:8)

Except for the general revelation found in nature, and the specific revelation found in Bible (which in Old Testament and before came through the FATHERS) there is no revelation from God in any book in this world.

- It has to be understood that the impartial God has inspired the content of ALL scriptures of all religions. (Architect, Koshy Abraham, Page 145)
- Christians must study all religions scriptures impartially. The he would understand that the spiritual subjects contained in ALL religious books are inspired by God. (Architect, Page 145).

Obviously, the purpose of the New Prajapati movement is NOT to lead people of other religions to Christ of the Bible, but to convince Christians that clearer revelations about Biblical truth is available in Hindu scriptures.

Their Claim Number 03: Substantial Portions Of The Bible Are Purely Human

Bible is God's word. Human authors wrote it down, but the Holy Spirit did not suppress the unique literary form of the writers. But this does not mean that the writers wrote their own human theology. It also does not mean that the writers were able to introduce their human biases, prejudices, and perversions into the Bible.

However, radical theology which became popular in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries introduced the idea that Christianity is only an evolutionary product. Thus the books of the Bible are only man-made product of their times that have all the biases and prejudices of their era built into them. This means that instead of being inspired by the Holy Spirit, their works were the products of their human wisdom and fancies.

Conservative Christians rejected the radical thinking in the last century. Though this approach to the Bible continues to be in vogue among non-evangelicals, it is more because of their rebellion and less because of scientific reasons. Radicalism died an unceremonious death in the hands of twentieth century literary, manuscript, and archaeological discoveries.

Though many in the Prajapati movement claim to be evangelicals in belief, their loyalty is often towards radical theology. We read:

- two of the Gospel writers have made hectic efforts to establish a worldly genealogical heritage of him whereby Jews could claim Jesus as one of their own clan. (Cosmic, Koshy Abraham, Page 2).

In other words, the two genealogies did not come there because of any divine plan and purpose. Rather, they were put there by men to fulfill certain *human whims and fancies*. Similarly,

- Moses established laws, orders and commandments totaling about 613 in number to meet the spiritual, social and cultural needs of his TRIBE.

So the Old Testament Law was not God-given, but was rather a tribal setup created by Moses the human leader according to the Prajapati-Christians.

- The abolition of animal sacrifices may be attributed to the spiritual and social reforms in society brought out by their Prophets. (Cosmic, Koshy Abraham, Pages 2,3).

In other words, there is no divine hand behind the giving of the Law, the sending of prophets, and the writing of the Old Testament. There is no coherence also, so that the PROPHETS abolished what MOSES had established.

The divine hand behind Moses and Prophets is totally rejected. Some false interpretation about abolition of sacrifices is added. The whole scenario is given a human evolutionary colour, and the divine hand behind the history of Israel is totally negated. This is Bible-denying radical theology to the core.

Their Claim Number 04: Hindu Religious Books Are Holy-Spirit Inspired Revelations

Bible makes it clear that it is a book revealed and inspired by the Holy Spirit.

All scripture [is] given by inspiration of God... (2 Timothy 3:16).

Knowing this first, that no prophecy of the scripture is of any private interpretation. For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man: but holy men of God spake [as they were] moved by the Holy Ghost. (2 Peter 1:20,21).

Bible is very clear in this matter that NO other book in the world is similarly inspired or revealed by the Holy Spirit. Making such a claim is blasphemy. However, the Prajapati proponents frequently make such claims. Some of these are:

- Vedic hymns were REVELATIONS derived by the sages from time to time. (Harmony, Menon, Page 27).
- God has spoken to ALL PEOPLE at ALL TIMES (R. Krishnankutty, Dharmadeepti, November 97, Page 6).
- Bible DOES NOT give us the scope to claim that God has provided revelation only through the Jews, or that He will provide revelation only through the Jews. (R. Krishnankutty, Dharmadeepti, November 97, Page 6).

Thus, to establish that Prajapati is Jesus Christ, they find it necessary and very easy to deny the divine authorship of the Bible. They also find it necessary to claim that ALL religious books of all the people are inspired by the Holy Spirit. This is a mockery of the verbal inspiration of the Bible by the Holy Spirit.

Their Claim Number 05: All Religious Books Come From The Same Source (from Holy Spirit)

According to the Bible, it is the only scripture that has been inspired by the Holy Spirit. The rest of them have come out of either human wisdom, or through demonic dictation. However, Prajapati proponents oppose this distinction. For example:

- EVERY ancient scripture was one and the same. Hindu, Christian, and Islam were all categorized later, all man made. (Harmony, Menon, Page 96).

According to the above statement, Bible is wrong in claiming that it is unique and from God. According to the writer, there is NO difference between the different religious books. Further, according to this writer ALL religious books, including the Bible, are MAN MADE. Similar theology can be seen in:

- This ray of light has come from one and the same source, and its manifestation can be seen in books of all religions. (Architect, Koshy Abraham, Page 13).

This is enough testimony to the presumable "high" view in which the Prajapati proponents hold the Bible.

Their Claim Number 06: The Bible Has Borrowed Substantially From Hinduism

All Prajapati proponents claim that the Bible has borrowed substantial doctrinal and practical material from the Hindu scriptures (and even from Zoroastrians). For example:

- Hence, we should accept or see Bhagvath Gita as the HERALD or FORERUNNER of the New Testament of the Holy Bible. (Harmony, Menon, Page 70).
- Almost all the verses I could read from the Rigveda appeared JUST THE SAME in the Holy Bible... All connected verses. (Harmony, Menon, Page 93).

Orthodox Hindus believe that Vedas were written thousands of years BEFORE the Old Testament. Even Some Christians believe the same. The following is a table of what these Christians claim:

- Dr. Joseph Padinjarekara 2000-1200 BC, Vedas, Page 34
- Arvindaksha Menon 2600-1500 BC, Harmony, Page 26
- J. C. Dev 8000 Years Ago, VedantaChrist, P.xvii
- Mr. Koshy Abraham In Eternity Past, End Time 39

If these claim are true, then almost everything important found in the Bible was written in the Vedas thousands of years BEFORE it was written down in the Bible. Thus the obvious deduction is that Bible has borrowed almost all major doctrines from the Vedas.

Now our aim here is not to discuss the real age of the Vedas, but to remind that IF all these Biblical doctrines are there in Vedas, then Bible is the borrower. Prajapati-Christians go to great lengths to prove that the Bible has borrowed ALL major biblical doctrines from Vedas and other Hindu sacred literature. They are willing to abandon the

verbal inspiration of the Bible by the Holy Spirit quickly so as to prove that Bible is not original but that it is a work borrowed from the Vedas.

[Their Claim Number 07: Jesus Borrowed Statements From Hindus](#)

Though the world sees Lord Jesus Christ as a teacher of very original ideas, many of the Prajapati teachers are not willing to grant Him that status. They portray Him as a person who had to borrow his theology and philosophy Hindu teachers. Further, these people forget the fact the Jesus is God, and thus He did not need to learn or borrow from anybody else. The following is what they say:

- Quite often, the Holy words of Jesus Christ ... are REPETITIONS, WORD BY WORD, of the verses of the UPANISHADS. These concordances have paved the way for historians to presume that Jesus visited India before his life in public. (Harmony, Menon, Page 50).
- There are many Gita messages apparent and subdued in the words of Christ all along. (Harmony, Menon, Page 62).

The whole idea that Jesus visited India is contrary to what is revealed in the gospels about His early years. This whole story was cooked up by some people who wanted to establish their own pet theories.

The Ahmadiya Muslims are the people who emphatically declare that Jesus did visit India, at least after His crucifixion. (Ahmadiyas teach that Jesus did not die on the cross). However, all such claim is baseless, and are not supported by historical evidences.

However, in their eagerness to reconcile Christianity with Hinduism, many present-day Christians are willing to distort Biblical history. They are willing to promote fancy theories as facts. However, the end result is neither historically accurate, not theologically correct. The end result is a totally Hinduized Jesus who borrows the substance of His teachings from Hinduism.

[Their Claim Number 08: Hindu Scriptures Are Clearer Than Bible In Teaching Bible-doctrines](#)

Not satisfied by attributing priority to Hindu religious books, some Prajapati proponents claim that in addition to priority, the Hindu scriptures also manifest clarity and power. This is seen in:

- Perhaps the prophetic utterances recorded in Brihadaranyka Upanishad and Kathopanishad about the blood-shedding self-sacrifice of the Purusha, the second person of Trinity (Jesus), are perhaps CLEARER and MORE POWERFUL than the prophecies found in the Bible. (Amrutam, Padinjarekara, Introduction, Page 8).

- The difference is only that in the Bible it is treated symbolically while narrating history, whereas in Bhavishyapurana it is given as a PREDICTION of the future. (Harmony, Menon, Page, 54).

In other words, when the Bible and the Hindu scriptures discuss the same subject, then the Hindu scriptures have got not only PRIORITY, but also CLARITY and greater POWER. While the Bible is content with giving mere symbolic and veiled explanations, Bhavishya Purana explains in the form of clear-cut PREDICTIONS.

The same idea (that the Hindu scriptures speak more clearly than the Bible) is mentioned by others also:

- Jesus thought that a person should be born 'again' to be eligible for eternal life (John 3:16). This aspect was NOT known to the Hebrews, but the Aryans have CLEARLY recorded such an idea in the scripture. (Cosmic, Koshy Abraham, Page 29).
- Information about this subject can be seen more clearly and powerful in Aryan scriptures in comparison to the Old Testament of Bible. (Architect, Koshy Abraham, Page 146).
- On seeing the way the five sacrifices of the Old Testament are described a little more CLEARLY ... how can we deny the inspiration of God. (Architect, Page 145).

The concept of Trinity is seen both in the Old as well as the New Testament. However, these people claim that this doctrine was available more clearly in the Vedas:

- The Trinity of God's expressions is not seen as clearly here (in the Bible) as it is seen in the Aryan Vedanta. (Arya Christ, Koshy Abraham, Page 58).

In other words, the Vedic scriptures contain clearer expressions of Biblical doctrines like Trinity. Obviously, what we have here is a bunch of people who are using the name of Prajapati mainly to propagate Hindu scriptures among Christians rather than introducing Christ to Hindus.

[Their Claim Number 09: Hinduism Is Essential For Christians To Understand Jesus Christ](#)

Once Hinduism is made the forerunner and predecessor of the Bible, and once precedence is attributed to Hindu philosophy over the Bible, it is natural to look at the Bible in the light of Hinduism. In other words, if Hindu (Aryan) scriptures (which are supposed to have been written many millennia before the Bible) contain the theological

background in which the Bible was written, it becomes essential to study Hinduism before anyone can fully comprehend the Bible (or at least Jesus). We read:

- It is, therefore, VERY MUCH ESSENTIAL to study the Aryan and Hebrew backgrounds in order to clearly understand WHO Christ is, and WHAT is the substance of his teachings.
- As such, it is VERY MUCH ESSENTIAL to study these scriptures to fully understand the scope and meaning of the philosophical teachings of Christ. (Cosmic, Koshy Abraham, Pages 3,4).

Obviously, according them, right from the Fathers of the Protestant movement up to the greatest living evangelical scholars of our generation have missed fully understanding Christ and His teachings. It is VERY MUCH ESSENTIAL to study the Aryan background before these Bible scholars can understand who and what Christ was, and what the scope and meaning of His philosophical teachings are.

Summary

Most Christians are under the erroneous impression that the Prajapati-Vedas-Christ is just a harmless idea that is based upon truth. In this book we have demonstrated that this is a wrong impression.

The Prajapati-Christ theory has been propounded by a bunch of heretics who would like to prove that the Bible has borrowed all its doctrines from Hindu scriptures and that the Bible and Christ can be understood only if we study the Hindu Scriptures first.

Further, these people maintain that Hindu scriptures have been written by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, thousands of years before the Bible was written by the inspiration of the Holy Spirit.

Once the above things have been made clear, any discerning Christian knows exactly what the Prajapati-Christ proponents are!