

What time of year was this?

5:10 The \_\_\_\_\_ day of the \_\_\_\_\_ month which was \_\_\_\_\_

What other significant historical event happened at Passover  
Ex. 12:12-13

The day after Passover is \_\_\_\_\_ ?

And what day did Israel leave Egypt?

Here in Joshua 5 what happened the day after Passover (The Feast of Unleavened Bread began)?

5:11 "The day after the Passover, that very day, they ate some of the \_\_\_\_\_ of the land: unleavened \_\_\_\_\_ and roasted \_\_\_\_\_.

What other noteworthy event happened during this Feast?

5:12 "The \_\_\_\_\_ stopped the day after they ate this food from the land; there was no longer any \_\_\_\_\_ for the Israelites, but that year they ate of the produce of Canaan."

**Exodus 12**

**"Exit the land"**

Passover – anticipate  
freedom from Egypt

**\*Red Sea miraculously parts**

Unleavened  
Bread - left Egypt

**God saves you**

**Joshua 5**

**"Enter the land"**

Passover – anticipate  
freedom from desert

**\*Jordan miraculously parts**

Unleavened  
Bread - left desert

**God provides for you**

April 11, 2021 follow up

**"The Feast of Unleavened Bread:  
Being Freed from Sin"**

*1 Cor. 5; Joshua 5*

*"Get rid of the old yeast that you may be a new batch  
Without yeast – as you really are... (1 Cor. 5:7)*

The Spring Feasts of Israel (Passover, Unleavened Bread, First Fruits) all foreshadow the events of Jesus' first coming. Jesus is the Passover Lamb. Jesus gave His 'unleavened' body for us. Jesus rose on the First Fruits guaranteeing more 'resurrection harvests'. Practically speaking for us, Passover looks back at what Jesus has done for us in dying for our sins, First Fruits points forward to our own future resurrection when we'll have new bodies but Unleavened Bread focuses on the present, dealing with the current presence of sin in our life. The death of Jesus and the resurrection of Jesus give us the resources to battle the 'leaven/sin' in our life.

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**1 Corinthians 5 –  
Unleavened Principle Illustrated**

The apostle Paul, a former Jewish Rabbi-in-training, understood the Old Testament thoroughly and when he was saved the 'light' came on and he saw how many OT passages foreshadowed future events in and through Jesus (Col. 2:16-17). In 1 Cor. Paul uses Passover and Unleavened Bread and First Fruits (ch. 15) as fulfillments of Jesus' first coming events. Notice here in Ch. 5 how he uses the principles of Passover and Unleavened Bread.

What is the context?

5:1 "... \_\_\_\_\_ immorality among you, ...  
A man has his father's \_\_\_\_\_.

What was their attitude and what should they have done?

5:2 "And you are \_\_\_\_\_! Shouldn't you rather have  
Been filled with \_\_\_\_\_ and have \_\_\_\_\_ of your

Fellowship the man who did this?

*Since Paul is going to use unleavened bread/Passover principles very shortly, where did he get the idea that they should have expelled him from fellowship?*

**Ex. 12:19** "... And whoever eats anything with yeast in it Must be \_\_\_\_\_ from the \_\_\_\_\_ Of Israel whether he is an alien or native born."

*Paul explains how this should work in 1 Cor. 5:5*

**5:5** "hand this man over to \_\_\_\_\_ so that the \_\_\_\_\_ Nature might be destroyed and his spirit \_\_\_\_\_ On the day of the Lord."

*Now Paul applies the principles of Passover and Unleavened Bread to teach the Corinthians about the danger of not dealing with sin (leaven) in our life.*

**5:6** "Your \_\_\_\_\_ is not good. Don't you know That a little \_\_\_\_\_ works through the \_\_\_\_\_ Batch of dough?"

**5:7** "Get \_\_\_\_\_ of the old yeast that you may be a \_\_\_\_\_ Batch without yeast as you really \_\_\_\_\_. For Christ our \_\_\_\_\_ Lamb has been sacrificed."

*Paul uses old/new analogy elsewhere to encourage us to live who we are in Christ.*

**Eph. 4:22** "You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your \_\_\_\_\_ self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires;

**v.23** "to be made \_\_\_\_\_ in the attitude of your minds;

**v.24** "and to put on the new \_\_\_\_\_, created to be like \_\_\_\_\_ in true righteousness and holiness."

**\*So Paul was using the Unleavened Bread principle about removing the 'old' yeast [yeast inflates, puffs up] and be**

***the new batch which doesn't lift self up but lifts \_\_\_\_\_ up. See how he wraps this up"***

**1 Cor. 5:8** "Therefore, let us keep the \_\_\_\_\_, Not with the \_\_\_\_\_ yeast, the yeast of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ but with bread made \_\_\_\_\_ Yeast, the bread of \_\_\_\_\_ And \_\_\_\_\_."

### **Joshua 5: Unleavened Bread Illustrated**

God never does anything randomly, that we could never say was just a coincidence. Let's study these details about when Israel entered the land of Canaan for the first time.

*Read Josh. 4:23-24 before you read 5:1. Why were the nations afraid of Israel?*

**5:1** "... heard how the LORD had dried up the Jordan before the Israelites until we had crossed over, their hearts \_\_\_\_\_ and they no longer had the \_\_\_\_\_ to face the Israelites."

*So when Israel's enemies were at their weakest point, God orders Joshua to do what?*

**5:2** "Make flint knives and \_\_\_\_\_ the Israelites again."

*Vv. 4-8 explains that the Israelites weren't circumcised twice, but that the 'new' generation who were born in the desert had not had it done. Notice the 'age' of these men*

**v.4** "all the men of \_\_\_\_\_ age"

**\*So what's more important than military conquest to God?**

**\*What kind of spiritual principle can be take from this?**