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### **Rastalogy Class: Forgiveness (Penance)** **By :Joiakim, Denton Smith**

The advent of slavery undermined the Religious and Spiritual Practices of the Ethio-Afro people to the extent that they were forced to accept the religion of the conqueror. Eurocentric Christianity, which was not compatible to their culture, customs and traditions.

For this reason, a proper Institution, The Estate of Emperor Haile Selassie First, (Temple worship) has come for those people who are prepared to put aside the Eurocentric dogma of the ruling class, and accept themselves through their indigenous way through the Estate of Emperor Haile Selassie First. Isaiah the prophet Identify an Indigenous people as stated ( Isaiah 43:7), "Every one called by my name whom I created and formed and made to glorify me". (Isaiah 43:10), Establish that 'these same people can be my witness."

In order to fulfill what the prophet Isaiah Identify, lets read 2nd Chronicles 7:14-15. "If my people, who are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land." v.15. "Now mine eyes shall be open, and mine ears attend, unto the prayer that is made in this place".

This place where man & woman (people - Initiates) who are called by my name Haile Selassie I - ists who come to The Estate of Emperor Haile Selassie First. (Temple worship) and bow their head in fair, and pray and seek the face of The Might of the Trinity.

(2 Chronicles 6:37). Establish to those people who are prepared to put aside the Eurocentric dogma of the ruling class. "Yet if they shall bethink themselves in the land whither they are carried captive, and turn again, and make supplication unto thee in the land or their captivity, saying, we have sinned, we have done perversely, and have dealt wickedly".

**Explanation**, If my people, man & woman Initiates, shall Turn Inward and consider or reflect on the accumulated misdeeds within the Land of captivity: (The Caribbean and America), and truly return to the Estate of Emperor Haile Selassie First. (The Church of Haile Selassie I.) every Sunday, and recite Psalms 51 and the Creed, this will prepare the Individual for the

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challenge that will confront them, to cease to feel resentment (disturb) against an account of wrong committed.

(James 1:22-25). Give a good example of man and woman turning inward and look upon the accumulated misdeeds within their lives and return to The Estate of Haile Selassie First. Haile Selassie I- ists. "But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deluding your own selves. For if any one is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like unto a man beholding his natural face in a mirror: for he beholdeth himself, and goeth away and straightway forgetteth what manner of man he was. But he that looketh into the perfect law, the law of liberty, and so continueth, being not a hearer that forgetteth but a doer that worketh, this man shall be blessed in his doing."

We may put on the new man (Liberator), that is humble and obey to bring forth The Might of the Trinity in ourselves. First we must put away the old man (conqueror Eurocentric Christianity) of error and limitation through denial of his reality. The second step is to accept through understanding to begin diligently to live Truth in thought, word, and deed.

(Psalms 54:2) "Hear my prayer, O God; Give ear to the words of my mouth." Prayer is vital to seek God. This is a form of meditation you can seek the face of God, the individual will turn Inward. (Hosia 14:2) Establish that, "Take with you Words, (use your words) and return unto the Lord: (and say unto him your self), Take away all iniquity, and accept that which is good: (and maintain without interruption): so will we render as bullocks the offering of our lips." (John 15:5) Identify, "I am the vine, you are the branches: He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit: for without me you can do nothing)." *If you do not know your self how will you know God.* (John 1: 1& 14) A person who is Divine turn Inward to The Might of the Trinity = The power within man woman and children.

(Isaiah 43:11) Identify that I, even I am, the Lord and besides me there is no savior. When we use up our ability to turn from wicked ways, we are turning away from subordinate self. Humble yourself and pray - comes (Psalms 51: 17). "The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit: A broken and a contrite heart, O God thou wilt not despise." Sacrifices = offering yourself to God to destroy the evil thoughts to gain Divinity. That is, turning away from Eurocentric Christianity. A contrite heart = admitted to penance, - {comes (Ps. 51: 3).} "For I know my transgressions". I know that Jesus cannot die for my accumulated misdeeds.} v.17. Despise = God will not look down upon you with scorn, because you are continuously and actively coming to The Church of Haile Selassie First.

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***David as a prime example.*** David Establish God Family, his heart was the heart of God. Haile Selassie First, is the 225th Rebirth of Solomon.

Closing with (2nd Chronicles 7:17). “And as for thee, if thou wilt walk before me as David thy father walked, and do according to all that I have commanded thee, and will keep my statutes and mine ordinances.” Who is David of this time ? His Majesty. Psalms 68:31 establish “Princes shall come out of Egypt; Ethiopia shall soon stretch out her hands unto God.”

Yes, His Majesty will establish his people forever when we bethink, turn inward to The Might of The Trinity ; I am the Vine and you the branches continue living your indigenous ; natural traditional way through The Estate of Haile Selassie First. You are his people, his witness and servant you must establish forever.

**BLESSED BE JAH RASTAFARI, HAILE SELASSIE I LIVETH !**

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