Mat 14:13b-15:39 chiasm

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1A) 14:13B-23 FEEDING THE FIVE THOUSAND;

- 1a.1) 14:13a When Yeshua heard of it, He departed from there by ship;
- 1a.2) 14:13b To a deserted place apart: and when the people heard it, they followed Him on foot from the cities;
- 1b) 14:14a And Yeshua went forth, and saw a great multitude;
- 1c) 14:14b And was moved with compassion toward them, and He healed their sick (i.e., He met the needs of the body);
- **1d) 14:15-16** And when it was evening, His disciples came to Him, saying: This is a deserted place, and the time is now past; send the multitude away, that they may go into the villages, and buy themselves something to eat. But Yeshua said to them: They need not depart; you give them something to eat;
- central axis) 14: 17-18 And they said to Him: We have here but five loaves, and two fishes. He said: Bring them here to Me;
- 2d) 14:19 The disciples gave them something to eat;
 - 1a) 14:19a And He commanded the multitude to sit down on the grass;
 - 1b) 14:19b And took the five loaves, and the two fishes;
 - central axis) 14:19c And looking up to heaven, He blessed, and broke;
 - **2b) 14:19d** And **gave the loaves** to His disciples;
 - 2a) 14:19e And the disciples to the multitude;
- **2c) 14:20-21a** And **they all ate**, **and were filled**: and they took up of the fragments left over: twelve baskets full. 21 And **they that had eaten** (i.e. **He met the needs of the body**);
- 2b) 14:21b Were about five thousand men, besides women and children;
- 2a.1) 14:22 And straightway Yeshua constrained His disciples to get into a ship, and to go before Him to the other side, while He sent the multitudes away;
- 2a.2) 14:23 And when He had sent the multitudes away, He went up into a mountain apart to pray: and when the evening was come, He was there alone;
- **1B) 14:24-33 HIS DISCIPLES SAW** Yeshua walking on the water **AND WORSHIPED HIM**;
 - **1a) 14:24** But the ship was now in the midst of the sea, tossed with waves: for **the wind was contrary**;
 - 1b) 14:25 And in the fourth watch of the night Yeshua went to them, walking on the sea;

- **1c.1) 14:26a** And when the disciples saw Him walking on the sea, **they were troubled**:
- 1c.2) 14:26b Saying: It is a spirit;
- 1c.3) 14:26c And they cried out for fear;

central axis) 14:27a But straightway Yeshua spoke to them;

- 2c.1) 14:27b Saying: Be of good cheer;
- 2c.2) 14:27c It is I;
- 2c.3) 14:27d Be not afraid;
- 2b) 14:28-32a Peter went to Yeshua, walking on the water;
 - 1a) 14:28-29a And Peter answered Him and said: Lord, if it is You, bid me come to You on the water. And He said: Come. And when Peter was come down out of the ship;
 - 1b) 14:29b He walked on the water, to go to Yeshua;
 - central axis) 14:30a But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid;
 - **2b)** 14:30b-31 And beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me. And immediately Yeshua stretched forth His hand, and caught him, and said to him: O you of little faith, why did you doubt?
 - 2a) 14:32a And when they were come into the ship;
- **2a) 14:32b-33 The wind ceased.** Then they that were in the ship came and worshiped Him, saying: Truly You are the Son of God;
- **1C) 14:34-36** And when they were gone over, they **CAME INTO THE LAND OF GENNESARET**. And when the men of that place knew of Him, they sent out into all that country round about, and brought to Him all that were diseased, and sought Him that they might only touch the tassels of His garment: and as **MANY** as touched **WERE MADE PERFECTLY WHOLE**;
 - 1D) 15:1-9 The UNBELIEF of the SCRIBES AND PHARISEES;
 - **1a) 15:1-2** Then **THE SCRIBES AND PHARISEES**, who were of Jerusalem, came to Yeshua, saying: Why do Your disciples transgress **the tradition of the elders?** For they do not wash their hands when they eat bread;
 - **1b) 15:3** But He answered and said to them: Why do you also **transgress the commandment of God by your tradition**?
 - **1c) 15:4** For God commanded, saying: **Honor your father and mother**: and, He who curses father or mother, let him be put to death;
 - central axis) 15:5 But you say: Whoever shall say to his father or his mother, It is an offering, that which you might have had from me;

- **2c) 15:6a** And **honor not his father or his mother**, he shall be free [from transgression];
- **1b) 15:6b** Thus you have **made the commandment of God of no effect by your tradition**;
- **2a) 15:7-9** You **HYPOCRITES**, well did Isaiah prophesy of you, saying: This people draws near to Me with their mouth, and honors Me with their lips; but their heart is far from Me. But in vain they do worship Me, teaching for doctrines **the commandments of men**;

CENTRAL AXIS) 15:10-20 YESHUA TEACHES ON DEFILEMENT;

- **1a) 15:10-11** And He called the multitude, and said to them: Hear, and understand: It is not what goes into the mouth that defiles a man; but **what comes out of the mouth that defiles a man**;
- **1b) 15:12** Then His disciples came, and said to Him: Do You know that **the Pharisees** were offended, after they heard this saying?
- central axis) 15:13 But He answered and said: Every plant, which My heavenly Father has not planted, shall be uprooted;
- **2b) 15:14** Let them alone; **they are blind leaders** of the blind. And if the blind lead the blind, both shall fall into the ditch;
- 2a) 15:15-20 What comes out of the mouth is from the heart, that defiles a man;
 - 1a) 15:15-17 Then Peter answered and said to Him: Explain this parable to us. And Yeshua said: Are you also yet without understanding? Do you not yet understand, that whatever enters in at the mouth goes into the belly, and is cast out into the dungheap?
 - 1b) 15:18 But those things which proceed out of the mouth come forth from the heart; and they defile the man;
 - central axis) 15:19 For out of the heart proceeds evil thoughts, murders, adulteries, fornications, thefts, false witness, blasphemies;
 - 2b) 15:20a These are the things which defile a man;2a) 15:20b But to eat with unwashed hands defiles not a man;

2D) 15:21-29a The FAITH of a CANAANITE WOMAN;

1a) 15:21 Then **Yeshua went from there**, and departed to the coasts of Tyre and Sidon;

- **1b) 15:22** And, behold, a **woman of Canaan** came out of the same coasts, and cried to Him, saying: Have mercy on me, O Lord, son of David; **my daughter is grievously vexed with a devil**;
- 1c) 15:23a But He answered her not a word;
- 1d) 15:23b And His disciples came and sought Him, saying: Send her away; for she cries after us;
- 1e) 15:24 But He answered and said: I am not sent but to the lost sheep of the house of Israel;

central axis) 15:25 Then she came and worshiped Him: saying, Lord, help me;

- 2e) 15:26 But He answered and said: It is not right to take the children's bread, and to cast it to dogs;
- **2d) 15:27** And **she said**, **Truth**, **Lord**: yet the dogs eat of the crumbs which fall from their masters' table;
- 2c) 15:28a Then Yeshua answered and said to her;
- **2b) 15:28b O woman**, great is your faith; let it be done to you even as you will. And **her daughter was made whole** from that very hour;
- 2a) 15:29a And Yeshua departed from there;
- **2C) 15:29B-30** And **CAME NEAR TO THE SEA OF GALILEE**; and went up into a mountain, and sat down there. And great multitudes came to Him, having with them those that were lame, blind, mute, maimed, and many others, and cast them down at Yeshua's feet; and **HE HEALED THEM**;
- **2B) 15:31** Then the multitude wondered, when **THEY SAW** the mute speak, the maimed made whole, the lame walk, and the blind see: and **THEY GLORIFIED THE GOD OF ISRAEL**;

2A) 15:32-39 FEEDING THE FOUR THOUSAND;

- **1a.1) 15:32a** Then Yeshua called His disciples to Him, and said: I have compassion on the multitude, because they have continued with Me now three days, and **have had nothing to eat**;
- **1a.2) 15:32b** And **I will not send them away fasting**, lest they faint on the way;
- **1b) 15:33a** And His disciples said to Him: Where should we find so much **bread** in the wilderness;
- 1c) 15:33b As to fill so great a multitude?
- **1d) 15:34** And Yeshua said to them: How many loaves do you have? And they said: **Seven, and a few little fishes**;
- central axis) 15:35 And He commanded the multitude to sit down on the ground;

- **2d) 15:36** And he took the **seven loaves and the fishes**, and gave thanks, and broke them, and gave to His disciples, and the disciples to the multitude;
- 2c) 15:37a And they did all eat, and were filled;
- **2b) 15:37b** And they took up the **broken bread that was left over**, seven baskets full;
- **2a.1) 15:38** And **they that ate were four thousand men**, besides women and children;
- 2a.2) 15:39 And He sent away the multitude, and took ship, and came into the coasts of Magdala.