

Why Showing My Israelite Beauty is Important To Me

Introduction:

As young Israelite princesses, oftentimes we don't know how to let our light shine through our clothing. Here's my take on why showing my Israelite beauty is important.

First of all, it separates me from all of the worldly young ladies that are around my age group. It also allows me to set an example for my young Israelite brothers and sisters to see what beauty truly is, and that is modesty.

- **2 Corinthians 6:17**- *Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you,*
- **Deuteronomy 7:6**- *For thou art an holy people unto the LORD thy God: the LORD thy God hath chosen thee to be a special people unto himself, above all people that are upon the face of the earth.*

“Be ye separate” is what the Most High commanded us to do. It is a norm for the world to think it is okay for young ladies to pride themselves on being half naked. However, in dressing modestly according to the scriptures, it gives me confidence, security, and comfort knowing I'm pleasing our Father and can still look fly.



Setting an Example:

Setting an example is an important way of my Israelite beauty. I am at ease knowing that I leave a positive impact on true beauty to my younger brothers and sisters. As for my younger brothers they see the way I dress and get a righteous idea of the kind of wife they will look for versus what the world has to offer. For my young sisters, they see me and become inspired on how they too can be stylish and still dress modest. They also will understand that beauty is not based on how much of your body you show. It is based on your integrity, zeal, faith, kindness towards others, and most of all your fear of the Most High God.

- **1 Timothy 4:12**- Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity.
- **Matthew 5:16**- Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father which is in heaven.



Connecting Back to My Roots:

My Israelite beauty is important because it allows me to connect back to my foremothers. Judith was full of faith and used her wise speech and actions to save her nation. Esther was of good report from a child and through her obedience to her Uncle, she was able to save her nation as well. The woman with the seven sons (found in the book of Maccabees) was able to be in the face of her enemy while watching her sons be killed. She had faith knowing that in dying while keeping the commandments she would see her sons again. These women are prime examples of what an Israelite woman's beauty truly is, these are the types of women I aspire to be like.

- **Romans 15:4** For whatsoever things were written aforetime were written for our learning, that we through patience and comfort of the scriptures might have hope.



Favorite Scripture on Beauty:

- **Proverbs 31:30** Favour is deceitful, and beauty is vain: but a woman that feareth the LORD, she shall be praised.

This is one of favorite scripture because it reminds me that no matter how beautiful you may appear to be the most important thing above all is a woman who fears the Most High God. Having the nicest shoes, clothes, and smile will not get you into the kingdom of heaven.

Fashion Advice:

My advice to sisters finding their sense of style is to not be afraid to try something new! Step out of your comfort zone. For example, if you're used to wearing simple colors like black, white, and grey, try wearing something colorful and see how you like it. If you are looking for outfit ideas, I suggest you go onto Pinterest or Instagram. Also, I ask sisters where they get their inspiration from. Look at other's outfits and just add your twist to them. Oh, don't be afraid to check out the thrift stores, one woman's trash is another woman's treasure!

I pray this article was helpful MHNCBU Shalom!