## **Typology**

**GENESIS 2:22-24 – TYPOLOGY** 

## I CORINTHIANS 15:45

"And so it is written, the first man Adam was made a living soul; the last Adam was made a quickening spirit".

GENESIS 3:15 – JESUS – "SEED OF THE WOMAN"

## Genesis 2:22ff; I Corinthians 15:45

Now we must know that God uses stories of people, places and things that have spiritual meanings attached to reveal hidden things. God gives us clues, sometimes types, and shadows.

It is called *TYPOLOGY*.

In Genesis 2:22-24, we have the account of the creation of woman, the law of marriage and the first human family on the earth.

WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT? BECAUSE THE FIRST ADAM IS REVEALED, AND ALSO THE FACT THAT THERE IS A CONNECTION TO ANOTHER ADAM (CALLED THE SECOND ADAM).

PAUL THROWS US LIGHT IN I CORINTHIANS 15:45 (READ, EXEGETE)

- 1. God created Adam's wife and took her body from his body.
- 2. As a result of what God did, Adam said "She is bone of my bone and flesh of my flesh". In other words, Eve was called "the body of Adam".
- 3. In Genesis 2, according to the law of marriage it says: "The man shall leave his father and mother and cleave to his wife and the two shall become one flesh." One flesh is just another way of saying "ONE BODY".

The Church is called the BODY of Christ in the New Testament, so this reveals that the New Testament body is the result of a marriage. New Testament believers have a relationship with the SECOND ADAM WHO IS JESUS CHRIST. The <a href="https://husband-wife relationship presented in Ephesians 5">husband-wife relationship presented in Ephesians 5</a> is said to be a *mystery* concerning Christ and the Church. JESUS CHRIST IS THE SPIRITUAL LAST ADAM WHO MARRIES A WIFE, and the wife BECOMES HIS BODY.