Some thoughts from Pastor Mark on Kabbalism 10/29/2020

As you know, I was raised a Catholic as well and our family was really involved in the weird stuff. We had the stations of the cross in our house and holy water receptacles at the entrance of our bedrooms, all wearing scapulars and holy cards under our pillows! I want nothing to do with any weird "mysticism" Catholic or Jewish.

Just as there is a difference between astrology and astronomy. I'm against astrology and all for astronomy. The difference is one is all about you and the other is all about God. The word, "kabbalah," brings different concepts to different people just as the word "love" means different things.

All the mysticism as far as red strings, evil eye, etc., is absurd just as in Catholicism.

We know from Proverbs 25:2 it is the glory of God to conceal a thing; but the glory of kings is to search out a matter.

The Jewish concept of God playing hide and seek and us as His kids looking for him is considered kabbalistic. Many have just taken it to extremes as they did with astronomy.

The idea of the Hebrew picture language revealing Yeshua as the Messiah is considered Kabbalah.

The word "gay" has changed meaning in our dictionary as well as the word "preference" recently.

So yes there is the very weird Kabbalah we want nothing to do with, which is why I never mention it so as not to confuse people

but I see nothing wrong with looking for the Messiah hidden is Scriptures to bring Glory to Him.i