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“... I [will] seek out my sheep.
and will deliver them out of all places
where they have been scattered in the cloudy and dark day.
I will seek that which was lost, and bring that which
was driven away. . .” *Ezekiel 34:12,16 KJV*

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Plain Truth, June 1967
Mr. Herbert W. Armstrong



Jews Take Jerusalem

WHAT is the real significance? The Israelis won a flash war - a blitzkrieg, Israeli style [the 6-day war between Israel and Egypt, June 5-10, 1967]! The news reporters do not know what it means! The editors, broadcasters and commentators do not understand its real significance.

The Israelis themselves do not know what it MEANS! But YOU can know! For this is one of the major fulfillments of Biblical prophecy!

When One quoted as God foretells, 2,500 years in advance, what is going to happen to every nation on earth of that time, and every principal city - and through the years and the centuries IT HAPPENS

[Isaiah 42:8-9; Amos 3:7; 44:6-7; 46:9-10]! Can you laugh that off with contempt? Can you ignore that with disdain? The news of the world has just recorded such a fulfillment - yet almost nobody UNDERSTANDS! But I will tell you WHAT IT MEANS **[Amos 3:7]!**

On April 16th I flew to Amman and Jerusalem, Jordan. Returning, I stopped off at our Ambassador College campus in England. I spoke before an assembly of students, faculty, and others. What I said to the few hundred assembled

there was tape-recorded.

From that recording, this is what I said:

"May 1st, 1967 - just one month and five days before what I predicted actually happened. I HAVE just come from Jerusalem the old city - in Jordan. And now I want to bring you up-to-date on where we stand, at the moment, in the fulfillment of Biblical prophecy.

For 33 years I have been telling the radio audience, and the readers of The PLAIN TRUTH, that the final world disturbances and military battles - of this age will center on the Middle East, and The PLAIN TRUTH on Jerusalem in particular.

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We are entering the very climax at the close of this age - this civilization - right now! I want you to realize just how short time is!

Any day, now, you may expect the Israelis of the country that calls itself 'Israel' to flood over with a military invasion into the Jordanian half of the divided city of Jerusalem.

The Jordan sector is the 'old city' - the only part of Jerusalem that was built in the time of Christ. There are the two divided cities - both trouble spots of world importance - Jerusalem and Berlin and some of you, the entire senior class are starting tonight on an educational tour to Berlin.

There will be a Jewish Temple built in Jerusalem, with animal sacrifices once again being offered, probably within about four-and-one-half years *[delayed until the coming year, 2019 or 2020]*.

And I don't see how they have another month to spare - in taking over the 'old city' now in Arab hands - if they are going to have the Temple built by the time indicated by prophecy.

[Mr. Armstrong: "Remember, I said this before several hundred people five weeks before it actually happened."]

Once the Israelis do take over the Jordan sector of Jerusalem, instantly the United Nations and the major individual powers, the United States, USSR, Britain, France, probably will stop further occupation of Arab countries by the Jews. I think they will get only as far as the main center within the walls of old Jerusalem, in Jordan before the UN intervenes.

But the Jews will undoubtedly be allowed to hold the old city of Jerusalem, Jordan.

For a long time, the Jewish people have had in mind the rebuilding of the Temple,

though they keep it pretty secret. And it must be built on the exact site of Solomon's Temple *[Mount Moriah, II Chronicles 3;1; though it appears they are set on building it where the Dome of the Rock is located instead]*.

The wealthiest Jews of the world, in the United States, Britain, France, and other parts of the world, are going to pour money into it.

Now notice some very significant prophecies

[Mr. Armstrong: "This is continuing my talk of May 1, 1967]. "Turn to Matthew 24, and notice verse 14:

"And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come."

His disciples had asked Jesus privately what would be the sign of His coming, and the end of the world - this age. He spoke of a definite, specific gospel - the very gospel He brought from God, and taught His disciples.

But that gospel was not preached to the world after 69 A.D. But Jesus' prophecy of that time - the gospel being preached to the whole world is being fulfilled by The WORLD TOMORROW broadcast and The PLAIN TRUTH magazine.

Now notice the next verse: Immediately following - what is the next thing to happen, in time order?



It is going to take some time to build such a Temple *[duality with the second Temple -taking approximately five years to complete it]*.

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“When ye therefore shall see the abomination of desolation, spoken of by Daniel the prophet, stand in the Holy Place . . . This Holy Place’ has to be IN THE TEMPLE! And IN JERUSALEM! In the ‘OLD CITY, ’ now occupied by the Arabs of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan! Continue Jesus’ prophecy:

“(whoso readeth let him understand) then let them which be in Judea flee into the mountains . . .” That prophecy has a dual application. Its typical fulfillment was in 66-70 A.D., but its main and anti-typical fulfillment is to happen just before the second coming of Christ - for this follows the very SIGN of His coming. [Mr. Armstrong: “Again the reader is reminded - all this I said on May I.”]

Next to happen, verses 21 and 22, is the soon-coming Great Tribulation! But I want you to understand what is meant by ‘the abomination of desolation, spoken of by Daniel the prophet.’ In **Daniel 11:21**, referring in original, typical fulfillment to Antiochus Epiphanes, “There ‘shall stand up a vile person’ . . .” that was in 168 B.C. Now, notice verse 31 - still speaking of Antiochus Epiphanes, **“And arms shall stand on his part, and they shall pollute the sanctuary of strength - speaking of the Temple at Jerusalem, . . . and shall take away the daily sacrifice, and they shall place the abomination that maketh desolate.”**

What Antiochus placed there, to defile the ‘Holy of Holies’ in God’s Temple, was the statue of Jupiter Olympus. The Mercy Seat of the Holy of Holies was the earthly representation of the very Throne of GOD in Heaven.

So once again before the second coming of Christ, a vile Leader will stop the daily sacrifices being offered in the Temple (yet to be built) in Jerusalem, and will profane the Holy Place with an idol.

But that is not all. This same prophecy spoken by Jesus is also reported by Luke in his Gospel. Notice **Luke 21:20-24**: **“And when ye shall see Jerusalem compassed with armies, then know that the desolation thereof is nigh. Then let them which are in Judea flee to the mountains . . .”**

The typical fulfillment of this occurred in 66-70 A.D. The Roman army under General Cestius was marching, late October, 66 A.D., toward Jerusalem. They became established in sight of the gates of the city.

But for some reason unknown Cestius’ army was pulled back. The Christians who heeded Jesus’ warning fled to the hills of Judea, and then northward east of the Jordan [to Pella, Jordan] - almost a century of 19-year time cycles ago.

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It was the Roman army under Titus, in 70 A.D., which actually invaded and destroyed Jerusalem. So now, putting the two accounts of Jesus’ Olivet prophecy together, Matthew 24 and Luke 21, two things are to occur, just before the Great Tribulation.

1) There will very soon be a Temple in Jerusalem, with daily sacrifices once again being offered. But the ruler of the soon-coming resurrected ‘Holy Roman Empire; a political- military union of ten European nations - will stop the daily sacrifices and profane the Holy Place in the Temple;

2) and Jerusalem will be surrounded and captured [**Zechariah 14:1-2**] by the Fascist Nazi armies of the European Empire, already starting to rise now out of the Common Market. They will invade Jerusalem, and take charge of the Temple.

[Mr. Armstrong: “Don’t forget - you are reading my speech delivered just five weeks to the day before the Arab-Israeli war.”] “Now continue on farther in the prophecy of Daniel 11. “What I read before was describing literally the actions of Antiochus Epiphanes, about 168 B.C. - although it was also a type, foreshadowing events to come in the very next few years [very *probably* 2026; *America’s 250th birthday*].

But the direct and the literal prophecy, in its initial fulfillment, carries on in time sequence to our time, and events still very shortly to

occur. So pick it up with verse 40: . . . **“And at the time of the end shall the king of the south push at him . . . -** that is, at the king of the north **[Daniel 11:40].** The modern remnant of the 'king of the south' of this prophecy is Ethiopia.

Anciently, Egypt was the country of the king of the south. But few Egyptians remain in Egypt today. Arabs, of a different original stock, have generally replaced the real Egyptians. The people descended from those who were of ancient Egypt, in its southern portions, are the Ethiopians. And the Italians were the remnant and successors, of the people of the king of the north.

This prophecy was fulfilled February-March, 1896, when King Menelik II of Ethiopia pushed at the Italians, defeating Italy at Aduwa. Italians thirsted for revenge. Finally, their opportunity came, in 1935, under the military machine developed by Mussolini. Continue the prophecy. verse 40:

. . . “and the king of the north shall come against him like a whirlwind (“in the air”), with chariots, and with horsemen, and with many ships: and he shall enter into the countries and shall overflow and pass over.’

Notice, a whirlwind comes in the air. So did Mussolini's air forces. He sent down many ships, much cavalry, and tanks

(modern 'chariots') And his forces, in planes, 'passed over.' Previously, victorious armies were described as 'passing through' - not over (verse 10). Continue: **Verse 41: “He shall enter also into the glorious land, and many countries shall be overthrown . . .”**

There is a time-lapse between verse 40 and verse 41. After Mussolini captured Ethiopia he added it to Libya, Eritrea, and Italian Somaliland. Mussolini had signed a concordat with the Vatican, and publicly announced the rebirth of the ROMAN EMPIRE, with King Victor Emmanuel Emperor, and himself the Duce or Premier.



But Mussolini's bubble of a Roman Empire was short-lived. Most people never actually noticed he had proclaimed its resurrected existence. It is described in another prophecy - Revelation 17 - as the insignificant sixth 'head' of the mysterious symbolic 'beast,' that was, and is not, and yet is. But the final seventh head is soon to rise. It is in the preliminary stages of coming into existence

now, in the six-nation Common Market. Soon there will be ten European nations in a political-military union, that will shock and dumbfound the world. Verse 41 refers to that succession of the Roman power which became the 'king of the north' in the prophecy of Daniel 11. So notice what this coming 'United States of Europe' will do:

Verse 44: 'But tidings out of the east and out of the north (Russia) shall trouble him: therefore, he shall go forth with great fury to destroy, and utterly to make away [annihilate] many. And he shall plant the tabernacles of his palace between the seas in the glorious holy mountain (Israel); yet he shall come to his end, and none shall help him.' So this now-forming European Fascist-Nazi power will invade Palestine, and move its headquarters there! But verse 41 adds [omitted above]: **'. . . but these shall escape out of his hand, even Edom, and Moab, and the chief of the children of Ammon.'**

The Turkish people today are 'Edom,' and the people of Jordan are the present-day descendants of Moab and Ammon - descended from Lot, Abraham's nephew. They will still be in that land. That is the reason I say that the Israelis will not take over very much of the land of the Jordanians.

This European power, resurrecting for a very short while - the Roman Empire, will take

coming. So it appears just before His coming. Now compare with the eleventh chapter of Revelation.

Verse 1. The Temple in Jerusalem is being measured.

Verse 2: There are Gentiles - Arabs and soldiers of this 'beast' - still there, for the outer court is given to them to 'tread under foot' for three-and-one half years.

Verse 3: God will empower His two 'witnesses' to proclaim God's truth for this three-and-one-half years, from the same city of Jerusalem. These two have the same powers that God had given to Moses and Elijah.

That is why this Fuhrer and his armies cannot stop them. So they will be two men coming 'in the power and spirit' of Moses and Elijah [*cf. Matthew 17:1-3*] - just as John the Baptist came in the 'power and spirit' of Elijah [*Luke 1:17*], though he was not Elijah [*Malachi 4:4-6; Matthew 17:10-11*].

Verse 7: At the end of the three and-one-half years, the 'beast' (compare with **Revelation 17:8**) will kill them.

Verse 8: Their dead bodies lie, unburied, in the street of Jerusalem. Now notice particularly verses 9 and 10: Evidently they shall not be merely speaking to a few people on a street corner - but broadcasting WORLD-WIDE!

For the people and kindreds and tongues and nations shall see their dead bodies three days and a half; and they that dwell upon the earth rejoice and shout for joy at their death -



because the TRUTH of GOD which they shall proclaim will embarrass, torment, condemn, Godless and sinning people around the earth. How could so many people and nations of many languages all around the world 'SEE their dead bodies' lying in a street in Jerusalem?

This could never have happened before Telstar Television!! But it CAN HAPPEN NOW! This certainly indicates their preaching will be WORLDWIDE - by radio, television, or both. The whole Fascist army will not be able to prevent it. See verses 5 and 6 of Revelation 11. They will have supernatural power.



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over the city of Jerusalem, **Zechariah 14:2**. They will take the Temple, and plant the palace of their headquarters there. With this coming military leader, pictured in Revelation 17 as the symbolic 'beast,' will be a supreme religious leader, called 'the False Prophet' (**Revelation 16:13; 19:20; 20:10**), and the 'man of sin. So will you turn next to **II Thessalonians 2:3-4**:

“Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day - the Day of the Lord, verse 2 - 'shall not come, except there comes a falling away first [this took place after the death of Mr. Armstrong by Satan using an apostate Pastor-general to do it, 1994-1995], and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition; who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, showing himself that he is God.”

So there will have to be the Temple there! Probably in about four-and-one half years [delayed until 2019, 2020 during the close of the 4-year presidency of Donald Trump who will support it, no democratic president would do it due to showing favor to the Arab nations].

And they will put there the 'abomination' of which the statue of Jupiter Olympus, placed by Antiochus Epiphanes was the type. [Mr. Armstrong: “You are continuing in what I said on May 1.”] I know

of a statue in a great cathedral which some think is the very same statue of Jupiter that Antiochus placed in the Holy Place. It could be that same statue.

Others think this particular statue is the one Simon Magus had made of himself in the First Century [cf. Acts 8:9-24]. But this man of sin, this son of perdition, this supreme false prophet, calling himself 'MOST Holy Father,' professing to actually BE God, would certainly be an ABOMINATION in that Holy Place!

Next notice a prophecy picturing the religious system headed by this false prophet - this man of sin. It is pictured in

is pictured as sitting upon - in religious authority over several nations speaking different languages (**verse 15**). She also sits astride a symbolic 'beast.'

This 'beast,' in turn, is a uniting together of ten nations with ten kings giving their military power to a top Fuhrer. Demon spirits impel this religious political-military system to world war [cf. Revelation 9:1-12], ending in the battle of Armageddon (**Revelation 16:13-16**). They and their armies will fight against Christ at His coming in power and glory, when He comes to set up WORLD GOVERNMENT (**Revelation 17:14**).



the 17th chapter of Revelation as a great prostitute.

In prophecy a woman is a symbol of a church, or religious system. Civil governments are pictured in the male gender. This religious system

The nature of the religious system is described in verse 5 of Revelation 17 - where it is called 'MYSTERY, BABYLON THE GREAT, THE MOTHER OF HARLOTS.'

In other words, the Babylonian mystery religion grown great. This 'beast' remains intact only a very short time; it comes to its end at Christ's

In any event, this shall be the doing of GOD - and if He wants to provide worldwide radio or television facilities for His two witnesses, He will do it - and probably in a manner we cannot now foresee. At the end of this three-and-one half days, these witnesses will be resurrected, and caught up into the air. This is to meet Christ in the clouds in the air, at the precise moment of His coming - along with all of the dead in Christ who will then be resurrected [**Matthew 24:30-31; I Thessalonians 4:13-18**].

So there will be a Temple built.

On the spot of the old Temple in Jerusalem. The Jews will again be offering the daily sacrifices. This is shown not only by the fact that the type of Antiochus Epiphanes stopping the sacrifices in 168 B.C. indicates it - but also the prophecy of **Daniel 12:11** which is a direct and specific prophecy of stopping the daily sacrifices 1290 days before Christ's coming, and the resurrection of the dead in Christ.

[Mr. Armstrong: "And again, you are continuing my May 1 speech"].

Notice the 12th chapter of Daniel a moment. "It continues without interruption from the 11th chapter. The last verse of the 11th chapter shows this European 'beast' planting his headquarters and palace in Jerusalem, and the sudden END of this Nazi fascist 'Fuhrer.'

This is the time when the archangel Michael will stand up for our American and British peoples - and the Jewish people [**Daniel 12:1**]. You will see whom he stands against in **Revelation 12:7-9**. He stands up against an angry Satan who, at that time, will know he has but a short time left before Christ's coming, when he shall be taken away from humans, and put into the symbolic 'bottomless pit' (**Revelation 20:1-3**).



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It is Satan, in his wrath, who stirs up the coming 'Great Tribulation' - at that time, as Jesus foretold, (**Matthew 24:21-22**), more terrible than any world trouble before or after - so great that, unless GOD steps in to STOP IT by supernatural power, . . . **no flesh should be saved' alive."**

Daniel (12:1) describes this same time of trouble, 'such as never was since there was a nation,' and it is cut short and ended by the coming of Christ and the resurrection of the just (verse 2).

So the TIME is immediately prior to, and up to, this resurrection. And in **Daniel 12:11** the taking away of the daily sacrifice will be just 1290 days before this resurrection.

Then, Revelation 11 shows there will be a Temple in Jerusalem, at the time of the two witnesses, who preach for three-and-one-half years, ending at Christ's coming.

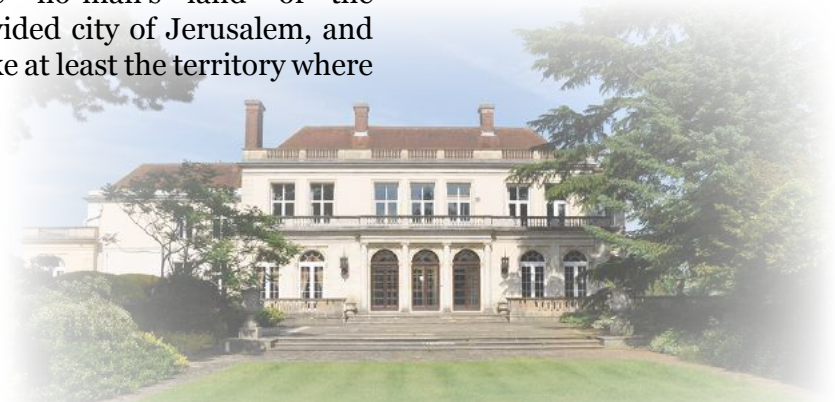
Also the prophecy of II Thessalonians 2 shows there will be a Temple.

So putting all these prophecies together, it is plain the Israelis must soon flood over the 'no-man's land' of the divided city of Jerusalem, and take at least the territory where

the ancient Temple stood, and then start to build a Temple."

And here I end quoting from my tape-recorded speech in England, exactly five weeks before the six-day war began.

I have again returned to our English campus. This is written on Monday, June 12.



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Last Monday morning, June 5, I was being driven to London Airport, with an airplane ticket to Amman, Jordan, from where I was to go to Jerusalem for the first broadcast of the WORLD TOMORROW from Jerusalem Radio, scheduled for 8:05 p.m., Wednesday night, June 7. En-route, to the London Airport, by car radio, we received the news that WAR had started. I did not take that plane.

Today, one week later, it appears the war is over. after one of the swiftest military victories in all history. Today, the Israelis ARE IN JERUSALEM - the original "OLD CITY," which was in Jordan's hands. Jerusalem Radio, over which I have a contract with the Jordanian government, was not destroyed. It is still intact, but in Israeli hands.

At the moment I do not know what will be decided about it. It is possible Jewish authorities may return it to King Hussein's government, and our contract will be carried out. Of course, we hope so. I have an indirect and unofficial Jewish opinion that, if the Israeli government retains the radio station, they will be willing to honor our contract.

Also that their attitude toward none Jewish religions is sufficiently liberal that we shall be allowed to proclaim Christ's own Gospel over it. If, indeed, the Living Christ wants HIS message to go, NOW, from Jerusalem, as certain prophecies surely seem to indicate, then NO MAN CAN PREVENT IT! He will give us favor in the eyes of whoever controls that powerful station.

If God does not so will, then we surely don't want to broadcast over it. But be sure time is shorter than you supposed! Momentous prophecies are due for fulfillment, very rapidly, from now on!



There are many other prophecies directly tied to these events - prophecies dynamicaly affecting the United States and Britain. These will be gone into and explained in the forthcoming new book, a greatly enlarged edition of The United States and British Commonwealth in Prophecy.

It will be offered, free, to all subscribers of The PLAIN TRUTH. I will just say, now, that from those prophecies, it is possible that the taking away of the daily sacrifice in the Temple - the placing of the "abomination" there also - could take place early in 1972.

[He thought it could be possible in 1972, did not say it would; this particular year was due to the projections of his son, Mr. Ted Armstrong, and Dr. Herman L. Hoeh, but found to be in error later and corrected].



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This is indicated by **Revelation 12:14** (*another three-and-one half-year period*), by **Revelation 3:10**; and other facts of history and prophecy connected with **Matthew 24:14** - as well as other prophecies in Daniel.

However, if you are interested in that, I'll let you read it in the new book - in new, additional chapters, that do not appear in the condensed and highly abbreviated booklet we have been publishing the past thirty years or more."

End of Article

Editorial Comments: This article is being reprinted for it is more relevant now than when it was written. In this writing, he firmly established the trunk of the tree in what he wrote about the end-time prophecies.

And we are now seeing them coming to pass just as he said they would here in 2018, 32 years from the time of his death, January 16, 1986.

Though the projected dates needed to be updated the remainder is fully on target.

The referenced Scriptures and editorial updates from this article, June 1967, are in italics in brackets. They have been made by Alton Don Billingsley.



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The Vital Importance of Prayer

“But the end of all things is at hand; therefore, be serious and watchful in your prayers.”

I Peter 4:7

By
Alton B. Don Billingsley



The Countdown to the End of This Age

When considering the troubling state of America, Britain, Israel, and the problems of the world, there should be no question to the discerning mind but that mankind has entered the countdown leading to the end of this age; only a few short years left!

America, the super-power nation of the world, has not only changed its values, but is continuing to rapidly worsen in virtually all areas of morals and right standards! Consider the left: Eager to do battle against anyone who stands up for the values it once held and not all that many years ago.

This country is in a state of rebellion; congress and society are almost equally divided; verbally battling each other! As such it cannot stand and is on its way to destruction—so said Jesus Christ (**Matthew 12:25**)!

To illustrate how rapidly this nation has changed from its once held values to where it is now, consider what has taken place just in the past 16 years.

It was on September 11, 2001, only 17 years ago, when

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terrorists used two passenger planes to strike at the heart of the financial center in New York by flying them into the Twin Towers in New York, City; then another passenger plane dive-bombed the Pentagon, the heart of the Department of Defense Center in Arlington County, VA.

About the same time of that day another passenger plane believed to be headed directly toward the White House to dive-bomb it but was stopped short of its objective in mid-air by passengers overwhelming the terrorists causing it to crash into a

field in Pennsylvania—killing all aboard! Altogether 2,996 lives were lost that day, and over 6,000 people were injured.

The nation came together! Virtually everyone began flying an American flag, or a flag pasted on a bumper sticker. Society showed their allegiance to this country making known their loyalty and stand against terrorists and any country that would support them. People swore they would never forget!

This was also true December 7, 1941 when Japan declared war against America by bombing its ships anchored at the Naval Base at Pearl Harbor. There were 2403 Americans killed and 1178 injured in the unprovoked attack. “A date which will live in infamy”, declared Presi-

dent Roosevelt; but has it?

But Did They Forget?

Today American flags are burned in the streets by left wingers. There are those who take offense against those who show a flag at a baseball game and other sports events. Left-wing rioters burn flags in the streets; tragically supported by a ruling from the Supreme Court, June 1, 1989.

During that time America was introduced to Islamic extremism for the first time. Today one cannot say Islamic extremism without being accused of bigotry and hate. There are also the sanctuary cities to protect illegal immigrants; some who have killed others or have committed other crimes. California has become a sanctuary state.

Conservatives are either shouted down at major events or not allowed to speak in many of the colleges and Universities; as an example: Berkeley, CA.

And these few examples are only the tip of the iceberg of the problems that are tearing this nation apart and bringing this nation to its final destruction. It needs to be added, the same problems exist in Britain, and the other Tribes of Israel.

The nation of Judah, called Israel today, is no exception. For example, Tel Aviv is seeking to become the capital of sodomy with their growing numbers as revealed by their recent march in Tel Aviv; it was also supported by America's Ambassador to Israel:

JTA wrote on June 8:2018



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“A crowd of 250,000 attended Tel Aviv’s 20th annual Pride Parade, which featured a performance by Israeli Eurovision winner Netta Barzilai. At least 30,000 foreign tourists attended the parade on Friday morning . . . The event, which topped last year’s overall attendance by some 50,000, according to estimates, is held in congruence with LGBTQ Pride Month. The parade also featured a tribute to longtime LGBTQ activists, as well as a performance by the Israeli-Arab diva Nasreen Qadri. . .



“I am proud of everyone who is marching in the #TLVPride Parade in support of... diversity and. . . equality,’ tweeted U.S. ambassador to Israel David Friedman (*who was appointed to the post by Donald Trump*). ‘Promoting, protecting and advancing human rights – including the rights of #LGBTI persons – has long been the policy of the United States.’”

End of Quote

No Embarrassment or Shame

There was no embarrassment, or shame with these misguided people; instead they flaunted themselves in their parades—proud of themselves and the kind of people they are. God indicts Judah:

Isaiah 3:8-9

v.8 “For Jerusalem stumbled, and Judah is fallen, because their tongue and their doings are against the LORD, to provoke the



Parades in America

These kinds of parades go on annually in the larger cities in America and are supported by the governing officials and many in society while being tolerated by others. They have no FEAR of God for they also flaunt their behavior in those parades before their Creator God in heaven above while thumbing their nose at Him with total disrespect as well as others who disagree with their lifestyle; God also indicts them as well:

Ezekiel 8:17-18

v.17 “... indeed they put the branch (Asherah – cut into the shape of a male phallus) to their nose (an obscene act). Therefore, I also will act in fury. My eye will not spare nor will I have pity and though they cry in My ears with a loud voice, I will not hear them.”

To show their complete disregard and contempt of their Creator God they have even paraded themselves on the Day of Atonement

eyes of His glory. The look on their countenance witnesses against them, and they declare their sin as Sodom; they do not hide it. Woe to their soul! For they have brought evil upon themselves.”

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(cf. *Leviticus 23:26-32*); a Day that is very Holy to Him; no shame:

Jeremiah 6:15

v.15 “Were they ashamed when they had committed abomination? No! They were not at all ashamed; nor did they know how to blush. Therefore, they shall fall among those who fall; at the time I punish them, they shall be cast down,” says the LORD.

Further, truth is trampled in the street (*Isaiah 59:4, 14-15*)! Their rejection of God, His laws, and truth, leaves them wide-open for the horrors they will soon be experiencing along with the rest of mankind to take place in the near future, so says God (*Ezekiel 6:11-14*).

The Sign of the End of This Age

Shortly before His crucifixion, the disciples of Jesus Christ were viewing with admiration the buildings of the Temple in Jerusalem and pointed them out to Him. He then told the disciples of their coming total destruction. Later, His disciples came to Him privately and asked:

Matthew 24:3

v.3 “Tell us when will these things be? And what will be the Sign of Your coming, and of the end of the age?”

Jesus Christ first gave them an overview of the very

troubling times that would be facing His true people and the nations through time. And to answer their question regarding the sign of His coming and the end of the age, He said:

Matthew 24:14

v.14 “And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in all the world as a witness to all the nations, and then the end will come (*Daniel 12:6-7*).”

Just prior to that time, He made known mankind would experience horrible cataclysmic times:

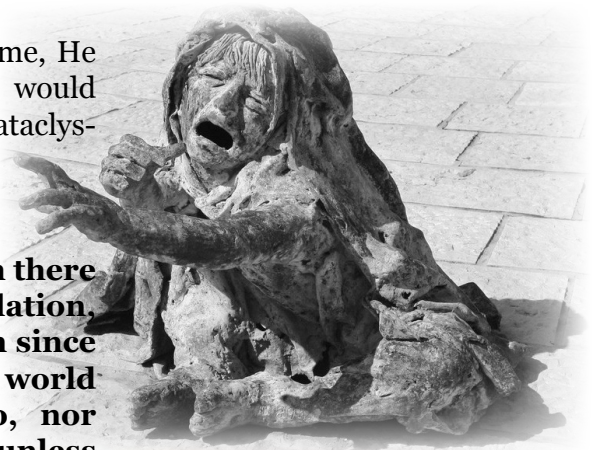
Matthew 24:21-22

vs.21-22 “For then there will be great tribulation, such as has not been since the beginning of the world until this time, no, nor ever shall be. And unless

those days were shortened, no flesh would be saved (*meaning: alive*); but for the elect’s sake those days will be shortened.

”The Compassionate Caring Love of God for His People

At the same time the loving and caring LORD God cries out to Israel to repent so they won’t have to die.



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Ezekiel 18:30-32

v.30 “Therefore I will judge you, O house of Israel, everyone according to his ways,” says the Lord GOD. “Repent, and turn from all your transgressions. So that iniquity will not be your ruin.

v.31 “Cast away from all of you all the transgressions which you have committed, and get yourselves a new heart and a new spirit. For why should you die, O house of Israel?”

v.32 “For I have no pleasure in the death of one who dies,” says the Lord GOD. “Therefore turn and live!”

Miraculous Signs to be Witnessed

To lead into those final months, Jesus Christ also stated there would be miraculous signs mankind would witness as final warnings of what would soon befall them—the worst times ever (**Matthew 24:21**)—unless they cry out to Him with godly repentance for their abominable sins!

He spoke to His disciples about the wonders and signs that will be seen in this coming time”

Luke 21:25

v.25 “And there will be signs in the sun, in the moon, and in the stars

(cf. **Revelation 6:1-17**) and on the earth distress of nations, with perplexity, the sea and the waves roaring



These signs will be ignored just as the Jews did with the warning signs that were seen in Jerusalem from 66 A. D. to 69 A. D. Tragically, they have no desire to recognize God nor will they change from their wicked ways.

The duality of history, prophetic Scriptures, and major events taking place, strongly indicate those signs will begin approximately three years before the demise of the nations of Israel, 2023-2026:



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A further description of the coming miraculous signs is given by the LORD in the book of Joel:

Joel 2:30-31

v.30 “And I will show wonders in the heavens and in the earth; blood and fire and pillars of smoke. The sun shall be turned into darkness, and the moon into blood, before the coming of the great and awesome day of the LORD.”

Coupling these signs with related prophetic end-time events foretell what is soon to come will be terrifying! And mankind will be unable to

grasp why, while questioning their own sanity, safety, and life—

Luke 21:26-36

v.26 “Men’s hearts failing them from fear and the expectation of those things which are coming on the earth, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken.”

Though mankind will be terrified by what they will be seeing and experiencing at that time, but when they begin to hear the loud and intensifying sound of a trumpet being blown by an archangel from heaven above-announcing the Sign of Jesus Christ appearing in heaven, they will be terrified!

to grasp what is taking place, as they suddenly see the appearance of Jesus Christ surrounded by His angels high up in this earth’s atmosphere, orbiting this earth seven times, as Israel did before conquering Jericho—a direct parallel (**Joshua 6:1-5**).

Appearing in this manner will enable all of mankind on earth to see Jesus Christ and His holy angels as they descend to this earth.

v.27 “Then they will see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory

Revealing the Closeness of the Time

Not to leave His true people in the dark as to the meaning of what is taking place during this terrible time, and how close, Jesus Christ gave them a foretelling sign:

vs.29-31 Then He spoke to them a parable: “Look at the fig tree, and all the trees. When they are already budding, you see and know that summer is now near. So you also, when you see these things happening, know the kingdom of God is near.

vs.34-35 “But take heed to yourselves, lest your hearts be weighed down with carousing, drunkenness, and cares of this life, and that day will come upon you unexpectedly. For it will come as a snare on all who dwell on the face of the whole earth.



There is no godly fear in society of where their way of life is leading them! People live for today without being concerned about tomorrow; and this will be their undoing; the unexpected will violently spring upon them like a hungry lion!



This SIGN will occur just prior to His descent back to this earth (**Matthew 24:30**); approximately one year before He sets foot on the Mount of Olives on this earth (**Zechariah 14:4**).

One year later, mankind will be terror-stricken, unable

(Revelation 1:7). Now when these things begin to happen, look up and lift up your heads, because your redemption draws near.”

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Warning Examples from Ancient Times

Jesus Christ also spoke of this in the context of what took place with the Pre-Flood World of Noah, and Sodom and Gomorrah

Luke 17:26-30

vs.26-27 “And as it was in the days of Noah, so it will be also in the days of the Son of Man: They ate, they drank, they married wives, they were given in marriage (*Interracial marriages, Genesis 6:1-4*), until the day that Noah entered the Ark, and the flood came and destroyed them all.

and destroyed them all. Even so will it be when the Son of Man is revealed.”

and his goods are in the house, let him not come down to take them away



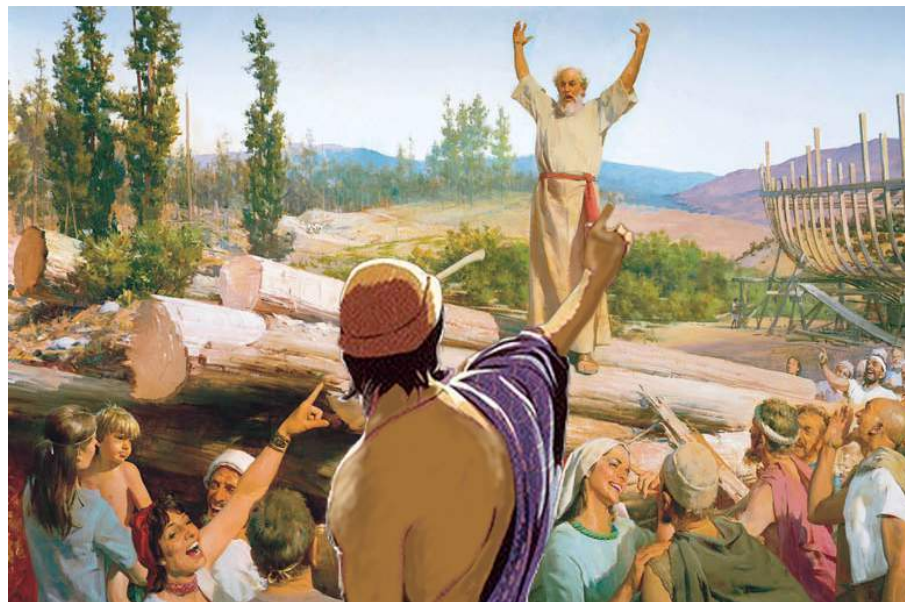
The following Scriptures reveal this will be the time God's chosen elect people will

(Matthew 24:15-27). And likewise the one who is in the field, let him not turn back.”

v.32 “Remember Lot's wife.”

Why Remember Lot's Wife?

To remember Lot's wife is in the context of not turning back—to all they were leaving behind them; family, friends, and the comforts of home—*not wanting to flee into the uncertainty of the unknown and its problems!*



vs.28-30 “Likewise as it was also in the days of Lot: They ate, they drank, they bought, they sold, they planted, they built (*marriages not mentioned for sodomy overwhelmed and was pervasive throughout their societies*); but on the day that Lot went out of Sodom it rained FIRE AND BRIMSTONE from heaven

be in Jerusalem preparatory to their final departure for the place of safety; the year 2026; caution is then given to them by Jesus Christ:

v.31 “In that day, he who is on the housetop,

Therefore, Lot's wife chose to ignore the warning given by God's angels and was instantly turned into a pillar of salt—having lost her life as the result of being disobedient to the warning given by the angels of God.

The Fleeing of the Elect People of God

This warning is given by Jesus Christ with the future in mind when God's people are to flee to save their lives.

A possible duality: It could be that Jesus Christ will send the angel Gabriel to appear to the leading pastor and give him needed instructions for the fleeing of the Elect from this Babylonish Society (**Revelation 18:4-5; 12:14; Jeremiah 51:6, 45, 50**).

Though the warning Scripture of not turning back will apply to God's people who will have left their homes and then be living in Judea for a short time (**Matthew 24:15-16**), it undoubtedly also has a dual meaning of warning to some who could choose not to leave their homes at all thinking they would be safer there than what might be before them in Jerusalem (**II Thessalonians 2:1-8; Luke 21:26**)!

Therefore, the warning is given by Jesus Christ to His people of today:

v.33 "Whoever seeks to save his life will lose it (by turning back), and whoever loses his life will preserve it."

With these things in mind, Jesus cautioned His disciples,

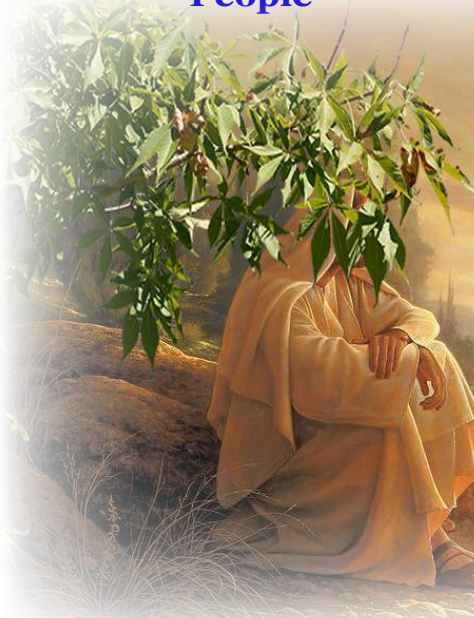
v.36 "WATCH therefore, and PRAY always that

you may be counted worthy to escape all these things that will come to pass, and to stand before the Son of Man."

Historical Duality

While considering these coming terrible times with the past history of Jerusalem in mind, and then paralleling that time just before the crucifixion of the Messiah, and what took place 37 years later when the Roman armies conquered Jerusalem, there is in reality no difference now, except the House of Jacob does not have 37 years before its demise, it appears they only have eight years from now; the year 2026.

Jesus Christ Literally Weeps for His Chosen People



While realizing the gravity of sin will have reached its completeness with His own chosen people, the house of Israel (*cf. Genesis 15:16; 19:13*), and knowing they have to be severely chastened because of their abominable sins together with their rejection of Him and His laws, Christ grieves for what they will soon have to suffer (*cf. Ezekiel 6:11-14*).

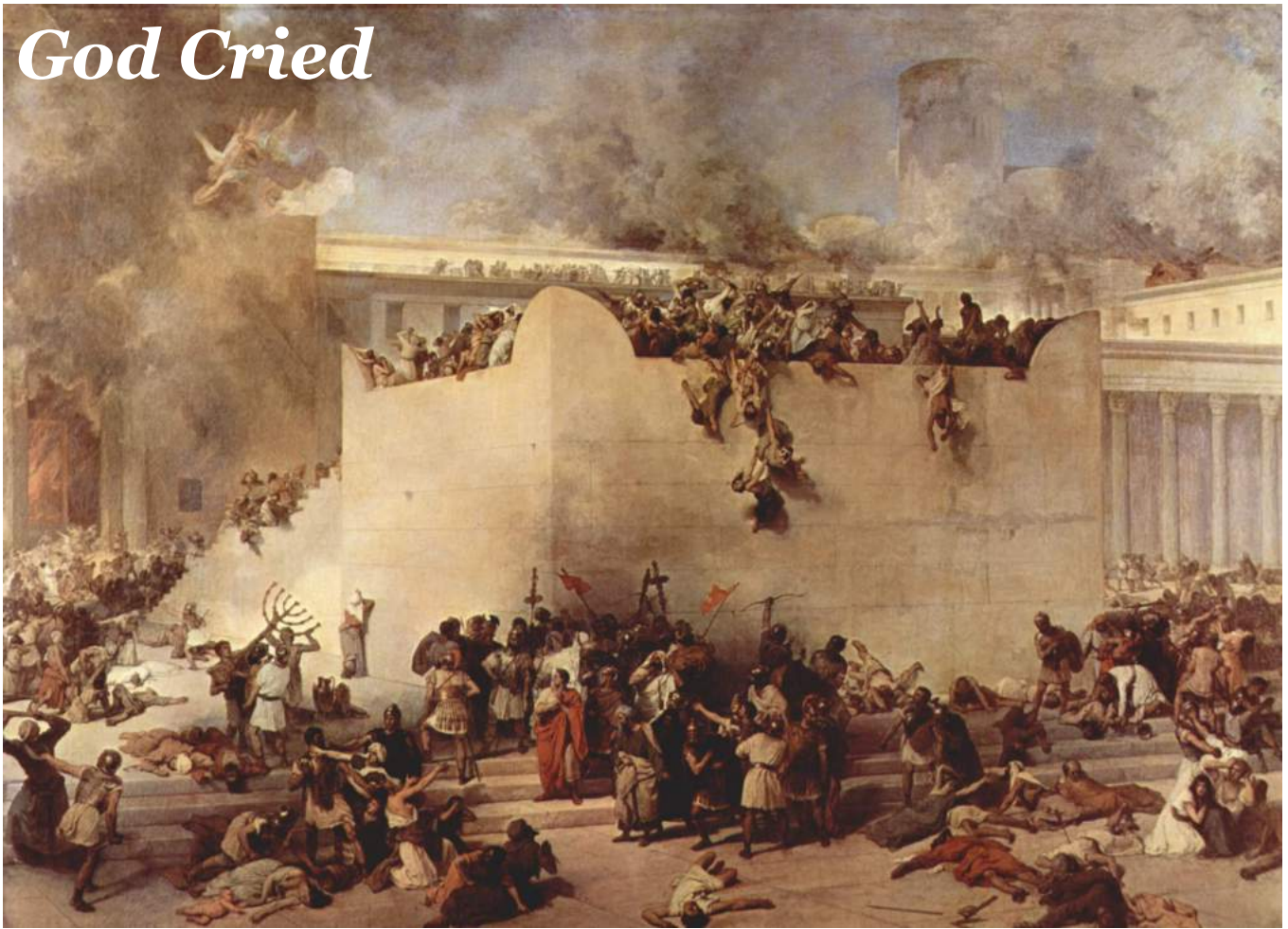
Though God is very angry, He is also very loving and compassionate for that is His godly nature, but He will not overlook unrepentant sin!

Jesus Christ also grieved for the Jewish people living in Jerusalem fore-knowing the sufferings to come upon them in only 37 years from that time, 70 A. D., due to their idolatrous worship and rejection of Him, their Messiah.

While looking down on Jerusalem from the mount of olives and viewing people from that short distance,

men and women, going here and there in their everyday lives with no thought of what would befall them in just a few years (*cf. Luke 17:26-30*), Jesus Christ was filled with compassion for them.

God Cried



Jesus Christ, their Creator God in heaven above, actually sobbed with tears streaming down His face, knowing what would come to pass upon His beloved people, men, women and children of Jerusalem—a horrifying time for them!

The Temple that symbolized His presence would also be destroyed. While viewing His chosen people, this awesome and wonderful Creator God who created all physical existence literally cried for His people:

Luke 19:41-44

vs.41-42 Now as He drew near, He saw the city and

WEPT over it, saying, “If you had known, even you, especially in this your day, the things that make for your peace! But now they are hidden from your eyes.

vs. 43-44 “For the days will come upon you when your enemies will build an embankment around you surround you and close you in on every side (cf. Deuteronomy 28:52-57, soon to come as it did in 70 A. D.), and level you, and your

children within you, to the ground; and they will not leave in you one stone upon another, because you did not know the time of your visitation.”

A short time later, the beaten and bloodied Jesus Christ (**Isaiah 52:14**), carrying His own tree (cf. *I Peter 2:24*, not a cross) on which He was to be crucified; turned and looked at the women who were following and weeping for the barbarous cruelty of the Roman soldiers who were leading Him to His death by an extremely painful crucifixion; said to them:

Luke 23:27-31

vs.27-28 And a great multitude of the people followed Him, and women who also mourned and lamented Him, but Jesus turning to them, said, "Daughters of Jerusalem, do not weep for Me, but weep for yourselves and for your children.

v.29 "For indeed the days are coming in which they will say, 'Blessed are the barren, wombs that never bore, and breasts which never nursed!'

vs.30-31 "Then they will begin to say to the mountains, 'Fall on us!' and to the hills, 'Cover us (cf. Revelation 6:12-17),' for if they do this in the green wood (in that time), what will be done in the dry (in this end age)?"

Further, Jesus Christ foreseeing that coming terrible time in 70 A. D., lamentably, and caringly said with strong emotion:

Matthew 23:37-30

vs.37-38 "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the one who kills the prophets (as presently done by stilling the voices of protest against the abominable sins) and stones those who are sent to her (God's true prophets). How often I wanted to gather your children together, as a hen gathers her chicks under her wings, but you were not willing. See your house is left to you

desolate (as it will be in the near future when Israel is conquered and taken into captivity and slavery, cf. Deuteronomy 28:60-68).

This also pictures the soon coming time when the house of Joseph will be left desolate as well; the year 2026. For the true people of God, the time has come for fervent and meaningful prayers to our wonderful and caring God.

**The Time has Come
for Fasting and
Fervent Prayer**



Knowing what the near future portends, the word of the LORD came to the prophet Joel to write of this coming time that is now just a few short years away. In this writing the LORD God spoke of the famine and warfare that would take the lives of multiple millions of His chosen people; the children of Israel (cf. Ezekiel 5:12).

The LORD God makes known, this is the time for the sounding of the warning of the trumpet:

Joel 2:1, 11-13

v.1 "Blow the trumpet in Zion, and sound an alarm in My holy mountain! Let all the inhabitants tremble; for the day of the LORD is coming, for it is at hand (meaning very close!).

vs.11-12 "... For the day of the LORD is great and very terrible (Matthew 24:21-22; Daniel 12:1); who can endure it? "Now therefore," says the LORD, "Turn to Me with all your heart, with fasting, with weeping, and with mourning (cf. James 4:7-10)."

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Daily Prayers

v.13 “So rend your heart (Acts 2:38-39), and not your garments; return to the LORD your God, for He is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness; and He relents from doing harm.”

v.14 “Who knows if He will return and relent, and leave a blessing behind Him. . .”

Though it is hoped God’s chosen people of Israel will pray earnestly to Him and repent before it comes to be too late, there appears to be no real indication they will—they are willingly blinded by Satan the

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devil (**Revelation 12:9**), and oblivious to where their legalized abominable sins are taking them.

Due to their lack of repentance, the LORD God continues to work with His elect people Spiritual Israel (**Romans 11:1-8**), urging them to live righteous lives while praying very earnestly with their heart in their prayers to Him. Always to be looking after themselves, while asking for forgiveness of their sins as they come to see them. Jesus Christ knows His elect people will sin, not purposeful sins, but unintentional sins (**I John 1:8-9**).

When they are confessed and forgiveness is sought from God, He then is faithful to forgive and will cleanse His people from all unrighteousness.

Prayer Can Lead to a Meaningful Relationship with God

It should be realized one cannot pray just one time, or now and then, and believe this is enough to be within His caring and protective blessings during the coming troublesome and terrifying times.

No! One has to develop a relationship with God through His Beloved Son, Jesus Christ. And this can only be done by praying daily to Him with the whole heart. And to be heard the prayers should not only be

fervent but somewhere close to an hour in formal prayer while praying off and on throughout the day, not only for self, but for God's work, and for one another.

In this way each one will come to know God and Jesus Christ and will be blessed and protected by Them.

Despair and Discouragement

There will be the times of being mentally and spiritually discouraged during times of personal and family problems,

sickness, and sorrow. Real concern and even worry will be experienced while witnessing the serious and deadly problems going on in society and coming ever closer to home as well.

To overcome these problems weighing heavily on the mind, Jesus said:

Luke 18:1

v.1 "... men always ought to pray and not lose heart . . ." Never lose heart while relying on the promise of Jesus Christ who has promised never to leave or forsake His true and faithful people (***Matthew 28:20; Hebrews 13:5-6***). And He won't.

The Apostle Paul also wrote:

I Thessalonians 5:17

v.17 "**Pray without ceasing.**" It is always vitally important to remain close to God in a loving relationship! And that is done by continuously praying to our Father through Jesus Christ.

Bible Study

There is also the need of studying the holy Scriptures. In this manner God is able to talk to each of His people. And this will enable each one to come to really know Him—the awesome, wonderful caring God that He is. And the study should be daily as Jesus Christ instructed His disciples:



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Luke 11:3

v.3 “Give us day by day our daily bread (*John 6:35*).”

The Daily Bread of Life

The following Scriptures make known what is the “Bread” of life:

John 6:35, 50

v.35 And Jesus said to them, “I am the BREAD of life (*John 1:1, the Word of God in Holy Scripture*). He who comes to Me shall never hunger, and he who believes in Me shall never thirst (*John 4:14;7:37-38*).”

vs.53-54 “Then Jesus said to them, “Most assuredly I say to you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink His blood, you have no life in you. Whoever eats My flesh and drinks My blood has eternal life (*cf. Matthew 26:26-28*), and I will raise him up at the last day).”

“Come to Me— My Beloved People”

Matthew 11:28-30

vs.28-30 “Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For My yoke is easy and My burden is light.”

Stressful and Trying Times



vs.50-51 “This is the bread which comes down from heaven, that one may eat of it and not die. I am the living bread which comes down from heaven. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live forever, and the bread that I give is My flesh, which I shall give for the life of the world.

To His beloved people, Jesus Christ continually encourages each one to come to Him regardless of their heavy burdens and problems being faced, now, and will later, as the Great Tribulation rapidly approaches:

The coming times will be very stressful and trying (*II Timothy 3:1-5*), but Jesus Christ will always be there for those who continue to pray and cry out to Him for His comfort, blessings, and deliverance from their despair and discouragement.

It should be realized this is the time to recognize the need for heart-felt Prayer, not later, but now; before it comes to be too late—knowing how close it is to the time of the end.

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Remember, the need for prayer—the vital importance of heart-felt prayer cannot be overly emphasized for by it one is brought into the loving and caring arms of Jesus Christ, our Savior—escaping the terrible times coming upon Israel and the world!

Luke 21:36

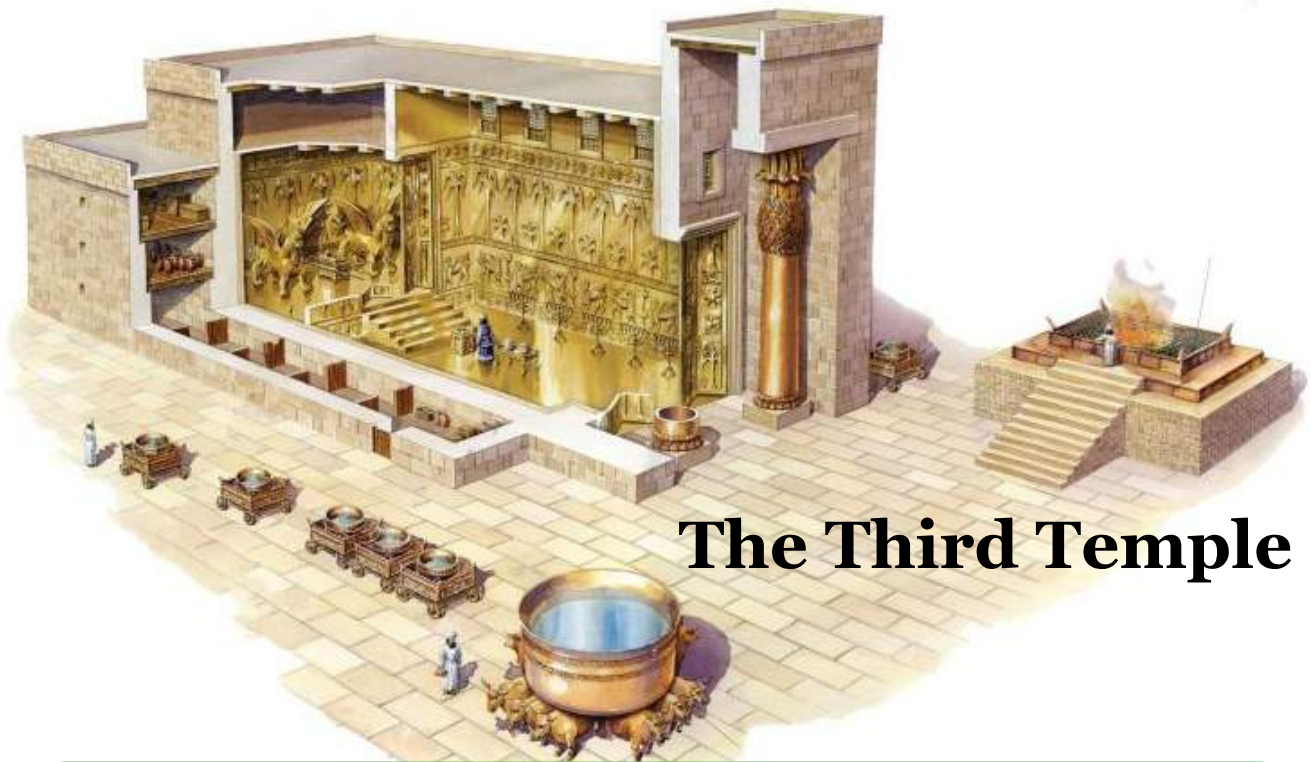
v.36 “WATCH therefore, and PRAY ALWAYS that you may be counted worthy to ESCAPE all these things that will come to pass, and to stand before the Son of Man.”

The vital importance of prayer should never be minimized – for it is the life-line, the umbilical cord that is connected directly to God our Father, Jesus Christ, and Their Church (*“the mother of us all,” Galatians 4:26*), that nourishes to full growth and birth and everlasting life—beyond the terrible heart-breaking problems of today.

Therefore, Christ our Redeemer and Savior, tells us to both WATCH AND PRAY—always:

**“Thy
Kingdom
Come!”**

The End



The Third Temple

“Now, brethren, concerning the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our gathering together to Him, we ask you, not to be soon shaken in mind or troubled, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as if from us, as though the day of Christ had come.

Let no man deceive you by any means; for that day will not come unless the falling away comes first (*did in 1995*), and the man of sin is revealed, the son of perdition,

Who opposes and exalts himself above all that is called God or that is worshipped, so that he sits in The Temple of God, showing himself that he is God.”

II Thessalonians 2:1-4

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This Prophecy of the third Temple will begin to be fulfilled in 2019-2020

Astonishing as it may seem to be the third Temple will begin to be built within the time frame of 2019 or no later than 2020. This can only be done during the 4-year tenure of the presidency of Donald Trump, for it would never be done by the democrats who have no love for the nation of Israel as has been known in the past.

When considering what has already been said by the Jews regarding its construction and decisions that President Trump has already made leading up to it, the Jews will soon finalize their decision to make that bold and daring decision at the precise time Jesus Christ will stir up their minds to do it (*cf. Ezra 1:5*). Prophecy must be fulfilled.

Just prior to that decision they will have the promise of President Trump to support them, due to Jesus Christ stirring up his mind to do it as He did with King Cyrus in ancient history (*Ezra 1:1*).

The Jewish people have made known to the President that he is a type of King Cyrus of the Medio-Persian Empire who made it possible for the building of the second Temple. In addition, they say this has been revealed to them by Bible codes and numerology, as the following article makes known.

Messianic Trump-Cyrus Connection Revealed Through Hebrew Numerology, Bible Codes

By Adam Eliyahu Berkowitz December 11, 2017, 12:30 pm

“Thus said Hashem to Cyrus, His anointed one— Whose right hand He has grasped, treading down nations before him, ungirding the loins of kings, opening doors before him and letting no gate stay shut.” Isaiah 45:1 (The Israel Bible™)



Many have seen similarities between the Biblical King Cyrus and President Donald Trump. (Breaking Israel News)

Connections between the US president and Persian King Cyrus, recently strengthened by President Donald Trump's landmark speech acknowledging Jerusalem as the eternal capital of Israel, have deep roots in Bible Codes and Biblical numerology which link both men to the coming of the Messiah.

President Trump is similar to Cyrus in a number of observable ways, rabbis and commentators have noted. Though separated by 2,500 years, both men rule the greatest nation of their respective eras. Cyrus, like Trump, was powerful and rich but not at all devout. And like Cyrus, Trump supports Jewish national aspirations. Now, a Messianic connection has come to light.

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The mysterious ties between Trump, Cyrus, and the Messiah are revealed through two mystical methods of understanding the Torah. Hebrew numerology, known as Gematria, gives Hebrew letters and words numerical values which uncover hidden meanings, while Bible Codes search the Torah for secret patterns and connections.

Cyrus's connection to the Messiah is found in the Book of Isaiah. The Persian king is the only non-Jewish leader to be referred to in the Bible as Moshiach, literally 'His anointed one'. The word for 'anointed one' in Hebrew is 'Moshiach' (משיח), which means "Messiah".

*Thus said Hashem to Cyrus, His anointed one— Whose right hand He has grasped, treading down nations before him, ungirding the loins of kings, opening doors before him and letting no gate stay shut. **Isaiah 45:1***

Trump's connection is found through Gematria. Using the method to break down the value of Hebrew letters, Donald Trump's name in Hebrew (פמארט דלנוד) equals 424 – which is also the numerical equivalent of 'Moshiach for the House of David' (דוד בן משיח).

Rabbi Matityahu Glazerson, a Bible codes expert, also discovered Trump ties to Cyrus and Messiah within the codes. One week after the 2016 elections, Rabbi Glazerson

produced a video in which he described clues found in Leviticus.

Rabbi Glazerson found the words 'D. Trump' and 'president of the USA' adjacent to the word 'Koresh' ('Cyrus' in Hebrew). All of these words were adjacent to the word 'Moshiach', used in that instance explicitly as a characteristic of an anointed priest.

*And the anointed (moshiach) kohen shall take some of the bull's blood and bring it into the Tent of Meeting. **Leviticus 4:5***

"Definitely Trump is not Moshiach," Rabbi Glazerson cautioned, explaining the unique connection.

"Koresh was called Moshiach because he helped the Jews to settle Israel and to start building the Second Temple. Trump is like Koresh because he is supposed to help the Jews in Israel, maybe to build the Temple."

The Trump-Cyrus connection was acknowledged even before the election by many Evangelical Christians who supported Trump's campaign promise to establish Jerusalem as Israel's capital. Evangelical speaker Lance Wallnau wrote a best-selling book on the subject titled *God's Chaos Candidate*.

"It's not a normal election and so we almost need a different kind of candidate," Wallanu said in an interview with CBN News just before the election. "Trump has the Cyrus anointing to navigate in chaos. [Cyrus] came in, this king, as a secular ruler and decreed for the building of the house of the Lord. He literally made it possible for the Jews to end the captivity."

Wallanu pointed out that as the 45th president of the United States [44th president—considering Grover Cleveland was president twice - split terms; God fore-knew He would choose Donald Trump to be the 44th president; Isaiah 46:9-10; Daniel 4:25-26, 32], Trump would embody the 45th chapter of Isaiah [44th chapter, verses 27-28], in which Persian King Cyrus rebuilds the Jewish Temple in Jerusalem.

Trump has personally embraced the connection with the Persian king. In March, President Trump issued an official statement on the occasion of Nowruz, the Persian New Year, in which he quoted King Cyrus.

"[F]reedom, dignity, and wealth together constitute the greatest happiness of humanity. If you bequeath all three to your people, their love for you will never die," the quote read.

After President Trump's historic announcement last Wednesday, approximately 250 Israeli rabbis signed a letter of gratitude initiated by Rabbi Shmuel Eliyahu, Chief Rabbi of Tzfat. In an interview with [Israel National News](#), Rabbi Eliyahu explained that his motives for sending the letter were actuated by comparisons between the American president and Cyrus.

"We mentioned to him in the letter that when [the Prophet] Nehemiah came to Cyrus, to establish Jerusalem, to strengthen and fortify its position, all kinds of people of little faith stood among the gentiles and – to our shame – from the elite of our own people, and sought to stop this," Rabbi Eliyahu said.

"But [Cyrus] was determined to do God's will and the designs of the other people collapsed, and eventually they too understood that God's will would be done."

Last year, the nascent Sanhedrin felt the connection between Trump and Cyrus was so strong that it sent a letter to the newly elected president calling on him to build the Temple. In light of Trump's recent declaration concerning Jerusalem [*moving the American Embassy to Jerusalem and declaring it to be the capital of Israel*], the Sanhedrin acknowledges this connection has materialized, but is cautious of how this will play out in the current political environment.

"Cyrus' actions would have been pointless, would have been forgotten in history, had they not culminated in the Second Temple," Rabbi Weiss pointed out to *Breaking Israel News*. "Trump did not do this."

"If he leaves us without the Temple Mount then his grand announcement amounts to nothing and will actually cause great harm," the rabbi warned.

"The United Nations and the Palestinians cunningly refer to East Jerusalem in order to hide their true intentions of leaving Israel without their true capital. President Trump said he was establishing the capital of Israel, and this absolutely must be based around the Temple.

"If Trump, like Cyrus, helps reestablish the Temple, it will strengthen America, just as Cyrus established a powerful and flourishing empire after taking part in building the Temple."

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Momentum Growing for the Building of the Third Temple

Breaking Israel News wrote on March 5:2018

Third Temple a Growing Worldwide Phenomenon

"A newly minted coin featuring President Trump, King Cyrus, and the Third Temple has been featured in media around the world, graphically illustrating that support for the Jewish Temple on the Temple Mount is now a global phenomenon that is transcending political and religious boundaries.

"Three weeks ago, the nascent Sanhedrin and the Mikdash (Temple) Educational Center, a non-profit organization for education about the Temple, partnered in a risky venture to mint a commemorative medallion with an image of President Donald Trump and the Persian King Cyrus.



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The flip side features a stylized image of the Third Temple. Both signed a contract to mint 1,000 coins in the hope that the message on the coin that calls out to the US president to support the Jewish claim to the Temple Mount, would resonate with enough people to cover the total expense of the coins. They offered the coins to the public for a minimum donation of \$50, and the response has exceeded all their expectations . . .

“Rabbi Hillel Weiss, the spokesman for the Sanhedrin, was surprised by the overwhelming response, but the message was clear to him: Support for the Third Temple is growing . . .

“The source for the concept behind the coin is the Biblical silver half-shekel that was collected in Temple Times from every Jewish man. The Trump medallion does not adhere to the requirements of this Biblically mandated coin but proceeds from sales of the coin will go towards projects educating the public about the Jewish Temple . . .

“The next project that the two organizations will cooperate on is a reenactment of the Paschal Sacrifice on March 26. At that time, Kohanim (Jewish men of priestly descent) will recreate the Temple service in a manner resembling the Temple service as much as possible. They will be dressed in the priestly garments and using silver vessels intended

for use in the Third Temple. A lamb will be sacrificed and roasted in a Biblically authentic manner.”

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The Parallel of King Cyrus with President Trump

Consider the parallel of King Cyrus who was prophesied to make possible the re-building of the Second Temple in Jerusalem in 539 B. C. with the prophecy to build the Third Temple in Jerusalem in this end-time with President Trump.

The problems were many from those who were opposed to the re-building of the second Temple (***Ezra 3:3; 4:1***), but due to God’s continued intervention, as needed, the Temple was finally built (***Ezra 6:15***). So will the problems be in building the third Temple by virtually all nations.

Considering great men of the past God has used to fulfill prophecy, such as Abraham, Jacob, Joseph, Moses, etc., He never made anything easy for those He would use to fulfill prophecy or whatever He wanted His people to do in any endeavor. He well knows the problems will cause His people to pray more fervently for His intervention and bring them closer to Him.

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God Raised Up President Trump

The following writing makes known the kind of man that Donald Trump is as the president of America. Not only is he proving to be a type of King Cyrus but also that of King Josiah who reigned over Judah some few years before the nation was conquered by Nebuchadnezzar and carried into captivity for 70 years.

King Josiah was the last righteous king of Judah. Though it is not said in Scripture, but based on prophecy with major disastrous events taking place, enables the understanding why Jesus Christ has chosen President Trump to be the 44th president of America, and the last semi-righteous man to serve in that office who would fulfill His purpose for him.

To understand why Donald Trump has been chosen as the 44th president, and not the 45th, it becomes necessary to remember President Grover Cleveland who was elected in 1885, the 22nd and 24th president. He served two terms as president, but another man was chosen to be president in between those two terms. Therefore, President Cleveland is counted as one, not two, presidents. He is the only president to date who served two nonconsecutive terms.

Knowing the end from the beginning, God planned it this way to fit with the end-time, and the last two presidents of America (**Isaiah 46:9-10**).

Additional Revealing Numerology

Numbers also have an important role in Scripture and in Biblical prophecy as should be noted with the 44th and the 45th presidents of the United States.

Considering President Trump being the 44th president of Manasseh-America, and the woman who will replace him to be the 45th president, those two numbers are very revealing in numerology.

A Creative Builder

The number 44 has the meaning of a creative builder as the following quote makes known: Companion Bible, Appendages 10, the spiritual significance of numbers, page 14, "FOUR. Denotes creative works (3+1), and always has reference to the material creation, as pertaining to the earth, and things "under the sun", and things terrestrial."

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Donald Trump's presidential campaign focused on his promise of "Making America Great Again".

The 45th President of America

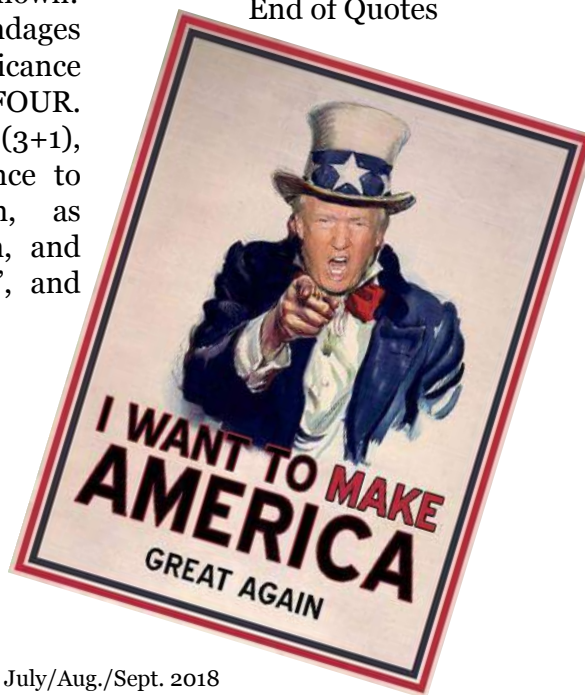
This 45th election will pave the way for the demise of this once great country, as numerous prophecies make known. Having this in mind, consider the meaning of the number 45:

Companion Bible, The Spiritual significance of numbers, page 11,

"Numbers are used in Scripture, not merely as in Nature, with supernatural design, but with spiritual significance, which may be summarized as follows—

Nine [4 + 5 = 9]. Denotes finality of judgment. It is 3 x 3, the product of Divine completeness. The number nine, or its factors or multiples, is seen in all cases when judgment is the subject (*cf. Daniel 5:1-31*).

End of Quotes



A Woman President

Prophecy reveals that beginning January 20, 2021, for the first time in the history of America, a woman will crack the glass ceiling, as Hillary Clinton said in her previous campaign to become the first woman president (**Isaiah 3:12, 16-26**).

At this point in time it would appear that Hillary Clinton, or possibly Senator Kamala Harris, each one a democrat, will very probably be inaugurated as the 45th president of the United States and bring it to its demise as a nation (**Nahum 3:12-13**).

Foreordained for This End-Time

Considering the Scriptures and God's use of men, and sometimes women, to fulfill His purpose and connect with His perfect Time Table, there seems to be no question but that Donald Trump was formed before birth with all of the qualities needed for this particular time as was King Cyrus and King Josiah.

Jesus Christ enabled Donald Trump to become a prosperous builder, and he came to be a billionaire before becoming president. Though he did accept some aid in his campaign, he did not need their financial help in his campaign to become president. Therefore, there was no need to repay anyone for political favors that would hinder him

in what he would be used to do by God.

King Josiah the Last Righteous King to Reign over Judah

President Trump is not a righteous man as was Josiah. However, with his limited understanding of God, he did restore the name of God and Jesus Christ to be used in prayer after President Barak Obama did all he could to utterly destroy it.

President Obama has been referred to as anti-Biblical. He refused those under his authority to pray in God's name (*Please check the Internet that makes all this very plain*). He was in type King Manasseh, the most wicked king of all Judah (**II Kings 21:1-16**).

During his speech at his inauguration as the 44th president, President Trump used God's name several times and prayers were made for him at the time. This emboldened people to come out once again into the open to practice their religious beliefs and pray before others while using the name of God and the name of Jesus Christ.

A Promise Made and Fulfilled with Similarities

Similarities: President Trump promised during his election campaign he would move the Embassy of America from

Tel Aviv to Jerusalem and he did it during his first year in office in spite of all the pressure coming against him not to do it! King Cyrus also made his proclamation to rebuild the Temple in Jerusalem during his first year.

There are those of the Jewish people who believe they have found connections that would link him to a preordained birth with the special commission of making possible the rebuilding of the third Temple in Jerusalem, as the previous article made known.

In addition, it is interesting to consider the following quotes connecting numbers linked to the preordained birth of Donald Trump:

An interesting Quote:

Donald Trump, the number 7 and Israel.

"Israel was 77 days old exactly 777 days after Donald Trump was born.

Israel's 70th Birthday will come exactly 700 days after Trump's 70th Birthday.

Trump won the election on Netanyahu's 7th year, 7th month, and 7th day in office.

Donald Trump was born exactly 700 days before Israel became a nation.

"Donald Trump's Birthday is June 14, 1946---70 years later is June 14, 2016---7 Months later is January 14, 2017.

Then 7 days later is January 21 (3x7), 2017 Donald Trump's first full day in office. This all takes place in the Hebrew Calendar year of 5777.

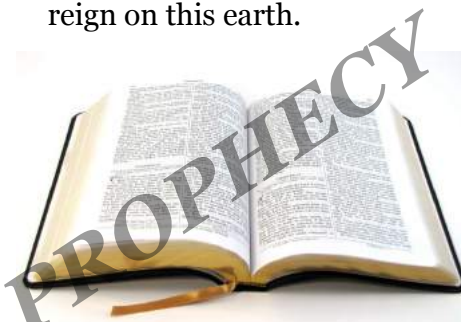
"7 is a very significant number for sure. The Hebrew language has no word for Coincidence."

End of Quotes

History, Dualities, Parallels, Types

History is replete with examples that can be found throughout the Holy Scriptures with God's use of chosen leaders at needed times that fit within His Perfect Time Table and Master Plan. Not only have they continued throughout Biblical history but are in evidence in this end-time.

Realizing the closeness of the return of Jesus Christ, it should be understood by the wise (**Daniel 12:9-10**) that He is very much involved in what is now taking place in the present kingdoms of men to fulfill prophecies to bring about the end of this age; the year 2029-2030. Jesus Christ will then begin His millennial reign on this earth.



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The Mission of Donald Trump

Since Manasseh-America, is yet the super power nation of this world, as it was prophesied to be (**Genesis 48:19**), God raised up Donald Trump to fulfill a special mission in this end time before its demise in 2026; ironically on its 250th birthday as a nation.



Considering the present circumstances in this nation and elsewhere, as evident by the many internal problems, such as the continuous vocal rebellions, marches, all against any and everything that is conservative, while focusing on President Trump and his decisions with their hatred.

This also includes Congress: Democrats are against the Republicans more so it seems than any other time in the nation's history. This has made it a divided nation, right down the middle, and another major reason why it cannot endure as

a nation—so said Jesus Christ (**Matthew 12:25**)!

When encapsulating all the events that have taken place from the beginning of Donald Trump's candidacy to seek the high office of the presidency of the United States to finally having been chosen and sworn in as the new president, it has come to be evident God had

raised him up to fulfill a special purpose that will connect with parallels and historical duality in Biblical history as will be noted in this writing.

Consider: As brash and belittling as he was toward the 16 others seeking the same office, he was the one who prevailed. God chose this man who is worth billions of dollars therefore he would not need to owe favors to anyone if he were

to be elected. He was an outsider, not a politician! And with his promises to make America great again, he resonated with the working class of America.

Donald Trump also brashly criticized the respected establishment of politicians, Congress, etc., with disrespect and was appreciated for it by many millions of the working class of Americans.

Since being elected as the president he is defiant against the opposition of the democratic party along with the rebellion against his authority in the streets and elsewhere, while pushing forward with his effort to make America great again.



Donald Trump No Ordinary Man

As can be seen, Donald Trump is no ordinary man; he is a man's man as other leaders have been in this country in earlier years; such as, General MacArthur and General Patton. Biblical History teaches God has always chosen strong minded men and used them to fulfill His will and purpose. They did what they

had been chosen to do regardless of the opposition against them.

A quote: “In a world when considering presidents did nothing, Donald Trump did something.” The presidents before him for the most part fulfilled their time in office without making any real meaningful waves against them.

The exceptions were President Clinton and President Obama who took this country into the opposite direction right into the gutter with little to no protest by a lawless society in the social areas of life.

Though the following news article is written from a liberal and biased point of view, some excerpts from it reveals a bit about the deep conviction and resolve within Donald Trump to once again make America great:

The Record Sunday, January 29, 2017 B.1 TRUMP RELIGION, Trump has deep religious convictions, By Stanley Hauerwas, Special to the Washington Post

“Many Americans appear ready to give President Donald Trump a pass when it comes to his lack of religious knowledge, sensibilities or behavior, but I think that is a mistake. Trump is quite pious and his religious convictions run dangerously deep. But his piety is not a reflection of a Christian faith. His piety is formed by his understanding

of what makes America a country like no other.

Trump proclaimed on January 20, the day of his inauguration, a “National Day of Patriotic Devotion . . . there are no greater people than American citizens . . . there is nothing in Trump’s view, the American people cannot accomplish as long as we believe in ourselves . . . his statement— “At the bedrock of our total allegiance to the United States of America and through our loyalty to our country we will recover loyalty to each other . . .”

Trump has adopted this strategy and applied it to this country . . . Christianity in America is declining if not dying, which makes it difficult to call Trump to task. Trump has taken advantage of Christian Americans who have long lived as if God and country are joined at the hip.”

End of Quotes

Understanding God’s Choice of Donald Trump

Putting all of this together, and more, there should be no



Trump in his mind, is not just the president of the United States, he is the savior. Trump identifies himself as a Presbyterian – identified with Norman Vincent Peale, who wrote the book ‘the power of positive thinking,’ beliefs a follower could make up to suit their desires.

question but that Donald Trump was the right man to do what God had chosen him to do during his tenure in office. Primarily, it would appear there are two major reasons for God’s choice of Donald Trump to be used by Him in this end-time:

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1) By his stand on making America great again against all others, unknowingly, he is giving the push for Europe to begin banding together to fulfill their prophesied role in the next few years of becoming the Revived Holy Roman Empire to bring about the demise of the House of Joseph as nations. As German Chancellor Angela Merkel insisted: 'We Europeans have our fate in our own hands' . . .

2) The other major reason will be to make possible the prophesied new Temple to be built in Jerusalem: Though President Trump has not yet declared himself to do this, he has opened the door to it by fulfilling his promise to move the American Embassy from Tel Aviv to Jerusalem, and declared it to be the capital of Israel.

This will be made known more fully in these writings by considering the historical parallels of President Donald Trump with God's use of King Cyrus of the Medo-Persian Empire and that of King Josiah of Judah

God Chooses Strong Leaders to Perform His Will

It is difficult for some to understand why God would have chosen Donald Trump since he has built Casinos, and whatever else he has formerly done contrary to God's laws. Certainly, he is not a true Christian, but neither have been others God has used to perform His will. All of them had their problems in one way or another.

When reflecting on some men who have been used by God in past ages, even in this past century, it becomes easier to understand when considering some were evil men (*such as Adolph Hitler, Daniel 4:17*), and evil nations (*such as Assyria/Germany, Isaiah 10:5-11*). Yet, God chose them to fulfill special roles in one way or another to punish His people Israel and Judah for their unrepentant abominable sins and will again as end-time

prophecy makes known (*cf. Ezekiel 6:11-14; 7:1-4, 25-26*). Many times, the LORD God has set up kings and removed them (***Daniel 4:17, 32***). This was done by Him for varying reasons but always to fit within His Perfect Time Table that covers the 6,000 years allotted to this age. Scripture makes very clear He continues to establish leaders to perform his will at the needed times as made known by King Nebuchadnezzar of the Babylonian Empire.

Daniel 4:34-35, 37

v. 34 "And at the end of the time (*seven years, Daniel 4:24-33*) I, Nebuchadnezzar, lifted up my eyes to heaven, and my understanding returned to me; and I blessed the Most High and praised

and honored Him who lives forever. For His dominion is an everlasting dominion, and His Kingdom is from generation to generation.

v. 35 "All the inhabitants of the earth are reputed as nothing; He does according to His will in the army in heaven and among the inhabitants of the earth, no one can restrain His hand or say to Him, 'What have You done?'

v. 37 "Now I, Nebuchadnezzar, praise and extol and honor the King of Heaven, all of whose works are TRUTH, and His ways justice. And those who walk in pride He is able to put down."

King Nebuchadnezzar learned the lesson of humility from personal experience from having to live like a wild animal for seven years—a very humbling time for him. This has a

far reaching lesson that all mankind will have to learn the same humbling experience sooner or later.

Men Known and Chosen by God Before Birth

Holy Scripture reveals, God chose men to fulfill His purpose in past ages before they were born! Further, He even called them by name! Having this in mind—is this too much of a stretch of the imagination that God would do the same today in this end-time to fulfill His purpose just as He used men of past ages?

Considering what appears to have been the intuitive leadership and bravery of General George Patton, who was out front with his Third Army during World War II, there seems to be no question but that God used him to help bring about the defeat of Germany. He expressed his belief that he had been chosen by God to be used by Him to win that war. And as often happens at the end of the war, he was killed. There was no longer a need for him.

Did God know Mr. Herbert W Armstrong before birth? Considering the prophecies along with God's use of him (**Malachi 4:4-6; Matthew 17:10-11**), there should be no question whatsoever but that he had been known by God long before he was born.

Names are usually very meaningful for those God uses. Consider the name: "ARM" "STRONG" – a strong arm and mind to be used by God. He was always full of zeal to do God's bidding and would never compromise with God's true teachings regardless of the opposition.

Jesus Christ began using Mr. Armstrong while living in Eugene, Oregon. Eugene means – "**well born**". From there Jesus Christ based His work with Mr. Armstrong in Pasadena, California. Pasadena has the meaning of – "**Crown of the Valley**".



Did God Foreknow Donald Trump by Name?

Realizing the rapid approach of this very end-time, while considering the prophecies that are to be fulfilled, the question can be asked, "Did God know Donald Trump, and by name, before he was born as He has with others to be used by Him?" Is there significance with his name and what he would be used by God to do?

The Name Book by Dorothy Astoria: "Donald – having the meaning of world leader, faithful."

The word Trump has the meaning of triumphing over all others in card games, etc. In the case of Donald Trump—he is triumphing over all who are in opposition to his promises in making America great again.

Throughout the Old Testament men and women were named for what they would do in life. It should also be remembered names of people God used were connected with the work they would be doing for Him.

In some cases, God even changed their names at the needed times of their use (*Abram to Abraham, Sarai to Sarah, Jacob to Israel, Saul to the name of Paul, etc.*).

This will be further considered by God's use of Donald Trump through these writings.

Disagreement with Predestination

One of the top ministers in the early years of the Worldwide Church of God took exception to the teaching of predestination when considering those who would have been known by name long before their birth. His argument was: "If this were true then God would be responsible for acts of adultery to give life to these people."

However, when studying the Old Testament, the Scriptures make known God did not hold His chosen people, Israel, or its leaders responsible in the same way as it came to be in the New Testament whose ancestors had violated God's laws of fornication or adultery (*cf. Matthew 19:3-8*). Though God did not agree with what they did, He tolerated it during that time, but not in the New Testament with God's true chosen people (*Matthew 5:17-48; Isaiah 42:21*).

Consider King David: He knew he had been known by God before he was born (*Psalms 139:13-16*) – yet he was born illegitimate – the son of a handmaid (*Psalms 51:5; Psalm 86:16; 69:7-8*). Therefore, he was looked down upon by his brothers who had the same father and lawful wife (*I Samuel 16:1-13*).

Cyrus King of Persia (Iran), Known by God Before Birth

King Cyrus came on the world's scene at the exact time he was prophesied to be born to fulfill a Divine Mission. God had made it known 150 years (*Companion Bible has it 137 years; Experimental Commentary has it 147 years*) before his birth that Cyrus was to make possible the rebuilding of Jerusalem and the Temple of God. He was not a godly man, but was used by God during his life time.

There was fierce opposition against the Temple being rebuilt from the Arab nations, Tribes of Ishmael and Esau, as made known in the Book of Ezra. Nevertheless, God in heaven saw to it that it was completed and the wall around Jerusalem repaired by Nehemiah. When God decrees something will be done, it will be regardless of the opposition from all peoples and nations.

God's Use of King Cyrus of Persia

God through His Prophet Isaiah made known His purpose for raising up Cyrus. It should be realized God did not directly speak to Cyrus. In actual fact, it was only after he had conquered Babylon, and having made the proclamation for the Temple in Jerusalem to be built, that he learned what he had done had been foretold in prophecy.

Companion Bible, Isaiah 44:29, Cyrus, even saying-and saying: i.e. JHVH, the Speaker from *v.24*, and in the preceding clause. It does not mean that Cyrus spoke of rebuilding Jerusalem (for he did not), but it records what JHVH would say of Cyrus, and what He would say also to Jerusalem. Nehemiah must have obtained a copy of Isaiah [from Daniel] on his visit to Jerusalem, or he could not have instructed Cyrus.



Jerusalem. Named before the Temple, because the city and its walls were first built, before the Temple foundations were laid."

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Judah Returning from Captivity at End of 70 Years

The prophecies of the LORD God are always fulfilled at their appointed times. With His raising up King Cyrus the stage begins to be set for the return of the needed Jews to begin the rebuilding of Jerusalem and its Temple even though it would be problematic.

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Isaiah 44:24-28

vs.24-25 Thus says the LORD, your Redeemer, and He who formed you from the womb: “I am the LORD, who makes all things . . . who frustrates the signs of the babblers, and drives diviners mad; who turns wise men backward, and makes their knowledge foolishness.

v.26 “Who confirms the word of His servant, and performs the counsel of His messengers: who says to Jerusalem, ‘you shall be inhabited,’ to the cities of Judah, ‘you shall be built.’ And I will raise up her waste places.

v. 28 “Who says of Cyrus, he is My shepherd and he shall perform all My pleasure, saying to Jerusalem, you shall be built.” And to the Temple, your foundation shall be laid.”

King Cyrus Predestined to be Born to Fulfill God’s Purpose

Cyrus was known by God and even called by name 150 years before he was born. Note the Scriptures regarding God’s use of King Cyrus through the writings of His prophet Isaiah:

Isaiah 45:1-7

v.1 “Thus says the LORD to His anointed, to Cyrus, whose right hand I have held (*Soncino*

Commentary, denoting support to perform a Divinemission)—to subdue nations before him and loose the armor of kings, to OPEN before him the double doors, so that the gates will NOT be shut:”

The LORD prepared the way for Cyrus to conquer the impregnable Babylonian Empire by enabling him to dry up the river bed to make possible the armies of Cyrus to enter Babylon during the nighttime—during a time of revelry celebrating a great pagan festival on the night of its capture.



v.2 “I will go before you and make the crooked places straight, I will break in pieces the gates of bronze and cut the bars of iron.”

The gates were left open to the outside by which the armies entered without a problem (*Soncino Commentary: Herodtus, 100 brass gates*). That very night Belshazzar, the king was killed (***Daniel 5:1-31***).

Clarke Commentary, volume 4, page 177,

“. . . And the gates of the palace were opened imprudently by the king’s orders, to inquire what was the cause of the tumult without; when the two parties of [both Generals] Gobrias and Gadatas rushed in, got possession of the palace and slew the king . . . the gates of brass . . . the wall of Babylon had brazen gates. Herodtus, I, 179, more particularly: “In the wall of all round there are a hundred gates, all of brass . . . The gates likewise in the city, opening to the river from the several streets, were

of brass . . .”

End of Quotes

The Divine Mission of Cyrus

Scripture makes known God enabled Cyrus to conquer the Babylonian Empire, and his Medo Persian Empire to rule

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the world for a very special purpose. This would enable him to be in the position of fulfilling his mission of setting the Jews free from their captivity of 70 years to Babylon, and the re-building of the walls of Jerusalem and its Temple.

Isaiah 45:3-7

vs.3-4 “ . . . That you may know that I, the LORD, who call you BY YOUR NAME, am the God of Israel. For Jacob’s My servant’s sake, and Israel My elect, I have even called you, though you have NOT known Me.

vs.5-6 “I am the LORD, and there is no other; there is no God (ELOHIM) besides Me. I will gird you, though you have NOT known Me. That they may know from the rising of the sun to its setting that there is NONE besides Me, I am the LORD, and there is NO other.

v.7 “I form the light and create darkness, I make peace and create calamity; I, the LORD, do all these things.”

The Building of the New Temple in Jerusalem

Considering the present circumstances most believe it would be impossible to build the new Temple. Not only would there be fierce opposition from the Arabs but also from the nations belonging to the U.N. However, God has decreed it will be built to fulfill end-time prophecies. And when the time comes to fit within God’s perfect Time Table it will begin to be built.

This will take place much sooner than many might think—believed to be the year 2019-2020! As it required God’s intervention for the rebuilding of the Temple in Ezra’s time so will God also

intervene to make the building of the third Temple. Jesus Christ used King Cyrus and his Medo-Persian Empire to bring about the rebuilding of the second temple. He will also use President Trump to support the building of the third Temple.

And to accomplish this arduous task, there will also be the need for a strong leadership in Jerusalem.

Undoubtedly, President Trump will intervene as needed just as it was necessary for Darius the Mede to intervene at a critical time to continue the construction of the rebuilding of Jerusalem and the Temple during that time (**Ezra 4:1-5; 6:1-13**).

Supporting the Building of the New Temple

It would appear this is yet another major reason why God saw to it that Donald Trump was chosen by Him to become the new president of America to preside over the super-nation of this world to provide support for the building of it at this time. He has a somewhat cordial relationship with President Putin in Russia who very possibly will join him to provide support for the building of it as the following news articles makes makes known.



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BIN EXCLUSIVE: Sanhedrin Asks Putin and Trump to Build Third Temple in Jerusalem

By Adam Eliyahu Berkowitz November 10, 2016 , 11:30 am

“Thus saith Hashem to His anointed, to Cyrus, whose right hand I have holden, to subdue nations before him, and to loose the loins of kings; to open the doors before him, and that the gates may not be shut.” [Isaiah 45:1](#) (The Israel Bible™)

The Sanhedrin has requested that president-elect Donald Trump and Russian President Vladimir Putin work together to help rebuild the Temple. (Breaking Israel News)

The [Nascent Sanhedrin](#) is calling on Russian President [Vladimir Putin](#) and US president-elect [Donald Trump](#) to join forces and fulfill their Biblically-mandated roles by rebuilding the Jewish Temple in Jerusalem.

Rabbi [Hillel Weiss](#), spokesman for the Sanhedrin, contacted *Breaking Israel News* to announce that the election of Trump, who has promised to recognize Jerusalem as the capital of Israel, coupled with Putin’s expressed desire for the Temple to be rebuilt, prompted the Jewish court to send a letter offering the two the opportunity to act as modern-day [Cyrus figures](#): non-Jewish kings who recognize the importance of Israel and the Temple.

Cyrus the Great, King of Persia in the sixth century BCE, announced in the first year of his reign that he was prompted by God to make a decree that the Temple in Jerusalem should be rebuilt.

Thus saith [Koresh](#) king of *Paras*: All the kingdoms of the earth hath *Hashem*, the God of heaven, given me; and He hath charged me to build Him a house in [Yerushalayim](#), which is in Yehuda. [Ezra 1:2](#)

Cyrus sent the Jews under his rule back to Israel with a considerable sum of money with which to rebuild the Temple. The Sanhedrin plans to call on the two world leaders to take up this ancient Biblical decree and support the Jewish people in their holy mission.

Rabbi Weiss explained that the US elections have made the eternal Jewish dream a very real possibility.

“We are poised to rebuild the Temple. The political conditions today, in which the two most important national leaders in the world support the Jewish right to Jerusalem as their spiritual inheritance, is historically unprecedented,” Rabbi Weiss told *Breaking Israel News*. My Emphasis

The Sanhedrin’s letter notes that Trump’s upset victory was due to his support of Jerusalem, and reminds Trump of his [campaign promise](#) to move the US embassy from Tel Aviv to Jerusalem, effectively recognizing the city as the capital of Israel. The Jerusalem Embassy Act, passed in Congress in 1995, initiated the moving of the embassy, but has been vetoed since [by] every American president since. The Sanhedrin calls on Trump to withhold the veto after he takes office.

The Sanhedrin also recalled Putin's connection to the Temple in its letter. During his third official trip to Jerusalem in 2012, Putin paid a late-night visit to the Kotel (Western Wall). When he arrived at the holy site, the Russian leader stood in silence for several minutes, offering up a personal prayer, after which he read Psalms from a Russian-Hebrew prayer book.

An Israeli bystander called out in Russian, "Welcome, President Putin." Putin approached the man, who explained the importance of the Temple Mount and the Jewish Temple. [Chadrei Charedim](#), an Orthodox Hebrew news site, reported that Putin responded, "That's exactly the reason I came here – to pray for the Temple to be built again."

Putin at the Western Wall

After this remarkable exchange, the Sanhedrin sent a letter to Putin calling on him to fulfill his prayer. At the time, President Putin did not respond to the Sanhedrin's request, but now that the incoming US president is a potential ally in the project, the Sanhedrin believes it is time for Putin to take an active role in rebuilding the Temple."

End of Quotes



An Obvious Parallel

Considering the prophesied Temple to yet be built, one should see the obvious parallels of the re-building of the second Temple, to just a very short time ahead when it will be built.

Past news articles from Jerusalem have made known all of the materials have been prepared for a long time (*similar to King David who had prepared all of the materials for the building of Solomon's Temple ahead of time, I Chronicles 22:1-5*). Very probably it will not take over four to five years for the Jews to complete it.

The Man of Sin

After having completed the building of the Temple will then make possible for the fulfillment of the prophecy for the Man of Sin, the False Prophet, to sit in the Most Holy Place in the Temple of God proclaiming himself as God (**II Thessalonians 2:4**)!

Other very important major prophetic events will take place leading up to this time and afterwards. Writing about them is planned for the next publication of this magazine. *To be continued in the next publication of this magazine.*



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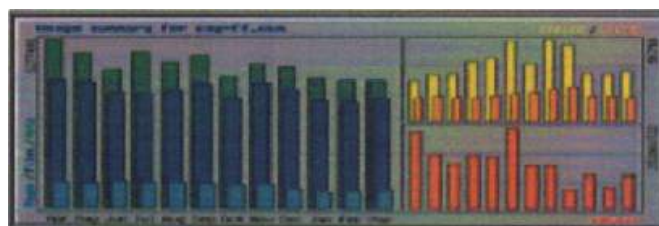
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