

A WARNING TO PASTORS AND THEIR FLOCK TO PREPARE

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PREFACE

The following letter is addressed to my church pastors, but is meant to be an open letter to all pastors and Christians, and of course those who do not know the Lord Jesus as their Saviour. To all reading this, much of what is revealed, may not apply to you personally or your church. However, I ask all to keep an open mind, as none of us has all the answers or know of fresh revelation being revealed to the Church. This article will be posted on my website: www.endofbegining.com .

I am writing this as an encapsulation of my work, over the past four years, to be obedient in the Lord's calling, to warn this nation of coming perils. I began by writing a book, I believe was Holy Spirit inspired, titled: "America: A Captured Nation; The Fall of U.S. and the Failure of its Churches" A free Ebook copy can be requested at the end of the website by emailing the listed email address.

The primary intent of the book was to get readers to except just one of the truths revealed. The truth that the JFK assassination was not by alone shooter; that 9/11 was not just an Arab terrorist plot; the downfall of America was planned and carried-out for many decades, all the way back to Woodrow Wilson and before. Once a person's blindness to truth is overcome, then the real truth can be seen that everything most people believe about America is a lie. One piece of evidence is revealed by a quote of former CIA director William Casey who said: "When everything Americans believe is false, our misinformation campaign will be complete."

Dear Pastor Paul and Pastor Joe:

Pastor Paul, first I wish to apologize about my comment after church Sunday when I said that was your best sermon yet. Later it came to mind that I may have offended you. ALL your and Pastor Joe's sermons are good. I just thought the sermon Sunday, really blessed me. That said, I wanted to write you both this heart felt letter relating what the Lord has been revealing to me for the past four years, since calling me to be a watchman.

That Sunday morning before church, I was awoken at 6 am in what I can only explain as a state of panic. Having never had this experience, my only thought was to start praying and rebuking any demonic oppression. Going outside, I began walking around the exercise track at my park. I walked for over two hours praying in both normal and in my spirit tongue. Only one other time have I had a similar experience, when about a month ago I awoke, finding myself saying in the name of Jesus, rebuking in what I knew was a demonic attack.

Pastor Joe, the Wednesday night service before this past Sunday, I had talked to you about the increasing attacks on my mind. You prayed for me, rebuking these attacks. Yet, this past Sunday morning attack was different, but I understand it is the enemy. My only thought was I must really be "getting the adversary mad", and I think that is a good thing, yet disturbing! As I prayed, the panic attack went away, and then the Lord starting really talking to me. {Maybe that was why the adversary has been trying to "unhinge me"! so I could not hear from the Lord and Holy Spirit.}

I will use a personal experience as evidence, that all true lovers and followers of Christ, are under a great demonic spiritual assault. Yesterday, I had lunch with one of my sisters. She is one of the few in my family who is a true Christian and understands the truth of the times we are living. I related to her about my spiritual attacks. She pulled out her phone, showing a text message from one of the pastors at her church where she plays the piano. The message from this pastor, related how he and others were under the worse spiritual attack of their lives. They are Baptists, so they do not believe or acknowledge the "Gifts of the Holy Spirit" or their importance in the present day. Yet, they recognize that we fight against principalities and evil in high places.

As the Holy Spirit often does, as I am was outside that Sunday morning walking, He “Down loaded” words to me which I usually immediately write down. That morning, as I needed to get ready for church, I planned to write down all the words I had received upon returning home. However, most of it faded from my really short memory span, but believing it was no coincidence for the memory loss. Instead I was led to express what is on my heart. Yet, I did remember the question I kept asking the Lord, “Why are people’s hearts so hardened and spiritual eyes so blind to see, much less accept any truth revealed to them”? I know normalcy bias and cognitive dissonance is a common human trait. However, what I am observing today, is different.

The Lord is always faithful to lead me to the answers I seek or to confirm my thoughts. I remembered a video I recently watched where Steve Quayle was interviewed. As I have followed Quayle for at least 5+ years, it struck me how upset he was, and expressing such frustration, talking about the scoffers, ridicule, unrelenting attacks he has received over his 40 years of warning America about what is soon to overpower this nation and world. [Note: Quayle was not a believer, but a “hell raiser”, his own words, until Jesus in person, appeared to him, knocking him on his face by his presence. Then the Lord told Quayle he was now going to work for Him to warn America. I recommend reading his personal testimony sometime.]

However, Quayle is only one of many others called to be watchmen. Over the last few weeks, I have listened to many of them express the same frustrations at trying to wake Americans from their catatonic delusional reality of the times we live. Mike Adams of Natural News, Doug Hagmann of Hagmann Reports, Dave Hodges of The Common Sense Show, Celeste Solum, fellow friend and watchman [www.tonylamb.org] and many more, all have been more urgently, as never before, trying to shake people awake. All these listed people have been under terrible spiritual attacks, literally having their lives turned upside down, been threatened with death, sued, slandered, and defamed, all for being obedient to the Lord’s calling to them.

I recently listened to Quayle on the Hagmann Report, where both Doug Hagmann and Quayle voiced the belief that they do not believe

they and many others, will be able to continue their warnings. More and more information is being censored that does not conform to government propaganda or political correctness. As Scripture says, the time cometh when no man will be able to work (legally spread the Gospel). Even the Bible will be soon banned, censored, and laws passed to make it against the law to own or speak from its writings, as hate speech.

I apologize for seeming to be rambling, but there is a “method to my madness”, so hopefully I can connect all the dots here soon. Now back to the question I keep asking God about the inability to reach people. As always, I search Scripture and kept recalling the verse that says, “Because they refuse to hear or except the truth, preferring to live in unrighteousness [anything not in God’s will]. Then I remember the verse, “I [God] will send them a strong delusion so that they will believe the lies.” Other verses warned a time would come when men will not stand for sound doctrine, but they will follow a perverted gospel, following their own desires, seeking what seems right in their own eyes.”

Perhaps I thought, this was part of the answer. Then last night, I listened to Pastor JD Farag of Calvary Chapel Koneohe, in Hawaii. Farag has for 12+ years, on Sunday, always follows his normal sermon with a prophecy update. What peaked my interest was that he started out reading quotes from a Russian ex-KGB agent who defected to the U.S. The agent was giving a warning to America how the Communists had a decades old plan to take down America. Well that was not knew to me, but then it was quoted, as the man said, “Eighty-five percent of espionage is psychological warfare to change perception of reality of every American. He continued to say once this process is complete, that despite all the evidence presented- **“it is almost impossible to change these brainwashed minds.”**

No wonder, as part of the Communist Manifesto, is to gain control of a nation’s school children as has happened in the U.S. The Lord thus answered my question with the mentioned Bible verses and the comment from Pastor Farag as to why the average American has such a closed mindset. It is both spiritual and pathologically. Now another piece of the puzzle has been put into place.

[Note: the link to Farag's (must see) video concerning this KGB agent and just stated quote, as well as an important and urgent End Time commentary from the pastor.] Can be seen at:

www.harbingersdaily.com/jd-farag-bible-prophecy-update-june-14

Having established the average person's mindset, I would like to discuss some of the serious ramifications. Using my self as an example, I called my half brother in North Carolina a few days ago. I have not seen him in 30+ years, but we do on occasion talk on the phone. He and I both attended parochial school so he has had enough religious training to know who God and Jesus are. Talking to him, bringing up the subject of End Times, he did not believe it. He proposes to be a Christian, but does not attend church. In our conversation, he quoted biblical verses, mostly those old, worn-out, frequently used cliches. Obviously he probably has not cracked open a Bible in years. Yet he believes he knows all the truth of Scripture and is in good standing with God, which I find a typical mindset from almost everyone I speak with- even pastors.

However, it did not take me long to realize witnessing to him was a futile effort. Yet, his attitude is little different from almost every one I try to converse intelligently about the current events, the Bible, and Jesus. In fact, most of the pastors I have met with to give warning of coming judgment, have considered me at best humorous, as I have no theological education. Personally I considered that point a blessing, as my mind has not been polluted with the current liberal theology taught in many seminaries.. Yet, why should I expect any different a response, since I have found none except your church that teaches prophecy. Most churches seem to have discarded the 25% + part of the Bible that is prophecy.

The point I am trying to make, is that the average person, including most Christians, are clueless to the "Signs of the Times", having minds hardened against any facts or truth. As I was told by one pastor, I was listening to demons. A now dear brother in Christ, who is a watchman named Tony Lamb, has written a book, as instructed by the Lord, about the visions and dreams of warning given to him [the copy I gave you], and uses his own meager money to mail the book and a CD of his

testimony to thousands of pastors across the nation, with almost no response. Yet, one of the two who have responded, told him also that he was listening to demons. As I told Tony, we are in good company since the Pharisees accused Jesus of being from his father the Devil!

As one last personal example of the closed mindset, two days ago while at my regular doctor's appointment, the conversation turned to vaccines. He knows I will not take anymore vaccines since he gave me a flu shot five years ago during my first appointment. I still got the flu, but the important point was that I have never been so sick in my life, literally taking a month to recover. I related to him, concerning the new covid vaccine they are developing, that my research revealed some big concerns. I asked if he would like me to send my research. Push come to shove, my doctor ended the conversation by expressing the typical closed mindset of the average individual, as already discussed. He told me, "I do not care how many research papers or medical journals quotes you send, I will never change my mind that vaccines have saved the world from all diseases and all are perfectly safe. From a spiritual sense, I discerned he was bowing down to his god of medicine!

[Note: In a following lists of videos to watch, notice the website titled, "To Vax or Not to Vax" with important information on the coming Covid vaccine. Also read the accompanying video article by Natural News titled, "London scientists genetically, alter human embryos with disastrous results." Also read the posted video by Dr. Andrew Kaufmann as it relates to another threat from this new vaccine that is being developed against covid.]

In closing this discussion on the inability to reach people with the true gospel and a plethora of threats, it has become depressing to me and many others. I have people say you can not save the world, so just give up and quite trying. Frankly I would be happy to save just a few lost souls. Then I think of the prophet Jeremiah who wanted to stop warning Israel, but related he could not, as it was a like a burning fire in his chest, trying to get out. [Well, it is that way with me!] As I do not have the resources or expertise to build a flashy website and create spectacular videos, I am resigned to making comments on others websites. As I sit having a "pity party", I hear of those like Quayle who DO HAVE the resources, but lament the inability to reach and open more minds.

Instead, I use others postings to comment against what I feel the Holy Spirit tells me. From the largest to the smallest church and their pastors, I am not afraid to tell them when I believe the Lord reveals they are wrong. I don't use a made-up internet name when I post, but use my real name. I am not afraid to speak the truth if I know it is according to scripture. Case in point: I was listening to a very well known evangelical pastor with a huge ministry and do learn a few things from him, however when I feel they are leading people astray, I speak out. I have learned over the years attending both mega- large- and small churches, many have serious faults. Yet, as in the past I stood by and said nothing, now the Lord will not let me sit and say nothing when that burning fire comes into my chest, telling me they are teaching a false doctrine, I have to speak-out.

Following is a typical comment I post dozens of times a month. My posts do not concern the 95% of truth, but the 5% that is false and leading many to destruction. I tend to tell it straight as to what is on my mind. The following post is in response to this mega pastor who caught my attention because he refuses to tell people the truth about the End Times and prepare his flock for what is coming. (I believe he is fully aware of the truth, but skirts around the truth as not to offend any of his thousands of followers. Following is my response to the pastor's sermon titled, "Has the Church Surrendered?"

"Yes, the American churches for the most part have surrendered to political correctness and compromised the true Gospel to conform to the developing political correctness and developing Anti-Christ system. For this reason, the U.S. will fall in one hour in judgment because this nation has been given more light of the Word and truth. Yet, the nation has been allowed to turn from a Christian, to a corrupted secular nation. There will be no reprieve, this nation's fate is already determined. The final goal of the globalist, Luciferian/Illuminati, Free Masons, Muslim Brotherhood, the U.N., and many communists front groups, are about to complete their decades old plan to bring the nation down.

To the Christians of America, who truly know their God and Saviour, I warn to get prepared, as we are already in "The Time of Sorrows" and about to enter the Tribulations of Revelation. To those sitting on their

hands waiting to be raptured, be warned that you will probably be here to experience part of the Time of Sorrows. If the Rapture was to happen now, most lukewarm Christians will be like the five virgins in the parable who had no oil and not ready, only to be left behind. To the many pastors NOT teaching prophecy, sermonizing to those seeking soothing words for their itching ears, and promoting a false prosperity gospel, their lost souls are on your heads! Believe no man's word, but take it to the Word, praying for Holy Spirit discernment. Any man teaching that one can take the Mark of the Beast because God knows their true heart, is a wolf in sheep's clothing. If any pastor tells you to take the coming vaccine, run from that church.

Most Christians do not even know their pastor may be one of the thousands of clergymen who have joined the government's Clergy Response Team, agreeing to follow orders under martial law or civil unrest. They will tell you it is biblical to obey authority, like telling you to turn in your guns or take the vaccine. America, wake up! Most of you have no realization of what is coming upon you by our corrupted, compromised, and treasonous government leadership and the New World Order laws and many treasonous former presidents have signed. There will be no where to hide, but under the wings of the Almighty. Read Psalm 91 to see the promises given to those that are truly born again and love Jesus more than life, in complete, childlike faith and trust, never willing to deny his name. Scripture warns of a Great Falling Away from the true Gospel in these end times. Do not make the mistake of failing to seek God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength. Again, I warn to trust NO MAN'S WORD, BUT ONLY THE WORD OF GOD (JESUS), and that means even your pastor, deacons, elders, priests, biblical scholars, or the Pope's word, **unless it strictly follows the Scriptures.**"

As another example, I will relate a posted comment considering another false prophet that has been appearing on many websites, talk shows, and Christian TV. Watching an interview titled, "Current Events, Prophecies, 11:11, and More with Mark Taylor or Cycles of Faith with Dr Paul R. Oebel" [Note: I rarely mention the name of someone when I am led to respond about their apostasy. However, this show was so

egregious, that the fire in my chest, I previously spoke of, was ignited to respond directly, using his name.] My response was:

“I stopped listening to this false prophet months ago. I only watched this video because I wanted to see how Taylor explained the number 11:11 that was mentioned. I found myself dumbfounded by the mountain of false prophecy and untruthful claptrap. This is the worse disinformation campaign I have seen so far. I do not know where to begin. So, I will stick to the most egregious falsehoods. First, in the attack on “Gloom and Doom” preachers teaching prophecy as irresponsible for inciting fear. My response is the lack of fear of God in the land that is the real problem, not prophecy teaching.

#2. Taylor is no different than the army of wolves in sheep's clothing with their “feel good”, prosperity, seeker friendly, and everything will come up smelling like roses messages. They promote that “God is Love” and only wants to bless you and fulfill all your heart’s desires. Yet, they fail to tell you God also demands justice, often by judgment.

#3. The contention that the Gloom and Doom pastors are preaching prophecy to spread fear, is just the opposite. [Talk about when good will be called evil, and evil good, which is now manifesting.] The truth is that few pastors in America even teach any prophecy, even though it is 25% + of the Bible. I had a Lutheran pastor tell me he did not teach prophecy or about sin, repentance, and judgment because no one wanted to hear it! This statement only confirms my warning that our problem is to many seeker friendly pulpits spewing only a happy message to sooth the itching ears of their congregation. They fear man more than God. These are the same churches that hide behind their 501c 3 tax exemption as an excuse to not talk about the many egregious political corruptions.

#4. The most egregious damnable lie spewed forth was that America is going to recover into a golden age of prosperity under Trump. The president will arrest all the bad “Deep State” criminals and traders, restore order, and make everything right. If Taylor read and studied prophecy, he would understand that America is NOT coming back. Just the opposite, as this nation is and will be brought down. Because this nation has refused to humble itself, seek God’s face, repent of our

numerous individual and collective national sins, and turn from abandonment of its only true Source of all our many blessings, it will fall. This country is even now under judgment. Our people have refused to call unto our Lord in our time of trouble, but rather have bowed down to a man they idolize, idols of political leaders and parties, and the idols of secular institutions of Mammon, like our Banking System, Wall Street, corporations, etc. to save us. Yet, few are willing to turn to God in humility and repentance.

#5. This nation has rejected sound biblical doctrine to follow after the Anti-Christ lying spirits leading them to destruction. Refusing to hear and accept the truth, most Americans have chosen to follow what seems right in their own eyes. Yet, Scripture has warned of this very time where He (God) would send a strong delusion so that they will seek and follow the lying tongues. Wake up America! This "Time of Sorrows" is only going to get increasingly worse. Jesus, in the Book of Revelation, warned his church to return to their first love. Your only hope, peace, protector, and salvation from the coming war, famine, and pestilences, is under the wings and shadow of the Almighty. Read and hold fast, in faith and trust in Psalm 91 and cling to all its promises given to those who love the Father and Son Jesus."

I received replies admonishing me for talking against God's anointed prophet. My response to all these comments, is always the same. I do not concern or talk against true prophets, but I do have a problem with those not anointed, except in their own eyes. In the past I have sat listening to false teachings, but said nothing. The Lord, since calling me to be a watchman, has told me to no longer sit back and not speak-out, as I would rather be scorned by men, than disciplined by Jesus and fail him.

Following is one response I sent to a lady that made one of the typical comments I receive, admonishing me:

"Catherine: Thank you for your well thought-out response. I guess I was not clear in the point I was trying to reveal. My concern is that many attending these mega churches, are there for the wrong reason. If not

for the charismatic personality of these pastors, they would not be in the church to begin with. To many, it becomes a form of idol worship of a man, not Jesus. Decades ago while working a few months in Orlando, Fla., I attended Benny Hinn's church, but soon I realized his services were more based on theatrics than on biblical substance. I could relate many other similar churches, with the same "cult-like" mentality, leading many into perdition. What I was attempting to do was caution against the threat of many attending these churches, having a false conversion of the true Gospel message. As the Apostle Paul warned, calling it a repentance based not on a godly grief, but a false worldly grief unto repentance or acceptance of Jesus. The Lord has shown me that we are not to believe any man's word without taking it to God's Word in prayer. Many mega churches, including a couple I attended, have ended badly, not always because of mostly sound doctrine and teachings, but that the message was wrongly perceived, false interpretation, or was misused. God will not be mocked, and any church based on a personality attraction alone, not on Jesus, will not stand!

Scripture warns God first sends judgment to his church, exposing its sins, before moving to expose the sins of the nation and its leaders. God is even now beginning to shake everything that can be shaken. My concern is that when the Lord exposes a false belief system and the sins of a nation's leaders and institutions are exposed, then those not truly born again, but living with a shallow belief system, will lose hope and turn away into apostasy from what little faith they have. Often it is not the truth being taught, but the failure to teach all the hard truth or full counsel of the Gospel, even the truth that offends. The threat posed by any large personality led church, is that the message of the hard truths of the Gospel, will not be preached for the fear of offending anyone who are there seeking soothing words for their itching ears. If honest with ourselves, it would have to be admitted that the American Religious system is based on a business model. To maintain growing attendance, ever increasing tithing and building fund revenue, and payroll, there is a forced holding back of important truths. In my research and writing of a book of warning to America, most of the hard truth about this nation is withheld or hidden from us. No differently, our churches have a strong motivation not to speak the full truth, like teaching prophecy, which can be seen as preaching "Gloom and Doom". As most of prophecy teaches

about the dire consequences of turning away from God and his commandments, there will be blow-back on that teacher speaking truth. The prophets of old are a prime example of what happens to those warning of the truth about sin and not being obedient to God's commandments. They were scorned, run out of town, stoned, threatened, and many killed. In our current times, they would be criticized, attacked, and slandered for spreading negativity and fear.

To summarize, my concern is that most Christians, much less unbelievers, prefer to live in a delusional world reality, where nary a negative word reaches their ears. They refuse to see the calamities and threats already at the door, swiftly overtaking this nation. As evidence is the very recent mega church pastor who told his congregation that Trump (implying not God), would save America. Para-phrasing Steve Quayle, most Americans are looking for a secular and political solution to all our problems, but there is no solution for a spiritual problem. My heart was broken during the call for a National Day of Prayer, as I saw no call for the nation to humble itself in national repentance, seek God, and call upon him, not Trump, congress, or anyone else to save us from the Covid virus. God will not answer the prayers of the unrighteous, but instead will allow more pain to besiege this nation until it looks to Him alone for help. Like Nineveh, when warned by Jonah of coming judgment, they listened and were brought to their knees in sack cloth and ashes, from the king to the lowest man and woman. Oh America, where are the courageous men of old who were not afraid to offend, but to expose the sin and unrepentant hearts! Catherine I truly hope your heart will be opened to this reply. God Bless"

P.S. The lady did respond, saying, "yes you are right. So many have to have a leader because they fail in searching Christ on a daily basis.....She continued on in a lengthy response, mostly talking about the importance fact that few mega churches are totally submitted to what the Holy Spirit wants.to many are self promoters.....What I saw was a very dedicated Christian who has most of the truth, but like us all, will never know everything about the wisdom and majesty of God this side of heaven. As scripture warns, we must all be diligent to not be deceived by self-anointed prophets and teachers. Jesus clearly warned

many would come, speaking in his name, but even if they perform great signs, healing, casting out demons, He said: "I did not know them!" On the day of judgment, they will be cast into outer darkness to dwell with their true father, Satan.

I believe there is no man able to express better the times we live, than the late Pastor David Wilkerson. In a sermon he gave over nine plus years ago, he warned of the state of many of the end time churches titled: "Last Days Deception". Para-phasing, Wilkerson was especially concerned that many churches would be transformed into a perverted Gospel by men appearing as an "Angel of Light". The emphasis would be on their own opinions where they would glory in wealth, contemporary wisdom, and competing to have the fastest growing church and most comforting message. They will brag of book and CD sales, how many nations their TV ministry reaches, and relishing the recognition. These fast growing churches will use a growth formula, even attending seminars to learn the latest techniques.

Wilkerson quoted the Apostle Paul's writing, warning of a new gospel, preaching a different Jesus and a message of **perverted accommodation**. Paul further warned that the conversion message would be transformed to bring one to the foot of the cross, but would not take one beyond the cross to death, burial, and resurrection in Christ. Wilkerson warned God demands one go through the cross, dying to self, giving the Lord his all, including body, heart, soul, and mind. The carnal man, in his mind, intellectually seeks all the benefits of the cross, but not the demanded sacrifice of self.

There are three ways the perversion of accommodation infiltrates the churches, Wilkerson related. First, through the love of pleasure. Seeker friendly churches, so in vogue now, even if unintentional, makes sin acceptable, like porn, to watch TV that denigrates Jesus, glorifies premarital sex, homosexual lifestyles, and many more examples of unrighteous living, political correctness, allowing Christians to become accomplices to corruption throughout our society by indifference and apathy. Secondly, accommodation to lack of self-denial. Thirdly, allowing offense of the cross where to publicly mention Jesus is offensive. It has become even illegal in many countries, to spread the gospel that says,

“Jesus is the only name on earth or under heaven where a man might be saved.” It is now considered hate speech in some European nations with threatened fines and even jail sentences.

A good summary of what was just discussed, Wilkerson related to story of a man he spoke with who attended a mega church. The man loved the church because he was never afraid he or any friends and family he invited to attend, would ever be offended by any of the sermons. That says it all why the modern churches have mostly been infiltrated by an “Angel of Light”, the Anti-Christ, teaching a different Jesus Christ and gospel. Those attending these churches, have preferred to accept accommodation rather than see or hear truth. A carnal man not reborn again in mind, spirit, and soul, are no different than Pontius Pilate, who asked Jesus, “what is truth?” Yet, the greatest embodiment of all truth was standing before him, but he did not have the eyes to see or ears to hear! Let each of us pray, that when confronted with truth, we will not fail to see it or worse, ignore it.

Now, would be a good time to warn of what is about to come on this nation. To those pastors teaching “God will never judge America or that America will recover to come great again, don’t believe it. As our nation was given the greatest blessings of any nation in history, so shall this nation’s judgment be a double portion. As a nation sat on a hill, a shining light unto the world, America you have turned your back on your only true Source of blessings and protection. Your enemies are even now sharpening their swords and planning the dividing of your land. In the following video by Dave Hodges, is detailed just a portion of what this nation is going to experience. Get ready and be prepared for a time unlike any in our history. For those lucky enough to survive death, the Lord himself will be your only salvation and hope. The evil that has been arrayed against this nation is much worse than most can imagine. Yet, fear not, if you truly know that you have accepted the true Jesus, He is watching over you. As many may not live to see the Rapture or will miss the Rapture, Jesus is the only answer if one is truly born again and washed in the cleansing blood of the Lamb.

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American Empire. **[This is a must read article.]**

Referencing:

www.whatchristianswanttoknow.com/whats-the-difference-between-godly-and-worldly-sorrow Before summarizing what is about to face the nation, I wanted to emphasize how to truly know your saved. This morning I read an article that I found very informative and helps further explain the dilemma this nation now faces with blinded spiritual eyes. In a letter to the church at Corinth, the Apostle Paul told them that they “felt a godly grief, so that you suffered no loss through us” (2 Cor. 7:9b), so did he mean repentance? Godly grief produces a repentance that leads to salvation without regret, whereas worldly grief produces death”. Paul saw what a earnestness this godly grief has produced in them (2Cor. 7:9a). A true repentance, led by the Holy Spirit, is the only way to true salvation. A worldly grief leads to damnation. [Note: this false repentance is more evidence against “Once saved, Always Saved”, since many who follow this doctrine were never truly saved.] Let me use an example that OSAS is a dangerous doctrine.

Before I decided to discuss the OSAS doctrine, I prayed about it, knowing it would offend many who hold so tightly to this belief. However, the Lord made the decision for me with an occurrence I will discuss. My intent, since the Lord called me to be a watchman and to warn this nation, has been to reveal what I am shown by the Holy Spirit, no matter the offensiveness it causes.

I believe it was no coincidence, that this morning (Sat., June 20), I had an experience that solidified by rejection of OSAS. Over the last few weeks, I have been really attempting to determine how to respond to what I call a “Cult of OSAS believers fanaticism” now prevailing online. A godly young man whose religious commentary is followed by many, was expecting, to receive the normal negative comments, that all YouTubers expect, but not the storm of a concerted, organized attack against him personally. Strangely, this young man actually believes in OSAS with a few requirements.

I personally have written an article on my beliefs about OSAS being a false doctrine. [The article is on my website: www.endofbegining.com under title, "Satan's Second Greatest Lie"] When ever I comment on a website about OSAS, it seems that the adherents to this doctrine just regurgitate a few worn-out Bible verses. Yet, when I try to go into a deeper details, by asking some hard questions, it ends with me being blocked. I never receive any answers to my questions. I just accept it as part of the current mindset to being not interested in any discussion that questions their belief system and cognitive dissonance. If push, comes to shove, I have had these people become unhinged, resorting to name calling.

The proceeding paragraph, is meant to sit up the following incident about this morning's occurrence. As I was getting a cup of coffee at my little small town convenience store, there was an elderly gentlemen with a walker, was sitting alone at a nearby talk. I told him good morning, intending to leave, but he started talking to me. I could tell he was lonely so I took his invitation, to sit and talk with him for awhile.

As the conversation started, it quickly went from weather and the corn crop, to him talking about going to church. I more intently listened because apparently he had no church he regularly attended. So, thinking I could invite him to my church, I soon thought better of that thought. The gentleman began telling me how he tried attending local churches, namely two or three. It was his excuse for not further attending any of these churches, that I must admit, had my jaw hanging open in disbelief. This man was named Guy and related that every church he tried to attend, all the old ladies (he called "harpies") could not keep their hands off of him. They would touch him and even "feel him up" while he sat in the pew. Now, having seen this man personally, I would find it hard for any woman, that was not blind and deaf, would voluntarily "feel him up"!

Enough said, now for the point I wish to make. As God can truly, at times in speaking to his children, use a sense of humor, I found this incident a humorous answer to my question prayer about including a discussion in this letter about OSAS. As I made a fast exit from the store, driving home, I was laughing to myself and pondering why I so often find people like this gentleman. I began to replay the scenario in my mind,

thinking Guy must have been raised in a religious family and somewhere in the past “accepted Jesus” and been water baptized.

I pondered further, thinking according to the OSAS crowd, Guy was saved, even though he was obviously not a real church goer or exhibiting any true Christian values, and certainly had not forsworn sins of the flesh and lust, at least in his thoughts! This leads to my often asked question, just what could one do to lose their salvation. According to the OSAS crowd, nothing. Then this leads me to ask, what if a believer in Christ, later denies Him? What if they took the Mark of the Beast? What if they blasphemed the Holy Ghost? What if, after accepting Christ as Lord and Saviour, they continued to live a life of sin, believing they never had to repent? As taught by one large OSAS online Pastor says, “The nano second you accept Christ, all your sins are forgiven past, present, and future, implying even if you have many unrepentant sins.”

Other questions I ask include, your belief says, “That one is saved by Faith Alone, and not by works”, but what about scripture that says, “Faith without works is a dead faith”? What about when it is written, you will know a true Christian by their works? How do you explain the parable of the Sowing of the Seeds, where it describes the seed that landed on swallow soil, received the word of Christ, but did not grow, falling-away into unbelief?

My bottom line question is always, “Then if you accept Jesus, acknowledging you’re a sinner in need of a Saviour, and are baptized, then believe, no matter what you do, your salvation is guaranteed, then why not live a carefree life, no worrying about sinning, not do any good works, attend church, witness to other lost souls, as you have a “Get Out of Jail Free Card”? My bottom line belief is that OSAS does nothing to build up the body of Christ, but gives free rein to live in the world, no different than an unbeliever. Of course the obvious answer is that many are never truly born again, baptized in water and in the Spirit, and completely surrendered their lives, body, soul, and spirit to Jesus.

My intent in all my writings and book have been to prepare this nation, mostly its Christians to the truth of what is coming. Also to warn of false doctrines, like the modern version OSAS now flooding the internet. Four years ago, I was led to place an advertisement in my local small town newspaper titled, “A Great Shaking is Coming to America”. It

was an invite for a few Christians with some insight of the times, to gather for prayer and discussion. I only had one response. This was a good indication that very few are awake.

As my primary purpose has been to warn America of impending calamities coming against our nation. Following are just a few days headlines of warnings:

www.thesun.com.uk China unleashes massive revenge over deaths after India vowed revenge over deaths of 20 soldiers as WWII fears grow.

www.stevequayle.com/index.php?s=33&d=2466 “Subject India vs China in the mountains escalating and may become the Flashpoint for World War 3.” Article related how India has brought all their front line defenses active and forward in the mountains and along the ring of crowns in the ocean around India all the way to China in the South China sea.This means India has prepared fully for a hot war with China. [Note: As Steve Quayle is often censored, if the above link does not work, just go to www.stevequayle.com and pull-up the “Q Alerts” on the top right-hand of his site, then access archives.]

www.alt-market.com Globalists Reveal That The Great Economic Reset is Coming in 2021. The pandemic is not going away anytime soon. Everyone should expect that state governments and the federal government will call for renewed lockdown and the U.S. economy ends.

www.cbs.com China races to contain a second wave of coronavirus cases in Beijing. Barricades are being erected to isolate neighborhoods. [Note: Many experts have been warning for weeks of a second coming wave of virus to hit the U.S.]

www.thecommonsenseshow.com/agenda-21-conspiracy-economics/prophetic-dreams-and-matching-eyewitness-accounts-foretell-imminent-chinese-led-red-dawn-invasion. Again, if the link is censored, browse The Common Sense Show using key words prophetic dreams, Chinese Red Dawn Invasion. Then look for the following article:

“Prophetic Dreams and Matching Eyewitness Accounts Foretell and Imminent Chinese-led Red Dawn invasion of America.” [Note: I have posted on my website over a year ago of a word I received about America’s downfall as described in Scripture. It can be found at www.endofbegining.com under title, “Is America a part of the Babylon System of end times.”]

www.allnewspipeline.com “CHINA’S EMP THREAT: America is the most vulnerable country in the entire world to EMP and China could easily send us back to the Dark Ages with this technology.”

www.dcclathesline.com “MSM Silence: elitists gather in Swiss town to finalize our enslavement, “The Great Reset” & NWO

www.usawatchdog.com “Takeover of America by Dark Power-Kevin Shipp”. Former CIA Office and counter-terrorism expert says, the riots, looting, and arson you are seeing around the country has little to do with so-called social justice and everything to do with the takeover of America by dark powers.

www.articles.mercola.com “New Word Order is Advancing Rapidly”. In May, 2020, Johns Hopkins launched an online course to train “an army” of contact tracers, for which hundreds of people joined within hours of the release. This develop is the result of congressional bill HR 6666 funding the hiring of 100’s of thousands of these tracers to interview people diagnosed with COVID-19, identify their close contacts who might have been exposed and to enforce self-quarantine. This program may eventually lockdown the nation again when a second wave of pandemic hits U.S. It will quickly evolve into a forced vaccination

program. For this reason, I have listed certain videos on the vaccine harm cover-up and the life-threatening consequences of the Covid virus being developed.

www.infowars.com “United Nations openly hijacks U.S. police departments.” [Note: under the agreement signed by Obama just before he left office, the Kigali Agreement allows the UN to send troops into the country to help restore stop civil unrest threatening innocent civilians. This agreement can be used as part of the “Red Dawn” invasion already discussed to overthrow the nation, bringing in UN control.]

THE ECONOMIC COLLAPSE

(Are you prepared for the coming economic collapse and the next Great Depression?)

www.theeconomiccollapseblog.com Excellent site! Use the archives to research the truth about this nation’s real abysmal economic condition.

www.preppersfeed.wordpress.com/2020/06/22/americas-worlds-first-poor-rich-country ‘America’s Collapsing Because it’s the World’s First Poor Rich Country- A Middle Class Falling into Ruin, The Majority of People Now Effectively Poor.’

THE FOUR HORSES MEN OF APOCALYPSE CONCERN WAR, FAMINE, AND PESTILENCES

www.jrnyquist.blog/2020/6/20/chinese-strategy-and-the-solar-minimum Global warming has always been followed by deep cooling with regular two century cycles. (We are now in a 200 year super solar minimum.) There will be, from these and other effects, a significant decrease in world food production. The Chinese and Russians know this and both have been preparing. The U.S. instead has been swindled by the fake “global warming” theory and scam. As China is over-populated and collapsing, unable to feed its people, they are considering a path of

conquest with their stated claim to colonize nations like Canada, U.S., and Australia. [Note: above video on Chinese Red Dawn invasion of U.S. This scenario has been seen in visions given to men warning of this fact. Even George Washington had a vision of a future great threat and invasion of the America. At website www.endofbegining.com titled: "Is America A Part of Babylon in End Times?" which list several of this vision and others over the past decades.]

www.nationalfile.com/video-blm-co-founder-says-we-are-trained-marxists The importance related in this video is to emphasis that there is an organized effort by "dark forces" of the globalists to facilitate U.S. downfall. As widely reported, 80 members of the democratic party or avowed or shown to be communists. "Black Lives Matter" is only one of many, many front groups being used against America. It should be no surprise that BLM leadership are trained Marxists, controlling the mostly unaware demonstrators and rioters as Soviet communism founder Lenin called "useful idiots".

The New York Times, concerning a post from U.S. Tom Cotton titled: "The Nation Must Restore Order". Yet, the Times apologized for Cotton's remark, objecting to the claim that "cadres of left-wing radicals" were behind riots, the violence, looting, and burning. Times continued to deny communist involvement in today's revolutionary actions.....instead all the blame was directed at systems "white racism". [Note: The NYT is attempting to redirect the truth that at least 80 democratic members of congress are avowed or easily shown to be communists.]

This list will end with one last internet headline:

www.ncrenegade.com/editorial/this-country-is-done

The gentleman's comment was basically saying, every American WILL BE FORCED TO DRAW A LINE IN THE SAND. The choice to remain neutral, taking no sides or sympathizing with the leftists, communists, socialists, and radicals trying to overthrow the nation, will be made for them. Each

American will have to choose to stand for the Constitution, Bill of Rights, God (yes God has a side), their families safety, commonsense, and our nation's very survival is at stake. Or will Americans choose to loss all their freedoms, property rights, ability to defend themselves, children and grandchildren futures, and to go into bondage in a new serfdom where a few, own and control everything and everybody. I pray that Americans make the right choice and stand and fight, but it will take courageous men to stand-up and organize and lead the movement. Like during the American Revolution, much of the leadership came from the nation's pulpits. Will our church pastors be willing to sacrifice their all to speak out and lead their flocks against the tyranny now about to overtake this nation? Although it may be too late to save the nation in which we grew up, Jesus with his death and resurrection and his sending the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, we have been guaranteed the power to overcome all the forces of Satan". The question now is, "Do we have the faith to stand and trust in and use the name of Jesus?"

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON THE COMING COVID VACCINE

www.endofbegining.com Scroll to Title: "To Vax or not to Vax" at my website and read. Then browse **Natural News London Scientists genetically alter embryos**. This article exposes a threat from the Covid vaccine now being under develop which will using a new DNA/RNA technology to alter the human genome.

www.activistpost.com/2020/06/dr-andrew-kaufman-responds-to-reuters-fact-check-on-covid-19-vaccine-genetically-modifying-humans-html

[Again be aware this maybe censored by You Tube as Dr. Kaufman's like first video.] If so, use a none Google browser and type in Dr. Andrew Kaufman Responds to Reuters Fact Check on Covid-19 vaccine genetically Modifying humans or use his name and key words. The importance of these articles and videos is to warn, Big Pharma and the globalists are developing DNA modifying "vaccines" that will change human DNA and making it a permanent genetic modification that will

passed down through future generations. Also, Dr. Kaufman detailed that these vaccines can be used in eugenics and sexual sterilization of populations. Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, has already be accused of without consent, sterilizing young women in Africa using vaccines .Read my article "To Vax or Not to Vax" listed above and listen to the others listen. Be aware vaccines contain many additives not listed on the package inserts. It is important for you and your family to know and understand the dangers.

CONCLUSION

www.twelveround.com/blog/a-sign-of-the-times This nation is in open rebellion.....Communist organizations form tax-exempt 501c3.

our nation's very survival is at stake. Americans must make a choose for bondage, poverty, famine, no private property rights, or freedom. The alternative is to choose our nation's founding principals established "As one nation under God". I pray and hope enough people choose correctly, and just as importantly be willing to stand up and fight.

Concerning the line being drawn in the sand just discussed, it will eventually come to only one of two real options - God or Satan! Our Creator is a good God. He is loving, patience, long-suffering, and wishing that none should perish Yet, Our Father is also just. And will not go against man's free will. The Almighty's plan for mankind was to create a being in his image, that would trust and have unquestioning faith in Him. God and his Son do not seek robots or puppets, forced to love him. No, our Heavenly Father wishes his children will choose to follow in obedience, not out of fear, but out of love. He only wants to have a relationship, like a child and parent,that entails Him blessing and showering them with every good thing.

In the beginning, Adam and Eve had that relationship, but chose to turn against their God, to do what seemed right in their own eyes instead of trusting their Father's will. The command to not eat of the tree of knowledge of good and evil, was to protect his children, knowing

full well, that if they chose that knowledge, it would lead to rebellion and ultimately death. Whether it be angel or man, the decision to not trust God, always leads to destruction.

The ultimate conclusion to this age old dilemma of mankind always rushing to destruction, is now facing the whole world. One only has to read the Old Testament to realize what happens to any nation, like Israel, when they chose to do what seemed right in their own eyes, following their carnal nature. Yet, in the past it was only an individual nation that suffered destruction and death. Today, the whole world is facing the final consequences of rebellion against God. God has allowed man's rejection of Him to play-out to its conclusion. The conclusion is that Jesus was incarnated and sent to this earth, namely to bring the truth about God's will and love for mankind. In rejection of the truth, Jesus warned in the end, if he did not come back at the very last minute and mankind was left to its own devices, there would be no flesh left alive.

Man, left to his own devices, always ends in destruction by his own hands. When things go badly, man wants to blame it on a vengeful, tyrannical God, not realizing it is man's fault. Few men are willing to take the blame for their own actions. No, they blame the government, their leaders, just like little children doing poorly in school saying, it's my teacher's fault. Criminals always place the blame on their parents, the system, the lack of opportunity, etc., etc, etc. Seldom do they point a finger at themselves.

If we were honest, the many unsolvable threats facing this nation and the world are because of bad choices, apathy, complacency, our attitudes, lack of love for our fellow man, but ultimately our abandonment of God's commandments and laws given for our own good. The world is rapidly coming to a point of no return as rebellion, anarchy, lawlessness, narcissism, and self-ism reigns supreme.

The question is how did we get to this stage of mankind facing extinction? A prime example can be seen in America abandoning the Founding Fathers principals based on God's laws. We have failed at every turn to stand for truth and what is right. If Christians had stood on our founding documents and biblical rule of law, there would be no legal abortion, taking prayer out of schools and public domain, and denigration of sanctity of marriage which God intended to protect the

children. Christians and our churches and their pastors, must honestly admit we have become accomplices to this nation's corruption and moral decline.

Jesus, at his death and resurrection, gave his church the power to overcome all the forces of the Adversary, saying the gates of hell can not prevail, but only if we are diligent to use the authority given to his church. The power of the Holy Spirit and his gifts have been barred from most denominations. Even Jesus did not begin his ministry until he received the Baptism of the Holy Spirit after his water baptism. Likewise the Apostles were warned to wait until Jesus sent the Holy Spirit. On the day of that first Pentecost, the tongues of fire descended upon them and they received the power to turn the world upside down.

This nation's last hope in these end times, is for the true followers of Jesus, its pastors, and the nation to come together, humbling themselves, seeking God's will, and asking for a fresh anointing of the Holy Spirit. For through the Holy Spirit, the power is received to the pulling down of strongholds, for we war not against flesh and blood but principalities, rulers of darkness, and evil in high places.

AN APPEAL TO THE PASTORS OF AMERICA

My appeal is especially to the pastors of this nation. It is time to forgo petty denominational differences and concentrate on winning souls to Jesus as it is the gospels primary command. It is also critical to prepare your flocks, as we enter these last day. One of my biggest frustrations, as already discussed; is the inability to get people to heed the warnings, due to the closed mindset of most people. I, and other watchmen/women have the same frustration, but what is most disturbing to me, is the fact that so many pastors exhibit a pride, almost to arrogance, to being open to fresh revelation. It leads to the prideful attitude of "I already know the Bible and my ideology and doctrine is correct". This leads to failure to see a new move of God and the Holy Spirit. The Pharisees and Sadducees of Jesus' time were a prime example, so close minded, they could not hear the truth by the literal physical embodiment of all truth, standing before them, Jesus their Messiah.

I caution all pastors to not be a Pharisee and miss fresh revelation being given by the promised remnant God has raised for this very time. God has always been faithful to send his prophets and watchmen to warn of coming calamities, but usually to no avail. Pastors, do not make the same mistake of the past, ignoring true prophets. Of course the only obstacle is to find the truly anointed prophet.

The late David Wilkerson is one of the truly anointed prophets sent by God. Listen to his video sermons online. I understand the reluctance to accept a prophet if one does not know if they can be trusted. As for me, I have learned to pray and listen to the Holy Spirit for discernment. The one common denominator of a true prophet, is always the message given is usually hard to receive, offensive, and usually goes against a tightly held current belief system. I have learned a few things in my life, I feel are of importance. One that I have noticed that seldom fails, is do not follow the masses. Every successful stock trader will tell you, "Do not follow the herd" as they are always wrong. The same principal very often holds true in theological movements and doctrines. When a new doctrine or theology takes hold, it usually leads many astray, like prosperity and seeker friendly movements. Also, those following the herd, seldom see a fresh anointing and revelation from God and end up left in the dark.

Again referring to Wilkerson, in an anointed sermon of his I just listened to, it expressed a very sobering revelation about the end time churches. Titled, "Falling Away To The Anti-Christ", he began by quoting from the Apostle Paul warning about the two things that would strike the churches. First, was a Great Falling Away, and second, the Antichrist spirit (AC) would abound in the churches of America in the end times.

Quoting 1 John 2:18: "Little children, it is the last time: and as ye have heard that AC shall come, even now are there many AC spirits; whereby we know that it is the last time."

In the late Dr. Jack Van Impe's prophecy bible, he highlighted this text as pertaining to the Second Coming and the "last time or ending" before the end of times. These times we now are living will be noted by

the rapid rise of the AC spirit. Could the earth, even now, be seeing the prophesied time when the pit of hell would be opened releasing hoards of demons?

Wilkerson warned the Great Falling Away will occur because many believers will be overcome because they have fallen into backsliding. The AC spirit will infect many, even many sitting in spirit filled, full gospel churches. The AC spirit will prepare many to accept the Anti-Christ when he sits in the Temple of God, proclaiming he is god.

(2 Thessalonians 2:4) "Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshiped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God [in Jerusalem], shewing himself that he is God."

Even now, the AC is moving against those believers that are bound to the lust of the flesh and the world. Wilkerson opined that careless, lazy, Christians "WILL BE OVERCOME". The careless believer will love the world which is enmity to God. They will watch cable TV, go to movies, listen to media which the AC spirit controls, not recognizing that the eyes are the windows to the heart and soul. Yet those who are under the complete lordship of Christ, serving him in total surrender of their lives, will be over-comers!

The signs one does not fully serve God is shown in (1 Cor 10:20).

"But I say, that the things which the Gentiles sacrifice, they sacrifice to devils, and not to God, and I would not that ye should have fellowship with devils." [I believe this references false teachers and prophets, and those living in apostasy, spreading a perverted Gospel.]

Here Paul is warning against spending most of one's time with those who are not true believers or non-believers. Rather, a Christian should spend time with true followers of Christ, attending church and not seeing it as a burden. Also, many refuse to see the truth and act in accordance to the true revelations of the Gospel.

Wilkerson continues to caution to test if one has a true love of God. First, one must ask, “Do I relish attending church in fellowship with other true believers? Or do I prefer spending more time in pleasures of this world by watching sports or TV, consumed by hobbies, work, family matters, or any activity that I put first in my life, putting God last on my priority list”? Secondly, do I accept reproof from the Word, from my pastoral leadership, and church elders ?

(2 Timothy 3:1) “.....In the last days perilous times shall come. V2. For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, V3. without natural affection, truce-breakers, false accusers, incontinent, fierce, despisers of those that are good, V4. Traitors, heady, highminded, lovers of pleasures more than God. V5. having a form of godliness but denying the power thereof: from such turn away.”

Wilkerson ended in warning there would be more unrighteous within the church, than without!

Lastly, I wish to give a heart felt plea to our nation. As the U.S. and the world descends into the most perilous time in history, now there is, as never before, an urgent need for courageous men and women to take a take up the fight for freedom and God. Like those of our past history, this nation needs those who can see the fog of disinformation, lies, propaganda, brainwashing, bad science, population manipulation, and the list goes on. Yet, many of these courageous people are scorned, ridiculed, slandered, silenced, ignored, and often meet “untimely deaths”. The silent majority are content to be apathetic and more than willing to accept compromise to the globalist and New World Order.

When the churches of America are most in need of courageous leadership, the only sound heard from most pulpits is crickets chirping. The solution to this nation’s problems lays in God and a spiritual awaking. Instead, our religious institutions are filled with accomplices to our nation’s downfall. I will close with what I feel is a very appropriate quote:

“Do not blame Caesar, blame the people of Rome who rejoiced in their loss of freedom who hail him when he speaks in the Forum of more security, more living fatly at the expense of the industrious [Socialism].”

One last caution to the body of Christ, do not become a “Soldier of Christ marching off to War”, as sung in an old hymnal, that is satisfied to give lip service to God as a soldier, but content to remain in the barracks and not go into the spiritual trenches where the real warfare exist.

Before concluding, the Lord has put it on my heart to discuss the Rapture, not in unbelief, but rather a disturbing misuse of the doctrine. Let me begin by relating my own belief. Being raised in the Baptist and Catholic church, I never remember any teaching on the subject. While recently talking to my older sister, she related that she had never heard of the Rapture until just recently. As for myself, when I first heard and read about the Rapture, I never gave it much thought. My belief was it’s not important to me, since I felt it was important to live a righteous life, acceptable to God because if I were to die tomorrow, that was my Rapture.

In listening online to Pastor J.D. Farag last week, his sermon was on the Rapture. His belief came from his formative years growing up and attending seminary, where he was taught a pre-trib rapture, so had accepted it, but was not dogmatic in his belief. Yet, after reading a book by a Dr. Wood titled, “The Falling Away”, a fresh revelation made him accept the pretrib rapture without any reservation. One of the primary facts that led him to this determination, was that in the late 1500’s, following the newly blooming Protestant Reformation, the Catholic Church had changed the belief in a pre-tribe Rapture, held for many previous generations by the church forefathers. The Catholics were becoming very concerned by the loss of many to Protestantism. Using a teaching by a Catholic Theologian, called St. Jerome, the church change doctrine to the concept of the rapture as pertaining to the great falling away. They chose to believe that the rapture was in reference to Protestants falling away from the true church, but in the coming rapture, they would be brought back to “mother church”.

This revelation explained why my sister had never been taught about what Protestants believed about the “catching away”. My sister, later in life converted from Catholic to Lutheran, but since they were just an offshoot of Catholicism, they still held much of the Catholic doctrine. This little history leads me to what I believe the Lord has put in my spirit.

I have noticed on the internet, over the last few months, that it has become in vogue to really push the imminent Rapture. Disturbing to me, is the fact that it has become a doctrine of escapism from life’s trials, promised tribulations, and persecutions that Scripture warns about. As I believe Jesus expects us to occupy until his return, it is disturbing to me that many are using this imminent “snatching away” as an excuse to sit in the four walls of their churches and homes, not reaching out to fulfill the great commission to witness and save souls. Before listening to J.D. Farag, I leaned toward a mid-trib rapture only because I truly felt, that born again Christians would be used by the Lord to witness to the lost and backslidden.

As I believe we are in the end times and time of sorrows, just before tribulations are to start, there will be much pain and suffering, even as we already see with the pandemic, economic chaos, civil unrest, and turmoil. Having still unsaved family and children, I felt it was my duty to go through at least some of the tribulations so I could witness and save as many souls as possible as eyes are opened and become receptive to the truth of the Gospel.

Even if accepting pretrib rapture, I feel that God will not come for his bride until as many as possible are ready. As mentioned about the closed mindset of most Americans, I believe God is and will send ever increasing pain and suffering to our nation and the world, to open more eyes to see and ears to hear and turn to Jesus alone in their troubles - instead of the world - and accept the truth that the only salvation, both spiritually and physically, is through Jesus Christ. Currently, most are still looking to the president, their politicians, Mammon, etc. for a secular solution instead of a spiritual solution.

[Inserted to clarify my point, that more pain is coming.]

This morning (June,21), reading a few headlines before going to church, I happened upon an article, “End of the world: Is the Great Tribulations Jesus Christ and the Bible warned of unfolding?”, at www.express.co.uk, discussing whether we are already living in the Tribulations. According to Joel Helliker, a senior editor of “The Trumpet”, the world is currently gripped by “despair and fear” caused by the coronavirus. But the Bible warned of even greater pain and suffering in the end times.....However, the Bible expert said the current crisis is intended to provoke thought from the masses. In times of adversity, many people will look to the Bible and prayer for comfort. Mr. Helliker said: “Thus, if God is using this crisis as a ‘wake-up’ call’, clearly the calamities will have to intensity before they truly jolt a great many people.....Most bible scholars, however, agree the Tribulation is yet to begin. Thus, Mr. Helliker confirms my concern that a lot more pain is coming.

Another concern to me, has to do with what was covered by David Wilkerson about the end time church, filled with backslidden and not truly saved. As discussed, having a form of godliness but no power, these “baby” Christians will be susceptible to losing their faith, overwhelmed by the Anti-Christ spirit that is prevalent in many churches. Our churches are in need of a great outpouring of the Holy Spirit in a fresh anointing. I believe the overcoming Christians will be needed to witness to many.

My final thought is that the Rapture is to remove Christ’s bride, that are pure and spotless, ready for the marriage supper of the lamb. Yet, what about all the foolish virgins that are not ready? They will be forced to go through the tribulations and Wrath of God, where many will have to face martyrdom to be saved. So, for the many reasons listed, I have a very hard time believing Christians should be concentrating on escape, but not winning souls and preparing them to be over-comers for the coming Anti-Christ.

I will conclude with a quote from a Greek philosopher that I believe gives meaning to our current national mindset and refusal to heed the many warnings God is graciously giving through his watchmen and women.

THOSE WHO ARE ABLE TO SEE BEYOND THE SHADOWS AND
LIES OF THEIR CULTURE WILL NEVER BE UNDERSTOOD, LET
ALONE BELIEVED BY THE MASSES.

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