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Prophetically much is happening that we all should be watching. Around the world we seem to be in a state of Flux that only seems to accelerate with time. From North Korea to Russia, Sudan to Israel, so much is happening so fast one can go into 'information overload' trying to understand it all.

The nations shall rush like the rushing of many waters: but God shall rebuke them, and they shall flee far off, and shall be chased as the chaff of the mountains before the wind, and like a rolling thing before the whirlwind. And behold at eveningtide trouble; and before the morning he is not. This is the portion of them that spoil us, and the lot of them that rob us.

(Isa 17:13-14)

Israel

Israel is in a fight for its survival as a state and it is under assault as never before. Islamic radicals in the middle east, neo-Nazi's in the west and policy makers all over who to this day have never quite reconciled themselves to the Jews having their own homeland are all converging in an axis against a

people who have been one of the most persecuted in human history.

Israel is center stage for the end times. While famines, earthquakes, tumults are all happening with increased recurrences and intensity around the world, what is happening in Israel sometimes seems to get lost in the shuffle of daily news. Israel has just invaded Lebanon¹ as I write this after having moved into central Gaza. The kidnapping of an Israeli Soldier demonstrated to the new Israeli PM that Hamas was not really interested in peace and that Israel's vacating of the Gaza was an error. This bold move did however demonstrate to many that Hamas and the Palestinian leadership is not interested in peaceful co-existence with Israel. It just wanted to use the incremental 'peace process' as a way to '*drive the Jews into the sea*' as many of their leaders have repeatedly stated. With Lebanon, the Israelis are targeting Hizbollah, another group whose terrorism is legendary. Hizbollah also has seats in Lebanon's parliament and has gained a degree of legitimacy in Lebanon. I think the message being sent to the Middle East, especially by those who border Israel is that governments that have such terror affiliated groups in power can and will become targets of the IDF.



While terror organizations launch missiles into Israel and kidnap soldiers and blow up school buses and cafe's, liberal and progressive apologists in the west try their best to excuse the behavior of the people who commit these acts and turn them into some kind of 'freedom fighters'. The lie has been repeated so long and so often that Israel

'stole' the land from the Palestinians that no one dare question this inaccurate bit of conventional wisdom. What is never mentioned by others but will be here, is that underneath many of today's so called liberal and progressive movements is a well concealed antisemitism. Anti-Jewish feelings in the US have not left us. They are still here and while many Liberals will try to diffuse their antisemitism with a quaint '*oh, I have*

¹ They quickly left again but will probably return when sufficient military forces have been mustered.

Jewish friends', it hardly proof of a persons treatment or view of Jewish people. It is akin to saying '*Oh I have a dog, I like dogs*'. That may be true, as long as that dog stays in his place. The same can be said of other racial groups here in America especially blacks. Many southern whites before the *Civil Rights Act* liked blacks, as long as they stayed 'in their place'. Back then it was '*a nigga ain't got no rights to defend hisself agin' a white man*' mentality. Today, it is the Jew does not have the right to defend himself against a terrorist, according to many progressives and liberals.

But on the net, in blogs and articles written by these liberals and progressives, you hear no balance no fair treatment of Israel's position and the history of Arab nations attacking Israel in order to 'kill the Jews'. Instead you hear the constant complaint of how bad the Palestinians are being treated by Israel. How 'helpless' and 'vulnerable' they are, as they load up their rockets or construct a bomb in a basement to 'kill the Jews'.

As Israel seems to be preparing to enter Lebanon and recapture part of it, it seems clear that the days of talking with Hamas and with it Hizbollah are over. Hamas seems intent on shooting itself in the foot after finally gaining political power and recapturing Gaza, they refused to deal realistically with Israel by clearly and unequivocally recognizing Israel's right to exist. ***Olmert took a major gamble by pulling out of Gaza*** and got missiles fired into Israel as a 'thank you'. Now Hamas is having to deal with an Israel that is becoming more hawkish than Ariel Sharon. They thought they were dealing with a kitten and discovered that Olmert is really a tiger. However the danger here is that there will be a wider War in in middle east. This fear is real as Israel is making its intentions perfectly clear, especially when it flew its planes over Damascus and a few days later issuing a **chilling ultimatum**. Iran issued its own threats. What does this mean?

First of all in the natural, it means that the prospects for a wider war in the Middle East just became more real. It means that, as much as we want to deny it, oil producers are watching Israel's actions with a magnifying glass. They will naturally wait and see where Israel will stop in her military incursions. It also means that they will be watching very closely the US reaction to what some will certainly view as Israeli 'aggression'. It means that the possibility of middle eastern oil producers playing the oil card, while remote, cannot be dismissed entirely. Such a move need not entail any embargo or any overt act. It could take the form of production cuts due to 'maintenance' and 'technical difficulties' driving up the price to levels never

seen before. Such a move would make it clear that these largely Islamic nations must play to their domestic audiences at home. While most of these leaders are far more interested in their own sordid pleasures than the plight of the Palestinians, they must keep their restive populations appeased and being seen as a tool of America and Israel is not what these leaders need at a time like this.

The reasons for Israel's seeming reaction to the kidnapping of three soldiers are not completely clear² but it seems that the most likely explanation is that Israel may really be after Iran, which is the major force behind Hizbollah. The attacks on Lebanon do seem disproportionate to the damage done to Israel, but then again, using overwhelming force like this sends a clear and unmistakable message that the cost for the use of terror and kidnapping will be very, very high in the future. So while many decry what Israel is doing and decry the loss of life³, let it be known that in our evil age this is how agreements are eventually reached.

When academics and commentators decry disproportionate force as an obstacle to peace, they replace analysis with platitude. Lasting peace is seldom made between equals, but rather between strong and weak. The United States ended World War II precisely because it was willing to use disproportionate force. In doing so, it allowed Japan to rebuild and thrive. England and France did not pull back from Germany and allow the Nazi regime to re-arm and try again. Wars are fought until they are won. Among Israel's neighbors, only Egypt and Jordan have accepted peace with the Jewish state. In 1977, Egyptian president Anwar Sadat sought peace only after a disastrous attempt at war. King Hussein of Jordan also accepted peace — not formal at first — after understanding the price of war. Negotiations between Jerusalem, Cairo, and Amman succeeded because they accepted that violence could not achieve their aims, an epiphany still lost upon many in the Arab world and Iran. The irony of the Oslo Accords was that those that fought the first intifada were not those handed the reins of leadership. Both U.S. and Israeli leaders enabled the Tunisia-based faction of the Palestine Liberation Organization to take control. Arafat viewed his chairmanship over the Palestinian Authority as an entitlement,

2 Some think Israel is after a regime change in Lebanon, others think that Israel is trying to pick a fight with Iran who funds Hizbollah. Others think that Israel sees the clock ticking and realized that if it waits too long these groups will acquire weapons that will be very difficult for Israel to counter.

3 Believe me when I say I hate to see the loss of life, whether it is the Lebanese child who gets killed with an Israeli missile on his way to school or the Israeli woman who gets rocketed into a million pieces on her way to market.

without understanding his responsibility. [Michael Rubin \(Middle East Forum\)](#)

So what is the likely result to be? It is difficult to say. But on the spiritual side we can expect a great deal more trouble in this region of the world. Satan has always hated the Jews. *Plain and simple*. This is largely because they were and still are a pivotal part of God's plan to save man. Because Christ will one day reign in Jerusalem, Satan wants his man there as well to bring in his era of false peace. While some may argue whether or not the coming man of sin will ever truly rule from Jerusalem it does appear that all of the world's major religions are focused on it, Islam. Christianity (both Catholicism and to slightly lesser degree apostate, mainly US protestantism) and Judaism all are looking to capture the holy city for their own.

What else is there in the wind? Who knows, but should nations like Iran, Syria and North Korea coordinate their efforts against the US and Israel, they really could make life for the two hell. What if North Korea decided to attack the south if Israel decided to attack Syria. What if the two have an agreement to do just that? **These are not academic questions**. They should be on the top of the list of major concerns by US policy makers. Where is Hizbollah getting its arms from? Iran. These new missiles that are capable of and have hit the Israeli port city of Haifa and shows the increased sophistication of the Hizbollah arsenal. One way to find out what the enemy has is to force them to use it. Now Israel knows what Hizbollah is capable of. How do these weapons end up in the hands of Hizbollah? They come in through Syria. Israel is dealing with an enemy who is determined to exterminate the Jews. This enemy does not want peace, they do not want, co-existence, they want the Israel wiped off the map and the every Jew dead. You cannot deal with an enemy like that except with brute force. Israel is surrounded by such enemies who are committed to her destruction. Keeping this fact firmly in ones mind may help understand the position she is in today. Lebanon's [self proclaimed Hizbollah leader](#) is no comfort to Israel and since they view the organization as a terrorist organization (as the US does), she is going after those who have attacked Israel, arm her enemies and kidnapped her soldiers.

Heightened Tension

US forces are not equipped to deal with another conflict and should, God

forbid, another one erupt that demands a US response and the US will be incapable of fulfilling its commitments⁴. This again is not an academic question but goes to the heart of America's bombastic and swaggering foreign policy. Many say it is too easy to blame our polices for the current state of affairs. I say that they are a very important contributing factor. In fact these nations (whom Bush identified as the 'axis of evil') may be very well drawing America into a conflict that they know will require a nuclear response, thus further isolating America from the rest of the world and probably provoking a stern response for Russia or China or both.

But be assured of this one most important fact; the armies of the world are going to move in on Israel in the final hours of this age. But before this, the time of Jacobs trouble will intensify and many horrors await Israel. But other horrors await those who attack Israel. As Isaiah shows in his prophecy, Damascus will one day be taken away from being a city and be a ruinous heap.

The burden of Damascus. Behold, Damascus is taken away from being a city, and it shall be a ruinous heap. The cities of Aroer are forsaken: they shall be for flocks, which shall lie down, and none shall make them afraid. The fortress also shall cease from Ephraim, and the kingdom from Damascus, and the remnant of Syria: they shall be as the glory of the children of Israel, saith the LORD of hosts.

[\(Isa 17:1-3\)](#)

The Taproot Of The Islamic Spiritual Stronghold

Antisemitism world wide is a raging and growing devilish fire. In [Europe](#) and in [Russia](#) neo-Nazism is growing by leaps and bounds as young people flock to the errors of their parents. In France, attacks against Jews are becoming commonplace. Neo-Nazi's attack foreigners regularly in Russia and Germany is fighting Neo-Nazi's in their midst. Around the world the specter of Nazi's seems to be growing out of the mire of human intolerance and hate. Jerry Golden's excellent newsletter describes some of the things witnessed by Jews he meets in Europe.

⁴ No hyperbole here. Our forces are spent and our equipment is getting ragged as it is being run into the ground. Folks who want to make apologies for Bush's policies need to take their heads out of the TV. The ignorant American is the biggest danger to the world today and the world is becoming increasingly fed up with American arrogance, ignorance and violence. It is a nation whose primary exports are weapons, drugs and porn.

If CNN & BBC would report half of the acts of anti-Semitism in France alone they would have no time to report anything else. But what isn't being reported, Jews are being beaten on the streets, Jewish schools are being burned and Synagogues are half full for fear of an attack. Jewish men dare not wear their Kippah for fear of being attacked. The French Jews are moving to Israel today in record numbers and there are over 600,000 there many of which have already purchased apartments in Israel for safety to make sure they have a place to come. England, is under serious threat of an Islamic terrorist attack and the Jews there live in constant fear of an attack. Holland has all but given over to the fear of Islamic presence and dare not speak out against it. - [The Golden Report](#)

This Nazi nexus is a serious problem. The [New York Times article](#) that made its way around the web in early July was one of the few gutsy stories done by the establishment press on this issue. It is far more serious than most of my readers imagine. It is a growing network of evil and hate that America ensured survived after WWII when it went into business with escaped Nazi War Criminals.

While some may have a hard time believing that there is any real coordination between these groups on an international scale, their growth in numbers and increasing brazenness should be enough for folks with any sense to start asking some questions. Conclusion: No one in the Bush administration will ask any questions.

Fraudsters Still At Work

Say what you will about the 'death' of Ken Lay, it sure was most convenient. He died at the perfect time to keep his money. What is sad is that most people will buy the fact that he is dead without any critical analysis. While I cannot say for sure what happened to him, I can say that this man is/was friends with some of the most powerful men on the planet. It was Mr. Lay's plane that Bush used in his Presidential campaign. Now some of you will think I am talking out of school or that I am just repeating what I heard from someone who doesn't know anything. But I will tell you now that faking a death for 'national security' purposes can and has been done before. Taking death row inmates to a faked execution can and has been done

before, while I will not go into any details I could actually give some names of some powerful folks involved in some very recent episodes. So to say that Ken Lay's death was faked is by no means a stretch. In fact, I think that this was the last resort worked out with Lay by some powerful people long before the trial started. Why would they go to such lengths to help him out? Was it just loyalty to one of their own?

It Was Just One Big Money Laundry.

That is the conclusion I came to after looking at the available information on Enron and its business model just after Enron collapsed. Lets face it, those executives that have pleaded guilty pleaded to multiple counts of money laundering. So I wasn't wrong then, in fact that was what I suspected long before the scandal broke. You see, they could never explain how they made their money. They shrouded everything in the deepest of secrecy and defrauded millions of investors and billions of dollars. That is what Enron really was. While all of the neocons congregated at Ken's memorial service saying 'he was lynched'. The reality was that Key Lay was one of the rich men of the earth who made his money via fraud. Having found a Mammonite church to hold the service to [invite the rich and powerful](#) ⁵, they eulogized one of their own. But God will have the final word when dealing with the rich men of the earth. These men are on the top of God's 'hit list' and he has a plan to deal with their evil, thefts, lies, murder and frauds. Woe unto them! They will truly wish in the very depths of their souls that they had never been born.

⁵They cried over Mr. Lays wreath, and dried their eyes with cash and probalby flew to the some un-maned Island in the Carribean to have a drink with the un-dead Lay.

Enron Total Contributions to Federal Candidates and Parties, 1989-2001*

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Election Cycle	Total Contributions	Soft Money Contributions	Contributions from PACs	Contributions from Individuals	% to Dems	% to Repubs
1990	\$163,250	N/A	\$130,250	\$33,000	42%	58%
1992	\$281,009	\$75,109	\$130,550	\$75,350	42%	58%
1994	\$520,996	\$136,292	\$189,565	\$195,139	42%	58%
1996	\$1,141,016	\$687,445	\$171,671	\$281,900	18%	81%
1998	\$1,049,942	\$691,950	\$212,643	\$145,349	21%	79%
2000	\$2,441,398	\$1,671,555	\$280,043	\$489,800	28%	72%
2002	\$353,959	\$304,909	\$32,000	\$17,050	6%	94%
TOTAL	\$5,951,570	\$3,567,260	\$1,146,722	\$1,237,588	26%	74%

NOTE: Soft money contributions were not publicly disclosed until the 1991-92 election cycle.

*Based on FEC data downloaded 1/1/02.

The issues Enron successfully lobbied on include:

- The 1992 Energy Policy Act, which amended the Public Utilities Holding Company Act (PUHCA) of 1935. The legislation paved the way for the initiative with which Enron has been most closely linked, deregulation. The act opened electricity transmission grids, which had been monopolized by utilities, to outside competitors. Enron, one of the main lobbyists for the legislation became the largest wholesale power marketer in the country in less than five years after the act's passage. In 1996, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) issued the open-access rule, which forced utilities to unbundle generation and transmission services. On the same day the commission also ruled to facilitate the states' restructuring of the electric industry and allowed retail customers to choose service providers.
- In April 1992, FERC restructured interstate pipeline operations. The move, which deregulated much of the industry, allowed companies like Enron the right to buy, sell, or trade and transport gas.
- In 1993, the Securities and Exchange Commission exempted Enron from provisions of the Public Utility Holding Company Act that banned utilities from investing in unrelated, risky businesses.
- Enron lobbied the administration of then-Gov. George W. Bush and the Texas

legislature successfully on four separate issues, including tort reform, corporate tax reductions, an industry-friendly environmental plan, and electrical deregulation.

- In 1997, the SEC exempted Enron from the Investment Company Act of 1940 that prohibits U.S. companies from leaving debt from overseas projects off the books.
- So far 23 states and the District of Columbia have taken steps toward deregulation. Some of these states passed restructuring legislation different from what Enron endorsed. The company had waged lobbying campaigns in most of the states.
- The federal government extended the energy tax credit for wind-generated electrical power several times. Enron, which had a subsidiary that generated power from wind, was one of the main lobbyists for the extension of the credit.
- The Commodity Futures Modernization Act, which Congress passed in 2000, had a provision that precluded the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (CFTC) from regulating Enron's trading in energy derivatives.

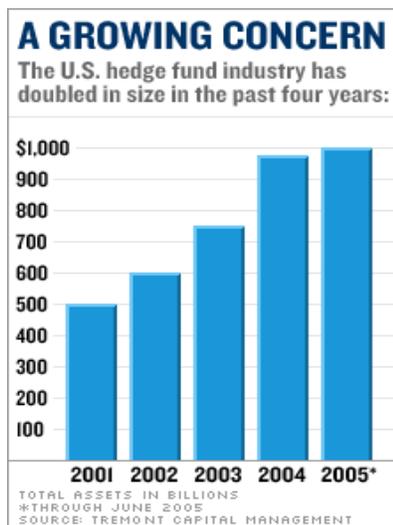
-From a report by the [Center For Public Integrity](#)

Enron was probably used as a conduit to wash campaign money for Neo-Conservative candidates and causes. Foreigners and rich Americans could get around spending limits by going to a money laundry (and there are many around today called 'hedge funds') . Don't think that this is not the way the world really works. It is, and perhaps it is a very good explanation as to the very strange and irrational reluctance by US authorities to step in and regulate this trillion dollar industry. Remember that John Ashcroft had to recuse himself from the Enron Investigations when they first started. The rich and powerful of all stripes had their fingers in Enron. This was a big scandal whose investigation would not be allowed to get 'out of control'. You want to know how drug dealers make campaign contributions to politicians? Money laundering. You want to know how money gets to people who need to be silenced either via a bribe or permanently? Money laundering. Do you want to know how the dirtiest drug money, slave money and murder money becomes 'clean'? Money laundering. Folks there is a crime syndicate with enormous political power. They are real, they exist and they can cover-up most anything that threatens their interests. Believe me. From the very beginning one could see the fingerprints of a criminal network with the power to stifle any curiosity in Newsrooms around the world. How can it be that the a vice chairman of Enron commits 'suicide' days before his testimony before the House and just after he hires body guards to ensure his safety? How is it that a [body is found to another Enron witness](#) in London and few questions are asked. How is that Ken Lays 'death' is conveniently timed so as the illicit gains can be kept... and where is the body? Since when do Christians⁶ [cremate their bodies](#)? They don't. You cremate a body when

⁶ Lay was often seen in 'Christian' Churches with a Bible in his hand.

you either do not want an autopsy or do not want to have the body exhumed later. How is it that former SEC chairmen represented Enron's Auditor? How is it that it took five years to finally bring a case to trial against Ken Lay?

Why is that that Ken Lay was convicted of fraud and CONSPIRACY yet when you point out yet another potential criminal CONSPIRACY (faking a death) by those who benefited most by Enron's frauds and have the most to lose should Mr. Lay turn states evidence just before sentencing, now one asks any questions? How is it that the press is as silent as Ken Lays grave.



But today, the Hedge Fund industry is ripe with fraud, *ala* Enron. The very rich and politically connected have their money in these entities and no one in America wants to regulate them. Some in the EU are trying but America's corrupt politico's are stifling it.

Kirk Wright, formerly of supposed hedge fund, International Management Associates, skipped town after it became clear to many of his clients, which include several prominent National Football League players, that

something was amiss with Interntaional Management's "management" of their money.

Wright and his company were accused of collecting between \$115 million and \$185 million from at least 500 investors since 1997 and misleading some of them through false statements and documents, to believe the value of those investments was increasing. - Hedgeco.net

Hedge Fund Fraud is a bigger problem in the US as this interesting story from CNN shows.

...a number of recent high-profile scandals, including the \$450 million fraud at Bayou and the dustup at Wood River Capital shortly thereafter, have sparked renewed debate about how to prevent hedge fund fraud.

Lombard said that in the 15 years AIMA has existed, there has only

been one documented case of hedge fund fraud. Contrast that with the U.S., where the SEC has brought fraud charges in 20 hedge fund cases in the last year alone, according to Business Week magazine. - [CNN](#)

Well, I won't bore you. Crooks love unregulated industries. They love to launder their money where they know no laws can get them. Get ready for ***Enron: Part Deux***. Some may scoff and say there is no real problem. Well, that is exactly what they said about Enron... until it collapsed.

Slavery.

Are you ready to be a slave? Are you ready to watch your child grow up to be the sex toy of an old perverted Mullah? Are you ready to work 15 hours a day and eat a food ration fit for a mouse? Get ready, it is coming to a nation near you. America's great friend and partner in the *War On Terror*, Pakistan has this going on right now. The victims? Christians. The excellent ***Barnabas Fund*** covers this [sad state of affairs in a recent article](#). When I wrote an article on [Human Trafficking](#) I was asked by one of my sources not to put some of the more damaging information in it. This is a frightening subject. It goes to the highest levels of many US friendly regimes and it is no wild eyed conspiracy theory. People, real human beings are being sold as slaves to the rich and powerful and the US is complicit insofar as the fact that many have lobbied the US embassies in US friendly nations only to be harassed later with US complicity. The US is not interested in hearing that rich oil producing nations are buying sex slaves for the most perverted of pleasures. If the depth and breadth of it were to become known there would be an outcry. People would realize just how easy it is for little Miss Muffet to become a sex toy for Sheik Mufti Al-Pervertani.

Pakistan is one of the most troubled nations on earth and it is the forefront of much of the terrorism we see today. In fact, the terror attack that hit Mumbai on July 11th was probably the work of [groups tied to Pakistan](#). Pakistan has a vested interest in keeping the chaos factor high in that region of the world, especially in India. Osama Bin Laden is hiding in Pakistan as is his lieutenant. The explosives for the Mumbai attack were almost certainly Pakistani. You are dealing with a truly evil regime in Pakistan and it is America's best friend in the region. America's evil

associations are making it a horde of enemies that could have been our friends were it not for some short sighted men in the US government. Where are the Taliban coming from who terrorize Afghan? [They are coming from Pakistan](#). Keep your eyes on this regime . If leaders decide they want to really find out who is behind the terror in the region the Pakistani Government would be **highest** on the hit list. It is Pakistan, not Iraq that should have been invaded, if fighting terror were really what America's new wars are all about. There is no oil in Pakistan. Terror and slavery are connected in the Islamic world as the slave trade does provide terror groups with some of its funding.

Giving

But whoso hath this world's good, and seeth his brother have need, and shutteth up his bowels of compassion from him, how dwelleth the love of God in him? My little children, let us not love in word, neither in tongue; but in deed and in truth.

(1Jo 3:17-18)

Christians, especially American Christians need to understand what is happening to other Christians around the world and assist their brethren. The real hero's on the great day of the Judgment Seat of Christ will be those who really suffered for his names sake, not the hot new conspiracy buff on the Internet or some alien 'expert' on freak radio. The real hero's and those who will wear many crowns will be those who suffered. Those who remembered their brethren in this terrible hour will not be forgotten by Christ either⁷. Those that did forget, are in far greater danger of being forgotten about as well by the living God.

For I was an hungred, and ye gave me no meat: I was thirsty, and ye gave me no drink: I was a stranger, and ye took me not in: naked, and ye clothed me not: sick, and in prison, and ye visited me not. Then shall they also answer him, saying, Lord, when saw we thee an hungred, or athirst, or a stranger, or naked, or sick, or in prison, and did not minister unto thee? Then shall he answer them, saying, Verily

⁷ For whosoever shall give you a cup of water to drink in my name, because ye belong to Christ, verily I say unto you, he shall not lose his reward.

(Mar 9:41)

I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye did it not to one of the least of these, ye did it not to me. And these shall go away into everlasting punishment: but the righteous into life eternal.
(Mat 25:42-46)

I know I sound like a broken record but if you are not helping the suffering body don't expect to see life eternal. Indeed, those that will not assist their brethren will not appear at the Judgment seat of Christ which is reserved for saved men and women. In the verse above we note that those that do not help are reserved for eternal damnation. This is why I say to each of you who read this; **Give some money and or time to assist the persecuted Church.** There are many ministries that help. There is Christian Freedom International which looks primarily in Asia. There is the Barnabas Fund as well as the well known Voice of the Martyrs. There is absolutely no excuse for not helping out and if you have the means. Be assured of this as well, you will have no excuse before Christ who will try the reins of the hearts of all believers as well as those who say that are believers but refused to obey.

Now when Jesus heard these things, he said unto him, Yet lackest thou one thing: sell all that thou hast, and distribute unto the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come, follow me.
(Luk 18:22)

My strong advice to all of my readers is this. ***Give while you can.*** Do not put it off, don't wait for things to get better for you financially. I do not know how much time we American Christians are going to be living as well as we do. So I say this now, if you want a treasure in heaven you must put your money there. Leave in on earth and the New World Order crowd will only steal it from you. Do not try to make the Lord's words null and void when he said.

For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.
(Mat 6:21)

Give while the light is shining and while there are miniseries around that really help other Christians in feeding, clothing, teaching and equipping the saints. I tend to look at giving as a kind of heavenly investment plan. If you want a house in heaven, then you must send up the building materials now. If you do not send anything up but enough for a cardboard box, brother...

that is all you will have. So do not store up your treasures here on earth. Give them to people who REALLY need it, and there are many so very, very many. So give with a cheerful heart, willingly, regularly and secretly.

Christ is Coming

Finally and most importantly, get ready. All of the things happening in the world today should let us know that Christ is coming very soon, and his reward is with him. He is coming on a white horse and he will judge every man according to his works. Get ready folks if there is anything that is in your life that is not right don't wait around to fix it. Fix it now. I am not talking about being 'holier than thou' in some phony act, go about your business as you usually do but **get the sin and compromise out of your life**. Keep your eyes stayed on Christ and he will sustain you through the tribulation that is very soon to be upon us. Look up and know that your redemption draws near. Stay away from the false prophets on the net who sell their prophecies and false teachings. Avoid sites and associations that have unnatural obsessions with aliens, monsters and so called secret-technology. For the most part, these men and women are distracting and deceiving Christians from what Christ told us to do in these times. Almost without exception you are dealing with men and women who are not of God, though they may really think that they are. They are deceived like the vast majority of humanity. The false prophets of our time are deceiving and are being deceived. Also I feel urged to warn each of you to be careful of 'patriot' Christians whose first loves are the Kingdoms of this earth and of this world. There are many of these kinds of Christians and there are some who are disinformants. Be very, very careful. This is an election year and these deceivers will try to fill your head with fear, conspiracy theories and a patriotic spirit to get you to go out and vote Republican. They are not exhorting you to serve God but to serve men whose love is of worldly power and gain. How can you spot them? They will have some 'hot' new information about some new planned attack against America (by Russians or Chinese or Islamics)⁸ and tell us how the administration is making America strong (when nothing, could be further from the truth⁹) or have

8 I am not saying these things cannot or will not happen, I think they will. But these guys always turn our in force at election time.

9 Even now the FBI is seeing an exodus, the CIA is likely to see more good people leave as the military has not taken over the CIA. DHS is now only a way to fill the coffers or GOP donors with sweetheart contracts. They only thing they seem to be good for is to announce some bogus terrorist alert when Bush's poll numbers need a boost. Some of the

someone on their shows who constantly stoke up the fires of fear in your hearts. They want you to vote Republican and they will be louder and have 'scarier' information as the election approaches. I strongly exhort each of you to be aware of this network of disinformation and be attuned to its methods.

Before Christ returns we will see the Mark Of the Beast. It is coming and **it is not far off at all**. The ultimate aim of the plans for all those who run our planet today is to track and monitor every person on earth. They are going to be allowed to do it for a short period of time on earth. **Don't take the mark, don't let anyone put any kind of chip or mark on or in you for any reason at anytime whatsoever**. Be warned, this is one of the most serious admonitions in scripture.

Finally, for those who love Christ, ***be encouraged***. Looking at the news today and seeing all of the evil can be a tedious and draining affair. It can really get a person down. Evil is having its way, as it was prophesied long ago. We all are forced to endure it for a season. But take heart, Christ will do away with the unrepentant wicked and set up a kingdom based on righteousness, justice and love. Forgive brethren, and be forgiven.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with all who read this and may those who do not know him, receive the wisdom they need to seek Christ while he may be found.

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shenanigans going on in the government defy any statements made that Bush is making America more secure. He is destroying ALL of our security apparatus with his woeful incompetence.

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