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Under Attack

When I finished my last book, *God Played His Trump Card!*, I wasn't sure if God had another book, or booklet, that He wanted written. I took the time to quickly complete the last book, over a period of a couple of weeks, between the 2024 election results and the final page written in that book. Now, here we are on the second day of January 2025 and listening to the media talk about the deadly terrorist attack in New Orleans that left 15 people dead and many others hurt. Why??? What is the reason behind all of this? Yes! There's another book, or booklet, that God wants written. The second incident, which occurred yesterday, was in Las Vegas at a truck explosion. Are these connected incidents in some way? We don't know at this time.

American needs to understand that there is a spiritual war that is going on. There is one side of this war that many people do not understand and comprehend. You can't see the spirits that are conducting this war. It really doesn't matter whether you are observing the Godly side or Satan's side. Spirits are not normally seen. Yes! They have the ability to manifest their appearance to mankind, but, they normally are not seen and they influence an earthly agent, a personage of mankind, to act on their behalf for the one side or the other. At the moment, God has appointed Donald J. Trump as His principle agent to act as His leader for America. Trump is acting in a role as Moses acted in a similar role to get the Hebrew people through the tough times of crossing the wilderness for forty years. Trump only has four years to correct the horrible situation in which the United States is currently involved. This nation must turn to God for the guidance to get this nation out of the crippling national debt that looms over every citizens' head. This debt not only impacts those of us who are adults, but, it also impacts future generations of our children and grandchildren, if we don't correct it now. The actions necessary for the blessings of God to return to our nation will not be easy. There will be some very tough decisions that have to be made over, especially the next two years. Why do I say two years? Very simple, we have another election at the midterm point between the four year cycles of presidential elections for the Legislature. Americans are people who want a quick fix to most any problem. However, if Americans continue to stick their head in the sand and not comprehend the magnitude of change that has been made, and which must be made to correct the present situation, they will flip and go another direction. God appears to be working to once again bless this land and to bring it back to the greatness that this nation once held. In my last book, pertaining to President Trump, I showed several verses from Hosea and Amos on the seriousness of the present situation. I'm bringing some of those verses forward praying that you will understand the statements God has made in His Word.

Hosea 4:1-2, ¹ Hear the word of the Lord, O children of Israel, for the Lord has a controversy with the inhabitants of the land. There is no faithfulness or steadfast love, and no knowledge of God in the land; ² there is swearing, lying, murder, stealing, and committing adultery; they break all bounds, and bloodshed follows bloodshed. (abortions after abortions)

Hosea 4:6, ⁶ My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge; because you have rejected knowledge, I reject you from being a priest to me. And since you have forgotten the law of your God, I also will forget your children.

Hosea 14:9, ⁹ Whoever is wise, let him understand these things; whoever is discerning, let him know them; for the ways of the Lord are right, and the upright walk in them, but transgressors stumble in them.

Amos 7:2-9, ² When they had finished eating the grass of the land, I said, "O Lord God, please forgive! How can Jacob stand? He is so small!" ³ The Lord relented concerning this: "It shall not be," said the Lord. This is God's first reprieve! ⁴ This is what the Lord God showed me: behold, the Lord God was calling for a judgment by fire, and it devoured the great deep and was eating up the land. ⁵

Then I said, "O Lord God, please cease! How can Jacob stand? He is so small!" ⁶ The Lord relented concerning this: "This also shall not be," said the Lord God. This is the second reprieve by God! ⁷ This is what he showed me: behold, the Lord was standing beside a wall built with a plumb line, with a plumb line in his hand. ⁸ And the Lord said to me, "Amos, what do you see?" And I said, "A plumb line." Then the Lord said, "Behold, I am setting a plumb line in the midst of my people Israel; I will never again pass by them; Last Chance! This is where we are today. If America does not repent and change their ways, God will not pass this way again! We will face the wrath of God! ⁹ the high places of Isaac shall be made desolate, and the sanctuaries of Israel shall be laid waste, and I will rise against the house of Jeroboam with the sword."

Amos 8:1-2, ¹ This is what the Lord God showed me: behold, a basket of summer fruit. ² And he said, "Amos, what do you see?" And I said, "A basket of summer fruit." Then the Lord said to me, "The end has come upon my people Israel; I will never again pass by them.

Return with me for a moment to Hosea 5:15. ¹⁵ <u>I will return again to my place, until they acknowledge their guilt and seek my face, and in their distress earnestly seek me.</u>

It would seem that God has turned His back on <u>Ephraim and Israel</u> for the time being. He is giving us warning of His coming wrath and waiting on us to repent and turn from our sinful, wicked and evil ways practiced through abortions, homosexual practices, gender changing and our dependency on drugs and alcohol. When we acknowledge these sins, God will once again listen to us as a God fearing nation. It makes no difference, at this point, whether we are speaking about Ephraim, Israel (America) or Judah. Now, not if, but, when we repent and turn back to God He will perform the feat we see in the following verses from Amos.

Amos 9:14-15, ¹⁴ I will restore the fortunes of my people Israel, and they shall rebuild the ruined cities and inhabit them; they shall plant vineyards and drink their wine, and they shall make gardens and eat their fruit. ¹⁵ I will plant them on their land, and they shall never again be uprooted out of the land that I have given them," says the Lord your God.

However, if Satan's influence continues to get stronger, and the left continues to deceive Americans into the lies that his (Satan's) spiritual side broadcast into society, there will be a major shift at the midterm elections. Please, oh please, study and comprehend what is being presented as facts.

Throughout the pages of my last book, I extracted information from two main sources: The first was the book entitled, The 5000 Year Leap, A Miracle That Changed the World, copyrighted © in 1981 and written by Cleon Skousen. This book gave the 28 principles that the Founding Fathers of our Constitution used to establish our form of government. The details of those principles are amazing and the facts are recorded for everyone to be able to read and understand why our government is established as it is. The government of the United States of America is a REPUBLIC and not a DEMOCRACY. I had to admit that even I had to go back and study the difference between these two forms of government. Our form of government is usually stated as a democracy, and that is totally and completely wrong. The government of the United States is not established as a democracy, it is a Republic. The main difference is how the decisions for the establishment of our laws are made. Under a democracy the entire realm of society had to gather to vote on what would be law. In a republic, we, the people, elect representatives as members of the Legislature to act on our behalf to make the decisions on which laws are applicable. The basic rule is for the members of society to have the say-so on how they are to be governed. The problem with the true democracy is that as the population of society grows, you can't get everyone together as a whole body of citizens to enact the laws. People would find other excuses, i.e., work, family, distance, etc. as reasons why they couldn't fulfill their duty to the whole of society to enact laws. On the other side of this is the facts of governing as a republic. An appointed representative would act on our behalf and read, evaluate and vote on which laws became effective. The main functional idea of "We the people, by the people and for the people" would be met and society as a whole would have the democracy that we all desired as our inherited freedoms. This actually became the first principle in Mr. Skousen's book, and is stated as follows: First Principle: The only reliable basis for sound government and just human relations is Natural Law. Every American should accept that the basis of our form of government comes from the Holy Bible as God's natural law.

Let's look at a thought of what the Bible records as Natural Law. Allow me to begin with the term DEI under the left's viewpoint. Diversity, equity and inclusion is a term used to describe policies and programs that promote the representation and participation of different groups of individuals. DEI encompasses people of different ages, races, ethnicities, abilities, disabilities, genders, religions, cultures and sexual orientations. Now, let's look at this statement from a Biblical view and not a world view. In those years that I served on active duty with the Air Force, there was a statement that came into play on many, many subjects. That statement was, "Keep it simple, stupid!" (KISS). Okay how can we keep DEI simple and have it stated as a Biblical view. The simple verse spoken by Jesus is found in Matthew 22:37-40. 37 And he said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. 38 This is the great and first commandment. 39 And a second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. 40 On these two commandments depend all the Law and the Prophets." (ESV) In plain, simple language, doesn't this say the same thing as the theme of DEI? But, I'd really like to know why the necessity to make this statement a statement of gobble gook? Why insert age? Children are not adults and children do not work as adults do. We are not in a third world country where children are forced to work. We are also not in a socialistic state where only the rules of the state is what is applicable. Why make the double statement comparing race and ethnicity? Webster's dictionary gives almost identical definitions. We could call these two terms synonyms. The next two terms are opposites. We could also state that genders and sexual orientations are basically the same thing. Remember, there are only two genders created by God. Those are male and female which is also the means that a couple have children. Read Matthew 19:4-6. 4 He answered, "Have you not read that he who created them from the beginning made them male and female, 5 and said, 'Therefore a man shall leave his father and his mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall become one flesh'? 6 So they are no longer two but one flesh. What therefore God has joined together, let not man separate." (ESV) Finally, what is the difference between religion and culture? The world view of DEI is that of deception, lies and misinformation.

If we returned to the paragraph above and looked one more time at the verses from Matthew 22, we should clearly see that for all basic purposes of His statement, Jesus reduced the Ten Commandments down to just two. But, even with this being a fact, Jesus went one step further and reduced the meaning of the Ten Commandments down to only one. Look at John 13:34-35. 34 A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. 35 By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." (ESV) Now, please do not misunderstand my intent by saying what I did. Jesus told even the rich young man to follow the Commandments, Matthew 19:16-22. 16 And behold, a man came up to him, saying, "Teacher, what good deed must I do to have eternal life?" 17 And he said to him, "Why do you ask me about what is good? There is only one who is good. If you would enter life, keep the commandments." 18 He said to him, "Which ones?" And Jesus said, "You shall not murder, You shall not commit adultery, You shall not steal, You shall not bear false witness, 19 Honor your father and mother, and, You shall love your neighbor as yourself." 20 The young man said to him, "All these I have kept. What do I still lack?" 21 Jesus said to him, "If you would be perfect, go, sell what you possess and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow me." 22 When the young man heard this he went away sorrowful, for he had great possessions. (ESV)

How, or where, did our concepts of a Republic change? It seems that the beginning of this came about in the early 1900s. Supporters of the Socialist Party of America (SPA) were heartened by the

results of the Presidential election of 1904 which saw that party's candidate, Eugene V. Debs, win approximately 400,000 votes. One supporter in particular, novelist Upton Sinclair, was motivated to help advance the socialist idea among the political leaders of tomorrow by establishing a new organization targeted at college students. This new organization, created in 1905, became known as the Intercollegiate Socialist Society (ISS). Codirector Harry W. Laidler explained that the ISS was set up to "throw light on the worldwide movement of industrial DEMOCRACY **known as socialism**." (The New York Times, Jan. 28, 1919.)

What was this new movement attempting to accomplish? Socialism is defined as "government ownership or control of all the means of production (farms, factories, mines, and natural resources) and all the means of distribution (transportation, communications, and the instruments of commerce)." Obviously, this is not a "democracy" in the classical sense. And it is the very antithesis of a free market economy in a republic.

The ISS adopted a snappy slogan for the times: "Production for use, not for profit." This seemed to catch on. Hundreds of men and women who later became big names in government, press, radio, television, and motion pictures were among the early recruits.

However, by 1921, the violence associated with the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics (USSR -called Russia) had given the term "socialism" a strongly repugnant meaning to many people. The ISS therefore decided to change its name to "The League for Industrial DEMOCRACY." The word "democracy" was supposed to carry the message that through the nationalization (government expropriation) of all the means of production and distribution, the nation's fabulous resources would become the property of "all the people"— hence a democracy. Then America could enjoy "production for use, not for profit." This meant that the word "democracy" was deceptive. Various devices were used to alert the public to the true meaning of the word. For example, the U.S. Army's Training Manual No. 2000-25, published in 1928, contained a whole section explaining the difference between a democracy and a republic in their original, historical sense.

The U.S. Army Training Manual had the following to say concerning the -

Characteristics of a Democracy:

A government of the masses.

Authority derived through mass meetings or any other form of "direct" expression.

Results in mobocracy (a government ruled by the mob or the ruling class.)

Attitude toward property is communistic—negating property rights.

Attitude toward law is that the will of the majority shall regulate, whether it be based upon deliberation or government by passion, prejudice, and impulse, without restraint or regard to consequences.

Results in demagogism, license, agitation, discontent, anarchy.

The government manual then proceeded to outline the <u>Characteristics of a Republic</u>, which all of the Founders had vigorously recommended over a pure democracy or any other form of government.

Authority is derived through the election by the people of public officials best fitted to represent them.

Attitude toward property is respect for laws and individual rights. and a sensible economic procedure.

Attitude toward law is the administration of justice in accord with fixed principles and established evidence, with a strict regard for consequences.

A greater number of citizens and extent of territory may be brought within its compass.

Avoids the dangerous extreme of either tyranny or mobocracy.

Results in statesmanship, liberty, reason, justice, contentment, and progress.

In spite of these efforts to clarify the difference between a democracy and a republic, the United States began to be consistently identified in both the press and the school books as a "democracy." President Wilson helped contribute to the confusion when he identified World War I as the effort of the allied forces to "make the world safe for democracy." President Wilson had surrounded himself with many of the early recruits to the ISS movement, and these may have encouraged the adoption of this slogan, just as they later changed the name of their ISS organization to the League for Industrial Democracy.

The intellectual development of the ISS members had not followed the same line of maturation that the Founders had desired. Some members wanted the new "United States democracy" after WWI to become a socialist state with the people's consent (democratic socialism). Others wanted a "mixed system" of part socialism, part free enterprise. Some were becoming disillusioned and had started swinging back to the Founder's traditional formula. A few had become enamored with the seizure of power by force and violence and had become leaders in the Communist party movement. Nevertheless, all of them continued to refer to the United States as a democracy.

Following World War II, an interesting semantic transition began to take place in the American mind with reference to the use of the word "democracy."

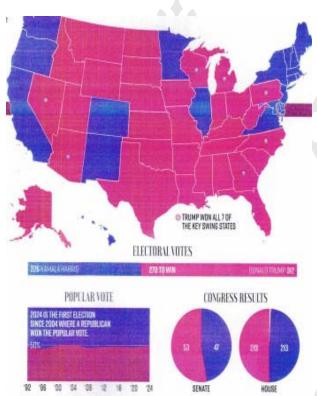
To begin with, the Communists, the National Socialists of Germany, and the Democratic Socialists throughout the rest of Europe had all misused the word "democracy" to the point where it had become virtually meaningless as a descriptive term. **As an euphemism for socialism, the word had become totally innocuous (meaning safe and inoffensive).**

I can now understand the actions of J. Edgar Hoover in the early 1950s to search out the communist minded individuals in the arts, and in politics, and to remove them from positions of leadership within America. Hoover understood that there was a definite change to our government that was being made by those who desired a socialistic form of government. It is a shame, to our original system of government, that the latest Presidential election had so much deception displayed over the word "democracy". The Founders would be appalled to observe the decline of our nation's leadership toward this counterfeit "democracy" that the left is hiding behind, and was declaring, that Trump was attempting to destroy our democracy. The truth was, and is, that Trump is trying to save our original form of "Republic" government. Every person in this nation needs to understand this!

Our God, through the actions of Donald J. Trump, is trying to have the slogan of the United States to be correct once again. That slogan is on every coin of the realm and on our printed paper money and it exists on many license plates of many of our individual states. The term I am alluding to is "In God We Trust!" God saved the life of Donald J. Trump, not once, but twice that we know about. If the left had achieved their goals, there would have been other attempts to kill Donald J. Trump. Thankfully, for the nation, that did not happen. Please take the time to be a concerned citizen and learn the truth of our history that this nation was founded upon, the concept that our form of government would be a "Republic" and not a democracy. I've had to sit down and study this! Much of my knowledge of United States history has come into play to learn the truth! Our Founders, by God's grace, carried out their work to make our Constitution what it truthfully is. Yes, there are those who now claim that our Constitution was written by a group of farmers almost 250 years ago and is not relevant to today's society in the United States. Please allow me to make another personal statement. If it wasn't for the work of those men, almost 250 years ago, we wouldn't have the nation that we have. It is high time that we all get back to the true vision our Founders laid out in our Constitution. Learn the word Republic,

and also that the term now being used for "democracy" is a cover-up for Socialism. A form of government that would take all of your freedoms away. President Donald J. Trump is only working as God's agent to "clean the swamp"! Remember one thing: The term Democrat is not advocating a turn to socialism, however, the usage of the term "Democracy" is a cover up term to indicate socialism.

Let's look at the results of this 2024 election. For the first time in a very long time, the working class members of our society, who are normally strong Democrats, gave up a large percentage of rhetoric told to them by the left established segment of society and voted for Donald J. Trump. They realized that they had never even had the opportunity to express their desires for a Presidential candidate. Kamala Harris was never their choice. The person the Democrats picked as their candidate was Joe Biden, not Kamala Harris. It was bureaucrats within the party who choose Kamala Harris, not the working class of Americans who have traditionally voted Democrat! If you do not believe this to be the case, please explain the resultant numbers on this election. Donald J. Trump won 312 Electoral College votes to Harris' 226 votes. It takes 270 votes to win the election in this manner. We can also see the total effect by viewing the results in the House and the Senate. The vote results in the House is 219 to 213 and in the Senate the results is 53 to 47 with both the House and Senate going Republican.



There is a very clear and very strong statement that was made. Americans are no longer desirous of being lied to by politicians, especially bureaucratic politicians who have never been voted into their position. I can only pray that the Trump Administration will call the states together to have a few constitutional amendments added under Article 5 of our Constitution. There are as many as five (5) items that need to be reviewed and evaluated on. These are:

- (1) Term limits for the professional politicians. Members of the Legislature (House or Senate) should have an established term limit of 12 years.
- (2) Term limits for judges of the Supreme Court. Their term limit should be set to 18 years and a retirement salary of 50 percent of current pay.
- (3) A balanced budget. This must be done to protect the fiscal monetary spending of the various departments of our government. The budget must adhere to the stipulations of the Constitution to provide for the military defense of the United

States. This is to include all six branches of the military: Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Space Force and Coast Guard. The budget must also set aside the funding necessary to keep our military forces prepared to defend this nation, via new acquisitions, repairs and replacements of outdated items or systems.

(4) The creation of a new branch of government. Civil Service is to be brought into the other branches of government with structured guidelines providing a means of checks and balances along with their portion of budget management. This branch will not have the ability, nor authority to arbitrarily dictate new rules and regulations that bypass Legislative action. All rules and regulations of any appointed agency must go through the process of enacting a new law. If there is a term limit established for the judges of the Supreme

Court then in like manner the same 18 year limit shall apply to those occupying a civil service position. The one major difference is that their retirement pay shall be 35 percent of their final salary.

(5) The repeal of the 17th Amendment shall place the selection of national Senators back under the authority of the various states. A full review of the rationale for such a change must be taken to insure that there is States' Rights in the structure of our Republic form of government.

There is another fact that everyone who is a Democrat needs to look at. If the current Biden administration is being honest and above board in what their statements and speeches indicate, why is it that President Joe Biden signed 1,500 pardons to protect people in the current administration from any type of criminal charges against them once they leave their current official position? Think about that! Is that really what you desire from your elected leaders? Pray that our God will lead all of us in supporting Donald J. Trump as our 47th President. We must all face the fact that times will be painful over the next four years to bring the necessary changes to our national debt. So be it, may it be God's will.

On page 2, of this work, I indicated that I used two main sources for information to write my book, God Played His Trump Card and I gave my first source at that point. My second source, for a lot of the material, was The Epoch Times, with various dates of publication. I have titled this book, Save Our Republic, Don't Get Sucked Into Socialism. Once again, I feel compelled to turn to The Epoch Times to provide the source for what I intend to write about in a major portion of the remainder of this work. Our form of government is under attack and the Adversary (Satan) is the mastermind of the spiritual forces that are fighting against our way of life and our form of government. The following information is taken from several weeks of printed publications of The Epoch Times, and I can only pray that the editorial staff of The Epoch Times will not be too angry with me for using their printed material. I am making the declaration that this material is extracted from the pages of The Epoch Times, and that I am not indenting or citing The Epoch Times any further. From The Epoch Times comes the article: How The Specter (Spirit) of Communism Is Ruling Our World.



How The Specter (Spirit) of Communism Is Ruling Our World

Communism: The Devil's Ideology

God established a rich culture for human society based on Natural Law, paving the way for humans to return to heaven. Communism and the traditional culture of the divine are irreconcilable.

At the core of the evil specter are atheism and materialism, a confluence of elements from German philosophy, French social revolution, and British political economics, assembled as a secular (worldly) religion meant to replace the position previously occupied by God and the orthodox (conventional) beliefs.

Communism turns the world into its church, bringing all aspects of social life under its purview (ideology). Satan occupies people's thoughts, causing them to revolt against God and discard tradition. This is how Satan leads man to his own destruction. Biblical destruction is Hell! See Matthew 7:13-20.

13 "Enter by the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads to destruction, and there are many who go in by it. 14 Because narrow is the gate and difficult is the way which leads to life, and there are few who find it.

¹⁵ "Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravenous wolves. ¹⁶ You will know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes from thornbushes or figs from thistles? ¹⁷ Even so, every good tree bears good fruit, but a bad tree bears bad fruit. ¹⁸ A good tree cannot bear bad fruit, nor can a bad tree bear good fruit. ¹⁹ Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. ²⁰ Therefore by their fruits you will know them. (NKJV)

Satan chose Marx and others as his agents to oppose and destroy the principles laid down by God for human society. In the East, Satan launched a violent revolution and established a totalitarian (absolute authority) state that united politics and secular religion. In the West, Satan establishes progressive, nonviolent communism through high levels of taxation and wealth redistribution. On a global scale, Satan seeks to spread communistic ideology to political systems everywhere, with the goal of undermining nation-states and establishing a global ruling body, such as the United Nations. This is the "paradise on earth" promised in communism, a supposed collective society without classes, nations, or government, based on the principle of "from each according to his ability and to each according to his need."

Communism uses its program of creating a "paradise" on earth to promote an atheistic conception of "social progress." It uses materialism to undermine the spiritual pursuits of mankind in order to enable communistic ideology to spread to every sphere, including not only social studies and philosophy but even natural sciences and religious teaching. Like a malignant tumor, communism metastasizes (grows and spreads), eliminating other beliefs, including the belief in God, as it spreads. In turn, it destroys national sovereignty and identity, and humanity's moral and cultural traditions, thus leading man to destruction. In "The Communist Manifesto," Marx proclaimed, "The communist revolution is the most radical rupture (breaking apart) with traditional property relations; no wonder that its development involves the most radical rupture with traditional ideas," Marx thus accurately summarized the practice of communism over the past two centuries.

God is the source of moral order, and the divine's morality is eternal and unchanging. Moral standards are not for man to determine for himself, nor can they be changed by man. Communism sentences morality to death and attempts to have the communist "New Man" establish a fake revolutionary morality. It uses negative methods to expel all the positive factors from human traditions, with the goal of having negative factors occupy the world.

Traditional laws come from morality and are intended to uphold it. Communism tries to separate morality from the law, then destroy morality by concocting malicious new laws and subjecting existing law to twisted interpretations.

God calls upon man to be kind; communism incites class struggle and advocates violence and killing.

God established the family as the basic social unit; communism believes that the family is a manifestation of private property and capitalism, and aims to eliminate it.

God gives man the freedom to obtain wealth and the right to improve his lot in life; communism seeks to control all aspects of economic life by eliminating private property, expropriating (stealing) assets, raising taxes, and monopolizing credit and capital. God established the forms that morality, government, law, society, and culture should take; communism seeks the violent overthrow of existing social structures.

God transmitted to man the unique form of traditional art as a means of passing on the divine image. Traditional art recalls to mankind the beauty of heaven, reinforces faith, elevates morality and nurtures virtue. Communism, on the other hand, would have man worship warped modern creations, artistic productions that stifle our divine nature, give full rein to the demonic impulse toward chaos and disorder, and manipulate the art world by spreading base, ugly, malformed, evil, and decadent (perverted) ideas.

God wants man to be humble and full of reverence and wonder at heavenly creation. Communism connives (pretend ignorance) at the demonic and arrogant side in man, encouraging him to revolt against God. By amplifying the evil inherent and inescapable in human nature, it exploits the idea of "freedom" to encourage conduct that is unrestrained by morality and unfettered by a sense of duty or honor. The slogan of "equality" is used to stir up envy and vanity, stoking man's desire for fame and material interests.

After World War II, the communists expanded their military and economic empire, and the communist bloc and the free world contended for decades. In countries ruled by overt communist regimes, its doctrine became a secular religion, an unchallengeable dogma written into textbooks. But elsewhere, communism took root under other guises.

A Metaphysical Understanding of the Devil:

The idea of the devil, referred to in this text, is that of a supernatural power. To understand the chaos sown by the devil throughout the world, one must come to fully grasp the true nature of communism.

Simply put, the specter of communism is composed of hate; it draws its energy from the hatred that wells up in the human heart. One of the reasons that we, Americans, must model our morality and compassion in the fullness of what the Holy Bible teaches pertaining to the being of Jesus Christ.

The communist specter is tied to Satan. Everyone reading this work must understand that Satan and the devil are one and the same and there is no need to view them as separate entities.

Satan's arrangements are present in both the East and the West, in every profession, and in every walk of life. Sometimes Satan's power is divided and sometimes integrated; sometimes it uses this tactic, sometimes that. Satan follows no simple pattern at any given time. The communist specter is the initiator of an unrestricted war on mankind that has created battlefields out of every conceivable sphere, from academia to popular culture, from social affairs to international relations. The specter's dark energy can migrate at will from one vehicle to the next. For example, after the anti-war movement faded in the West in the 1970s, Satan manipulated rebellious adolescents to channel their energies into

agitating for feminism and abortion rights, environmentalism, and the legalization of homosexuality. Satan used these efforts to subvert Western civilization from within.

Satan recruits those of villainous (sinful or evil) character to serve as his agents and representatives in the human world. Under his power, they use deceptive appeals to humanity and other fallacious (deceived or false) narratives to draw compassionate and innocent people into the fold. With their sense of justice and morality hijacked by communism, they become some of the devil's most loyal apologists (adherent followers).

Satan's agents, most of whom are unaware of their role, are everywhere in society, from the elite, to the middle class, even to the lower classes. Thus, the devil's activities manifest sometimes as bottom-up revolutions, sometimes as top-down conspiracies, and sometimes as reforms from the center.

Can Satan change forms and exist in multiple places at once? No! Only God is capable of Omnipotence and Omnipresence, however, the Bible tells us that when the angel Lucifer rebelled against God, he convinced one-third of the angels to rebel with him. In this regard, Satan as the authority over the demons (the fallen angels who rebelled against God with Lucifer), can appear to be in many places at the same time. Turn over to the New Testament of the Holy Bible for just a few minutes. The twelve apostles wanted to know when Jesus would return to earth and what would be the signs of His coming. Jesus began to tell them the following things in Matthew 24: 4-6. ⁴ And Jesus answered and said to them: "Take heed that no one deceives you. 5 For many will come in My name, saying, 'I am the Christ,' and will deceive many. 6 And you will hear of wars and rumors of wars. See that you are not troubled; for all these things must come to pass, but the end is not yet. (NKJV) Satan's deceptions are many and this warning is presented again and again throughout the New Testament. Here are some of those statements. Paul says the following in 1 Corinthians 3:18-19. 18 Let no one deceive himself. If anyone among you thinks that he is wise in this age, let him become a fool that he may become wise. 19 For the wisdom of this world is folly with God. (ESV) Paul also tells this to the Ephesians in chapter 5, verses 6-8. 6 Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of these things the wrath of God comes upon the sons of disobedience. ⁷ Therefore do not become partners with them; ⁸ for at one time you were darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Walk as children of light (ESV) Paul also gives this warning to the Thessalonians in his second letter to them in chapter 2, verses 3-4. 3 Let no one deceive you in any way. For that day will not come, unless the rebellion comes first, and the man of lawlessness is revealed, the son of destruction, 4 who opposes and exalts himself against every socalled god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, proclaiming himself to be God. (ESV) Paul is not the only one to give this warning. The apostle John also gave this warning in 1 John 3:7-8. ⁷ Little children, <u>let no one deceive you.</u> Whoever practices righteousness is righteous, as he is righteous. 8 Whoever makes a practice of sinning is of the devil, for the devil has been sinning from the beginning. The reason the Son of God appeared was to destroy the works of the devil. (ESV) John went so far in his means to get people to understand the influence of Satan and that he is the deceiver of the world and the god of this world. Look at this additional statement made by John in 1 John 4:1-3. Look at what John says about testing the spirits. 1 Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits to see whether they are from God, for many false prophets have gone out into the world. ² By this you know the Spirit of God: every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh is from God, 3 and every spirit that does not confess Jesus is not from God. This is the spirit of the antichrist, which you heard was coming and now is in the world already. (ESV) Paul also informs us about who is the god of this world, 2 Corinthians 11:13-15. 13 For such men are false apostles, deceitful workmen, disguising themselves as apostles of Christ. 14 And no wonder, for even Satan disguises himself as an angel of light. 15 So it is no surprise if his servants, also, disguise themselves as servants of righteousness. Their end will correspond to their deeds. (ESV) One final verse 2 Corinthians 4:4,

⁴ In their case the **god of this world** has blinded the minds of the unbelievers, to keep them from seeing the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God. (ESV)

Satan uses lowly beings and spirits in other dimensions to do his work. These beings feed on man's negative energies, including hate, fear, despair, arrogance, rebelliousness, jealousy, lust, rage, frenzy, idleness, and more. Pornography and drug addiction are tools the devil also uses.

Satan is secretive and full of guile. He uses man's sinfulness, wickedness, and darkness to achieve his ends, and as long as a person's thoughts align with these qualities, the devil can control that person. Many times, people think they are acting according to their own thoughts, failing to realize they are being manipulated.

Satan's Many Faces:

Just as the devil goes by many names, communism manifests itself in many ways. Satan uses contradictory positions to deceive: a totalitarian regime or a democracy, a planned economy or a market economy, control of the press or no restraints whatsoever on speech, opposition to homosexuality in some countries or legalization of homosexuality in other countries, wanton environmental destruction or clamor for environmental protection, and so on.

Satan can advocate violent revolution or embrace peaceful transition. He may manifest as a political and economic system or as an ideological trend in art and culture. It may take the form of pure idealism or cold-blooded scheming. Communist totalitarian regimes are just one of Satan's manifestations. Marxism-Leninism and Maoism form just one aspect of Satan's pernicious deceit.

Since utopian socialism developed in the 18th century, the world has seen the emergence of numerous ideological viewpoints: scientific socialism, Fabian socialism, syndicalism, Christian socialism, democratic socialism, humanitarianism, eco-socialism, welfare capitalism, Marxism-Leninism, and Maoism. These ideologies are of two broad and sometimes overlapping types: violent communism or nonviolent communism. The nonviolent strains take the approach of infiltrating and gradually eroding the status quo.

One of the many ways the devil deceives is by making arrangements in the two opposing camps of the East and the West. As it carried out a vast invasion of the East, it also took on a new guise and stole into the West. The Fabian Society of Britain, the Social Democratic Party of Germany, the Second International of France, the Socialist Party of the United States, and many other socialist parties and organizations spread the seeds of destruction throughout Western Europe and North America.

During the Cold War, the concentration camps, slaughter, famines, and purges in the Soviet Union and China made some Westerners count themselves lucky that they still lived in luxury and freedom. Some socialists publicly condemned the violence of the Soviet Union on humanitarian grounds, which led many to let down their guard around them.

The demon of communism inhabits a variety of complex guises in the West and operates under many banners, making it almost impossible to go against. The following schools or movements were either derived from communism or used by communism to reach its ends: liberalism, progressivism, the Frankfurt School, Neo-Marxism, critical theory, the counterculture of the 1960s, the anti-war movement, sexual liberations, legalization of homosexuality, feminism, environmentalism, social justice, political correctness, Keynesian economics, avant-garde art, and multiculturalism.

Socialism: The Preliminary Stage of Communism:

In the West, many view socialism and communism as being separate, which provides fertile ground for socialism to flourish. In fact, according to Marxist-Leninist theory, socialism is simply communism's preliminary stage.

In 1875, in "Critique of the Gotha Programme," Marx put forward the idea that there is an initial phase of communism, which is followed by a "higher" phase. Friedrich Engels, compelled by changes in the international situation in his later years, also proposed "Democratic Socialism," in which votes were used to obtain political power. Democratic socialism was adopted by social democratic party leaders and theorists of the Second International and led to the left-wing parties in many capitalist countries around the world today. Later, Lenin set down clear definitions of socialism and communism. He considered socialism to be the preliminary phase of communism, and communism to be developed on the basis of socialism. The state ownership and planned economy of socialism are part of the initial preparation for communism.

Socialism has always been part of Marxism and the international communist movement. While branches of socialism or left-wing doctrines popular in the West seem superficially unrelated to communism, they are nonviolent forms of the same root ideology. Left-wing parties come to power in Western countries through elections, rather than violent revolution. High taxation serves the same role as the outright state ownership seen under communist regimes, and excessive social welfare is used in place of planned economics. Creating a welfare state is an important aspect of realizing socialism in Western countries.

It is thus impossible to understand the dangers of communism or socialism by focusing solely on the violence and slaughter committed by regimes that embrace those ideologies. Totalitarian communism and seemingly nonviolent forms of socialism go hand in hand, as communism requires this preliminary phase of development, just as a living organism needs a period of gradual maturation. In a free country turned into a totalitarian regime overnight, the drastic contrast between propaganda and reality would leave most people shocked. Many would rebel or at least passively resist. This would lead to high costs for totalitarian rule, and the regime would likely need to commit mass slaughter to eliminate the resistance, as happened in the Soviet Union and China. Unlike under totalitarian rule, socialism in democratic states slowly eats away at people's freedoms through legislation, without society's notice, like the metaphor of the boiling frog. The process of establishing a socialist system takes decades or generations, leaving people gradually numb, oblivious, and accustomed to socialism, all of which enhance the deceit. The endgame of socialist movements implemented gradually and through 'legal' means is no different from that of their violent counterparts.

Some left-leaning states in the West today use the idea of the "common good" to convince the populace to sacrifice their individual freedoms. Citizens in these countries retain what appears to be a high degree of political liberties only because socialism has yet to become a strong political system. But socialism is not a static concept. Socialist countries set equality of outcome as the primary goal and thus are bound to deprive people of their freedom in the name of progress. Socialism inevitably undergoes a transition to communism, with people continually stripped of their rights until what remains is a tyrannical authoritarian regime.

Socialism uses the idea of guaranteeing equality of outcome through legislation, while in actuality, it drags down moral values and deprives people of the freedom to incline toward goodness. Under normal circumstances, people of all kinds naturally vary in their religious beliefs, moral standards, cultural literacy, educational backgrounds, intelligence, fortitude, diligence, sense of responsibility, and more. Of course, it is impossible to enforce equality by suddenly elevating those at lower levels, so instead, socialism artificially restrains those at higher levels. Especially in terms of moral values, the socialism of the West uses pretexts like "antidiscrimination," "value neutrality," or "political correctness" to attack basic moral discernment. This is equivalent to an attempt to eliminate morality as such. This

has come along with the legalization and normalization of all manner of anti-theism and profane speech, sexual perversions, demonic art, pornography, gambling, and drug use. The result is a kind of reverse discrimination against those who believe in God and aspire to moral elevation, with the goal of marginalizing and eventually getting rid of them.

Romantic Notions About Communism:

To this day, there are numerous Westerners who harbor romantic fantasies about communism, yet have never lived in a communist country and borne the suffering there, thus have no understanding of what communism actually means in practice. During the Cold War, many intellectuals, artists, journalists, politicians, and young students from the free world went to Russia, China and Cuba as tourists and travelers. What they saw, or, rather, were allowed to see, was completely different from the lived reality of the people of those countries.

Communist countries have perfected their ability to deceive foreigners. Everything the foreign visitors were shown was carefully crafted to their tastes, including the model villages, factories, schools, hospitals, daycare centers, and prisons. The receptionists and guides they encountered were members of the Communist Party or others considered politically reliable. The tours were rehearsed. The visitors were greeted with flowers, wine, dancing and signing, banquets, and smiling young children and officials. Then they were taken to see people who appeared to be hard at work yet able to talk freely and as equals, students studying hard, and lovely weddings.

What they did not get to see were the sham trials, mass sentencings, mob lynchings, struggle sessions, kidnappings, brainwashing, solitary confinement, forced labor camps, massacres, theft of land and property, famines, shortages of public service, lack of privacy, eavesdropping, surveillance, monitoring by neighbors and informants everywhere, brutal political struggles in the leadership, and extravagant luxuries of the elite. They especially were not allowed to see the suffering of ordinary people. Take for example the persecution of the practitioners of Falun Gong and the CCP's policy of forced organ harvesting while the persecuted are still alive and slowly being killed by thugs and doctors. There was another example that I gave in my previous work of, *God Played His Trump Card*. In that work, on page 23 under principle 6, was the story of minorities, equality, black men and change. I'm inserting that portion of what was written concerning principle 6: All men are created equal.

We are discussing minorities and specifically **the area of equality**. It seems that since the time the United States entered the twenty-first century that one major thought has managed to come to the surface of the melting pot called America. This goes to the point of time when Barack Obama made the announcement that it was time to have a change in America. Americans failed to grasp the change that Mr. Obama was steering them toward. He wasn't challenging the populace to accept a black man as President, he was advocating that the Constitution should be thrown out and **Marxist ideology should become the rule for equality**. Mr. Obama has had the ability to maintain a political hold on the United States through his association with the Clintons, the Bidens and the Harris families over the last twelve years. I love history, especially when history will reveal the past, in order to guide the present and the future. In many ways, that is the same as prophecy in the Bible. There is a very strong reflective story concerning another black man that we need to view from history. The black man's name was Eldridge Cleaver, one of the leaders of the Black Panthers of the 1960s and 70s. Here is his story:

In the mid 1960s, there were groups of Marxist agitators who moved in among the blacks to promote direct action by violence. One of these was Eldridge Cleaver. He had been trained in Marxist philosophy and tactics while serving a fifteen-year sentence in a California state penitentiary. In 1967 he became the Minister of Information for the

Black Panthers. In his books, Eldridge Cleaver describes the rationale behind their philosophy of violence. It was to destroy the whole economic and social structure of the United States so that blacks could enjoy equal rights under an American Communist regime. The crescendo of violence increased year after year. During the summer of 1968, over a hundred American cities were burning. But the burning was always in black ghettos. The idea was to put the blacks in direct confrontation with the police and state militia in order to solidify their apparent need to become a racial bloc for the coming revolution.

But, the burning and firebombing backfired. The black population began to realize it was only the homes of blacks that were being burned. Other than police, it was primarily blacks that were being hurt in the struggle of the riots. In the shoot-outs with the police, nineteen of the Black Panther leaders were killed. Eldridge Cleaver was wounded. He and his wife later fled to Cuba and then to other Communist countries.

The whole scenario of violence had proved tragically counterproductive. It temporarily jolted, out of joint, a broad spectrum of reforms which the blacks were really seeking and the rest of the nation was trying to provide.

After nearly eight years as an exile in Communist and Socialist countries, Eldridge Cleaver asked to be allowed to return to the United States and pay whatever penalty was due on charges pending against him. He and his wife were no longer atheist. They were no longer Communists. Those bitter years behind the iron and bamboo curtains had dispelled all the propaganda concerning "equality" and "justice" under Communism. Cleaver told the press: "I would rather be in jail in America than free anywhere else." He then went on to say:

"I was wrong and the Black Panthers were wrong. . . . We [black Americans] are inside the system and I feel that the number one objective for Black America is to recognize that they have the same equal rights under the Constitution as Ford or Rockefeller, even if we have no blue chip stocks. However, our membership in the United States is the supreme blue chip stock and the one we have to exercise."

By 1981, Cleaver had paid his final debt to society. No further charges were pending against him. Although he had been involved in a police shoot-out in Oakland, California, he had not been accused of causing any deaths. In fact, it was in the Oakland shoot-out that he was wounded. As he was released on parole, the judge required that he finish his obligation to society by putting in several hundred hours of public service at a California college.

Soon after that, he began accepting speaking engagements before schools, churches, community gatherings, and even prison groups to describe his new and yet profound appreciation for America. He described the despondency which came over him when he found what a betrayal of human rights and human dignity Communism turned out to be. He described the long and strenuous intellectual struggle with his Marxist atheism before he recognized its deceptive fallacies. He frankly and patiently exchanged ideas with university students still struggling with similar philosophical problems. He assured them, as Locke had done, that a persistent pursuit of the truth would bring them to the threshold of reality, where the Creator could be recognized and thereafter have a place in their lives.

The Eldridge Cleaver story is simply the account of a prodigal American who found himself and returned home.

Oh my, please stop and think for a moment. In this Presidential election of 2024, haven't we seen time and time again the results of truth instead of philosophical dreams that only caused discord instead of harmony and peace. Donald J. Trump finally convinced young black men that he was telling them the truth and they finally got together and realized that the other side was pushing a Communist democracy that actually did not, nor does not ring true. The groups of Americans that have not come to truth yet are those who loudly beat the drum for abortion rights. When, pray tell, are those who accept this idea going to wake up and understand that this act is nothing less than murder? When are those who once yelled and screamed "From the river to the sea, Palestine shall be free" going to understand that your words are those used by misinformed governments that are calling for the genocide of a full nation. Isn't that what your words are saying? Aren't you demanding that every Jew in Israel be killed? Then, there are those who want to have their perverted lifestyle, and the mutilation of our youth to change their gender as acceptable concepts to follow. God's Holy Word states that there are only two genders and your perverted sex acts are an abomination. The Framers of our Constitution would not have accepted your ideas, nor desires. I'm going to once again use a statement used by Locke in a previous section: Therefore, to Locke an atheist would be to that extent "irrational," and out of touch with reality; in fact, out of touch with the most important and fundamental reality. That seems to be the thoughts of far too many Americans at the moment. All of America should take the time to pray for our newly elected President and also to ask God to guide and lead him in the changes that are necessary to make America great again. Remember, it is only by God's grace that America can be made prosperous once again. For Americans part in that action, we need to repent of our sins, adjust our thoughts and actions, return to being a Godly nation and thank God for His holy grace.

I'll now return to the present presentation from *The Epoch Times* concerning the march from socialism to communism. We were seeing how the visitors to communist countries are shown what the elites want you to see, and not what the everyday citizen is having to live through. Here is the continuation of that portion of this article.

The visitors mistook what had been staged for them as the norm in communist countries. They then promoted communism in the West through books, articles, and speeches, and many of them didn't know they had been deceived. A small number did see cracks in the edifice, but then fell into another trap: They saw themselves as "fellow travelers" and adopted the Chinese attitude of "not airing dirty laundry in front of outsiders." They reasoned that the slaughter, famine, and suppression in communist countries was simply part of the cost of transitioning to communism. They were confident that while the path to communism was crooked, the future was bright. They refused to tell the truth because that would be blackening the name of the "socialist project." Lacking the courage to tell the truth, they chose a shameful silence. Go to Hong Kong and ask the citizens, those who are old enough to have lived under the period of time when Great Britain owned the lease on Hong Kong and ran the city-state as part of the English realm, just what it was like to live in Hong Kong then, compared to today? You may be surprised at the answers you will get. Go another step and ask any citizen of Taiwan about the pressure the entire island is receiving from the CCP threat to take the entire island as a part of mainland China. Taiwan has been an independent nation since the mid 1940s and not a part of mainland China.

According to the communist fantasy, everyone is free and equal, there's no oppression or takeover, there's great material abundance, and everyone gives according to his ability and receives according to his need, a heaven on earth, where every individual is able to develop freely. A human society of this sort is only a fantasy, one that the devil has used as bait to deceive man. However, the day is coming when there will be a society established just as this records, but it will not be under the leadership of Satan. It will be the thousand year reign of Jesus Christ upon the earth and everything will be as God has promised it shall be. No more pain, no more lies or deception and everyone will be truly equal and free just as Natural Law requires it to be. That is the promise of God's Word in the Bible and not a

fantasy of mankind's belief. Mankind <u>does not have the desire</u> to live in an ordered structure under God's grace. But, does mankind <u>have the capability</u> to live in an ordered structure? Yes! Most certainly, because <u>we</u>, mankind, <u>were formed in the image of God</u> Himself. Genesis 1:26, ²⁶ Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, after our likeness. And let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over the livestock and over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth." (ESV)

The reality of communism is that power falls into the hands of a small group of elite. Real communism is a totalitarian apparatus controlled by a small group of leaders, who use their monopoly of power to suppress, tyrannize, and deprive the majority. The time has not yet arrived for this in some socialist countries, and so they appear to be moderate. When the conditions are ripe, all of that will change, and the naive supporters of a socialist utopia will find it's too late for regret.

The Destruction of Culture and Morality:

Satan's placement of his agents into every field and nation has led the ignorant and uncertain evildoers to hasten their journey toward destruction.

Communism teaches people to oppose a belief in God and to cast out the divine. It simultaneously launches attacks on religions from the outside while manipulating people to corrupt religion from the inside. Religions have been politicized, commercialized, and turned into entertainment. Numerous morally corrupt clergymen put forward delusive or unreasonable interpretations of religious texts, misleading their followers. They even go so far as to commit adultery with their lay members or even engage in pedophilia, with either being sexual perversion.

This chaos has left sincere religious believers bewildered and deprived of hope. Just a century ago, an unwavering belief in God was a sign of moral decency. Now, religious believers are considered foolish and superstitious. They keep their beliefs to themselves, not even discussing their faith among friends for fear of being mocked.

That concludes the presentation made by The Epoch Times toward the truth of Socialism and its leading to full fledged Communism. Is that what you want for America? Is that what you expect as the direction this nation is taking after the 2024 election? Is this what you believe will take hold under the leadership of Donald J. Trump as our 47th President? I pray that this deception of equality and all the Wokeness of the left is just a passing bad dream and that all Americans who voted for Donald J. Trump are ready to face a new agenda under God's grace and Trump's leadership. Yes! It will seem like very bad days ahead when we have to face the necessary budget cuts that must be made to take this burden off the shoulders of every American, no matter what age you are. We have got to get back to the moral society that was the basis for our nation and our way of life. Every American should feel the blessing that they are under by being born here and not in a third world nation or under the rule of a socialist or communist government. Consider the following under our form of a republic government in the meaning of having equal rights.

The goal of society is to provide "equal justice," which means protecting the rights of the people equally:

At the bar of justice, to secure their rights.

At the ballot box, to vote for the candidate of their choice.

At the public school, to obtain their education.

At the employment office, to compete for a job.

At the real estate agency, to purchase or rent a home.

At the pulpit, to enjoy freedom of religion.

At the podium, to enjoy freedom of speech.

At the microphone or before the TV camera, to present views on the issues of the day.

At the meeting hall, to peaceably assemble.

At the print shop, to enjoy freedom of the press.

At the store, to buy the essentials or desirable things of life.

At the bank, to save and prosper.

At the tax collector's office, to pay no more than their fair share.

At the probate court, to pass on to their heirs the fruits of life's labors.

In reading every word presented in *The Epoch Times* article did, you see where this was presented in any form? But it was, and is, a portion of the goals and intent our Forefathers laid out for us in our Constitution. For those of society today who believe that our Constitution is outdated and was written by a bunch of plantation owners, you need to review the forethought and the moral backbone those men had in order to put our Constitution together by the Grace of a Holy God. We need to take the time to actually study and come to understand why our Constitution is written the way that it was written. Once again, please understand that the term Democracy is not the form of our government. The United States of America is a REPUBLIC and the term Democracy has been disguised to mean socialism.

Let us go forward to providing some insight into the thoughts and mindset of our Forefathers. Here is a list identifying some of the unalienable or natural rights which the Founders knew existed but did not enumerate in the Declaration of Independence:

The right of self-government.

The right to bear arms for self-defense.

The right to own, develop, and dispose of property.

The right to make personal choices.

The right of free conscience.

The right to choose a profession.

The right to choose a mate.

The right to beget one's kind.

The right to assemble.

The right to petition.

The right to free speech.

The right to a free press.

The right to enjoy the fruits of one's labor.

The right to improve one's position through barter and sale.

The right to contrive and invent.

The right to explore the natural resources of the earth.

The right to privacy.

The right to provide personal security.

The right to provide nature's necessities—air, food, water, clothing, and shelter.

The right to a fair trial.

The right of free association.

The right to contract.

An analysis of the essential elements of God's code of divine law reveals that it is designed to promote, preserve, and protect man's unalienable rights. These principles will be immediately recognized as the famous Ten Commandments. There are many additional laws set forth in the Bible which clarify and define these principles.

In recent years, the universal emphasis on "rights" has seriously obscured the unalienable duties which are imposed upon mankind by divine law. As Thomas Jefferson said, "man has no natural right in opposition to his social duties."

There are two kinds of duties—public and private. Public duties relate to public morality and are usually supported by local or state ordinances which can be enforced by the police power of the state. Private duties are those which exist between the individual and his Creator. These are called principles of private morality. The only enforcement agency is the self-discipline of the individual himself.

Here are some of the more important responsibilities which the Creator has imposed on every human being of normal mental capacity:

- 1. The duty to honor the supremacy of the Creator and His laws.
- 2. The duty not to take the life of another except in self-defense.
- 3. The duty not to steal or destroy the property of another.
- 4. The duty to be honest in all transactions with others.
- 5. The duty of children to honor and obey their parents and elders.
- 6. The duty of parents and elders to protect, teach, feed, clothe, and provide shelter for children.
- 7. The duty to support law and order and keep the peace.
- 8. The duty not to contrive through a covetous heart to despoil another.
- 9. The duty to provide insofar as possible for the needs of the helpless—the sick, the crippled, the injured, and poverty-stricken.
- 10. The duty to honorably perform contracts and covenants both with God and man.
- 11. The duty to be temperate.
- 12. The duty to become economically self-sufficient.
- 13. The duty not to trespass on the property or privacy of another.
- 14. The duty to maintain the integrity of the family structure.
- 15. The duty to perpetuate the race.
- 16. The duty not to promote or participate in the vices which destroy personal and community life.
- 17. The duty to perform civic responsibilities—vote, assist public officials, serve in official capacities when called upon, stay informed on public issues, volunteer where needed.
- 18. The duty not to aid or abet those involved in criminal or antisocial activities.
- 19. The duty to support personal and public standards of common decency.
- 20. The duty to follow rules of moral rectitude.

The Creator revealed a divine law of criminal justice which is far superior to any other kind being generally followed in the world today. This is the most important element of God's revealed law.

Consider this: Even with out entry paragraph into these duties on the previous page the Ten Commandments were mentioned. Here are 20 more duties, and not necessarily commands, but even so that is only 30 simple rules for mankind to live by and not the oppressive rules and regulations that exist in those countries where the government is either socialist or communist. God is only trying to show you that understanding and following the modeling of Jesus Christ is far less burdensome than having to meet the goals and rules of a tyrant. Which way is it that you desire to live: Free or in bondage?

Please make up your mind on what type of government you want to live under. Do you want a Republic or do you want a deceitful, veiled democracy? Consider doing all that you can to assist our President to follow the leadership of our God to get us back to a moral and prosperous nation.

It is now the week of January 6-10, 2025 and we are seeing many different things going on around the world. Things which bother me greatly in showing the strength of Satan and his horde of demons. Christians are losing their morality and their backbone to stand-up for what is righteous and Godly. In Canada, the Prime Minister, Justin Trudeau, has resigned his official position. In France, Germany and other countries in Europe, we have seen recent elections that have gone totally to the left. In Germany, the coalition government has collapsed and new elections are not scheduled until March. In Ireland, we are seeing anti-Semitism to a level never heard of before from Ireland. In Holland, we are seeing immigrants attacking Jewish spectators at a soccer match and beaten by Islamic gangs in the city streets.

But, you haven't heard anything yet. News seemed to have broken yesterday with Elon Musk bringing up the horrible, atrocious acts occurring in England over the last decade. I feel that the *BBC* (*British Broadcasting Company*) will do all they can to cover this situation up and attempt to safeguard the left leaning government of Prime Minister, Keir Starmer. However, *The Telegraph* has gone through the years that this has been going on and exposed a lot of the truth. Here are a few of the headlines taken from the Internet.

The child victims of rape were denied justice and protection from the state to preserve the image of a successful <u>multicultural society</u>. See the full article below!

Child abuse is more frequently perpetrated by family members, and other children than by *grooming gangs*, recent <u>analysis by a police task force</u> indicates. After reading several articles I think the police have sided with the government to deceive society as a whole and protect the viewpoint of the left.

In a shocking revelation, it is reported that <u>over 250,000</u> white girls in the *UK* have been systematically exploited by *grooming gangs*.

It is high time for *Britain's* criminal justice system to stop failing vulnerable girls victimized by predatory men.

The abuse included gang *rape*, forcing children to watch *rape*, dousing them with petrol (gasoline) and threatening to set them on fire, threatening to *rape* their mothers.

In order to show the full impact of what has been going on in England, I insert *The Telegraph's* article from the morning of January 8, 2025 in full. Read this to understand the means that the left will take to cover up news they don't like and the various names they will put on situations to promote socialist ideology.

How the grooming gangs scandal was covered up

The child victims of rape were denied justice and protection from the state to preserve the image of a successful multicultural society.

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Safeguarding minister Jess Phillips' decision to <u>block a public inquiry</u> into the Oldham grooming gangs seems, from the outside, to be almost inexplicable. Children were raped and abused by gangs of men while the authorities failed to protect them.

A review of the abuse in Oldham was released in 2022, but its terms of reference only stretched from 2011-2014. Survivors from the town said that they wanted a governmentally led inquiry to cover a

longer period, and catch what the previous review had missed. In Jess Phillips's letter to the council, revealed by GB News, she said she understood the strength of feeling in the town, but thought it best for another local review to take place.

This is a scandal that should be rooted out entirely, and investigated by the full might of the British state. Voices ranging <u>from Elon Musk to Kemi Badenoch</u> have joined the calls for an inquiry. Yet the Government seems curiously reluctant to dig into the failings of officials.

This reluctance is not new. Across the country, in towns and in cities, on our streets and in the state institutions designed to protect the most vulnerable members of our society, authorities deliberately turned a blind eye to horrific abuse of largely white children by gangs of men predominantly of Pakistani heritage.

Over time, details have come to light about abuse <u>in Rotherham</u>, in <u>Telford</u>, in Rochdale and in dozens of other places. But with the stories released in <u>dribs and drabs</u> (British usage), and the details so horrific as to be almost unreadable, the full scale of the scandal has still to reach the public.

Suffer the children

The following paragraph makes for difficult reading. But you should read it, if you can. It's drawn from Judge Peter Rook's 2013 sentencing of Mohammed Karrar in Oxford.

Mohammed prepared his victim "for gang anal rape by using a pump... You subjected her to a gang rape by five or six men. At one point she had four men inside her. A red ball was placed in her mouth to keep her quiet."

Her story is horrific. It is also far from unique.

Take "Anna", from Bradford. Vulnerable and in residential care, at the age of 14 had made repeated reports of rape, abuse, and coercion. When she "married" her abuser in a traditional Islamic wedding, her social worker attended the ceremony. The authorities then arranged for her to be fostered by her "husband's" parents.

In Telford, Lucy Lowe died at 16 alongside her mother and sister when her abuser set fire to her home in 2000. She had given birth to Azhar Ali Mahmood's child when she was just 14, and was pregnant when she was killed.

Her death was subsequently used to threaten other children. The Telford Inquiry found particularly brutal threats. When one victim aged 12 told her mother, and the mother called the police, "there was about six or seven Asian men who came to my house. They threatened my mum (mother) saying they'll petrol bomb (fire bomb) my house if we don't drop the charges."

Yet in a pattern that would repeat itself, Telford's authorities looked the other way. When an independent review was finally published in 2022, it found police officers described parts of the town as a "no-go area", while witnesses set out multiple allegations of police corruption and favouritism towards the Pakistani community. Regardless of the reason, the inquiry found that "there was a nervousness about race... bordering on a reluctance to investigate crimes committed by what was described as the 'Asian' community".

Similar concerns applied at the council, where anxieties over appearing racist saw safeguarding officers waving away concerns simply because the perpetrators were Asian. It was felt that some suspects were not investigated because it would have been "politically incorrect".

This is not to say that the council did nothing. Aware that taxi drivers were offering children rides for sex, in 2006 it suspended licensing enforcement for drivers, allowing high risk drivers to continue practicing. As the Telford Inquiry found, this was "borne entirely out of <u>fear of accusations of racism</u>; it was craven". (cowardness)

And above all, there was the concern over community relations: senior council staff were terrified that the abuse of children "had the <u>potential to start a 'race riot</u>". The result was stasis (a slowing down of the death process), despite officials acknowledging in at least one case that abuse by Asian men had gone on for "years and years".

It had! At least 1,000 girls were abused in the town between 1980 and 2009. Yet even this conservative estimate was disputed by authority figures, with West Mercia police superintendent Tom Harding insisting in 2018 the figure was "sensationalised". The independent review later found it entirely plausible.

A culture of cover-ups

Denial about the extent of the problem is rooted deep in Britain's political system. At times, it appears that the government's approach to multiculturalism is not to uphold the law, but instead to minimise the risk of unrest between communities. Confronted with gangs of predominantly Pakistani men targeting predominantly white children, the state knew exactly what to do. For the good of community relations, it had to bury the story.

In Rotherham, a senior police officer told a distressed father that the town "would erupt" if the routine abuse of white children by Pakistani heritage men became public knowledge. One parent concerned about a missing daughter was told by the police that an "older Asian boyfriend" was a "fashion accessory" for girls in the town. The father of a 15 year old rape victim was told the assault might mean she would "learn her lesson".

The ordeal had been so brutal that she required surgery.

As the 2014 Jay Inquiry into Rotherham found, children were "doused in petrol (gasoline) and threatened with being set alight (set on fire)", "threatened with guns", "witnessed brutally violent rapes and were threatened that they would be the next victim if they told anyone. Girls as young as 11 were raped by large numbers of male perpetrators, one after the other".

In the same town, a senior police officer allegedly said the abuse had been "going on" for 30 years, adding "with it being Asians, we can't afford for this to be coming out.

As Louise Casey's 2015 report on Rotherham Council found, this attitude was widespread. The Pakistani community accounted for around 3 per cent of the town's population, and the story emerging was clear: Pakistani men were grooming white girls. As a result, one witness said, the council was "terrified of [the impact on] community cohesion".

Across the town, pressure was put on people to "suppress, keep quiet or cover up" issues around child abuse. A former senior officer told her review that "x (an unnamed person) didn't want [the] town to become the child abuse capital of the north. They didn't want riots."

<u>Politicians were terrified</u> [of the impact on] community cohesion. This nervousness meant that there was "a sense that it was the Pakistani heritage Councillors (British spelling) who alone 'dealt' with that community", with their having a "disproportionate influence" on the council: as one witness put it, "[my] experience of council as it was and is – Asian men (are) very powerful, and the white British are very mindful of racism and frightened of racism allegations, so there is no robust challenge". Other concerns may have been even more sinister. In 2016, it was reported that a victim of grooming in Rotherham had alleged that she was raped by a town councillor.

As a result of this combination of factors, the council went to great lengths to "cover up information and silence whistleblowers". In the words of witnesses, "if you want to keep your job, you keep your head down and your mouth shut".

Police failures

This resistance to an obvious truth repeated itself across the country. By 2010, a West Midlands Police report showed that authorities were aware that grooming gangs were approaching children at school gates.

But as the <u>report stated</u>, "the predominant offender profile of Pakistani Muslim males... combined with the predominant victim profile of white females has the potential to cause significant community tensions". As a result, the report remained unpublished until released in response to Freedom of Information (FOI) requests <u>five years later</u>.

In Manchester, a 2019 report concluded gangs were <u>left to roam the streets</u> in part because officers were told to look elsewhere. One detective constable was quoted by a report as saying "the offending target group were predominantly Asian males and we were told to try and get other ethnicities".

Central government took a similar view. In 2020, the Home Office refused to release its research into grooming gangs, claiming that it would not be in the "public interest" to do so. When it was finally released, it turned out to be a whitewash: a shoddy construction which appeared to deliberately downplay the clear role ethnicity had played in the phenomenon.

When people did try to raise the issue, they found themselves shouted down. In 2004, a Channel 4 documentary into abuse in Bradford was delayed after police forces warned the evidence of "Asian men targeting young white girls" could inflame racial tensions.

One of the bleakest cover-ups emerged in Rochdale. Fifteen-year-old Victoria Agoglia, a vulnerable child in care, died in 2003 when 50 year old Mohammed Yaqoob injected her with heroin. In the lead-up to her death, a review published last year found, she had given authorities information that she was "involved in sexual exploitation, alleged rape, and sexual assault requiring medical attention". None resulted in her rescue. Across the town, girls as young as 12 were being raped by gangs.

When the first convictions in Rochdale were handed down in 2012, the police and Crown Prosecution Service apologised (apologized) for failing to follow up on appeals for help. As <u>former Labour MP for Keighley, Ann Cryer put it</u>, the authorities "were petrified of being called racist and so reverted to the default of political correctness". As a result, despite a child telling the police she had been raped, and providing DNA evidence, no prosecution was brought.

The sense that authorities believed that a full investigation would be more trouble than it was worth is widespread. Simon Danczuk, the former MP for Rochdale, has said "senior Labour politicians" warned

him against discussing "the ethnicity of the perpetrators, for fear of losing votes". Today, dozens of offenders are still believed to be at large in the community.

Attackers protected

While fears over racial tensions and political correctness have left the state frequently unwilling to protect victims, the same concerns have seen attackers protected.

As the Jay Inquiry into Rotherham found in 2014, in at least two cases fathers tracked down their daughters and attempted to remove them from the houses where they were being abused.

The police arrested the fathers!

In other cases, child victims were arrested for "drunk and disorderly" behaviour, rather than the adult men they were with. Small wonder that Jay found young people in the town believed police "dared not act against Asian youths for fear of allegations of racism".

The protection of offenders may have gone further still. In at least one case, when a victim found the courage to go to the police, their abuser appears to have been tipped off. While still in the police station, one child received a text from her abuser informing her that he had her 11-year-old sister, and that it was now "your choice...". The child chose not to go through with the complaint.

These stories cover only a small number of towns. The broader picture, however, is clear. The consequences are clear, too: no police officer or government employee has ever been imprisoned for their misconduct. Indeed, in Rotherham, the harshest sanctions faced by the police were written warnings.

Even offenders have managed to dodge some of the consequences for their actions. Despite being stripped of British citizenship, the leader of a Rochdale grooming gang still lives among his victims despite being ordered to be deported.

The price of multiculturalism

If Britain is to redeem itself for the grooming gang scandal, it needs to understand how it got things so terribly wrong. This begins with the attitude that protecting the image of a successful multicultural society matters more than the actual truth of that multicultural society.

It isn't hard to see why councils panicked when confronted with the sheer scale of the abuse. As a recent study calculated, one in 73 Muslim men living in Rotherham were prosecuted for their involvement in these gangs from 1997 to 2016. This was an almost unsolvable problem for a society built on liberal principles.

Even now, discussing primarily Pakistani heritage grooming gangs *as* primarily Pakistani heritage grooming gangs causes problems; IPSO waded in to censure Home Secretary Suella Braverman for this claim last year, citing deeply flawed Home Office research in its ruling. Yet, if we can't be honest about the problems we're facing, we won't be able to address them.

In the words of Guy Dampier, a researcher at The Legatum Institute think tank: "The rape gangs scandal was a product of multiculturalism, which in practice meant the authorities turning a blind eye because victims were mostly white and their abusers largely ethnically Pakistani."

Anti-racism charities, pressure groups and left-wing academics all conspired to stifle discussion or lie that it was only a "moral panic". The result is thousands of abused girls and a scandal which has scarred British politics."

Policy fixes

Fixing this mess starts by uncovering everything. As research by one of us, Charlie Peters, has shown, these gangs have been active in over 50 towns and villages across the UK. There is no doubt more that we have yet to hear about.

Even as recently as 2021, it emerged that South Yorkshire Police was still failing to record the ethnicity of offenders, with 67 percent of cases lacking details in Rotherham.

The state must leave no stone unturned in its efforts to root out this evil. As one victim told GB News, "a government inquiry is the only way to hold Oldham Council and Greater Manchester Police accountable for their huge failures that led to hundreds of survivors being mistreated and not listened to. A Telford style inquiry will give answers to survivors, but it won't give justice to those who deserve it."

As shadow justice minister Robert Jenrick recently wrote in these pages, "a national inquiry is just the start: we need justice for the victims". In his words, "this appalling scandal continues today because perpetrators still walk free and the officials who covered it up have been let off. The individuals who turned a blind eye to these crimes, and fed the most vulnerable women to the wolves, should be in jail."

Reform UK's Rupert Lowe has called a "full, free and fair public inquiry" that will "show the British people the facts, and let them decide".

"No stone must be left unturned" in holding the guilty to account, "including those who acted to cover up these atrocities". For the guilty, Lowe's prescription is simple: "deportations and prosecutions, lots of them".

"Any man or woman found to be complicit in these crimes should be deported, including dual nationals who should have their citizenship stripped away. That includes family members who were aware of what their husbands, fathers, sons and brothers were participating in. Swift and brutal justice is required".

And above all, concerns over multiculturalism must no longer be allowed to outweigh the need to keep the public safe. As Dampier points out, we "need an end to two tiered community relations and the application of the law equally to all".

Robert Jenrick agrees: "to sustain order in multicultural Britain, the state considered it necessary to apply the law selectively. For decades the most appalling crimes from diaspora (a scattering from a person or a group's homeland. Usually used in Jewish context only.) groups were legalized and actively covered up to prevent disorder. The rule of law was abandoned to sustain the myth that diversity is our strength, destroying the lives of thousands of working class white girls in the process. This scandal starts with the onset of mass migration. This appalling affair is the final nail in the coffin for liberals who cling to the argument that Britain is an integration success story. Mass migration must end immediately and the foreign nationals prosecuted for their monstrous crimes must be deported - no ifs, no buts".

It may sound strong. But strong measures are required. The British state's soft touch approach left this problem to fester and rot.

Children were <u>abandoned to suffer in the name of community relations</u>, an unforgivable price. And it was a price that brought nothing: harmony based on lies doesn't last. Public fury is swelling, and <u>there is more to be angry about</u> than if the cases had been dealt with swiftly at the time. Indeed, abuse may still be taking place because the state failed to act properly before.

It's time for a new approach. The truth must be brought to the light.

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I'm appalled at reading all of that article. In those 27 years that I served on active duty with our Air Force, I had the opportunity to work with the British on two occasions. During my assignment to the Philippines, during the Vietnam War, I worked at our listening post at Clark Air Base and had frequent contact with the British working at their listening post in Hong Kong. My second contact with the British was during my assignment to NATO in 1985 to 1990. I am well aware that the British have a well-established military and has the capability to fight and protect their homeland just as any American would do. During the period between these two assignments, I was assigned to Joint Special Operations Command (JSOC) at its beginning and can testify that the British counterpart, Special Air Service (SAS), and Germany's counterpart, GSG9 provided training to our JSOC personnel. I was also involved on two training exercises with JSOC. I can assure anyone that the British military is well prepared to take on any given task to protect their homeland. I can also tell you that the British had (I say had because I don't know the current status of the following two locations.) two bases on Cyprus and one in Belize.

Now, let's take a serious look at what all of this article is saying. As a student of the Bible and also of history, I know that there were those who had a desire to live among the Jews and there were certain requirements that were made on these people. Basically, the requirement was that these individuals were required to integrate into Jewish society, not establish their own little private enclave of just their friends and family. They were to be circumcised (males), if they weren't already, learn the language and honor the set feast days established by God. They were not to continue their pagan practices. We all know that this didn't work out as it was intended, and the Jews actually started following some of their practices.

Let's progress a little further and get to the establishment of the Anglo-Saxton race upon the British Isles. As these people learned about God, and His Son, Jesus Christ, they had the desire to proclaim the Word to the peoples of the world. Through English and American missionaries God's Word was taken to the far corners of the earth. Now, reread this article! It sounds as if the British Isles has turned it's back toward God and is now a bunch of laid back pussy cats who are afraid of the word "racist".

Here is a question. There is the mention in the article that this has been going on for 30 years. Are you trying to tell the British (as well as any other who may read this article) people that Queen Elizabeth and Prince Phillip knew about this activity? Where does King Charles III stand on all of this? Or, are you trying to tell everyone reading your article that the bureaucrats in England are as bad as here in America, and that the British swamp needs to be cleaned just as the American swamp, in Washington D.C., needs to be cleaned?" Have no fear, here in America President Donald J. Trump is just about ready to enter the swamp to take action.

Here is another question or two that came up as I read your article. What is all of this about Pakistani heritage Councillors? Who's running your country, Englishmen or Pakistanis? Secondly, what is all of this about fearing Asia men and a race riot? Who's country do you think the British were in during all those years that Great Britain ruled over India? I'm sorry that was a part of Asia and the British surly were not afraid of "Asian men". Another question, I believe one of the principle religious practices of Pakistan is Islam. If that is correct, that would put them under the guidelines of the Quran. Please, go and ask any one of these Councillors to show you any sura of the Quran that instructed their male followers to rape whoever they wanted to brutalize.

Here is my personal statement toward this activity. Here in America, a group of Kentucky, Tennessee and West Virginia boys would have gotten our squirrel guns, gathered together as a collective group and gone after any and all who had raped our women. Southern boys would not have had to wait for some wet behind the ears politician, or misguided police officer, to tell them what they could or couldn't do! Stand back and watch!

Just as a suggestion, take the military of England, it doesn't matter what branch, and round up all these Pakistanis, then either place them all in prison for a very long time, or deport them with no chance of every becoming a citizen of England again. To really show you mean business, do both! Then fire all the fearful little boys and girls working in the English swamp and find individuals who would like to work for their homeland. Finally, retrain all the police, in the entire British Isles, that they have a job to do, and if they do not desire to work for their community any longer they also are fired. England and the United States, along with a few other nations needs to get rid of the left, Woke, socialistic ideas that are destroying the FREE WORLD's way of life.

That is what is going on in England, and my comments! Is this what you want here in America? Stop and think about a few of our own facts. Over the last four years, the Biden-Harris administration has allowed over 11,000 million people to enter the United States illegally. Of that number, there are over 300,000 unaccompanied children that the officials of any and all agencies have no idea where they are. The current administration doesn't know if these children were brought into this nation as sex slaves, child laborers, or for what purpose, and they have no idea how they are surviving, or even if they are. We have seen the gangs from Venezuela operating in some of our western states and we have had at least one brutal rape of a college coed in Georgia. At this point, I really don't believe that our two political parties make a big difference. Democrats are those of the working class. They attend church, pay taxes and go to the grocery just as Republicans do. Politicians have their arena to work in and those who continue to believe in a righteous God do so with respect to the Bible. What really is the difference between us? Everyone who is not supporting the Woke agenda, the abortion issue and the perversion of sexual behavior, respect one another for their political belief and their moral beliefs. We have a motto in the Commonwealth of Kentucky that all Americans should understand. Our motto is, "United We Stand, Divided We Fall", and that is the absolute truth.

I've been writing what my God has been sending to me over the last forty years. I now consider myself as a Watchman who is attempting to provide to you a warning of what is ahead if mankind does not change their ways and return to being obedient to God's instructions as they are given to mankind in His Holy Bible. Text from the Bible would currently indicate that God is giving the United States one last chance to repent and change their ways. If we do not step out in a different direction, the wrath of God is about to fall on this nation and all the nations of the world under the authority of the Anti-Christ, called the Beast of Revelation. Donald J. Trump is now acting as God's agent to lead this nation and we, all Americans, need to follow his lead. No, Donald J. Trump is not trying to destroy our democracy, he is trying to pull our Republic back together under God's lead.

We, Americans, and it appears the world in general, are waiting for the 20th of this month to enter into another transition. Americans wonder toward what, under a new President. Europeans wonder what will become of the situation in England. Germany wonders what will happen to a new government in their election in March. Canada wonders who will become the new Prime Minister after Trudeau. Argentina wonders how much further their government will transition under President Milei's reforms. It has even been stated that President Trump is watching Angentina closely and his team is taking notice. President Milei has eliminated 10 ministries, out of 12 to begin with, fired 34,000 public employees and cut spending by 30 percent. Peter Earle, an economist at the American Institute for Economic Research, stated: "Perhaps most important of all, and beyond economics, Mr. Milei has jump started a cultural shift away from socialist ideals, championing civil society and principles of liberty and personal responsibility." It seems the current means of government go back to the 1930s, and it has taken almost 100 years to realize that socialist concepts don't really provide the means for God's Natural Laws to function!

I have said that I am a watchman and God is sending His Word to me because I am to use it to warn others of what is happening in our society and around the world. We are in the era of the "End Times" and every citizen on the planet needs to come to an understanding that God is in charge! That God is patient, that He loves you, that He sent His only Son to die for you as a sin sacrifice to offer a method for you to find a way to salvation and the Kingdom of God. God is always the One to turn to, as He is directing events toward a final outcome, in determining the world's leaders according to His purpose, as revealed in Bible prophecy. Review with me Daniel 2:20-22, ²⁰ Daniel answered and said: "Blessed be the name of God forever and ever, For wisdom and might are His. ²¹ And He changes the times and the seasons; He removes kings and raises up kings; He gives wisdom to the wise And knowledge to those who have understanding. ²² He reveals deep and secret things; He knows what is in the darkness, And light dwells with Him. (NKJV)

God determined the rise and fall of nations and great empires. Acts 17:26-31, ²⁶ And <u>He has</u> made from one blood every nation of men to dwell on all the face of the earth, and has determined their preappointed times and the boundaries of their dwellings, ²⁷ so that they should seek the Lord, in the hope that they might grope for Him and find Him, though He is not far from each one of us; ²⁸ for in Him we live and move and have our being, as also some of your own poets have said, 'For we are also His offspring.' ²⁹ Therefore, since we are the offspring of God, we ought not to think that the Divine Nature is like gold or silver or stone, something shaped by art and man's devising. ³⁰ Truly, these times of ignorance God overlooked, but now commands all men everywhere to repent, ³¹ because He has appointed a day on which He will judge the world in righteousness by the Man whom He has ordained. He has given assurance of this to all by raising Him from the dead." (NKJV) Did you notice in verse 26 that mankind was made from one blood, that's human blood and all men are created equal? We do not have to go and dream up this or that silly nonsense that there isn't an equality between men. God's Word tells us that we are all of one blood!

Look around you today! Nothing occurs apart from God's watchful eye and His ultimate oversight. That's encouraging. It's not just the endless cycles of history at work. Men may plot and plan, but it is God's design that wins in the end. Read the following from the book of Psalms. Psalms 33:10-22, ¹⁰ The Lord brings the counsel of the nations to nothing; He makes the plans of the peoples of no effect. ¹¹ The counsel of the Lord stands forever, The plans of His heart to all generations. ¹² Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord, The people He has chosen as His own inheritance. ¹³ The Lord looks from heaven; He sees all the sons of men. ¹⁴ From the place of His dwelling He looks On all the inhabitants of the earth; ¹⁵ He fashions their hearts individually; He considers all their works. ¹⁶ No king is saved by the multitude of an army; A mighty man is not delivered by great strength. ¹⁷ A horse is a vain hope for safety; Neither shall it deliver any by its great strength. ¹⁸ Behold, the eye of the Lord is

on those who fear Him, On those who hope in His mercy, ¹⁹ To deliver their soul from death, And to keep them alive in famine. ²⁰ Our soul waits for the Lord; He is our help and our shield. ²¹ For our heart shall rejoice in Him, Because we have trusted in His holy name. ²² Let Your mercy, O Lord, be upon us, Just as we hope in You. (NKJV)

As a watchman, I must provide some warnings from "The Watchman", Ezekiel. Look at Ezekiel 3:17 to begin. ¹⁷ "Son of man, <u>I have made you a watchman for the **house of Israel**</u>; therefore hear a word from My mouth, and give them warning from Me: There is a very serious task that goes along with being a watchman. Look at the following statement between verse 18 and verse 21. 18 When I say to the wicked, 'You shall surely die,' and you give him no warning, nor speak to warn the wicked from his wicked way, to save his life, that same wicked man shall die in his iniquity; but his blood I will require at your hand. 19 Yet, if you warn the wicked, and he does not turn from his wickedness, nor from his wicked way, he shall die in his iniquity; but you have delivered your soul. ²⁰ Again, when a righteous man turns from his righteousness and commits iniquity, and I lay a stumbling block before him, he shall die; because you did not give him warning, he shall die in his sin, and his righteousness which he has done shall not be remembered; but his blood I will require at your hand. ²¹ Nevertheless if you warn the righteous man that the righteous should not sin, and he does not sin, he shall surely live because he took warning; also you will have delivered your soul." (NKJV) Every word that my God has given me over the previous forty years are available on my website in PDF file format for free download. If you have found my website, tell your friends to visit to see what is there and available. My website address is: www.vqpub.org. God's message is applied to today's needs and there is no cost.

Let's look ahead to today. Ezekiel was in captivity in Babylon when he was receiving instructions from God. But, at the same time, Ezekiel was receiving prophecies pertaining to situations of today. Look at Ezekiel 9:1-10. ¹ Then he cried in my ears with a loud voice, saying, "Bring near the executioners of the city, each with his destroying weapon in his hand." ² And behold, six men came from the direction of the upper gate, which faces north, each with his weapon for slaughter in his hand, and with them was a man clothed in linen, with a writing case at his waist. And they went in and stood beside the bronze altar.

³ Now the glory of the God of Israel had gone up from the cherub on which it rested to the threshold of the house. And he called to the man clothed in linen, who had the writing case at his waist. ⁴ And the Lord said to him, "Pass through the city, through Jerusalem, and <u>put a mark on the fore-heads of the men who sigh and groan over all the abominations that are committed in it.</u>" ⁵ And to the others he said in my hearing, "Pass through the city after him, and strike. Your eye shall not spare, and you shall show no pity. ⁶ Kill old men outright, young men and maidens, little children and women, but touch no one on whom is the mark. And begin at my sanctuary." So they began with the elders who were before the house. ⁷ Then he said to them, "Defile the house, and fill the courts with the slain. Go out." So they went out and struck in the city. ⁸ And while they were striking, and I was left alone, I fell upon my face, and cried, "Ah, Lord God! Will you destroy all the remnant of Israel in the outpouring of your wrath on Jerusalem?"

⁹ Then he said to me, "The guilt of the house of Israel and (house of) Judah is exceedingly great. The land is full of blood, and the city full of injustice. For they say, 'The Lord has forsaken the land, and the Lord does not see.' ¹⁰ As for me, my eye will not spare, nor will I have pity; <u>I will bring their deeds upon their heads.</u>" (ESV)

There are many, many people who do not accept that the verses I am using are a reflection that pertains to today's situations. Please allow me to show you some of the verses in the Bible which I believe connect together to link the time of Ezekiel to today. We all should have an understanding concerning the House of Judah and the House of Israel. Israel represents the ten northern tribes of the land of Israel and the House of Judah represents the Jews. Now, the next thing we need to understand

is that the wording of the book of Ezekiel, as with many others books in the Bible, has a dual purpose: one for Ezekiel's time, and one for the end time.

Now, Ezekiel's prophetic warning message applies to the last days. We should recognize that it's destined to reach the nations of present-day Israel, and not just the Jewish people of today's nation of Israel. It might surprise many to learn that the modern Israelites are primarily the people of the major English speaking countries, including the United States, Great Britain, Canada, Australia and New Zealand. I know that many have never heard this, nor have been taught this through their church training. I also understand that there is no one particular verse in the entire Bible that could possibly come to that conclusion and make that statement directly. Therefore, I have to go on a hunting expedition and lead you to the various verses which could lead you to the conclusion that is stated above. Most of the verses that are needed are found in the book of Genesis. Genesis 12:2-3, ² I will make you a great nation; I will bless you And make your name great; And you shall be a blessing. 3 I will bless those who bless you, And I will curse him who curses you; And in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed." (NKJV) Our next verse segment is the story of Joseph being sold by his brothers and taken to Egypt. Genesis 37:27-28, ²⁷ Come and let us sell him to the Ishmaelites, and let not our hand be upon him, for he is our brother and our flesh." And his brothers listened. ²⁸ Then Midianite traders passed by; so the brothers pulled Joseph up and lifted him out of the pit, and sold him to the Ishmaelites for twenty shekels of silver. And they took Joseph to Egypt. (NKJV) We next find Joseph as the governor of all Egypt and he has invited his family to come to Egypt. A total of seventy people travel to Egypt, including Joseph's father Jacob (Israel). For just a moment, we need to stop at Genesis 32:28. ²⁸ And He said, "Your name shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel; for you have struggled with God and with men, and have prevailed." (NKJV) Our next scripture comes from Genesis 46:27. ²⁷ And the sons of Joseph, who were born to him in Egypt, were two. All the persons of the house of Jacob (Israel) who came into Egypt were seventy. (ESV) The heart and soul of our search is contained in the 48th chapter of Genesis. First, look at verse 5. 5 And now your two sons, who were born to you in the land of Egypt before I came to you in Egypt, are mine; Ephraim and Manasseh shall be mine, as Reuben and Simeon are. (ESV) Verse 9, 9 Joseph said to his father, "They are my sons, whom God has given me here." And he said, "Bring them to me, please, that I may bless them." (ESV) Verses 13-20, 13 And Joseph took them both, Ephraim in his right hand toward Israel's left hand, and Manasseh in his left hand toward Israel's right hand, and brought them near him. 14 And Israel stretched out his right hand and laid it on the head of Ephraim, who was the younger, and his left hand on the head of Manasseh, crossing his hands (for Manasseh was the firstborn). 15 And he blessed Joseph and said, "The God before whom my fathers Abraham and Isaac walked, the God who has been my shepherd all my life long to this day, 16 the angel who has redeemed me from all evil, bless the boys; and in them let my name be carried on, and the name of my fathers Abraham and Isaac; and let them grow into a multitude in the midst of the earth."

17 When Joseph saw that his father laid his right hand on the head of Ephraim, it displeased him, and he took his father's hand to move it from Ephraim's head to Manasseh's head. 18 And Joseph said to his father, "Not this way, my father; since this one is the firstborn, put your right hand on his head." 19 But his father refused and said, "I know, my son, I know. He also shall become a people, and he also shall be great. Nevertheless, his younger brother shall be greater than he, and his offspring shall become a multitude of nations." 20 So he blessed them that day, saying, "By you Israel will pronounce blessings, saying, 'God make you as Ephraim and as Manasseh.' "Thus he put Ephraim before Manasseh." (ESV)

Okay, here we have the information that we need. History books and what is stated here from the Bible should provide everyone with enough information to bring you to the understanding of the statement pertaining to the House of Israel. The House of Israel represents a major portion of the English speaking nations of the world. First, look at verse 16, that the descendants of Joseph's two sons shall be called Israel. Second, the boys are to grow into a multitude in the midst (middle) of the earth. Of more importance is the third statement, that in verse 19, Manasseh, the older son, is to become a great nation. Verse 19 also states that Ephraim is to become greater than his older brother and also to become a multitude of nations. Where, in all of geography have you found one nation that becomes a multitude of nations and basically, becomes an empire? Isn't that Great Britain? Isn't Great Britain the motherland of Canada, the United States, Australia and New Zealand. When I first heard about this as a suggestion, I had a difficult time accepting that the older son became a part of the younger son's nation before becoming a nation of his own. But isn't that what history will tell you? Weren't citizens of Great Britain, the Pilgrims, who left England in order to establish a new colony based upon religious freedom, and didn't that one initial colony become a great nation composed of fifty states? Didn't the land, that the Pilgrims left, expand out to such an empire of nations that it was said the sun never set of the English Empire. Now do you understand how the various major English speaking nations make up modern day Israel, and not the Jewish speaking nation in the Middle East. The two are tied together, just as are the House of Judah and the House of Israel.

Ezekiel has this to say about the priest at the Temple at his time in Ezekiel 22:26. ²⁶ <u>Her priests</u> <u>have violated My law and profaned My holy things</u>; they have not distinguished between the holy and unholy, nor have they made known the difference between the unclean and the clean; and <u>they have hidden their eyes from My Sabbaths</u>, so that I am profaned among them. (NKJV)

Let me ask another question? Can you tell me where to find God's sign in the Bible? Do you even have an idea of what it is that I'm speaking about. Well, let me ask this in a different way? Do you know what is the sign of "The Beast of Revelation"? Somehow I believe that you could tell me what that sign is. But, once again I will ask, what is the sign of God?

Exodus 20:8 gives us the fourth Commandment of God. It simply is the following statement. ⁸ "Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. (ESV) God's sign is hiddened in Exodus 31:12-15. ¹² And the Lord said to Moses, ¹³ "You are to speak to the people of Israel and say, 'Above all you shall keep my Sabbaths, for this is a sign between me and you throughout your generations, that you may know that I, the Lord, sanctify you. ¹⁴ You shall keep the Sabbath, because it is holy for you. Everyone who profanes it shall be put to death. Whoever does any work on it, that soul shall be cut off from among his people. ¹⁵ Six days shall work be done, but the seventh day is a Sabbath of solemn rest, holy to the Lord. Whoever does any work on the Sabbath day shall be put to death. (ESV)

God intended for His Ten Commandments to be honored and followed by every living creature. He did not intend to have man to go and change His Commandments just because man didn't like the way they were structured. Observing God's Sabbath is not being Jewish, it is honoring God for who He His. This is God's sign given to mankind. I assure you that by observing this one sign you will overcome the power of the mark of the Beast. Seriously, read your Bible and study to make yourself aware of what the Bible says. Do not be deceived! Trust God and pray for Donald J. Trump and his team! Remember, only God can make America great again!

Maranatha



