**GOD'S CHURCH**

***The Very Elect***

 **‘*DECLARING THE END FROM THE BEGINNING’***

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**A “UNITED” STATES?**

**G**reetings Brethren, with the new President of the United States of America having been sworn into office, there has never been a more divided America! With the protestors from the left of politics, and every other form of useful idiot protestor even in other nations against President Trump and his new administration, showing the incredible legacy of greater division the Obama Presidency has left in the wake of his departure.

In this issue of the newsletter, we will look into this situation, as well as the pendulum swing from the left back to the right, that has left many angry and embittered, given their disgusting liberal approach in every conceivable thing, which is now by all appearances going to be removed. Not that the clock can be wound back, but, at least their march toward Sodom and Gomorrah may be slowed from the break-neck speed at which the screaming left “rights” brigade are now performing like the spoilt brats they have been pampered into.

What does that mean for “right-thinking” people in varying forms? The LGBT and “gay-rights sector” will not have the same “power”, where only their “rights” matter? It also means that the “judges” who allowed foetuses to be murdered on a scale that has wiped out generations of human-beings, will be dramatically slowed, not fully stopped, but slowed down, because they have been replaced by the incoming Trump administration.

Likewise, President Trump has promised to claw-back American jobs, including the manufacturing sector. Then there’s the proper support systems for the veterans of war which has been woefully inadequate during Obama’s Presidency. President Trump has promised a great many things, including the building of a wall, in an attempt to stop the flow of illegal Mexicans into the United States , which the sick-left around the world have been castigating with childish signs and slogans just prior to the presidential inauguration.

In this nation, he has been described as being given the opportunity to be an “action-President” because of the strong Republican position in congress, to extinguish a substantive part of Obama’s ‘regulatory’ agenda, to cut back much of the “climate change-driven energy restrictions, the red tape, and bureaucracy that has plagued the United States under Obama, and likewise plagues every western nation around the world!

Then there’s the promise to slash corporate taxes to 15%, while engineering more infrastructure projects, and with the much touted “repeal and replace” plan of ‘Obamacare’.

With all of this, the sick-left have predictably been massing their useful idiots for protest rallies, the stars of Hollywood, the actors, singers, the most privileged in this world, which they did even at the new Presidential inauguration, who naturally, like Obama, somehow believes that their protesting is all in the context of “tolerance” and equal rights, rights this, rights that.

Unfortunately, everyone else’s rights became lost in the stampede to tolerance and “equality”, including their twisted view of “marriage-equality”, children being the main sufferers, and now they are twisting the minds of the most vulnerable in our western nations with the perverted idea that they have the right to choose their own gender!

Additionally, the new President has promised to strengthen and build the U.S military. A right matter, at least in the writers opinion, because as we all know, when a nation is strong, they are not threatened by other “powerful” nations, given they don’t trust in God as the U.S currency says, and the U.S has become so massively weakened in the last 50-or so years, that the time is right to do this. Not that it matters in the big scheme of God’s purpose what military and “power” on earth has, because it is all soon to be removed by The Great God through Jesus Christ, and all nations are sleepwalking into disaster!

Apparently one of Obama’s seeming “wins” was that of uniting American’s, black and white? It appears he is surrounded by ‘yes-men’, or someone might tell him this is untrue, and that under his administration he has failed miserably to unite the great divide between black and white, with race riots, and even attacks on police by blacks, a major mistake of his administration, and one of many, considering he is black, surely he could have made some inroads to a more peaceful America.

With Obama’s unmitigated arrogance and foolish pride, the lefty democrats and their barking mad followers, the elite, the “stars” of Hollywood, the LGBT brigade and their supporters, and all those with their snouts in the trough, the USA has possibly never been more divided.

The incredible divisions that the U.S faces, are in reality, insurmountable, at least in the short term, under man’s governments. But, whether it’s the current President, or any President, no Government of man will ever be able bring about the changes that will usher in peace and joy in a united world, regardless of the fact that mankind ignores the only-way *to* peace and prosperity, because it is a world completely deceived and as a result, enslaved to its own sins.

Consider for a few moments how totally divided the United States of America is in just the few aspects shown in the above, and the many other problems that have arisen in the last couple generations. Not that every other nation doesn’t have their own problems, and the fact that mankind thinks that the democratic form of government under corrupt human-beings, is what can bring about order, peace and every good and profitable result for the human-race, shows the level of deception upon humanity by the unseen ruler and god of this world. (2Cor.4:4.)

As they say, even ‘blind-Freddy’ could see that democracy, commonly referred to in God’s churches as demon-ocracy, does not, nor can it ever succeed, for true Government by a loving Creator, cannot be from the bottom up, but from the top down! Yet God allows mankind his futile attempt to ignore his very Creator, who if heeded, would show him, man, the-way to true a united world, to peace, prosperity and every good and right path.

 The Word of God tells us in **Prov.29:2.** When the righteous are in authority, the people rejoice: but when the wicked bears rule, the people mourn. Unfortunately for man, he refuses to see the writing on the wall, and stubbornly stumbles from one catastrophe to another.

Whether the human-Government is “democratic”, as the democrats have shown, or whether it is dictatorial, both have the same overall effects, division, fear, corruption, greed, incompetence, lies, suffering, violence, murder!

**SOON-COMING BANKRUPTCY, CHAOS & WAR TO U.S. BRITISH AND ISRAELITISH NATIONS!**

The U.S, and British/Israelitish peoples, being formerly part of the covenants of promise made to Abraham, passed down through his seed, Isaac and Jacob, and the ultimate fulfilment being through Christ, The One-Seed, were massively blessed according to the promises, but have now lost almost had all of those blessings removed for their rebellious ways, having long-forgotten their God.

As Israel forgot their God when they became rich and increased with goods, so too did the U.S and British peoples. They mingled themselves with the heathens who God cast out before them, telling them that as they had not obeyed God, and left the Gentiles in the land whom God had said to destroy them or they would be pricks in their eyes and thorns in their sides, but they refused, and now they have filled the lands of the Israelitish peoples, looking to exploit those blessings, and bring upon themselves, the Israelitish peoples, what God had thought to do to the sinners of the land! **See Num.33:53-55; Exo.3:33; Deut.7:4, Deut.7:16; Josh.23:12-13; Jdg.1:21-36, Jdg.2:3; Psa.106:34-36**;

Obviously, there is a great deal more that could be written on this, but given time and space here, suffice to say that whenever war is on the horizon, and particularly in our fickle and jittery world of investors, investment except for in armaments, will dry up, financial markets will plummet, the dollar value in every nation will more than likely dive, goods, services, and foodstuffs will dry up, and be replaced with poverty.

But the real trouble will hit the fan when starvation & desperation create even more chaos

**A COVENANT PEOPLE**

Take for example the following scriptures relative to these covenants of promise; **Gal.3:16**. Now to Abraham and his seed were the promises made. He saith not, And to seeds, as of many; but as of one, And to thy seed, which is Christ.

**Gal.3:26** For ye are all the children of God by faith in Christ Jesus.

**Gal.3:27** For as many of you as have been baptized into Christ have put on Christ.

**Gal.3:28** There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female: for ye are all one in Christ Jesus.

**Gal.3:29** And if ye be Christ's, then are ye Abraham's seed, and heirs according to the promise.

A new testament parable is that of in Mat.13:38. The field is the world; the good seed are the children of the kingdom; but the tares are the children of the wicked one;

The world of so-called Christianity does not know, or understand these facts, nor that once truly called, the one has the tremendous opportunity to receive of these promises, and become part of the commonwealth of Israel!

**Eph.2:11** Wherefore remember, that ye being in time past Gentiles in the flesh, who are called Uncircumcision by that which is called the Circumcision in the flesh made by hands;

**Eph.2:12** That at that time ye were without Christ, being aliens from the commonwealth of Israel, and strangers from the covenants of promise, having no hope, and without God in the world:

**Eph.2:13** But now in Christ Jesus ye who sometimes were far off are made nigh by the blood of Christ.

**Eph.2:19** Now therefore ye are no more strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the saints, and of the household of God;

**ALL WORLD LEADERS, IGNORANT TO COMING NEW WORLD ORDER!!**

Whether President Trump can or cannot keep his promises, as Obama has hinted Trump won’t, he now has his opportunity, and with the removal of the political-left and deeply corrupt democrats, comes the lifting of the spirits of many in prosperity, and a fair-go for all, black and white, although they refuse to see it. However, as stated, this may or may not pan out as planned, or as soon as expected and hoped, and great will the criticism be of President Trumps Government and policies, at every single turn, especially from the “stars” of society, in movie actors, all full of their own self-importance and politically-correct, culture of softness and left-leaning stupidity.

In fact, few “political” leaders have given such an air of hope for the prospects of employment, affordable health care, and a better future.

 Notwithstanding, the U.S will not be made “great-again”, at least in terms it has formerly enjoyed, when she became the greatest single-nation that has been, along with her sister, Ephraim, who became the greatest company of nations the world has ever seen, which began way back in the early 19th century, when two-thirds of the cultivatable earth’s natural resources, and riches were under the control of the former Great Britain, and the united states of America, who are really Ephraim and Manasseh in Bible prophecy. (Gen.48:11-19.)

If it isn’t plain enough for any to see, the once great America has not won a war since 1945. Not that she couldn’t have, had she obeyed her God, but the U.S has never lost her way more, than under the former President Obama, who has been destroying institutions, former friends of the U.S, Israel for instance, has destroyed the strength and character of the nation in the monetary policies and left it the most indebted nation on the face of the earth today!

Then consider LGBT tolerance and promotion, homosexuality, “equal-rights marriage” removing the father from the head of the family, the turning of things upside down, where God wanted to bless His covenant peoples, He now curses them for rebellion, as God said by the prophet Jeremiah in Jer.18:9-10; And as God said through the prophet Isaiah in chapter 5, verse 20;

“Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter!

God has said all those who justifies the wicked, while condemning the just are an abomination to Him! **Prov.17:5**.

The U.S is spiraling down strength, and become the most indebted nation, having been the richest, second only to the former Great Britain, and become in many ways, a laughing stock to her enemies and the rest of the world!

Little wonder when weak Obama and his crooked administration attempted to pressure Russia and her allies, they were no threat. The facts that lefty-political parties reduce military investment is one of the U.S’S problems, having long stopped funding their military needs, at least to the degree a world power needed to in *this* world.

The same thing happens in every nation when they are under the authority of weak liberal governments that see little need for the military. I saw this in the New Zealand military around 1980 when I was in that countries army and the new left-wing political party came into power, when army camps were being shut down, and even transport to any training was reduced from flights to trains, and trucks for soldiers.

Not that New Zealand’s military, or Britain’s, Canada’s, Sweden’s, Norway’s, Australia’s, Israel’s, or the United states of America’s could do anything to protect themselves and their government’s from being swept away and replaced by the coming LORD of Lord’s, and KING of kings, Jesus Christ and the soon to be unveiled kingdom of God, but, the covenant peoples could have been the mightiest nation on earth without military “might”, but they are too blinded by their own ignorance to see it, having been allowed to be deceived by the ruler of this world!

Even as we view all of this through God’s wisdom given to us, it is always worth considering how shocked this world will be when we as part of God’s remnant will be ruling over them in the kingdom of God, totally confounding the wise and rich in goods, mightyh in this world, to be taught and corrected with a rod where necessary, even the Politicians, world leaders, the highly educated, the mega-rich, the “stars”, “powerful” in military might, etc, who will be astonished that they will hear a word behind them saying; “This *is* the way, walk ye in it, when ye turn to the right hand, and when ye turn to the left”. Take for example the teaching of God in **1Co 1:26** For ye see your calling, brethren, how that not many wise men after the flesh, not many mighty, not many noble, are called:

**1Co 1:27** But God hath chosen the foolish things of the world to confound the wise; and God hath chosen the weak things of the world to confound the things which are mighty;

**1Co 1:28** And base things of the world, and things which are despised, hath God chosen, yea, and things which are not, to bring to nought things that are:

**1Co 1:29** That no flesh should glory in his presence.

**1Co 1:30** But of him are ye in Christ Jesus, who of God is made unto us wisdom, and righteousness, and sanctification, and redemption:

**1Co 1:31** That, according as it is written, He that glorieth, let him glory in the Lord.

As some of those who hopefully will have fulfilled their course in this era, we will be ready, willing and able to DO the will of The Father, guiding, nurturing, admonishing, and instructing the masses in the Laws of God, as part of the royal priesthood.

**AMERICA WILL NOT BE MADE GREAT BY TRUMP**

Hence, the new Trump administration will never make America great again unless it makes the people repent of their evil, and turn back to their God. You and I know this will not happen, and when the prophets, the two final witnesses are giving the testimony of God to God’s people, in their final opportunity to heed God’s warnings and repent of their ungodly deeds, when, at that time, America’s interests and state will not be one of great wealth and prosperity, but of strife, chaos, fear, and impending war! More on the two-witness work later in this newsletter article.

**YOU ARE A JEW!**

Hence it is very important that you and I, we all, make our calling and election sure, for if we do not, we will be caught up in the soon coming world war in the time most in the church know as the Great Tribulation! Mat.24:21-22; also known as the time of Jacobs trouble. Jer.30:7.

It is the time of punishing for the Israelitish peoples, physical Israel, and also “spiritual” Israel. Spiritual, because all those who have been called, repented, been baptized and received a begettal of God’s Holy Spirit have become part of the exceeding great and precious promises that God gave first to Abraham, passed down to His Seed, not of “seeds”, but the One Seed, which is Christ.

Spiritually, this means those who have become circumcised in the heart, not in the outward flesh.

For he is not a Jew which is one outwardly, neither is that circumcision which is outward in the flesh. But he is a Jew which is one inwardly, and circumcision is that of the heart, in the spirit, and not in the letter; whose praise is not of men, but of God. **Rom.2:28-29**.

As The Word of God records, after those days will God’s Wrath be poured out upon an unheeding, Lawless and wicked world.

**Rev 14:19** And the angel thrust in his sickle into the earth, and gathered the vine of the earth, and cast it into the great winepress of the wrath of God.

**Rev 14:20** And the winepress was trodden without the city, and **blood** came out of the winepress, even unto the horse bridles, by the space of a thousand and six hundred furlongs.

Make no mistake about it brethren, we must be part of the election of grace, the remnant according to the election of grace in this era, or we will right in the midst of all the horrors that are about to catch the world totally unawares! And like the proverbial thief in the night, when all their goods, and dearest possessions will be gone, and all they held dear, removed, with the worst of the heathens to come into our nations.

**Eze 7:20** As for the beauty of his ornament, he set it in majesty: but they made the images of their abominations and of their detestable things therein: therefore have I set it far from them.

**Eze 7:21** And I will give it into the hands of the strangers for a prey, and to the wicked of the earth for a spoil; and they shall pollute it.

**Eze 7:22** My face will I turn also from them, and they shall pollute my secret place: for the robbers shall enter into it, and defile it.

**Eze 7:23** Make a chain: for the land is full of bloody crimes, and the city is full of violence.

**Eze 7:24** Wherefore I will bring the **worst** of the heathen, and they shall possess their houses: I will also make the pomp of the strong to cease; and their holy places shall be defiled.

**Eze 7:25** Destruction cometh; and they shall seek peace, and there shall be none.

**Eze 7:26** Mischief shall come upon mischief, and rumour shall be upon rumour; then shall they seek a vision of the prophet; but the law shall perish from the priest, and counsel from the ancients.

**Eze 7:27** The king shall mourn, and the prince shall be clothed with desolation, and the hands of the people of the land shall be troubled: I will do unto them after their way, and according to their deserts will I judge them; and they shall know that I am the LORD.

Let as many of us as be minded toward the LORD and His everlasting Word therefore, take heed now, as God’s prophet Isaiah also counselled;

**Isa 55:6** Seek ye the LORD while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near:

**Isa 55:7** Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts: and let him return unto the LORD, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

The priceless privilege to be *now* keeping the way of The LORD by so few of us around the world will be revealed to many peoples in that day, as God’s prophet Zechariah was inspired to write;

**Zec 8:20** Thus saith the LORD of hosts; It shall yet come to pass, that there shall come people, and the inhabitants of many cities:

**Zec 8:21** And the inhabitants of one city shall go to another, saying, Let us go speedily to pray before the LORD, and to seek the LORD of hosts: I will go also.

**Zec 8:22** Yea, many people and strong nations shall come to seek the LORD of hosts in Jerusalem, and to pray before the LORD.

**Zec 8:23** Thus saith the LORD of hosts; In those days it shall come to pass, that ten men shall take hold out of all languages of the nations, even shall take hold of the skirt of him that is a Jew, saying, We will go with you: for we have heard that God is with you.

The honours God will pour out upon His faithful at that time will be astonishing and far reaching, though at this time, it may seem as a far off vision, or dream, yet for God’s little flock in that time, the heritage of the servants of our God will be great for having held-fast in belief to the commandments of The LORD, that light and guide each and every one of us through the spiritual wilderness of this chaotic world and time, now.

Notice what the prophet Isaiah spoke in this regard;

**Isa 54:10** For the mountains shall depart, and the hills be removed; but my kindness shall not depart from thee, neither shall the covenant of my peace be removed, saith the LORD that hath mercy on thee.

**Isa 54:11** O thou afflicted, tossed with tempest, and not comforted, behold, I will lay thy stones with fair colours, and lay thy foundations with sapphires.

**Isa 54:12** And I will make thy windows of agates, and thy gates of carbuncles, and all thy borders of pleasant stones.

**Isa 54:13** And all thy children shall be taught of the LORD; and great shall be the peace of thy children.

**Isa 54:14** In righteousness shalt thou be established: thou shalt be far from oppression; for thou shalt not fear: and from terror; for it shall not come near thee.

**Isa 54:15** Behold, they shall surely gather together, but not by me: whosoever shall gather together against thee shall fall for thy sake.

**Isa 54:16** Behold, I have created the smith that bloweth the coals in the fire, and that bringeth forth an instrument for his work; and I have created the waster to destroy.

**Isa 54:17** No weapon that is formed against thee shall prosper; and every tongue that shall rise against thee in judgment thou shalt condemn. This is the heritage of the servants of the LORD, and their righteousness is of me, saith the LORD.

If you and I are found faithful, we shall be specially protected in that time, and for our sakes, God has promised HE will cut short the time of this world’s utter destruction. As mentioned earlier in **Mat 24:21** For then shall be great tribulation, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be.

**Mat 24:22** And except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved: but for the elect's sake those days shall be shortened.

**THE FINAL TWO-WITNESS WORK!**

During this time, God’s final witness to His people will go forth in the form of the 2-witness work.

**Rev 11:1** And there was given me a reed like unto a rod: and the angel stood, saying, Rise, and measure the temple of God, and the altar, and them that worship therein.

**Rev 11:2** But the court which is without the temple leave out, and measure it not; for it is given unto the Gentiles: and the holy city shall they tread under foot forty and two months.

**Rev 11:3** And I will give power unto my two witnesses, and they shall prophesy a thousand two hundred and threescore days, clothed in sackcloth.

**Rev 11:4** These are the two olive trees, and the two candlesticks standing before the God of the earth.

Notice God points us to understand what is meant by the adjectives in these verses? “Two olive trees”, “Candlesticks” “standing before” the God of the earth.

As we know, olive oil is a type for God’s Holy Spirit, and trees an allegory for strength. Candlesticks give light, and standing before God relates to a special standing and position in God’s sight.

The candlesticks could mean two people in God’s churches at the time of the end just prior to this time of trouble, or as the writer has *speculated*, two churches, or two people in the last two churches, even within the remnant of the election of grace in this last era.Not of this lukewarm era, but in it. There has been a great deal of speculation about this, with some calling themselves the two-witnesses; Ron Weinland, a convicted tax evader, and his wife for example. Scripture tells a different story however. **Rev 2:1** Unto the angel of the church of Ephesus write; These things saith he that holdeth the seven stars in his right hand, who walketh in the midst of the seven golden candlesticks; I say speculated, because no one knows for sure 100%!

What are the explanations of these mysteries? Most people close their minds to the truths we can learn from Gods own Word as HE reveals His will to those that have been given eyes to see, and ears to hear.

Notice **Rev 1:20** The mystery of the seven stars which thou sawest in my right hand, and the seven golden candlesticks. The seven stars are the angels of the seven churches: and the seven candlesticks which thou sawest *are* **the seven churches**.

Which? The seven eras of God’s churches! At this time, we are living in the 7th and final era, the Laodicean, lukewarm church era. But, we are not part of Laodicea, and can identify our faith by our works as doers of The Word and works of God through Christ!

We need to recognize that through the Law of God, we can see and accept the Truth, as spelled out in the Scriptures and revealed here in the book of ‘Revelation’, which Christ commanded John to go and write there in Revelation chapter 11 concerning this very subject.

Right here in the first verse, we see that God is measuring the temple, the altar, and them that worship, the people, the church, and as it was shown there in **Daniel 5**, where they had been found wanting, to cut a long story short for time.

If the church today has surely been found wanting in *my* sight and yours, how much more in the sight of The Great God??

The church by prophecy has to be measured, or how shall God judge the people, and how shall HE give reward to those faithful, those who have or are in the process of failing, who according to the parable, as in Luk.19:16 Then came the first, saying, Lord, thy pound hath gained ten pounds. Luk.19:24 And he said unto them that stood by, Take from him the pound, and give it to him that hath ten pounds.

Without even this briefest of assessment, how shall we know and understand anything in The WORD of God? We must break it down, verse by verse, word by word, here a little, there a little, line upon line, line upon line, here a little, there a little.

The new testament temple is the 3rd and final destruction that is coming and that shall be destroyed, but God willing, for some of those who are to be demolished, some may be given the opportunity to repent through that time of Jacobs trouble, as recorded in **Rev.7:13** And one of the elders answered, saying unto me, What are these which are arrayed in white robes? and whence came they?

**Rev.7:14** And I said unto him, Sir, thou knowest. And he said to me, These are they which came out of great tribulation, and have washed their robes, and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

They are to given the opportunity to finally repent of whatever they had not done right. As The LORD made clear in many scriptures, HE is a merciful God, wanting everyone everywhere to repent, to keep The Way of The LORD, to do justice, to love kindness, and to walk humbly with Him. **Mic.6:6-8**.

What we have seen so far, is that Christ walks in the midst of seven golden candlesticks or church eras, having foretold through John what would befall each of these eras into the future.

The candlesticks give light as they are given the Truth by God through Christ, but are warned that God would remove that candlestick unless they repent and return to their firstlove. Meaning, to put God and His Truth first. More on this important subject soon.

**WHAT IS SURE!**

Nothing that any man, any world leader, President or Prime minister does cannot alter the purpose and plan of God to usher in and bring about the kingdom of God here on earth, and because mankind do not know The Living God, he does not know that this kingdom, is diametrically opposite to man’s governments and rule of “democracy, or government from the bottom up.

As a result, all of man’s governments are to be removed at a time in the future by the soon coming Son of God, who will usher in the everlasting Government of God Him at His return to this earth in flaming gory, with fire to burn up every institution, every evil practice, every edifice and system man has erected and set up!!!

In fact, the scriptures show that mankind will reject the entry into earth’s atmosphere of the LORD of Lords and KING of kings, and they will fight His return, when a revived world power, called ‘the beast’ with 10-world leaders in this period, will for a short time, attempt to make war with the returning Messiah, but He is KING of kings, and Lord of Lords, and they will miserably fail. But those that are with Him, are the called, chosen, and faithful. (Rev.17:11-15.)

The Word of God is absolute and sure, that God is going to bring Peace and true government, but not until after all the earth has been punished!

**DIVISIONS OF *THIS* WORLD’S RULER, CALLED THE DEVIL AND SATAN**

The ruler of this world has ever deceived all those not of God into “thinking” this world is o.k, or that everything will work out, and even those with some inkling of God, many calling themselves “Christian” who think God will just be merciful to all, have a great shock coming to them in the time ahead!

Those who “think” they know Christ and His Word in this world’s “Christianity” know nothing about the new Government that God will give to His saints, who shall take the kingdom and possess it forever, even forever and ever, are those that have received The Spirit of Christ, have covenanted with God to obey Him, have remained faithful, grown in the grace and knowledge of Jesus Christ, and been chosen, are part of the covenants of promise and commonwealth of Israel, ARE the ones who shall enter this new world order under Jesus Christ and all the saints with them.

Daniel was inspired to write of this;

**Dan.7:22** Until the Ancient of days came, and judgment was given to the saints of the most High; and the time came that the saints possessed the kingdom.

**Dan.7:18** But the saints of the most High shall take the kingdom, and possess the kingdom for ever, even for ever and ever.

**Dan.7:27** And the kingdom and dominion, and the greatness of the kingdom under the whole heaven, shall be given to the people of the saints of the most High, whose kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and all dominions shall serve and obey him.

They, and they only, not everyone shall inherit the kingdom and everlasting life, or Christ would not have said to those on His right hand, come ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you form the foundation of the world, while those on his left went into everlasting fire!

**Mat.25:31** When the Son of man shall come in his glory, and all the holy angels with him, then shall he sit upon the throne of his glory:

**Mat.25:32** And before him shall be gathered all nations: and he shall separate them one from another, as a shepherd divideth his sheep from the goats:

**Mat.25:33** And he shall set the sheep on his right hand, but the goats on the left.

**Mat.25:34** Then shall the King say unto them on his right hand, Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world:

**Mat.25:41** Then shall he say *also* unto them on the left hand, Depart from me, **ye cursed**, into everlasting fire, prepared for the devil and his angels:

The worldwide divisions have never been any different in terms of differences of “thinking”, “beliefs”, or “worship”, but it this world’s current era has rarely been so vocal against anything or anybody strong, particularly the former patriarchal family, where the father is at the head.

Today’s “families” are a mixed-up blend of children and women leading the father, who weakly abdicated his responsibilities long ago, but now males have quickly forgotten their gender, let alone what their roles are, and together with the LGBT, equal rights for women, homosexuals, blended sexuals, and “marriage equality” masses, what else is there but utter chaos and confusion of mankind under the fowler of all that was meant for humanities good!!

**PREPARING FOR PASSOVER**

It is tough to avoid being affected in some way by what is going on in the tumultuous world in which we live, but not impossible, and the need all of God’s people have to not only be watching, that we may be accounted worthy, (Lk.21:36.) and be alert to biblical prophecy as our world travels at breakneck speed to its own destruction, we can appreciate the tremendous opportunities God gives us to be able watch world events as they fulfill God’s awesome purpose, to end man’s corrupt rule, and replace it with the perfect righteous Government of God, through Jesus Christ!

This also helps us to appreciate what we are preparing for, and our need to be ready for the impending Passover season rapidly approaching.

That means it is now time to begin preparations for deleavening all our dwelling places, not forgetting our minds in this process, particularly because of the sin that does so easily beset and deceive God’s people in a hostile world, becoming ever more hostile to anything even resembling good, because of its propensity to turn things upside down, calling evil good, and good, evil!

Even though we see and know all of this, Peter said it is always good to put the brethren in remembrance of these things, and reminders are obviously necessary, or perhaps there wouldn’t have been a falling away, as I reminded us in the last newsletter. It is an appropriate time therefore, to take stock, remember by whom the priceless opportunity to be called came, study, meditate, pray more and put aside the time to fast prior to Passover.

There is a great deal to be grateful for as we are all well aware, but when you consider those that went before us in former eras of God’s churches, and how few will be chosen as Christ Himself said, we are in the box-seat as it were, to make our calling and election sure and steadfast, providing we DO our part!

That is why it is so important to remember to examine ourselves, and remember;

**Heb. 12:1**. Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us,

**Heb.12:2**. Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.

As some of those called out of this world in this time, and knowing that we are living through biblical prophecy and sobering times, and the utter corruption this world now finds itself in, we have a duty, and an honour to perfect worship in the fear of holiness, as we are encouraged in **Heb 4:1** Let us therefore fear, lest, a promise being left us of entering into his rest, any of you should seem to come short of it.

**Heb 4:2** For unto us was the gospel preached, as well as unto them: but the word preached did not profit them, not being mixed with faith in them that heard it.

**Heb 4:3** For we which have believed do enter into rest, as he said, As I have sworn in my wrath, if they shall enter into my rest: although the works were finished from the foundation of the world.

**Heb 4:4** For he spake in a certain place of the seventh day on this wise, And God did rest the seventh day from all his works.

**Heb 4:5** And in this place again, If they shall enter into my rest.

**Heb 4:6** Seeing therefore it remaineth that some must enter therein, and they to whom it was first preached entered not in because of unbelief:

**Heb 4:7** Again, he limiteth a certain day, saying in David, To day, after so long a time; as it is said, To day if ye will hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

**Heb 4:8** For if Jesus had given them rest, then would he not afterward have spoken of another day.

**Heb 4:9** There remaineth therefore a rest to the people of God.

**Heb 4:10** For he that is entered into his rest, he also hath ceased from his own works, as God did from his.

**Heb 4:11** Let us labour therefore to enter into that rest, lest any man fall after the same example of unbelief.

**Heb 4:12** For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

**Heb 4:13** Neither is there any creature that is not manifest in his sight: but all things are naked and opened unto the eyes of him with whom we have to do.

**Heb 4:14** Seeing then that we have a great high priest, that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our profession.

Therefore, as Paul again said in **Rom.12:1**. I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service.

That is the challenge ahead for the coming Passover brethren.

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 In Christ's name and service,

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