

"Blow ye the trumpet in Zion, and sound an alarm in my holy mountain: let all the inhabitants of the land tremble: for the day of the LORD cometh, for it is nigh at hand;" Joel 2:1

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Hopelessly Lost

Philosophically man has lost his way. Could he think himself out of his age-old predicament he would long ago have done it, for the world has had more than enough serious-minded men of superior intellectual endowments to examine every rabbit path in all the meadows of human thought and to explore every forest and wilderness in search of the way. Since the first fallen man got still long enough to think, fallen men have been asking these questions, Whence came I? What am I? Why am I here? and Where am I going? The noblest minds of the race have struggled with these questions to no avail. Did the answer lie somewhere hidden like a jewel it would surely have been uncovered, for the most penetrating minds of the race have searched for it. Not a foot of ground but has been spaded up, neither is there crevice or cave anywhere in the region of human experience but has been spied into thoroughly and often as the centuries passed. Yet the answers remain as securely hidden as if they did not exist. Why is man lost philosophically? Because he is lost morally and spiritually, he cannot answer the questions life presents to his intellect because the light of God has gone out in his soul. The fearful indictment the Holy Ghost brings against mankind is summed up count by count in the opening chapters of Romans and the conduct of every man from earliest recorded history to the present moment is evidence enough to sustain the indictment.

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- Section 1 -



Three Defiant Acts

Since the fall of Adam mankind has been estranged from God and in rebellion ever since. We read about those who are estranged from God in Romans 8:7, "Because the carnal mind is enmity against God: for it is not subject to the law of God, neither indeed can be."

The first response of God was to put Adam out of the garden and out of His presence. However, a gracious loving God provided a way for man to be restored to His fellowship. Even in Old Testament times men could be saved by obedience and faith, as Abraham was. In spite of that provision the great majority of mankind has steadfastly refused to repent and return to a relationship with God. In fact, we are told in scripture that the world of men and women are divided into two groups.

We see those two groups spoken of in

Colossians 1:13, "Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son." It is through salvation by faith in Christ that men are transferred from Satan's kingdom into the kingdom of Christ.

The rebellion of man has persisted throughout the long age of man's day. Scripture warns that at the close of man's day this rebellion of man will reach a climax. All of the rebelliousness of man will reach a crescendo immediately prior to, and during the Day of the Lord, also known as the tribulation period.

Paul spoke of that situation in 2 Timothy 3:1, "This know also, that in the last days perilous times shall come."

We are witnessing the fulfilment these prophecies in our day. David spoke of this final rebellion in Psalm 2:1-3,

"Why do the heathen rage, and the people imagine a vain thing? The

"Let us break their bands asunder, and cast away their cords from us." Psalm 2:3

kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the LORD, and against his anointed, saying, Let us break their bands asunder, and cast away their cords from us."

In the last fifty years we have witnessed that prophecy progressively being fulfilled. One hundred and fifty years ago the theory of evolution was presented to the world. About fifty years ago our society began to really believe evolution, and to believe that there is no creator God. If there is no God then the Bible is not the Word of God. If there is no God we can throw off all the restraints we have been under, we are accountable to no one but ourselves. Situations ethics followed, each individual decides what is right for him or her.

Throughout the world the slaughter of over a billion babies in the womb has taken place since that time. The sexual revolution began and all moral restraints

were cast aside. Marriage was lightly set aside, after all if there is no God then marriage is not an institution of God. If marriage is an outdated idea then homosexuality is an option for any who decide to choose it. Polygamy will be the next act of defiance against God; in fact the push has already begun.

We are now seeing men deliberately casting aside every command and instruction of God and His Word. "Let us break their bands asunder, and cast away their cords from us."

One of the major aspects of this rebellion against God is the attack on God's chosen people, Israel. This is the major thrust of the end-times scenario.

Today the whole world is committed to dividing the Promised Land and giving a portion of it to the enemies of Israel. There is not a nation in the world, including Canada, which is not calling for a two state solution. The enemies of Israel make no secret of their intention

of ultimately taking all the land and driving the Jews into the sea.

The biblical end-time scenario foretells of three great attempts to eliminate Israel from the face of the earth. But the scriptural record also tells us how God will pull His people back from the brink of destruction three times.

The first of three attempts to eliminate Israel is now beginning. The UN and all of the nations of the world are gearing up to force Israel to yield their inheritance. World leaders have voted at the UN to begin to support the Palestinians in legal battles against Israel. The Palestinians will now begin to appeal to the world court demanding Israel vacate the West Bank. The answer of the court is predictable along with the outcry from the world against Israel.

I believe we will see Obama in his second term also pressure Israel to vacate the West Bank. Sanctions of all kinds by the nations will make the situation unbearable for the leaders of Israel. Those sanctions have already begun.

One writer has stated. "In his second term, US President Barack Obama, if he continues the policies of his first term, will try to impose a new freeze on Jewish life in Judea and Samaria."

In 1992, then MK Benjamin Netanyahu declared: "A building freeze means abandoning territory".

This is what Obama is looking for: truncating Israel and deporting 600,000 Jews. Hanan Porat in 1992 declared: "The freeze is tantamount to blasphemy. It's worse than the apostasy decrees of the Roman Emperor Titus. Even the British government's 1939 White Paper pales in comparison".

In his second term, Obama will try to add his name to those of Nebuchadnezzar and Titus, who exiled the Jews from Bethlehem, Shilo, Beit El and Heyron.

THE FIRST ATTEMPT:

will climax in the war of Psalm 83 at some future point. God will personally intervene and demonstrate His power on Israel's behalf. We read about it in a parallel

behalf. We read about it in a parallel passage to Psalm 83, in Ezekiel 35:5-6, "Because thou hast had a perpetual hatred, and hast shed the blood of the children of Israel by the force of the

sword in the time of their calamity, in the time that their iniquity had an end: Therefore, as I live, saith the Lord GOD, I will prepare thee unto blood, and blood shall pursue thee: sith (since) thou hast not hated blood, even blood shall pursue thee."

Also in Ezekiel 36:5 we read, "Therefore thus saith the Lord GOD; Surely in the fire of my jealousy have I spoken against the residue of the heathen, and against all Idumea, (Palestinians) which have appointed my land into their possession with the joy of all their heart, with despiteful minds, to cast it out for a prey."

The God of Israel will intervene in that war and utterly destroy Israel's enemies. God's anger against these nations will be poured out upon them and this will trigger the tribulation period.

THE SECOND ATTEMPT:



True to their rebellious natures, men will soon forget the hand of God in support of Israel and the second attempt to

eliminate Israel will follow in the war of Ezekiel 38-39, early in the tribulation period.

The record of this war and the consequences of it are recorded in Ezekiel 38-39. Again the anger of the Lord will be poured out upon those who seek to destroy His people. We read about God's response in Ezekiel 38:22-23, "And I will plead (judge) against him with pestilence and with blood; and I will rain upon him, and upon his bands, and upon the many people that are with him, an overflowing rain, and great hailstones, fire, and brimstone. Thus will I magnify myself, and sanctify myself; and I will be known in the eyes of many nations, and they shall know that I am the LORD."

We read further about the consequences of that war in Ezekiel 39:3-4, "And I will smite thy bow out of thy left hand, and will cause thine arrows to fall out of thy right hand. Thou shalt fall upon the mountains of Israel, thou, and all thy bands, and the people that is with thee: I will give thee unto the ravenous birds of every sort, and to the beasts of the field to be devoured."

We read that five of every six in that Muslim army of multiplied millions will

die at the hand of God. Each time the nations seek to destroy Israel, the God of Israel intervenes on her behalf. They fail to grasp that to attack Israel is to attack the God of Israel.

THE THIRD AND FINAL ATTEMPT:



to annihilate Israel will begin at the mid-tribulation point. Antichrist will be drunk with a

feeling of power. He will move against Israel and seize the rebuilt Temple in Jerusalem. He will declare himself to be God and demand the world worship him. When the Jews refuse, he will attempt to kill every Jew. He will succeed in killing two thirds of all living Jews.

He will unknowingly do the work of God in this matter as the Lord purges unbelief in Israel immediately prior to the coming of Messiah to set up the Kingdom for Israel.

We read about this time in Zechariah 13:8-9, "And it shall come to pass, that in all the land, saith the LORD, two parts therein shall be cut off and die; but the third shall be left therein. And I will bring the third part through the fire, and will refine them as silver is refined, and will try them as gold is tried: they shall call on my name, and I will hear them: I will say, It is my people: and they shall say, The LORD is my God."

Also in Revelation 19:15 we read about God's vengeance upon His enemies as He intercedes to deliver the believing Jews. "And out of his mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the nations: and he shall rule them with a rod of iron: and he treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God."

The story surrounding the tribulation period is the story of man's attempt to eliminate Israel and the response of God. We are now standing on the threshold of these awesome events. Men boldly attack God and the people of God and think they can get away with it. David sums it up well in Psalm 2:4, "He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh: the LORD shall have them in derision."

Art Sadlier

ISRAEL'S BETRAYAL

Obama has used the so-called Arab spring to accomplish his own objectives. His efforts have resulted in the elimination of the moderate Arab states, replacing them with radical fundamentalist Islamic entities which are violently anti-Israel.

The pattern goes all the way back to the 1960's. At that time the Carter administration brought down the Shaw of Iran which resulted in the establishment the radical Iranian fundamentalist state which now threatens to blow Israel off the map.

Obama began with the removal Gaddafi in Libya, the result was another radical Islamic anti-Israeli state. Next we saw the removal of the moderate Mubarak in Egypt. He was replaced by the Muslim Brotherhood, the notorious violent enemy of Israel. The fruit of this change has quickly become bitter to the Egyptian people. It is now becoming clear the Egyptians have traded a more secular autocrat for an Islamist dictator.

Obama has worked carefully in recent years to bring Turkey into his Alliance. This is the same Turkey that has, in the last decade been transformed from a secular state into an Islamic anti-Israel nation.

Now Obama is beginning his next move in Syria where he wants to bring down Assad. Assad will most certainly be replaced with another radical Islamic state; the rebels have already identified themselves as such.

At this time Obama is also planning a new future for the radical Hamas terrorists. He is seeking to present Hamas as a transformed, legitimate voice of the Palestinian people. Apparently Obama wants to see Hamas take over the West Bank and make some kind of arrangement with Israel.

He foisted on Israel a truce that Israel decided to accept. Israel has moved to lift some border restrictions on Hamas. The deal was that the US and Egypt would prevent the continuation of Iranian arms from flowing into Gaza (don't hold your breath) in exchange for an accommodation with Hamas by Israel. The whole project is supposed to be a way of containing Iran.

Israel's leaders are desperately grasping for straws as they blindly yield to Obama's plans. Can you imagine Hamas controlling both the Gaza and the West Bank? Can you imagine in your wildest dreams Hamas changing their attitude toward Israel? Hamas was established for the single purpose of destroying Israel.

Obama has made many promises to Israel concerning the prevention of Iran's nuclear program. Israel is desperately clinging to those promises, and perhaps giving ground to Obama on that basis. Israel is being led down the garden path. If they continue in this direction they will be doomed, except of course, apart from divine intervention.

The following report details how this new initiative came about and how it is being carried forth:

The eight-day Gaza duel between Israel and Hamas was the showcase. Behind it, a coup went forward, rescuing Hamas from a takeover of Gaza by Iran. It was masterminded by at least three intelligence wizards: Israel's Mossad Director Tamir Pardo, Turkish National Intelligence Organization – MIT chief, Hakan Fidan and the Qatari Prime Minister Sheikh Jassim al Thani, who also heads the emirate's intelligence service. The CIA was in close touch. The master stroke was the killing of Ahmed Jabari by an Israeli missile; he was Iran's point man in the takeover attempt.

Their aim was to abort the military ties Tehran was cultivating with Hamas before the Gaza Strip was grabbed as Iran's springboard to Cairo. To this end, wave upon wave of multiple missile assaults on Israel were provoked. The coup action was designed as Part One of US President Barack Obama's overall plan, which is to harness the Arab Spring to key US objectives. His partners were - and are - Egyptian President Mohamed Morsi, Turkish premier Recep Tayyip Erdogan and Israeli Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu.

The plan is to chart a new future for the radical Hamas terrorists by their transformation into the (moderate) legitimate voice of the Palestinian people (laugh here).

"Come into my parlour little fly" says
Obama to Israel. I will help you out of
the desperate situation you find
yourself in. Meanwhile, Obama is now
building a network around Israel, a
network of violent radical Islamic states
who are fanatically committed to
destroying her.

Obama is no friend of Israel. Obama held Israel back from invading Gaza and destroying Hamas. He has prevented Israel from wiping out Iran's nuclear program. Obama has stated over and over that he would never allow Iran to obtain nuclear weapons. Now we are being told it is too late to stop Iran's nuclear program.

Obama does not care if Israel is destroyed as long as he can bring Islam into some kind of detente with America and ingratiate himself to Islam.

It is interesting that it has been recently revealed that for the last thirty years Obama has been wearing a ring that is engraved in Arabic, with the words, "No God but Allah." This has been confirmed by one of Obama's old college professors. In spite of the flap no denial has been forthcoming.

When you add this to the fact that he bowed to the king of Saudi Arabia who is the guardian of Islam, the evidence of Obama's allegiance to Islam is compelling.

Over and over again, since he became the American President, Obama and his administration seem to know exactly the right time to orchestrate events so that the many Muslim countries they 'protect and serve' are enabled to not only survive, but to thrive. Obama's great foreign policy achievement has been to prevent Israel from inflicting damage on their many Muslim enemies.

THE CEASE FIRE ENGINEERED BY OBAMA

The following statement sheds light on Obama's intention toward Israel.

[Take for example the cease-fire between Israel and the Brotherhood's Palestinian franchise - the designated terrorist organization, Hamas. Mohamed Morsi, the man the Muslim Brotherhood selected to replace

Mubarak as president of Egypt, brokered the deal and has been lionized for doing so.

But, far from representing a real contribution to peace, this hudna (truce) is a coup for the Islamists. It blocked Israel from launching ground operations aimed at cleaning out terrorist strongholds, weapons caches and infrastructure in Gaza. Pursuant to the cease-fire's terms, the Jewish State is even supposed to refrain from continuing to target Hamas leadership figures from the air.

Yet, the Morsi-brokered cease-fire imposes no impediment to the jihadists in the Gaza Strip rearming for the next round of attacks on Israel. And the deal creates the expectation that the only practical bar to such rearmament - namely, the Israeli blockade of Gaza - will be eased

The credit given Mohamed Morsi by the Obama administration and others for engineering so manifestly one-sided an accord ignores a central reality: The Brotherhood is simply buying time to achieve what the Soviets would call "a more favorable correlation of forces," And, once that is accomplished, the mother ship in Egypt and its affiliates in Gaza and elsewhere will be delighted to abandon the latest hudna and renew their decades-long effort to "drive the Jews into the sea."] (Frank Gaffney)

It is amazing how Netanyahu has been deceived By Obama. Perhaps his need for other areas of support, such as his own political needs and the need for military equipment and grants have him in a corner.

THE MUSLIM BROTHERHOOD: (The following is a commentary by Frank Gaffney.)

The Obama administration chose the eve of the holiday marking our Nation's birth to acknowledge publicly behavior in which it has long been stealthily engaged to the United States' extreme detriment: Its officials now admit that they are embracing the Muslim Brotherhood (MB or Ikhwan in Arabic). That would be the same international Islamist organization that has the destruction of the United States, Israel and all other parts of the Free World as its explicit objective.

On Thursday, Secretary of State Hillary Clinton tried to downplay the momentousness of this major policy shift by portraying it during a stopover in Budapest as follows:

"The Obama administration is continuing the approach of limited contacts with the Muslim Brotherhood that have existed on and off for about five or six years." In fact, as former federal prosecutor Andrew McCarthy points out in a characteristically brilliant, and scathing, dissection of this announcement, Team Obama's official, open legitimation of the Brotherhood marks a dramatic break from the U.S. government's historical refusal to deal formally with the Ikhwan.

To understand why the Obama administration's embrace of the Muslim Brotherhood is so ominous, consider three insights into the organization's nature and ambitions:

First - Here's the MB's creed: "Allah is our objective. The Prophet is our leader. The Qur'an is our law. Jihad is our way. Dying in the way of Allah is our highest hope." (Source: Husain Haqqani and Hillel Fradkin, "Islamist Parties: Going Back to the Origins.")

Second - Here's the Ikwhan's mission in America: "A kind of grand jihad in eliminating and destroying the Western civilization from within, sabotaging its miserable house with their [i.e., Americans'] hands and the hands of the believers so that it is eliminated and God's religion is made victorious over all other religions." (Source: Muslim Brotherhood's "Explanatory Memorandum on the General Strategic Goals of the Group," entered into evidence by the Department of Justice in the 2008 Holy Land Foundation terrorism-finance trial. Archived at the NEFA Foundation.)

Third - Here are excerpts from the Muslim Brotherhood's "phased plan" for accomplishing that mission:

Phase One - Discreet and secret establishment of leadership.

Phase Two: - Phase of gradual appearance on the public scene and exercising and utilizing various public activities. It greatly succeeded in implementing this stage. It also succeeded in achieving a great deal of its important goals, such as infiltrating various sectors of the Government.

Phase Three - Escalation phase, prior to conflict and confrontation with the rulers, through utilizing mass media. Currently in progress.

Obama has pressed the Muslim agenda from many different angles. The most important being the deceitful betrayal of Israel.

The above article shows the extent of the deception that has swept over our

world. This deception is growing without resistance. God has given our world over to deception and there is nothing, no scenario, no event, no change of policy, no collapse of government or collapse of currency that

cannot now happen, and happen suddenly.

Whatever corner of the globe you look at, the stage is being set for the sudden unfolding of the end time events foretold in scripture. Art Sadlier

Every great empire comes to an end; often the disintegration is very rapid. For some time now we have been watching the decline of the great American enterprise. The economic foundation of the nation is disintegrating as unimaginable debt piles up. This incredible debt will sooner or later bring the whole monetary system crashing down.

History is filled with accounts of empires that dominated the world and suddenly came to an unexpected end. I am old enough to remember the British Empire dominating the world scene. By some estimates Britain dominated or influenced as much as 70 percent of the globe. It seemed as if this great Empire would never come to an end. However, almost overnight the British Empire vanished off the scene.

The sudden decline of the British Empire can be directly traced to the time in the 1940's when Britain turned against Israel. In like manner the Obama administration has turned against Israel and we seem to be seeing the beginning of the decline of America.

Some believe that on November 6, the Americans turned a corner in their national life. It has been stated that they have turned away from their constitutional principle of limited self-government with the re-election of Barack Obama. A number of people believe that with four more years of the Obama administration America will be beyond the point of no return.

The United States of America have been undergoing tremendous changes for some time now, long before Barak Obama arrived upon the scene. In the last four or five decades the moral foundations have crumbled along with the spiritual and societal fabric of the nation. Since Obama came to power four years ago America has been in the process of the transition from a free enterprise capitalist society to a totalitarian socialist state. Obama has stated during the election campaign that he needs four more years to "complete the job."

Obama has set policies and passed laws that negate and neglect the biblical principles upon which the nation was founded. When Obama first came to power he stated that America was no longer a "Christian nation" and he has worked to reinforce

AMERICA RUSHING TO JUDGEMENT

this belief. Some have stated that Obama was re-elected because he is more progressive. He is the first president to endorse gay marriage and he is apparently in tune with the voters. Three states voted to approve gay marriage, six states have previously approved gay marriage through the courts. Three states voted to approve the use of marijuana. America is becoming more progressive, progressively moving away from God's Word.

In another crucial area the Obama administration has turned against Israel. Regardless of Barak Obama's statements that he is the friend of Israel, working through the Arab Spring, he deliberately worked to bring about a transition of moderate Arab states into radical Islamic states, states which are aggressive toward Israel. As stated above, this sets the nation against the purposes of God for His people Israel which is a very dangerous place to be. In an editorial, World Net Daily,

immediately after the election, stated that America had "Pronounced Judgment upon itself" (by endorsing Obama's programs).

I believe that when a nation abandons the warnings of God's Word, when they murder babies in their mother's wombs and they advocate immorality and homosexuality as acceptable lifestyles, the judgment of God is inevitable. The election on November 6 seemed to be the stamp of approval by the American people on the unbiblical agenda of the Obama administration. We shall see what the future holds for America.

There comes a time when people and nations turn against God and His Word and God turns against them. When that happens God hardens their hearts and blinds their eyes and their fate is sealed.

Jeremiah discovered this truth when the judgment of God was about to fall upon Israel. God had given them over to judgment because of their obstinate rebellion against Him. The Lord said to Jeremiah in Jeremiah 7:16, "Therefore pray not thou for this people, neither lift up cry nor prayer for them, neither make intercession to me: for I will not hear thee." This was the abandonment of God to judgment.

The false prophets contradicted the message of judgment. Jeremiah said, "For they have healed the hurt of the daughter of my people slightly, saying, Peace, peace; when there is no peace" (Jeremiah 8:11). They said we are the people of God and nothing is going to happen to us, don't worry it will all work out.

The Lord answered in Jeremiah 16:5, "For thus saith the LORD, Enter not into the house of mourning, neither go to lament nor bemoan them: for I have taken away my peace from this people, saith the LORD, even lovingkindness and mercies." The Lord was saying; do not be deceived judgment is on the way.

For nearly a decade God has been sending warning after warning to

"Now will I shortly pour out my fury upon thee, and accomplish mine anger upon thee: and I will judge thee according to thy ways, and will recompense thee for all thine abominations. And mine eye shall not spare, neither will I have pity: I will recompense thee according to thy ways and thine abominations that are in the midst of thee; and ye shall know that I am the LORD that smiteth." Ezekiel 7:8-9

"And I will punish the world for their evil, and the wicked for their iniquity; and I will cause the arrogancy of the proud to cease, and will lay low the haughtiness of the terrible" Isaiah 13:11

America. It is not necessary to list them all here, everyone is aware of them. America has ignored each one of these warnings. The people of God have seen them and have been alarmed by them, but the leaders and people have closed their eyes and hardened their hearts.

Today, as in the days of Jeremiah, there is in America a similar false hope that the judgment of God will not befall them.

Let me paint the scenario that seems to be looming in America's future. It goes like this; there is an unstoppable economic force underway right now in America. It will make millions of Americans very rich and improve the standard of living for the entire country.

The reasoning behind this optimism is the oil boom that is about to explode. Alan Farnham reported on ABC news, November 13, "An American oil find holds more oil than all OPEC." There are reportedly some twenty oil fields where oil can be extracted from shale using the new process called "fracking." Each of these fields are said to contain more oil reserves than those contained in Saudi Arabia. This boom is expected to be in effect by the year 2015.

The following is a statement from Debkafile.

[We are writing to share with you the things we've learned about a massive change that's underway, right now, in the United States. We believe these new economic forces will reshape the economies of the United States and the world.

These things will change the political climate here and abroad. These new forces will increase the wealth of the United States and improve our standing in the world economy, but...in the process...they will also empower the president of the United States...perhaps enabling him to implement the most terrifying socialistic policies in the history of our country."]

The belief is that America is on the verge of the greatest period of prosperity it has ever known. Peace and prosperity is the watchword. The implications are that President Obama

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THE DEPTH OF A SOCIETY'S REBELLION AGAINST GOD IS REFLECTED IN THE DAILY NEWS

will get the credit for this incredible economic prosperity. He will be able to use this new found wealth to carry out his socialistic program making him the idol of the American people.

We are already seeing the exaltation of Obama underway. During the election campaign, at one event the people cried out "Hail Obama."

Last week at the "Soul Train Music Awards" Jamie Foxx told a wildly cheering crowd, "Thank God, our Lord and Saviour, Barack Obama."

There is a painting now on display at the Bunker Hill Community College Art Gallery; the portrait depicts President Obama as Jesus, wearing a Crown of Thorns with his arms outstretched. The painting was intended to portray the crucifixion of Obama by the Conservative right. There is an alarming pattern here, something never seen in America before.

Obama is not the Antichrist, but he seems to be a harbinger of a man that will arise in Europe and do a similar thing.

America may hope to escape the judgment of God as Israel hoped in Jeremiah's day. America will not escape the judgment of God which will fall upon her sooner or later. God is the one who sets the time table in the affairs of men and nations. I suspect that it will be sooner rather than later because America is in the way of the unfolding of the Biblical end time scenario. America's military and economic power still controls the world in spite of loss of face and respect in much of the world. America must be neutralized before end time events can happen.

No nation in history has risen to such heights as America, and no nation in history has plunged to such depths of rebellion against God, and into such depravity. It has been said many times, "If God doesn't judge America He will have to apologize to Sodom and Gomorrah."

In Toronto, posters have been placed

in schools depicting the family. There are pictures of a man and a woman. There are pictures of two men and pictures of two women. There is also a picture of a man and two women. Destroying in the minds of our children, the pattern God has established in His Word for marriage.

In North Carolina, a school ordered a six-year-old girl to remove the word "God" from a poem she was to read during a Veteran's Day ceremony.

In Washington state the words "bride" and "groom" – along with "husband" and "wife" are about to become archaic language as officials prepare to remove the terms from marriage and divorce certificates. An official said the changes are necessary in response to the same-sex marriage law which takes effect December Sixth.

These are dark, dark days, like the days of Israel of old, when they departed from God and His Word and brought the judgment of God down upon their heads. We read about the Lord's response in Ezekiel 7:8-9, "Now will I shortly pour out my fury upon thee, and accomplish mine anger upon thee: and I will judge thee according to thy ways, and will recompense thee for all thine abominations. And mine eye shall not spare, neither will I have pity: I will recompense thee according to thy ways and thine abominations that are in the midst of thee; and ye shall know that I am the LORD that smiteth."

Ezekiel sounded the warning but no one listened, just like our own day.

Isaiah sounded a warning that applies to this very hour in which we are living. "And I will punish the world for their evil, and the wicked for their iniquity; and I will cause the arrogancy of the proud to cease, and will lay low the haughtiness of the terrible" (Isaiah 13:11).

My dear friend, if you are not saved, you are dangling on a thread over the fires of an eternal hell. Come to Christ right now. Come in repentance and faith and He will save you. Art Sadlier

"He that believeth on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him" (John 3:36).

CURRENCY WARS AND FUNNY MONEY

There is a growing sense that drastic change is coming to the economies and currencies of the world. Countless financial advisors are telling people to get ready for this economic tsunami. However, they have no sense of the unfolding end time Biblical scenario involved in this coming event.

They are saying: there is going to be a great fire so invest in fire hoses, while

others are losing all, you can get rich. They are saying: there is going to be a war so invest in companies that make guns. No one is saying: The judgment of God is about to fall, so get right with God.

The fact is that there are so many who are in the know in the financial world who are saying there is a financial disaster on the near horizon.

I am not a financial expert, but I can read the news and the commentaries that are forecasting the coming crisis.

One of the current topics in the news is entitled "Currency Wars." The following are quotes from several financial analysts and economic experts.

The first quote is an explanation as to the nature of a currency war:

But in its most basic form a currency war breaks out when nations begin to intentionally devalue their currency against each other to help boost their economies.

The flawed logic goes like this, if you make your currency cheaper; that makes your exports cheaper.

It also theoretically makes your country more appealing to foreign investments, since foreign currencies now buy more inside your borders.

And the powers-that-be, figure that'll solve a floundering economy. History has shown time and time again, this not to be the case.

What devaluing your currency also does is make the debt you repay to other countries cheaper.

This angers the people you owe money to.

With America \$16 trillion in the hole, it's easy to see why that would be an attractive option to some folks in Washington. It's become apparent Washington's plan is to intentionally weaken the dollar.

The problem is, once one country devalues their currency, soon after, other countries do it in retaliation.

America is on the brink of a full-scale currency war, it's already begun.

The twentieth century saw two currency wars.

- 1. The first took place between the first and second world wars. The result was that in Germany a wheelbarrow full of printed money bought a loaf of bread.
- 2. The second currency war began in 1965 when France's President, Charles de Gaulle, converted \$150 million in his country's reserves into gold.

James Rickards states: "Right now we are locked in a conventional Currency War with China, Europe, and most of the world.

I believe the U.S. government is also actively at war with our dollar and, as a dangerous consequence, the wealth of its citizens.

Because when you simultaneously make the dollar weaker, lower interest rates, and unsustainably grow the Federal debt, you are robbing Americans of their financial security.

So that's about \$4 trillion of our funny money that's flooded the global markets and weakened our dollar by as much as 27%.

That means round one of this currency war caused average Americans to become victims from the Fed covertly eradicating over a quarter of the value of their life savings and investments.

Since we opened up that QE can of worms, countless other nations have retaliated by unleashing their own quantitative easing measures on us. Not including the U.S., \$4 trillion was printed by world governments last year from global quantitative easing. And what's broken out is inflation all across the international community."

Eventually, as in Germany in the 1930's, hyperinflation will hit the currencies of the world. This will set the scene for cancellation of the dollar and other currencies. When that occurs, the new world currency will be introduced by the UN or the New World government of Antichrist. It will replace the central banking system and this new world government will be the money printer for the whole world with the power and control that goes with it.

It is interesting to note that the economic collapse and instability in Germany in the 1930's was fertile ground for the rise of the monstrous German dictator, who was democratically elected in a so called Christian nation.

It remains for Europe, in a time of total economic and social confusion to elect the ultimate monstrous dictator known in scripture as the beast. On November

27, **Tony Blair stated**, "It's time for the direct election of a European President."

Rumor has it that the politicians and the money powers that be, nationally and globally, have a plan that would eliminate all debt and intend to put it in place and restart up again under a totally changed economic system. Things are so chaotic within the financial system that this appears to them as the only solution.

Rush Limbaugh made a special point about this situation as it came to his attention, that the planners of the Obama administration were rumored to be considering such an option immediately, or not long after beginning a second term. All debt

would be written off with a stroke of the presidential pen and a new monetary regime, excluding the old dollar, would be put into place.

In another article we read. "So there is a magic wand after all. A revolutionary paper by the International Monetary Fund claims that one could eliminate the net public debt of the US at a stroke, and by implication do the same for Britain, Germany, Italy, or Japan. The IMF reports say the conjuring trick is to replace our system of private bank-created money.

One could slash private debt by 100pc of GDP, boost growth, stabilize prices, and dethrone bankers all at the same time. It could be done cleanly and painlessly, by legislative command, far more quickly than anybody imagined."

This would be the perfect scenario to implement the coming world government.

The wheels are turning, the stage is being set; everything is in readiness for the right moment, the right crisis. The nations and the peoples will have to come to the point of absolute desperation and fear. Such a situation could be brought about by a total economic collapse and a cataclysmic war in the Mideast. Art Sadlier

Palestinians and Statehood

We are told that the UN vote carries no authority and that nothing has really changed. The facts are somewhat different. It has now been established in the minds of the leaders of the nations that the West Bank and East Jerusalem actually belong to the Palestinians.

It will also be now possible for the PA to bring Israel and her leaders before the courts with a myriad of complaints. We can also envision a situation where the court would order Israel to vacate the West Bank altogether. We can easily predict that the outcome of the courts decisions will be against Israel. It is also easy to envision a situation where Israeli leaders will be unable to travel abroad for fear of being arrested and hauled off to Brussels for trial.

The world is divided on many issues, it knows nothing of unity. However, we are about to see a world coalesce against Israel. There will be an unprecedented unity. One and a quarter billion Muslims want Israel destroyed, and the western nations want Arab oil at any price, including appeasing them concerning Israel. The West also wrongly thinks that to sacrifice Israel will bring an end the waves of terrorism that has plagued them.

Israel has reacted against the PA, as they said they would and as they have every right to do. They have announced the construction of thousands of new homes in and around East Jerusalem and in the West Bank. If carried out this will isolate the Palestinians from Jerusalem and make a contiguous Palestinian state impossible.

Israel has also decided to keep 100 million dollars in revenue collected on behalf of the PA. This represents one month's revenue and is to be applied against the debt the PA owes to Israel hydro for unpaid electricity. The threat is also to discontinue the collection of taxes on behalf of the PA. It is conceivable that Israel could allow the Palestinian Authority to collapse.

We are now about to see unprecedented pressure put upon Israel by the nations of the world. Britain, France and Sweden have protested to Israel and are said to considering recalling their ambassadors. The US is apparently out raged by the Israeli moves. Obama could conceivably cancel aid to Israel. Watch for the expansion of sanctions and boycotts against Israel by the nations of the world.

If Israel yields to the pressure there will be a repeat in the West Bank of what happened in the Gaza. The world knows that the Arab goal is the destruction of Israel and surrendering the West Bank will make it possible.

If Israel refuses to be intimidated, war will be the ultimate outcome. Israel's choice is to give up now or face a war. I believe Bible prophecy indicates the war of Psalm 83 will be the result.

These are truly momentous days in which we are living, fearful and awesome but truly momentous. Art Sadlier