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Some times in life you just have to step out. This newsletter is just that. I have chosen to start bringing to your attention periodically aspects of these last days that most are not aware of. These are real physical events and happenings that are different from most of the things about the return discussed in the past, and their very existence now serve as more signs of where we are in time.

BLIND BATS IN OUR MODERN DAY WORLD

[A Look at Where We Are and Where We Are Headed]

I have come to realize after years in ministry and many meetings and services and programs that there are many people who truly just can't see. They really can't see Jesus for who he is. They can't see the wonder of the miracles and healings that are done in his name. They can't receive the glorious revelations of his truth when presented to them. It is as if they never see or never hear.

In John 10 Jesus said to a group that kept pestering him to tell them who he is: "You do not believe because you are not my sheep." And that's true. There are people on earth who are not his sheep. Not now. Not ever. The Bible talks about people who are the elect, who have been selected by God before the creation, people who were created to do specific tasks that God prepared in advance for them to do. And the Bible also talks about how narrow the road is and how difficult it is – the road to life I mean. Jesus is the one who talks about that.

So here we are in this modern world that morally and materially is falling apart right in front of our eyes. And a huge portion of the population is not concerned, or else chooses by will just not to consider it. II Corinthians 4:4 is another scripture that bears on this, making the point that the devil has blinded the minds of non-believers.

Several years ago right in the midst of my speaking to a group, the Lord told me to tell them who he is and that he is coming soon. In the years since he has made it clear that the time of his return is now. It is imminent. It is going to be really soon. I have written about many Biblical prophesies regarding events preceding his return that have been fulfilled, some key ones being the return of Israel as a real geographic and political entity on earth in 1948, the takeover of Jerusalem by the Jews in 1967, the massive return of the Jews to Israel, the astounding growth of deception everywhere in life, the falling away from God of so many, and of course the many items Jesus referred to as birth pains when he discussed his return (You can watch our television programs on this on our web site or request our CDs on the subject over the web site or by contacting us directly.).

But so many people are not interested in hearing about all that. To them the return is either just not a real thing or it is way in the future. Or, and I think this is true, they are frightened by the prospect of their and their children's lives being cut short on the earth. But, goodness, imagine what a tradeoff that is, moving full-time into heaven with God's Kingdom all around rather than this lost world in which we all physically live.

If you are one of those blessed to know the truth, you know the coming return is real and it is soon.

In the United States and the world we see a steady march through the final steps before the return, with events and behavior that is right out of scripture. There is a great falling away from God in America. Europe may be ahead of the US in this. There is a steady move in the United States and in Europe and other regions towards the putting together of an overall one world government structure - rule by really big government, the end of individual liberties. Surely virtually everyone should be able to see that is happening. The prophesies in Daniel and Revelation and Jesus' own words are coming about.

What I intend to do now and in at least a few coming months is to focus very specifically on organizations and people that are committed to and working toward this one world government and the dark side in these last days. I know some of you may be familiar with this, but to many this will be a surprise. So this newsletter serves as an introduction to all this.

There are major leaders and organizations that clearly do not follow the words of the Bible but rather pursue another path, that of the evil one. Most people know nothing about these organizations. But you must realize if you think for a moment or two that the evil one has not just been sitting idly by for thousands of years. He has been working on his side just as God has worked for thousands of years in putting forth his plan which burst forth in Jesus' life on earth and crucifixion and resurrection and which continues with his return. The evil one has been responsible for horrible suffering and death – just think about the horrors of the last several centuries. Think about the constant efforts by governments and peoples to eliminate the Jews from the earth and in our day to constantly reduce or eliminate the new nation of Israel. And if you can get yourself to see the big picture, you will see a constant effort to move toward overall larger and larger government, culminating in one-world government. And a growth in false religions and horrible behavior sometimes by some in those religions, such as islam.

As one example of what is and has been happening, there exists a Club of Rome, a powerful group that some say is the real power behind the European Union government. Some years ago it recommended the division of the world into ten regional governments. That fits nicely with prophecies on end times in the Bible. By the way, that Club for many recent years was under the leadership of a Jordanian prince, an Arab Muslim. Just a beginning to whet your appetite to know more. One of the troubling comments from this group in the past has to do with their concern that there are too many people on earth. Wonder what they intend to do or are doing about that?

Further, for centuries there has been a powerful secretive organization on earth dedicated to the creation of a secular one world government. It has involved some famous leaders from history and our own day. It still continues. As much as those studying this organization have been able to discover, it has six primary objectives, including the elimination of the family structure (marriage), a one world government, the elimination of religion, end of private property, end of inheritance, and end of monarchy. You can see how successful this group is by looking at our world and nation and the current status of these subjects. Of course, the real leader of this organization and those related to it is not a human being. It is the evil one himself. This organization is real. It operates near you and worldwide. It has been warned against by a few great leaders throughout history. More on this in coming months.

Years ago when I lived near Houston, a kind older German couple lived across the street. I remember their telling me once that in World War II they had no idea the horrors that happened in Germany were happening (e.g., the killing of all the millions in concentration camps). No idea. Recently I heard someone you likely know who had interviewed people held in the concentration camps and spoken to descendants of those killed and others. He remarked he is continually amazed how so many living at the time in Germany say they never knew these things were happening. Or as it gradually came to light for some, well, the consideration that it was happening to others and not them! And this in a highly educated and it was thought religious country at the time!

Americans, I want you to think of your own country, the USA. Recent news revelations and the general trend of events should have made it patently clear to anyone who is not intellectually blind or just plain stupid that there is much afoot behind the scenes that is not good for any of us. Some examples:

- The massive growth and involvement of the national government in daily life in both the current and recent government administrations. Coupled with this would be the massive growth in the number of people who now make a living through the government.
- The economic fall in the lives of individuals in the US and of the country as a whole, gradually moving the US toward an economic level more in line with other modern nations.
- The Benghazi affair what do you think was really going on there and why was it so totally covered up?
- The IRS behavior in pressing certain groups, clearly against the integrity of the organization and there continue to be more and more reports of bad behavior in this organization.
- The massive monitoring of telephone and email and Internet activities of all Americans, and this not just under the current administration.
- The refusal of our government to formally recognize the great threat of radical islam, often refusing to call obvious terrorist activities for what they are for example, calling the shooting at Fort Hood domestic violence or workplace violence instead of radical islam terrorism. The fact that the shooter shouted allahu akbar, or god is great (referring to the god of islam, allah), seems to be lost on the minds in Washington.
- The strong hand of the government in going after news media such as the Associated Press in actions generally viewed as illegal or unconstitutional.

All of this, if you think for a moment, is in line with the move to ever bigger government and eventually a one-world government, which of course is what the anti-christ will attempt to put together and rule in the last days. Its construction is underway now.

Similarly, on the religious front we see a breakdown of a few traditional denominations, some now accepting or considering accepting homosexual preachers and some moving to a more universalist approach, an "accepting of everything" approach. All this is in line with the universal church that comes about in the end times as well.

The great fall away from God is highly apparent in the massive public rush to recognize and back the so-called homosexual agenda even though that group is still a very small minority of society and that behavior is clearly condemned in the Bible. Another example would be the government-pressured taking of God and Jesus out of public ceremonies and religious events in the military.

There are other startling facts and troubling issues I could include here, some that we do not even clearly understand, but I will largely leave them for later. Just to prick your interest, here are more examples of what is now going on: Why the mysterious Georgia stone monuments with their frightening guidelines as to how life should be lived? Why the modern state of the art telescope and astrophysics observatory in Arizona owned and operated by the Vatican, of all things? And why is that telescope named Lucifer? Why do American human rights groups and women's rights groups not speak up boldly about the atrocious treatment of women in Middle Eastern Arab Muslim countries? Whoever came up with the idea islam is religion of peace? And on and on we could go. More about all this in future newsletters and in the email reports, *Sign of the Times* and *Watchman Warning*. Amazing!

We are surely in the most frustrating and difficult of days. Expect any moment to see the Middle East truly flare up. Some months ago I wrote of the coming wars, meaning the ones prophesied in the Bible that haven't yet happened. Well, the stage is set. There is to be a battle between the Arab muslim nations around Israel and Israel (Psalm 83). And the city of Damascus is to be totally destroyed at some point. It appears to me we are near this all happening. And then there is the Ezekiel 38-39 war, the attack on Israel from the North led by a nation to the north thought to be Russia, joined in this by Iran and others, possibly Turkey. Please note that Russia and Iran are allies of Syria, so if the existing government in Syria is destroyed or beaten severely, they will not be happy.

Most of the American people are still confused and lost and focusing on sports and summer and jobs, and maybe most don't know enough spiritually and regarding end times to focus on anything more. I started this piece with that observation, and it is still true. Remember, Jesus compared the times of his return to the days of Noah and the days of Lot. In both cases the people were going about their normal everyday mundane activities when suddenly calamity hit and their lives were over.

You by receiving this, by being on our mail list, by being interested in the subjects God has called me to are clearly not in this lost majority. I urge you to use your best efforts to get the truths of Jesus and his return out to those you can. The end times will play out in real actual events involving real people. They are right now.

Remember: The end times are not just a harsh time; they are the time of God judging the world. We believers are comforted and at peace now because we have read the Bible and we know how this all works out. We know the Lord comes to collect his CHURCH. We know, as the Bible tells us, that we will be spared from the days of wrath (see Revelation 3:10, 1 Thessalonians 5:9 and 1:10, Romans 5:9, and Luke 21:36).

May you live in the blessings of God always.

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