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**FUNDAMENTALS OF JESUS
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**WAKE UP, AMERICA...and WORLD!!!
CHANGE WHAT YOU ARE DOING! NOW! RIGHT NOW!**

That's the warning and message for today for most people on earth. Unless you truly know Jesus, unless he truly is your Lord, that headline is for you.

Why?

Because we are rushing rapidly to the end of this age, the end of this time period as we know it. We are almost running to the time of the return of Jesus to earth. That is a time when he will call out and collect his true believers, his CHURCH. That is a time of extreme hardship and judgment on the earth, ending with a famous war most have heard of known as Armageddon, which is won by Jesus, after which he takes up his position of rule from Jerusalem.

During the seven year period that precedes Armageddon, there are extreme hardships on earth of a variety of types, and huge numbers of people on earth are killed – by disease, by the sword, by famine, by natural and amazing disasters of all sorts of kinds. And even in the time immediately before the seven year term of judgment known as the tribulation, there are increasing hardships of all sorts. Jesus called many of them birth pains, and we have been experiencing some of this in recent years. All is spelled out in Biblical prophecy, and I have discussed this much in previous newsletters and programs and CDs.

Now amazing things are happening so rapidly that even secular commentators have taken notice. Most write and speak about events differently than I would, for they do not have the Biblical or spiritual basis, but they surely are speaking about bizarre events.

I would have used the word "REPENT" in the red headline of this newsletter, but I thought that would scare away many people. That is what is called for. REPENT! Anyone who has any hope of a future and who does not know the Lord, who has not been born of water and the Spirit as Jesus said, had better get started now seeking God! Any such person had better seek out teachers or material he or she can understand. REPENT! Change what you are doing. That's what repent means. Watch our television programs posted on our web site. Request our CDs, especially such as **JUST HOW DOES ANYONE EVER REALLY GET INTO HEAVEN?** and the three part **WHAT DID JESUS DO?** To learn more about this particular time and what has happened and is coming, watch our television programs on the return or request our CDs on that subject as well!

Here is the simple truth: Most of the things prophesied to happen before the start of the seven year tribulation and before the Lord's collecting his CHURCH have happened. We are now in the period of the great falling away from God as prophesied by Paul (II Thessalonians 2:3) and a period of highly dangerous deception rampant on so many fronts, as prophesied by Jesus when he warned of watching so we will not be deceived (Luke 21:8).

If you or your town or your church or your small group would have us come to you to teach and preach and minister on these subjects, just let us know and we will endeavor to work that out.

Is it too late for you or someone in your family? Not as long as you or they are still breathing and Jesus has not yet come. But there is not much time left before that happens.

RECENT MINISTRY EFFORTS IN PAKISTAN AND KENYA

Our thanks to those who have given to help in Pakistan and Kenya. There is a significant real need in both places as the gospel goes forward.

In Pakistan, an overwhelmingly Muslim nation much in the news, is a Christian ministry that focuses on orphans and widows. The Pakistan ministry is appropriately called End Time Revival Ministries and has a church and a school called Little Flower. A few weeks ago I preached over SKYPE to this church at 3 AM our time (12 noon theirs). Because of your generosity, we have been able to send funds to this ministry to provide for several orphans to be cared for and to attend this school for a year.

In Western Kenya not too far from Uganda is a new church led by a couple which now has 29 adults, 11 youth, and 17 children, The language of this group is Ekegussi. Several months ago we provided all our CDs and some other paper materials and a few Bibles in English, and they have been listening to the CDs as possible (They have had to listen on a borrowed CD player.). While some speak English, the need for Bibles in their own language is great. Again because of your generosity, we have now sent this group funds to acquire those wonderful Bibles.

PRAISE GOD IS BOTH CASES!

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THE ANTICHRIST (A/C), THE MAN OF LAWLESSNESS, WHO COMES IN THE LAST DAYS (Part 1)

During the Tribulation period, there arise two mysterious but powerful human beings – the man of lawlessness, as Paul calls him, but more popularly known as the antichrist, and the false prophet. I expect all believers to have been gathered away by the Lord when he comes in the clouds before these two evil beings rise to power, or at least before they rise to full prominence. Our newsletter in April dealt with that gathering away and the promises from the Bible that believers are not appointed to suffer wrath. The revelation of the antichrist will occur almost simultaneously with the signing of a peace treaty with Israel, the taking away of the believers from earth, and the beginning of the Tribulation period.

The world is being prepared even now for the antichrist. Have you not heard or at least sensed a need for some great leader to emerge and lead the US and the world out of its current mess? Have you not heard a call for such a person? The antichrist is the one who fills that call of the lost people of the world. A great deal is known about him and the false prophet, although little is ever presented or discussed publicly. Both of these desperate individuals operate under the guidance of the devil, who is referred to in Revelation as the dragon.

Below and in next month's newsletter as a quick summary list are some key attributes and actions of the antichrist that come right out of Scripture. Those in this issue come from Daniel, who wrote about 500-550 years before Jesus' birth. The next newsletter will have such comments from Paul, the missionary apostle to the gentiles who likely wrote his words about 60 AD, and John the beloved disciple who likely wrote his words about 90 AD when he was the only one of Jesus' twelve original disciples still alive on earth. So we have these words written over a period of many years by three pillars of the faith, all under the guidance of the Holy Spirit. I think we can rely on them. As space allows, I have added a few comments of explanation in parentheses.

From Daniel 11:36-45

1. Says unheard of things against the god of gods
2. Has no regard for gods of his fathers
3. Will not regard any god
4. Will exalt himself above all gods
5. Will honor a god of fortresses...a god unknown to his fathers
6. Will attack mightiest fortresses with help of a foreign god
7. Will greatly honor those who acknowledge him
8. Will make those who acknowledge him rulers over many people
9. Will distribute land at a price
10. will invade many countries:
11. will invade Israel – beautiful land
12. many countries fall – but Edom, Moab, and leaders of Ammon will be delivered
13. will extend his power over many countries...Egypt will not escape
14. gains control of treasures of gold and silver and all riches of Egypt
15. Libyans and Nubians in submission to him (Nubians – Sudan?)
16. Near end sets out in great rage to destroy and annihilate many
17. Will pitch his royal tents between seas at beautiful holy mountain (temple mount in Jerusalem)
18. Comes to his end – no one will help him

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From Daniel 8:23-27

1. Will become very strong(not by own power)
2. Stern-faced king
3. Master of intrigue
4. Causes astounding devastation
5. Succeeds in whatever he does
6. Destroys mighty men and holy people
7. Causes deceit to prosper (that's already well underway)
8. Considers himself superior
9. Will destroy many and take his stand against the Prince of princes (Jesus)

From Daniel 7:24-26

1. Will subdue three kings
2. Will speak against the Most High
3. Will oppress saints of God
4. Will try to change the set times and the laws (that is impossible)
5. The saints will be handed over to him for a time, times and half a time (3 and a half years)
6. The court will sit (God's court) and the a/c's power will be taken away and completely destroyed forever

From Daniel 9:26b-27

1. People of the ruler who will come (the a/c) will destroy the city (Jerusalem) and the sanctuary.
2. End will come like a flood
3. War will continue until the end (so don't expect wars to go away)
4. Desolations have been decreed
5. A/c will confirm a covenant with many (the Jews) for one seven (seven years - This is the peace agreement we have written about in the past, and the seven doubtless refers to the Tribulation period.)
6. In middle of the seven years he will put an end to sacrifice and offering. On a wing of the temple he will set up an abomination that causes desolation...until the end that is decreed is poured out on him.

(TO BE CONTINUED IN THE NEXT ISSUE)

Always remember to stay alert. The Lord really is coming soon. May you live in the blessings of God always.

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