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# **GUIDANCE FOR THESE TIMES AND THIS TROUBLED ELECTION**

We are living in the last of the last days, the "end times" as some like to say. Any believer who does not know that needs to stop focusing on the world and start paying attention to Jesus and the Word more. We have long left the birth pains, as Jesus put it, of the beginning signs of the end and have moved deep into what I think are the really major characteristics of these last days:

- **Deception** Jesus' first reply to his disciples when they asked about signs of these last days was to watch that they not be deceived. We live now in massive deception in all levels of society. Thank God for the great spiritual gift of discernment which helps everyone born anew and filled with/baptized with the Holy Spirit to see through this colossal false charade and all this deception.
- Falling Away Paul stated that the Day of the Lord would not come until there was a falling away, a rebellion against God, an apostasy, and that is what we have today. A massive falling away from God. In the US. In Europe even earlier. You know this truth. You see it.
- Upcoming Landmark Moments We still await these key markers that signal the next moves:
  - The confirming by a ruler (who is the anti-christ but not yet known as such) with Israel of a covenant that gives the Jews the understanding they are living there in peace.
  - The revealing of the anti-christ.
  - The beginning of the seven year tribulation.
  - The catching away of Jesus' believers (which I think will happen right at the beginning of the tribulation period).
  - The opening in Heaven of the first seal in Revelation.
  - All the things in this list will happen very close together.

Having said all that I want you to consider these two enormously important truths:

- We all must realize that there are events happening now in our lifetimes that are outside our control at all. The Lord Jesus is returning soon. The tribulation is about to begin. We are living in the last of the last days. Biblical prophecies of events, many expressed by the Lord himself, are just that: prophecies of things that will and do happen. These are things we cannot change.
- Jesus Christ is returning at the appointed time. Nothing you or I do will change that.

# Keep Your Eyes on Jesus!

So as we live now in this moment, we are faced in the US with a national election. So many are placing so much on this election. There obviously is a lot of stress and anxiety and fear and confusion. The two candidates are not really liked by many. But there is more here, so much more:

- One candidate is a candidate of the establishment, a face that has been in the forefront of Washington politics for decades. She also is a person who with her husband has been in the forefront of scandal after scandal. Some really terrible scandals. It is amazing that this person is running for president at the same time she is being investigated by the FBI.
- The other candidate is someone who challenges the political establishment of both parties. He is a thinskinned foul-mouthed individual who has been a can-do businessman we have all known for years. He is indeed brash. He also gets things done. Surprisingly millions suddenly rose up in support of this nonpolitician, apparently in an effort to throw out the establishment in Washington. I have noted before that perhaps this candidate is like Cyrus, a man from the outside in the Old Testament whom God used for his purposes. Perhaps. But no one has told me that, including the Lord.
- Really, as I have written in more detail in our October 20 **WATCHMAN WARNING**, this election appears to be a contest between the continuing ongoing efforts of the establishment to move to that one-world government of the last days and the efforts of a suddenly aroused electorate that says no, we don't want to go that way, we want the America of individual rights and freedoms and so forth back. The recent Brexit vote in the UK was a similar rebellious expression of the British against the European Union. We know of course that eventually the one-world government is led by the anti-christ.
- Certainly you should pray about this and seek the Lord's guidance. If you do not hear anything use the abilities he has given you to determine who is the best hope for the US at this time of the last days. Try to ignore all the "noise" and the constant vilification of the candidates and look at what they stand for. If you are satisfied with the increasing role of government in our lives and the gradual move to the one-world government, you know who to vote for. And if you disagree with all this and hope to see a step back to the traditional values and positions of the country, that choice should be clear as well.

## **KEY RETURN PROJECTS WE ARE WORKING ON NOW**

We thought you might be interested in these current projects of the ministry regarding the return of the Lord. We hope to bring them to fruition ASAP; after all, there is certainly no benefit in being late on this subject!

- THE BOOK We have been and are working strenuously on this book about the return and America today. It is a book the Lord asked me to write some time ago.
- RETURN MEETINGS We are in preliminary stages of preparing and setting up meetings on the return around the country.
- AND ALSO UNDER CONSIDERATION DEPENDING ON AVAILABILITY OF TIME AND FUNDS:
  - A possible new series of TELEVISION PROGRAMS on the return. This is expensive and ambitious. But we do have television connections from previous programs produced and aired. Just need money and time.
  - Production of NEW TEACHING CDS on the return.

• Possible live INTERNET COURSES on the return.

#### YOUR SUPPORT IS NEEDED NOW!

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### FINALLY, SOME WORDS TO PONDER FROM OUR SECOND PRESIDENT JOHN ADAMS

"Our Constitution was made only for a moral and religious people. It is wholly inadequate to the government of any other."

"Because power corrupts, society's demands for moral authority and character increase as the importance of the position increases."

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May you live in the blessings of the Lord always!

Be always on the watch, and pray that you may be able to escape all that is about to happen, and that you may be able to stand before the Son of Man." (Luke 21:36 NIV)

And keep your eyes on Jesus!

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