



The Four Angels' Messages

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That we [henceforth] be no more children, tossed to and fro, and carried about with every wind of doctrine, by the sleight of men, [and] cunning craftiness, whereby they lie in wait to deceive — Ephesians 4:14

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Dear Friends,

The one thing I can count on is that when a publication, an outreach, a ministry goes forth, there are people who are inspired one way or another to try to provide influence in one direction or another. As the Bible says, *"Quench not the Spirit. Despise not prophecies. – Prove all things; hold fast that which is good"* (1 Thessalonians 5:19-21), and so it is welcomed.

Please do comment for or against the contents of the newsletter for I do not wish to squash anyone's contributions. We are not so prideful to think that we are in no need to grow in knowledge. All of us need to continue to grow. In fact, *"in the multitude of counselors [there is] safety"*

(Proverbs 11:14). Besides, if you think you have truth and do not share it, then that means you do not love us. Truth is shared with those they love. So do share; however, there are some things to consider. There are prophecies regarding listening to all these different takes on the counsel being shared.

"There are some in the church who need to cling to the pillars of our faith, to settle down and find rock bottom, instead of drifting on the surface of excitement and moving from impulse. There are spiritual dyspeptics in the church. They are self-made invalids; their spiritual debility is the result of their own wavering course. They are tossed about here and there by the changing winds of doctrine, and are often confused and thrown into uncertainty because they move entirely by feeling. They are sensational Christians, ever hungering for something new and diverse; strange doctrines confuse their faith, and they are worthless to the cause of truth." {Testimonies for the Church Volume Four, page 74.2}

"If we are firmly fixed upon the present truth, and have our hope, like

an anchor of the soul, cast within the second vail, the various winds of false doctrine and error cannot move us." {The Review & Herald, March 1, 1850 par. 1}

"Many know so little about their Bibles that they are unsettled in the faith. They remove the old landmarks, and fallacies and winds of doctrine blow them hither and thither. Science, falsely so-called, is wearing away the foundation of Christian principle; and those who once were in the faith drift away from the Bible landmarks, and divorce themselves from God, while still claiming to be his children." {The Review & Herald, December 29, 1896 par. 10}

"The winds of doctrine will blow fiercely about us, but we should not be moved by them. God has given us a correct standard of righteousness and truth,--the law and the testimony. There are many who profess to love God, but when the Scriptures are opened before them, and evidences are presented showing the binding claims of God's law, they manifest the spirit of the dragon. They hate the light, and will not come to it, lest their deeds should be

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The mission of The Four Angels' Messages Ministry is to alert as many Seventh-day Adventists as possible to see the need of living the Three Angels' Messages, be well studied in the messages of all four angels, and get ready very soon to go and preach them. It is our belief that not only are we the last generation, but the mark is soon to be forced upon us, and publications like this shall be targeted. So while the presses can run, let us awake to our high calling despite others who want to remain asleep.

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To Have And To Hold

"The Relationship Between the Remnant And the Law and the Testimonies"



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The two main pillars in which God's one true church of Jesus is built upon are the law and the testimonies. Psalm 19:7 says, "The **law** of the LORD *is* perfect, converting the soul: the **testimony** of the LORD *is* sure, making wise the simple." Also Psalm 119:1, 2 says, 1 "Blessed *are* the undefiled in the way, who walk in the law of the LORD. 2 Blessed *are* they that keep his testimonies, *and that* seek him with the whole heart." And Mo-

ses adds, "Ye shall diligently keep the commandments of the LORD your God, and his testimonies, and his statutes, which he hath commanded thee," Deuteronomy 6:17. As a matter of fact, if you want to be able to know truth from error, Isaiah 8:20 instructs us to compare all teachings "to the law and

Based on these scriptures it is clear that the law and the testimonies go hand in hand. They are inseparable. They are married, side by side, like husband and wife. To understand this connection, you must understand their purpose. The law of God, also known as the Ten Commandments, reveals sin; and

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Isaiah 8:20

the testimonies." It says "To the law and to the testimony: if they speak not according to this word, *it is* because *there is* no light in them." Revelation 12:17 reveals that at the very end of time, Satan, the persecuting dragon, will have all-out war against the true remnant who still "keep the commandments of God, and have the testimony of Jesus Christ" in contrast to those who only profess the truth without abiding in the truth.

the testimonies have the cure for sin and give us the blessed hope of eternal life. The law and the testimony of Jesus is like a broom and dust pan. The broom is like the law, it can reveal how much sin you have by sweeping it into a big pile. The Testimony is the dust pan to pick up and get rid of sin!

Remember, the law of God has no power to save you and cleanse you from sin. It is a mirror that shows our sinful condition and our

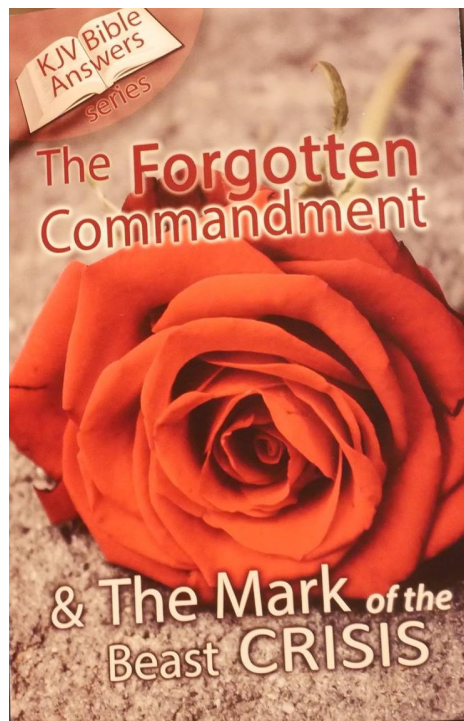
fate of eternal death. But through the power of the Holy Spirit we are directed to the testimonies of Jesus Christ who has ALL power to save from the eternal death penalty of the law. When you surrender your life to Jesus and abide in Him, He gives you the power to be obedient to ALL of His Ten Commandments, only if you repent and are converted!

In the Greek, "testimony" means "evidence given". In short, the testimony of Jesus is the EVIDENCE given of Jesus. The testimo-

ny of Jesus reveals that He mainly came to save you *from* sin, not *in* sin. The name, Jesus, means, "Jehovah is salvation." Jehovah means, "Lord" or "self-existing one". The testimony is in the name of Jesus. Jesus is Lord, fully God, who became fully man to save you from the results of sin, eternal destruction. The testimony of Jesus also presents the ministry and prophecies of Jesus revealed and fulfilled. Revelation 19:10 says that the "testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy." Prophecy reveals histo-

ry in advance of events before they happen. The prophecies of the Messiah's first coming, or advent, was revealed in the Old Testament and fulfilled in the New Testament. The New Testament reveals that Jesus will come again (the second advent) for those who remain in the truth of God's WORD with total victory over sin through Jesus Christ.

Did you know that the testimony of Jesus is within God's Law, the Ten Commandments? His testimony is revealed in the second



The Forgotten Commandment and the Mark of the Beast Crisis

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commandment in Exodus 20: 4-6. It says, “4 Thou shalt not make unto thee any graven image, or any likeness of any thing that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth: 5 Thou shalt not bow down thyself

to them, nor serve them: for I the LORD thy God *am* a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me; 6 And shewing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments.” The law reveals at

the end of the second commandment that there is a judgment of damnation for those who hate God by breaking his law, but the testimony reveals hope and a promise. It says that God will show mercy to those who love Him and keep His commandments. This mercy is only given through the blood and power of Jesus Christ.

At a time when it ap-

peared that the law and testimonies were lost during the thousand-plus dark years of Papal Roman oppression of Bible truth, God raised up the Seventh-day Adventist movement in the mid-1800's to shed light to the world of the truth

sanctuary, victory over sin, and the urgent message of the soon coming of Jesus Christ. In order to encapsulate these truths, the Seventh-day Adventist movement chose its name as a beacon of light and a powerful witnessing tool to the

Protestant movement and the world.

The law and the testimonies are revealed in the name Seventh-day Adventist.

“Seventh-day”, reveals that we are to keep ALL of God's commandments including the command to remember the seventh-day Sabbath, which most of

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And shewing mercy unto thousands of them that love me, and keep my commandments.

Exodus 20:4-6

about the law and the testimonies of Jesus Christ. During this time many of the Protestant churches did not understand the purpose of God's law and a great majority did not know the truth about God's fourth commandment to remember the seventh-day Sabbath and keep it holy. Many Protestants were also clueless about the Biblical message of the

the world has forgotten. “Adventist”, points to the testimonies of Jesus, the spirit of prophecy, which trumpets to the world an urgent message that the second “advent” or “coming” of Jesus Christ is coming very soon. The Seventh-day Adventists were not to be just another church denomination that came out of the Protestant reformation, but a movement orga-

nized to spread this message of truth to the whole world without compromise. They were not to be a people who just went to church to hear a quick “feel good” and “itching ear” sermon on Sabbath that excuses sin, eat a mind-and-artery-clogging, cheese-and-sugary-filled potluck after church, go home and sleep until the sun goes down, wake up and then play games while watching

movies late into the night. No! No! No! Those who profess to be Seventh-day Adventists and who partake in these spiritually degener-

ating activities are spiritually sleep and blind to the truth. They have a form of godliness with no power.

The “Seventh-day Adventist” message is actually revealed throughout the Bible from Genesis to Revelation. There were “Seventh-day Adventists” in the Bible who kept the law of God and His testimonies, by abiding in the WORD of truth daily without compromise. The old testament SDAs were looking for the first advent of Jesus Christ. But there were

also those who just claimed the SDA message. They were satisfied with the name and comfortable with the thought that they were God's chosen people. They felt secure in believing that having their names on the membership scrolls and going to the synagogue every Sabbath was good enough. They professed holiness with their mouths, but went “whoring” after the things of the world.

And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.

Genesis 3:15

They did not truly keep the commandments of God and denied His testimonies. As a matter of fact, throughout the Bible they were the main persecutors of their SDA brothers and sisters who tried to remain true to God's law and testimonies. When the first advent of the Messiah came they were so blinded and mesmerized with themselves and the world that they missed it and actually killed the one who they were supposed to be looking for!

God actually estab-

lished His Seventh-day Adventist message in Genesis 3:15. He said to the “snake”, Satan, and all the world, “And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.” The woman is God's one true church that abides in the VINE and keeps both the law and the testimonies of Jesus Christ. They hate sin

and the lust, pride, conceit of the world. They are not infatuated with the entertainment and amusements of the world. They

tenaciously hold on to the truths and the testimonies of Jesus Christ because their salvation depends on it. They believe that Satan and sin will be eradicated by Jesus forever.

In the last days, what does God call His end time church and what will they be taught? Micah 4:1 (Isaiah 2:2), says “But in the last days it shall come to pass, *that* the mountain of the house of the LORD shall be established in the top of the mountains, and it shall be exalted above the hills; and people shall

flow unto it." God's last day remnant church is known as the "mountain of the house of the Lord" established by Jesus Christ. In verse 2, God says in the last days that "many nations shall come, and say, Come, and let us go up to the mountain of the LORD, and to the house of the God of Jacob; and he will teach us of his ways, and we will walk in his paths: for the law shall go

forth of Zion (The LAW), and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem (TESTIMONIES)." Remember the law and testimonies are inseparable. In the last days they are not abandoned. As a matter of fact, they are to shine brighter and brighter. All who truly believe in this Seventh-day Adventist movement will give this message of truth with a loud trumpet sound without a flinch.

Jesus says in John 14:6

that "I am the way, the truth, and the life." It is the "Spirit of truth" that "will guide you to all truth." (John 16:3). We are sanctified through God's truth (John 17:17) and that only the true worshipers of God will worship Him in "spirit and in truth." (John 4:23) All those

to make it to the kingdom of God. There are no errors taught on this mountain, and never can be, because the Holy Spirit of truth is the teacher that leads us to truth, Jesus is the Savior that keeps us in the truth and God the Father is the administrator that affirms the truth. All those on this

mountain, by faith, worship God in spirit and in truth.

In the following issues you will learn

more about the "Seventh-day Adventist" movement as revealed in the Old and New Testament. You will clearly see that you are saved not through denominational structures, conferences and church membership. You are only saved through Christ by remaining on the Mountain of TRUTH! If the structure or denomination is not in line with the Mountain of Truth it will fail, like Israel. In the next issue you will

find out who were the first "Seventh-day Adventist" family in the Old Testament, and lessons we can learn from them and others in the Old Testament. In the meantime, be

Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth.

John 17:17

who are on the mountain of the house of the Lord are on the "Mountain of Truth." Zechariah 8:3 says, "Thus saith the LORD; I am returned unto Zion, and will dwell in the midst of Jerusalem: and Jerusalem shall be called a city of truth; and the mountain of the LORD of hosts the holy mountain."

Everyone who believes in the SDA message of the Bible must be on the mountain of truth in the last days in order

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Order out of Chaos:

Pope Francis stirs up Populist Revolution To step in as Only Solution



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"At the same time anarchy is seeking to sweep away all law, not only divine, but human. The centralizing of wealth and power; the vast combinations for the enriching of the few at the expense of the many; the combinations of the poorer classes for the defense of their interests and claims; the spirit of unrest, of riot and bloodshed; the world-wide dissemination of the same teachings that led to the

French Revolution – all are tending to involve the whole world in a struggle similar to that which convulsed France." ¹ Day after day the news reports are teeming with instances of riot, bloodshed, civil unrest, social disorder and a general dissatisfaction of the masses toward rulers. Not in one or two isolated countries can such chaotic demonstrations be seen, but all over the world, just as the above-quoted statement mentions, thus hastening the world to a repetition of the French Revolution. However, Bible prophecy reveals that the epicenter of

cism and apostate Protestantism. This means that students of Bible prophecy should have a keen eye upon the developments taking place with these entities and understand the interconnectivity of the cataclysmic occurrences taking place in other regions of the world and their reverberations in the United States.

Of particular interest is the reality that Pope Francis is so confident of his standing in the world, and is so assured of the ignorance and indifference of the masses, that he can reveal his diabolical plans and purposes to

the world and yet retain his respectability and position as a "moral leader". Pope Francis made the glaring statement

My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge: because thou hast rejected knowledge, I will also reject thee, that thou shalt be no priest to me: seeing thou hast forgotten the law of thy God, I will also forget thy children.

Hosea 4:6

the fulfillment of end-time Bible prophecy leading to the final conflict in the great controversy takes place in the United States and involves Roman Catholi-

that individuals (implying Americans) should protest and fight populism, which was the very movement that swept Don-

ald Trump into office. A February 17 *Guardian News* headline reads, "Pope appears to back anti-Trump protests in letter condemning populism." ² For a self-proclaimed "peace-maker" and "moral" authority to take such a position as did Pope Francis, seems contrary to the image that he has created for himself; it rather seems as though he is giving his permission to protesters to keep rioting, protesting and demanding change of the US President and administration, thus fanning the flame and inciting more

mass uprisings. An essential ingredient that must be present in order for a revolution to take place is a significant polarization of the people, as was the case in France, where existed a deep schism between the rich class and that of the poor which gave rise to anarchy and lawlessness from the overwhelming majority poorer classes.

Pope Francis has taken sides, and is granting his blessing (which is nothing more than exploitation) to the poorer classes along with the marginalized of

society, to mobilize and fight for their rights, thus inflaming the suspicion and hatred of the people towards their rulers. Is not this the same methodology of using populism in order to garner support that Donald Trump employed to become elected as President and that Pope Francis is decrying? Looking back at the French Revolution, it should be understood that "It was popery that had begun the work which atheism was completing. The policy of Rome had wrought out those conditions, social, political,

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and religious, that were hurrying France on to ruin.”³ Just as Popery was behind the debauchery in France during the French Revolution, so Popery today is stirring up strife and social unrest to bring about revolution, only to step in as the only viable solution. Pope Francis is using populism to counter Donald Trump’s populism which is fast reaching a climax which is a signifi-

cant step in the implementation of the Mark of the Beast, firstly in America and then around the world. It would also be well for us

to recall the utter disdain that the Roman Catholic Hierarchy has ever had for Protestantism, Republicanism, civil and religious liberty, of which the United States was founded upon; therefore the intensification of riots, strife and bloodshed can only be expected in the United States.

America Magazine reports the following regarding Pope Francis: “Writing that the world is in the midst of an ‘historic turning point,’ Francis said the ‘worsening crisis’ pre-

sents both danger and opportunity, using language sure to recall tensions between some Catholic leaders and the fledgling Trump administration...I know that you have committed yourselves to fight for social justice, to defend our Sister Mother Earth and to stand alongside migrants. I want to reaffirm your choice,” the pope’s letter read... ‘Christian terrorism

And when they shall have finished their testimony, the beast that ascendeth out of the bottomless pit shall make war against them, and shall overcome them, and kill them.

Revelation 11:7

does not exist, Jewish terrorism does not exist, and Muslim terrorism does not exist. They do not exist,’ Francis wrote. ‘There are fundamentalist and violent individuals in all peoples and religions—and with intolerant generalizations they become stronger because they feed on hate and xenophobia,’ he continued. ‘Let us not fall into denial. Time is running out,’ he warned. ‘Let us act. I ask you again—all of you, people of all backgrounds including native people, pastors,

political leaders—to defend Creation.’”⁴

The objective of Pope Francis and the church he represents is simply to create order out of chaos, divide and conquer—create the problem then step in and offer the solution, which will give him that which he most desires, supreme power, authority and worship. He is capitalizing on people’s fears by using the

issues of immigration, climate change, and terrorism, which he terms fundamentalism to unite the people under his insidious agenda which will enslave the masses. Let us watch and pray, for the time is at hand!

¹ White, Ellen, Education (1903), page 228

² <https://www.theguardian.com/world/2017/feb/17/pope-francis-donald-trump-letter-condemning-populism>

³ White, Ellen, The Great Controversy (1911), 276

⁴ <http://www.americamagazine.org/politics-society/2017/02/17/pope-francis-activists-stand-migrants-do-not-deny-climate-science-there>

Why Waste God's Time?



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We are living in the last days. Jesus is soon to come! Daniel and Revelation prophecies are fast fulfilling. In Daniel chapter 2 Nebuchadnezzar dreamed a dream of a great image. Daniel 2:32-35 says, "This image's head *was* of fine gold, his breast and his arms of silver, his belly and his thighs of brass,³³ His legs of iron, his feet part of iron and part of clay.³⁴ Thou sawest till that a stone was cut out without hands,

which smote the image upon his feet *that were* of iron and clay, and brake them to pieces.

³⁵ Then was the iron, the clay, the brass, the silver, and the gold, broken to pieces together, and became like the chaff of the summer threshingfloors; and the wind carried them away,

belly and thighs of brass. After Greece, Rome came into power represented as the legs of iron. Over time Rome collapsed and divided into ten parts which is modern Europe: England, France, Spain, Portugal, Switzerland, Germany, and Italy. Now the other three divisions do not

I considered the horns, and, behold, there came up among them another little horn, before whom there were three of the first horns plucked up by the roots: and, behold, in this horn [were] eyes like the eyes of man, and a mouth speaking great things.

Daniel 7:8

that no place was found for them: and the stone that smote the image became a great mountain, and filled the whole earth."

What does it mean?

Daniel told Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon that his kingdom was the head of gold. The Bible and history reveal that Medo-Persia, represented as the chest and arms of silver, was the next kingdom. After Medo-Persia, Greece came into power represented as the

exist today because they were uprooted (Daniel 7:8). Daniel 11:21-35 reveals that papal Rome was the fifth kingdom. Daniel 11:36-40 reveals ~~the sixth kingdom~~. Daniel 11:40-45 prophesied that Papal Rome will come back on the scene and now it has come back! We are at the toes of time! Babylon, Medo-Persia, Greece, Rome, Papal Rome, and the sixth kingdom **ARE ALL GONE! And Papal Rome, the last earthly kingdom, is back on the scene. But this time Revelation 12:12 re-**

veals "that he hath but a short time." Christ's kingdom, represented as the stone, will last forever and He is coming very soon!

So, what do we do as young people?

Jesus is calling you to come and receive the invitation of salvation. Study the Bible.

2 Timothy 2:15 – "Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." Invite Jesus into your heart and submit to the Holy Spirit. Allow God to work in you to will and to do His good pleasure (Philippians 2:13). Be a light wherever you go; at home or at school. Tell people that Jesus is coming very soon!

Matthew 5:14-16 says, "Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on an hill cannot be hid. ¹⁵ Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a bushel, but on a candlestick; and it giveth light unto all that are in the house.

¹⁶ Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven." Throw out the video games. Let all worldliness go. We are to be separate from

the world. If we are like the world our light will go out. We are to glorify God. God is telling you to go and tell the world to repent, and that He is coming very soon. Will you say, "Here am I, send me" or reject the call?

Why waste God's time when there's work to do?

Why waste God's time when He is calling you?

To tell the world that He's coming soon

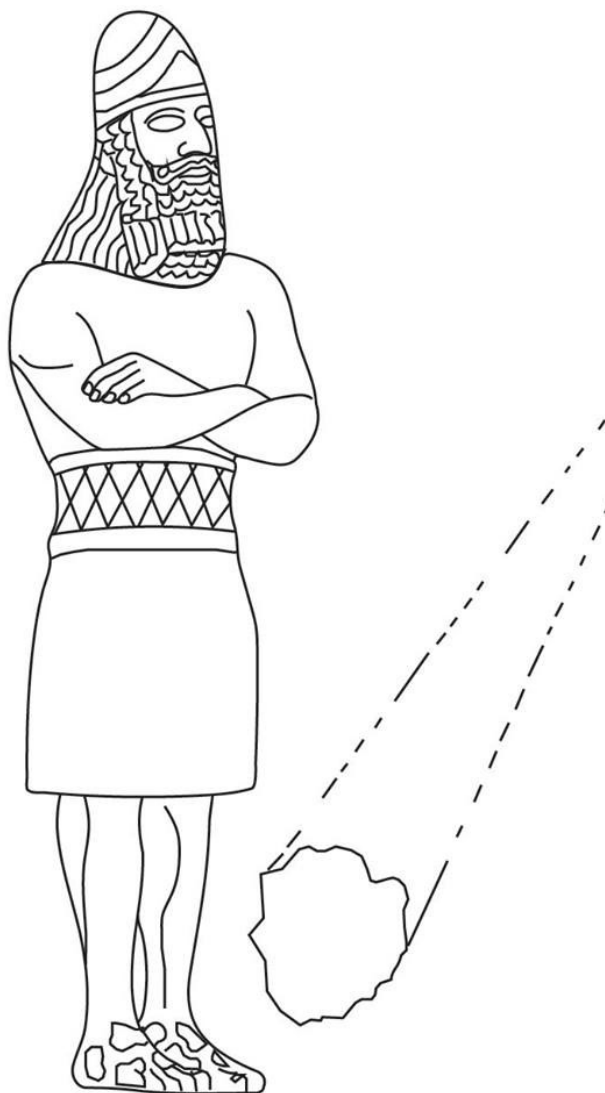
Be ready and avoid the doom.

Give your ALL to Him, God will give you

ALL you need

To go in His name with power to succeed.

So give your all to Him right now.



Are You A Protestant?



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“Christ was a protestant. He protested against the formal worship of the Jewish nation, who rejected the counsel of God against themselves. He told them that they taught for doctrines the commandments of men, and that they were pretenders and hypocrites. Like whited sepulchers they were beautiful without, but within full of impurity and corruption. The Reformers date back to Christ and the apostles. They came out and separated themselves from a religion of forms and ceremonies.

Luther and his followers did not invent the reformed religion. They simply accepted it as presented by Christ and the apostles. The Bible is presented to us as a sufficient guide; but the pope and his workers remove it from the people as if it were a curse, because it exposes their pretensions and rebukes their idolatry.” {*Review and Herald June 1, 1886*}

The Spirit of Prophecy quote above shows us the fruit of a true Righteousness by Faith experience. One who is truly in love with Christ will speak for Christ. Has the blood of Christ been placed on the door of your heart? If so, then you cannot and will not be silent to sin. For this is the reason why Christ came. To save his people FROM their sins. Not in their sins. And how can they be saved from their sins if you don't tell them the truth? A heart where Christ dwells can never be silent to sin. My heart aches as I see how far removed we are from the Spirit of Christ. Christ protested against sin in the church. Do you?

Or are we more concerned with being politically correct or not offending anyone? Was Jesus politically correct when he turned over the

tables of the money-changers and rebuked those who had turned the church into a den of thieves and robbers? Was John the Baptist politically correct by calling the Scribes and Pharisees a “generation of vipers”? Faith doesn't worry about being politically correct or offending someone. Faith is not concerned with consequences or results. Faith bears fruit in action regardless of the end result. Because faith is solely based on obedience to the Word of God. Notice the following quotation by the pen of Inspiration:

“If God abhors one sin above another, of which His people are guilty, it is doing nothing in case of an emergency. Indifference and neutrality in a religious crisis is regarded of God as a grievous crime and equal to the very worst type of hostility against God.” {*Vol 3 Testimonies 280.3*}

1 Timothy 5:20 says, “Them that sin rebuke before all, that others also may fear.” According to this scripture, public sin should be rebuked publicly. Private sin is to be rebuked privately. Matt. 18:15 “Moreover if thy brother shall trespass against thee, go and tell him his

fault between thee and him alone" Have you been faithful in fulfilling these scriptures?

The forerunner of Christ's first advent was a very plain-spoken man. He rebuked sin, and called things by their right

names. He laid the ax at the root of the tree. He thus addressed one class of professed converts who came to be baptized of him in Jordan: "O generation of vipers, who hath warned

you to flee from the wrath to come? Bring forth therefore fruits meet for repentance. . . . And now also the ax is laid unto the root of the trees: therefore every tree which bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire." {Vol. 1 Testimonies 321.1}

"In this fearful time, just before Christ is to come the second time, God's faithful preachers will have to bear a still more pointed testimony than was borne by John the Baptist. A responsible, important work is before them; and those who speak smooth things, God will not acknowledge as His shepherds. A fearful

woe is upon them." {Vol. 1 Testimonies 321.2}

Didn't John the Baptist fulfill the duty of a protestant when he told Herod that he was breaking the law of God by committing adultery in Matt. 14:3,4? Didn't

tests to be our mission? No. Seventh Day Adventists are to be protesting to the world the sins of mankind that crucified a dead and risen Savior. SDA's are to protest against the man of sin and the conse-

quences of breaking God's Holy Law by pen, voice, and action. Are you PROTESTING ?

The question may come to mind, what is Protestantism?

Or what does it mean to be a protestant?

"Protestantism sets the power of conscience above the magistrate, and the authority of the word of God above the visible church. In the first place, it rejects the civil power in divine things, and says with the prophets and apostles, 'We must obey God rather than man.' "{Great Controversy 204.1}

In its simplest form, Protestantism says the Bible is the one true authority in the church. It is above everything. The Bible is above the SDA church manual, General Conference church policy, your pastor, and the pope!

Why is this important?

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Vol. 1 Testimonies, page 321.2

Martin Luther fulfill his protestant duty when he nailed the 95 theses to the door of the church in Wittenburg that began the PROTESTANT Reformation?

Jesus, John the Baptist, and Martin Luther protested sin no matter where they were. And we should do likewise. Whether you are in your home, in a church board meeting, or at work. We have a responsibility to be our brother's keeper and to share the truth in love.

All over America we see protests happening for various movements such as abortion rights, the LGBT community, human rights, and political policy. Are these pro-

Because we are living in a time when Seventh Day Adventist representative B.B. Beach gave a gold medal to Pope Paul VI. This is recorded in *RH, Aug 11, 1977*. Should protestants who believe the papacy to be the antichrist (little horn) of Daniel 7 and 8, the beast of Revelation 13 and 14, and Babylon, the mother of all harlots of Revelation 17, unite with Rome? "It is a backsliding church that lessens the distance between itself and the papacy." *Ellen White, Signs, Feb. 19, 1894*.

October 31, 2017 has been designated as the "Death of Protestantism". Professed

protestants of the Lutheran church will be meeting with Pope Francis to sign a document to say that the PROTEST is over. Are you going to allow the protest to end? Regardless of what the General Conference chooses to do, we have a responsibility to give the trumpet a certain sound and call sin by its right name. Now is the time for us to revive the protest against sin in the SDA church and against

Rome. The first Amendment of our Constitution states that 'Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof.' This amendment will be repudiated by the "mark of the beast" in the form of a National Sunday Law. This is still yet future,

church and state will be closer to completion, because church organizations will be able to financially support their desired political candidate which in turn can lead to his potential re-election since he has promised to stand side by side with catholics and promote catholic values. He has also

promised evangelicals a voice on political policy.

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{Vol 5 Testimonies, page 716.2}

but we can see the stage being set by President Donald Trump. President Trump has stated that he wants to destroy the Johnson Amendment. The Johnson Amendment is a provision in the U.S. tax code that prohibits all 501(c)(3) non-profit organizations from endorsing or opposing political candidates. If Donald Trump is successful in destroying the Johnson Amendment the union of

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Are going to stand by and watch your religious liberties be taken away without taking action?

These recent findings should startle every student of Bible Prophecy and should trigger a desire to engage in evangelism and soul winning efforts because time is almost up. Are you ready to go to work for the master? But how should we go about doing this work?

Now that we understand that God is calling us to separate from sin, that sometimes means separation from the church you grew up in or have been attending. There is need

of more self-supporting workers, ministries, and churches so that "man" cannot get in the way and retard the progress of God's Work.

"Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof: from such turn away." 2 Tim. 3:5

"And have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness, but rather reprove them." Ephesians 5:11

"Now I beseech you, brethren, mark them which cause divisions and offences contrary to the doctrine which ye have learned; and avoid them." Romans 16:17

"Now we command you, brethren, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye withdraw yourselves from every brother that walketh disorderly, and not after the tradition which he received of us." 2 Thessalonians 3:6

Speaking of the 144,000, Revelation 14:4 says,

These are they which were not defiled with women; for they are virgins. These are they which follow the Lamb whithersoever he goeth. These were redeemed from among men, [being] the firstfruits unto God and to the Lamb.

Revelation 14:4

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Martin Luther was a priest and He resigned from His position in the church. Are you willing to follow JESUS wherever he leads even if you have to resign from your position in the church?

"The Sanhedrin had rejected Christ's message and was bent upon His death; therefore Jesus departed from Jerusalem, from the priests, the temple, the religious leaders, the people who had been instructed in the law, and turned to

another class to proclaim His message, and to gather out those who should carry the gospel to all nations." {Desire of Ages 232.1}

"As the light and life of men was rejected by the ecclesiastical authorities in the days of Christ, so it has been rejected in every suc-

ceeding generation. Again and again the history of Christ's withdrawal from Judea has been repeated. When the Reformers preached the word of God, they had no thought of sep-

arating themselves from the established church; but the religious leaders would not tolerate the light, and those that bore it were forced to seek another class, who were longing for the truth. In our day few of the professed followers of the Reformers are actuated by their spirit. Few are listening for the voice of God, and ready to accept truth in whatever guise it may be presented. Often those who follow in the steps of the Reformers are forced to turn away from the churches they love, in order to declare the plain teaching of the word of God. And many times those who are seeking for light are by

the same teaching obliged to leave the church of their fathers, that they may render obedience." {Desire of Ages 232.2}

"God calls for consecrated workers who will be true to Him--humble men who see the need of evangelistic work and do not draw back but do each day's work faithfully, relying upon God for help and strength in every emergency. The message is to be taken up by those who love and fear God. **Lay not your burden upon any conference. Go forth, and, as evangelists, in a humble way present a "Thus saith the Scrip-**

tures.""--Letter 43, 1905. {Evangelism 24.3}

"It is time that church members understood that everywhere there is a work to be done in the Lord's vineyard. No one is to wait for a regular process before they make any efforts. They should take up the work right where they are. There should be many at work in what are called "irregular lines." If one hundred laborers would step out of the "regular lines," and take up self-sacrificing work, such as

Brother Shireman has done, souls would be won to the Lord. And the workers would understand by experience what it means to be laborers together with

50.2}

"It has been some years since I have considered the General Conference as the voice of God." --17MR 216 (1898); {Last Day Events 50.3}

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Evangelism page 24.3

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Ellen White lost confidence in the leading

men in her day and have things gotten any better? There is work to be done, but in order to accomplish this work free from Jesuits and free from men who have no respect for the for the work of God. It is wise to follow the order of Christ and John the Baptist. Jesus' first public sermon was outside of the synagogue as were many of His sermons. Jesus had a self-supporting ministry. John the Baptist had every right to go to the school of the rabbis, but did not because of the corruption of the priesthood in His day. John had a self-supporting ministry.

God." {Spalding and Magan 195.5}

Ellen White refers to "IRREGULAR LINES" as self supporting workers and "REGULAR LINES" as conference workers. She states that 100 workers should step out of conference lines and into self-supporting lines. Clearly, this is due to apostasy and ungodly men retarding the progress of God's work. Notice the following:

"The voice from Battle Creek, which has been regarded as authority in counseling how the work should be done, is no longer the voice of God."--17MR 185 (1896). {Last Day Events

"The work of John the Baptist, and the work of those who in the last days go forth in the spirit and power of Elijah to arouse the people from their apathy, are in many respects the same. His work is a type of the work that must be done in this age. Christ is to come the second time to judge the world in righteousness. The messengers of God who bear

the last message of warning to be given to the world, are to prepare the way for Christ's second advent, as John prepared the way for his first advent. In this

preparatory work, "every valley shall be exalted, and every mountain shall be made low; and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough places plain;" for history is to be repeated, and once again "the glory of the Lord shall be revealed, and all flesh shall see it together; for the mouth of the Lord hath spoken it." {Southern Watchman, March 21, 1905 par. 10}

"Now is the time for God's people to show themselves true to principle. When the religion of Christ is most held in contempt, when His law is most despised, then should our zeal be the warmest and our courage and firmness the

most unflinching. To stand in defense of truth and righteousness when the majority forsake us, to fight the battles of the Lord when champions are few--this will be our test. At this time we must gather warmth from the coldness of others, courage from their cowardice, and loyalty from their treason." {Vol 5 Testimonies 136}

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Last Day Events, page 50.4

"The greatest want of the world is the want of men--men who will not be bought or sold, men who in their inmost souls are true and honest, men who do not fear to call sin by its right name, men whose conscience is as true to duty as the needle to the pole, men who will stand for the right though the heavens fall." {Education 57.3}

The true people of God, who have the spirit of the work of the Lord and the salvation of souls at heart, will ever view sin in its real, sinful character. They will always be on the side of faithful and plain dealing with sins which easily beset the people of God. Espe-

cially in the closing work for the church, in the sealing time of the one hundred and forty-four thousand who are to stand without fault before the throne of God, will they feel most deeply the wrongs of God's professed people. This is forcibly set forth by the prophet's illustration of the last work under the figure of the men each having a slaughter weap-

on in his hand.

One man among them was clothed with linen, with a writer's inkhorn by his side. "And the Lord said unto him, Go through the

midst of the city, through the midst of Jerusalem, and set a mark upon the foreheads of the men that sigh and that cry for all the abominations that be done in the midst thereof."

A true protestant will be "sealed" because he/she will sigh and cry (PRAY & PROTEST) for the abominations that are done in the church. Will you be sealed? The answer as to whether you will be sealed is partially determined by whether or not you will sigh and cry for the abominations in the church? Will you sigh and cry?

Quotes And Tidbits



JuanCarlos DeJesus

- Conducts Bible Lessons on FaceBook
- Posts Random Ellen White quotes and health snippets

February 14, 2017

There is need of a much closer study of the Word of God; especially should Daniel and the Revelation have attention as never before in the history of our work. (Counsels to Editors, Pages 45 and 46 Ellen White)

February 22, 2017

The present is a time of overwhelming interest to all living. Rulers and statesmen, men who occupy positions of trust and authority, thinking men and women of ALL classes, have their attention fixed upon the events taking place about us. They are watching the rela-

tions that exist among the nations. They observe the intensity that is taking possession of every earthly element, and they recognize that something great and decisive is about to take place - that the world is on the verge of a STUPENDOUS CRISIS. (Prophets and Kings Page 537 Paragraph 1 Ellen White)

February 27, 2017

Through conflict the spiritual life is strengthened. Trials well borne will develop steadfastness of character and precious spiritual graces. The perfect fruit of faith, meekness, and love often matures BEST amid storm clouds and darkness. (Christ Object Lessons Page 61 Paragraph 1 Ellen White)

The SPIRIT of GOD is ever seeking to break the SPELL of infatuation that holds men absorbed in worldly things, and to awaken a desire for the imperishable treasure. It is by RESISTING the SPIRIT that men become inattentive to or neglectful of God's word.

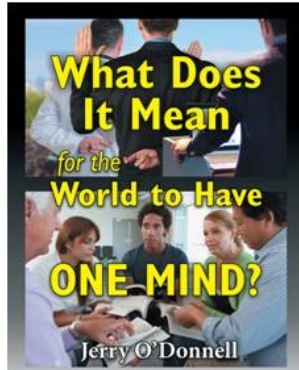
They are themselves responsible for the hardness of heart that prevents the good seed from taking root, and for the evil growths that check its development.

(Christ Object Lessons Page 56 Paragraph 1 Ellen White)

EVERY soul that REFUSES to give himself to GOD is under the control of another POWER. He is NOT his own. He may talk of freedom, but he is in the most abject SLAVERY. He is not allowed to see the beauty of TRUTH, for his mind is under the control of SATAN. While he flatters himself that he is following the dictates of his own judgment, he obeys the will of the PRINCE of DARKNESS. CHRIST came to break the shackles of sin-slavery from the soul. "If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed." "The law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus" sets us "free from the law of sin and death." Romans 8:2.

{Desire of Ages Page 466 Paragraph 3 Ellen White}

News And Comments



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A website promoting the witnessing book, *What Does It Mean for the World to Have ONE MIND?*, as well as posting relevant news and comments associated with the topics covered in the book.

Full articles and links available at the website.

February 9, 2017 ECO Watch HEADLINE: Yale University Study Shows Association Between Vaccines and Brain Disorders

HIGHLIGHT: A team of researchers from the Yale School of Medicine and Penn State College of Medicine have found a disturbing association between the timing of vaccines and the onset of certain brain disorders in a subset of children. Analyzing five years' worth of private health insurance data on children ages 6-15, these scientists found that young people vaccinated in the previous three to 12 months were significantly more likely to be diagnosed with certain neuropsychiatric disorders

than their non-vaccinated counterparts.

COMMENT: I am quite baffled that this stuff is finally coming out because all of the pharmaceutical industry is to play a last day role in controlling the world. But thank God it is coming out. Now if parents would stop listening to the media's bias and wake up to the truth and stop vaccinating their children, we could have more pleasant children then society has today.

"And the light of a candle shall shine no more at all in thee; and the voice of the bridegroom and of the bride shall be heard no more at all in thee: for thy merchants were the great men of the earth; for by thy sorceries were all nations deceived" (Revelation 18:23). As most of you know, the word SORCERIES is not referring to magic acts. The Greek word is "pharmakeia", which is where we get all of the "pharmacy" words. So pharmacies will help in deceiving the world.

December 25, 2016 Post Gazette HEADLINE: Sunday traditions

HIGHLIGHT: Our Congress should revisit and our candidates for president should consider advocating the restoration of Sunday as a day of rest, a paid day of rest, a required day of rest. Now we have the distraction of unnecessary shopping; in the

not-too-distant past, nonessential business establishments were required to be closed on Sundays.

COMMENT: So without an iota of New Testament scripture, it is assumed that God wants us to keep Sunday as the Sabbath, which was predicted as antichrist's Mark since she "think to change times and laws" (Daniel 7:25). God's Sabbath is the seventh day! Do not even try to push the reference to the first day of the week as Sunday and Bible's first day are two different days. First day in the Bible is sunset Saturday to sunset Sunday, not midnight to midnight.

February 23, 2017 The Compass News HEADLINE: Taking care of world God created a moral, spiritual duty, archbishop says

HIGHLIGHT: St. Francis, who lived 800 years ago, "would not have envisioned the power of modern-day machinery and technology that now make it possible to visit Sister Moon and to harness the energy from Brother Sun and Sister Wind," the archbishop said.

COMMENT: Referring to the moon as sister, sun as brother, earth as mother in a worship reference, and wind as another sister, is nothing short of fulfilling Romans 1:25. "Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and wor-

shipped and served the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. Amen." It even smacks of the Greek and Roman deities.

The Apostle Paul asked Who changed it? Evidently Francis 800 years ago and William Lori today. But here is the sympathy pull. How can one argue against the logic? Do we not have a responsibility given to us in Genesis 1:26-28 to take care of the animals and even all of the earth? Absolutely. And to argue that this is a form of pagan worship in the article simply makes those that do not have eyes to see and ears to hear as being on the wrong side of the issue.

But just a few weeks ago, the pope gave clear marching orders to all the priests to encourage the worship of climate change so as to eventually bring Sunday legislation about as the solution, first in the US and then with the assistance of the United States, around the world, even by 2020. This is nothing short of a clever way to make that agenda happen.

February 23, 2017 Catholic News Service HEADLINE: Pope greets U.S. grass-roots groups, saying they help 'communities thrive'

HIGHLIGHT: Pope Francis congratulated more than 600 representatives of grass-roots organizations for responding with mercy to society's hurting people during the opening of the four-day U.S.

regional World Meeting of Popular Movements.

COMMENT: With the fact that the pope is working with grass-roots people in the United States ought to concern everyone. Although it is the average American finds it hard to believe that the United States will break down the wall separating church in state, even though Trump basically promises to do just that, it is not the legislatures that we ought to concern ourselves with. The movement to enact Sunday law or the Mark of the Beast comes from the people up and weak politicians concerned for re-election will give what the people want.

A second concern, hidden in the article, is the statement: "Pope Francis wants us to recognize the structure that create exclusion in society," the cardinal explained.

Despite what popular Christianity thinks, Christianity is exclusionary. "Blessed [are] they that do his commandments, that they may have right to the tree of life, and may enter in through the gates into the city" (Revelation 22:14). Those that do not keep the commandments, especially the Sabbath at the end of time, will be excluded from Heaven. Therefore, this statement is nothing short of declaring to the pope's one world religion followers that is forming that the enemies of the world are those that teach and adhere to the commandments strictly.

Eventually he will command "to make war with the remnant of her seed, which keep the commandments of God, and have the testimony of Jesus Christ" (Revelation 12:17).

February 23, 2017 Yahoo Sports HEADLINE: Candice Wiggins says 98 percent of WNBA is gay, claims she was bullied for being straight

HIGHLIGHT: In a new interview with the San Diego Union-Tribune, Wiggins says that "98 percent" of the WNBA is gay and that she would have played two more years if not for the "toxic" environment that affected her as a straight woman.

COMMENT: So this gives a new meaning to team sports. And if we think that high homosexuality rates are limited to just the WNBA, think again! Just the other week a former tennis star said the same about the sport of tennis.

So as you watch football players and baseball players pat each other's behinds, think, what you are supporting by buying their jerseys and paraphernalia, attend their games buying expensive tickets, and even giving them your time by watching their games, think how much better you could be spending your money and time for the glory of God! "I will set no wicked thing before mine eyes: I hate the work of them that turn aside; [it] shall not cleave to me" (Psalms 101:3).

Sports and competitive-

ness is not supported in the Bible, and seeing that the explosion of sports has only occurred since the late 1800's, do you not see how Satan is using sports to distract Christians from developing better characters and spreading the gospel giving power to others to also do the same?

February 23, 2017 Yahoo Finance HEADLINE: Chinese president Xi Jinping has vowed to lead the "new world order"

HIGHLIGHT: (see

headline)

COMMENT: "We have also a more sure word of prophecy" (2 Peter 1:19) and Xi Jinping, it does not include you or China leading the world. Reading Revelation 13:11-18 describes the United States would shape the world and lead them, especially financially when it declares, "no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name" (Rev-elation 13:17). Ultimately, "all the world wondered

after the beast" (Rev-elation 13:3).

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Healthy And Delicious Recipes



Renee Bushor, wife, mother of 4 adult children, grandmother of 5.

Work part-time for a company my son owns, called Inmate Scribes. Helps prisoners to communicate with the outside world, and provide them with Christian literature and sign them up for Bible studies.

For the last 25 years, been studying the subject of health. In several years, have had extensive training and became a Medical Missionary so to help people get to the root of their health issues without masking symptoms. Enjoy teaching people different methods for healing such as diet, water treatments, essential oils, herbs, charcoal, etc.

Also have 25 years of experience in teaching healthful cooking from scratch so as to show people how they are still able to prepare their favorite meals, but in a new way, without sacrificing taste. Everything is plant based, including all condiments,

Brownies

1 ½ cups firm tofu, crumbled
1 cup pure maple syrup
¼ cup water
1 c. carob powder
¼ cup applesauce or olive oil
2 ½ c. whole wheat pastry flour
2 c. raw sugar
½ t. real salt
1-2 c. chopped walnuts (to taste)

IMAGE
REMOVED

Preheat the oven to 350°. Lightly oil a 9x 13 glass baking pan and set it aside.

Place the tofu, water, and maple syrup, in a blender, and process until completely smooth.

Place the flour, sweetener, carob powder and salt, in a medium mixing bowl, and stir them together until they are well combined.

Pour the blended mixture into the dry ingredients in the mixing bowl, and stir them until they are well combined. Fold in the walnuts.

Pour the batter into prepared pan. Bake on the center rack of the oven for 40 minutes, or until a cake tester inserted in the center comes out clean. Cool the brownies in the pan. Cut and serve.

Italian Lentils

2 c. dry lentils, soaked overnight, drain
2 c. stewed tomatoes
1 yellow bell pepper
2 garlic cloves
¾ t. real salt
¼ t. oregano
¼ t. cumin
1-6 oz. can tomato paste

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Add water to cover and remaining ingredients. Simmer until done.

Add 1 t. olive oil (brings out the flavor.) Serve over brown rice.

Health To Live By



Genobia Simpson

Wife and mother to 5 children. Works with two other ministries:

- ItsHighTime
- Advent Rest

Desire to live a healthy lifestyle came after studying the health message through the Bible and the Spirit Of Prophecy, where I believe true health principles are outlined perfectly. Little by little has the Lord given me understanding and I praise Him for that.

Being a full time wife and mother, my duty has always been in the kitchen. But now, as the Lord has given me a greater understanding of what it means to live a healthy lifestyle, I am able to supply nutritious meals for my family and natural remedies whenever it is necessary.

I now have a great passion to share this wonderful truth with others who may not know where to start.

Side Effects Of Sleep Deprivation

Many have the understanding that proper diet and exercise can aid in having good health.

However, studies have shown that the proper amount of sleep also aids in maintaining good health and a lack of it can result in lengthy health issues and fatal diseases. A lack of proper rest can cause cardiovascular disease, high blood pressure, insomnia, obesity, inflammation, and even cancer!

In a 2008 study at the National Sleep Foundation, it was found that “People who don’t sleep enough are at higher risk for cardiovascular disease—regardless of age, weight, smoking and exercise habits. Recent research has shown that too little sleep earlier in life could take its toll as well. For example, in one study, adolescents who didn’t sleep well were at greater risk for developing cardiovascular problems. Those teens had higher cholesterol levels, a higher body mass index, larger waist sizes, higher blood pressure, and an increased risk of hypertension. It’s easy to see how these alterations in childhood health could snowball into major concerns later on,

and why it’s important to protect sleep at every age.”

A lack of proper rest can also have damaging effects on the immune system. Sleep deprivation decreases the immune system’s ability to fight against the common cold, infections, and cancer. In a 2008 study on sleep and health at Harvard Medical School, it was found that those who had less than 7 hours of sleep were three times more likely to develop common cold symptoms than those who had 7 hours or more of sleep. In addition, those who got 7 hours or more of sleep were less likely to get a cold altogether. A lack of proper rest not only impacts your health, but also your life expectancy. God desires that we are in good health (3 John 1:2) and that we present our bodies as a living sacrifice (Romans 12:1). Through a balanced diet, exercise, and sleep, we can allow God to use us for His service.

“It is vain for you to rise up early, to sit up late, to eat the bread of sorrows: for so He giveth His beloved sleep.”
Psalm 127:2

Questions And Answers



Jerry O'Donnell

- Author of *What Does It Mean For the World To Have One Mind?*
- An active Bible Worker
- Amazing Facts trained lay evangelist

QUESTION: Shouldn't we be asking permission from people before signing people up without their knowledge for the newsletter?

ANSWER: Would you ask permission to tell people about getting out of a burning building? Did John the Baptist ask permission to address Herod? Then why should anyone question if permission should be given to be on the initial mailing list? God does not work according to the way man thinks, "For my thoughts [are] not your thoughts, neither [are] your ways my ways, saith the LORD" (Isaiah 55:8).

STATEMENT(S): To all those that have sent encouraging words, personal testimonies, we address you in this general response.

ANSWER: Praise the Lord for your faithfulness. Our condolences for the burdens you carry, and I am personally sympathetic towards all that have lost loved ones. Thank you for your support. And may God bless each of you with continued long life and an excitement towards the final fulfillments of prophecy. Looking forward to meeting all of you on the Sea of Glass (Revelation 15:2).

QUESTION: Why are you not calling the church Babylon and why are you still under the structure? You know you will be lost because you are not responding to the call to come out.

ANSWER: First, all those that cast away quote after quote in the height of apostasy in Ellen White's day of not calling the church Babylon, happens to be imbalanced. Yes, we are in great apostasy and it infuriates and does not make sense to stay, but the reference to Revelation 18:4 to come out is not out of the truth, which is here, under the so-called structure. Just because the larger portion, like 99% or more {1SM 359.2}, are not following the truth and are working against the truth does not mean the truth is not here.

Second, if such a call were being made, be-

cause of human nature and if time were to permit to prove this, we would be hearing another call out of the newer group because generations of humans forming an organized body over time always corrupts.

Third, if Ellen White can give such details of end time events regarding the papacy, regarding the United States in prophecy, and the details of all the apostasy activity in the church in the last day, do you not think she would have included numerous references to declare the event of being called out from under the structure? Absolutely. No one ought to make a move out on implication or even a handful of misunderstood quotes. Besides, I dare everyone to read every single quotation of Ellen White and see what the intent of her writings indicate. No, this is not a contradiction to an implication. No one should make such a drastic change on implication, but to stay the course is not a drastic change.

Fourth, most examples referred to in support of coming out are not in God's intended purpose for the message. For instance, Lot coming out of Sodom has always been used by Ellen White as an indication to get out of the cities, but not out of the church. In contrast,

why, then, ignore the first coming events that are a mirror image of the second in which Jesus continued to minister and work and live in Israel. He did not go and start a new nation. The notion that they were considered outsiders is again nothing more than a false application. They were still physically in the nation. And all those that speak the straight testimony today are considered the same type of outsiders and are like Jesus without removing their memberships. In fact, there is no record of the apostles or Jesus requesting their membership be removed. *"The condition of the world previous to the first appearing of Christ is a picture of the condition of the world just previous to His second advent"* {6T 145.3}. And the world includes the church.

I can go on, but the bottom line is, putting forth any effort to call people from the church structure that Ellen White condemned but never removed her membership from, is a waste of the God-given moments of time. Just go about doing the work. Those that are in the church that ask questions of why one acts differently than the expected way of the rest of the church, should be shown the truth. When opportunity permits, speak the straight testimony. And most importantly, get out there and plant the seeds. All of this argu-

ing about the church is Satanic and should be rebuked as such, is a big waste of time. We are saved individually and even work individually. Financially support who you think is worthy of tithe, which may not be the structure, as even Ellen White declared.

The Lord does not now work to bring many souls into the truth, because of the church members who have never been converted, and those who were once converted but who have backslidden. -Testimonies, vol. 6, p. 371.

On top of that, there are numerous verses that detail how God is going to purify the church. Despite being a non-practiced method of God, I cannot go against the references that detail how the leaders and the practicing sinners will be the ones going out, leaving the church in a pure state. And Ellen White tells us that this process is the same as compared to Jesus' two cleansings of the temple. The leaders and sellers and even the sinful buyers were all scattered out, leaving a pure group to come unto Him. Ellen White declares that the 1844 event was the first cleansing, and it will happen again at the end of time.

So there are no worries about the call in Revelation 18:4 being a call into apostasy. When the vast number of those still outside

respond, it will be pure. In fact, that is what draws so many of them in. Right now, the hypocritical ways are keeping them out for their own protection.

QUESTION: Should this generation of SDAs still be living in the cities or should we be looking to move to the country? And should we be cutting loose our properties?

ANSWER: *"As God's commandment-keeping people, we must leave the cities. As did Enoch, we must work in the cities but not dwell in them."*--Evangelism, pp. 78, 79.

"I saw that if any held on to their property and did not inquire of the Lord as to their duty, He would not make duty known, and they would be permitted to keep their property, and in the time of trouble it would come up before them like a mountain to crush them, and they would try to dispose of it, but would not be able. I heard some mourn like this: 'The cause was languishing, God's people were starving for the truth, and we made no effort to supply the lack; now our property is useless. Oh, that we had let it go, and laid up treasure in heaven!' I saw that a sacrifice did not increase, but it decreased and was consumed. I also saw that God had not required all of His people to dispose of their property

at the same time; but if they desired to be taught, He would teach them, in a time of need, when to sell and how much to sell. Some have been required to dispose of their property in times past to sustain the Advent cause, while others have been permitted to keep theirs until a time of need. Then, as the cause needs it, their duty is to sell." {Early Writings, page 57.1}

Now when Sunday law comes about (which is being worked upon even now behind the scenes, and not so much behind the scenes), we will no longer be able to even work the cities. Like Jerusalem surrounded by Roman soldiers in the first century, Sunday law will be our sign to cease our work in the cities. That means now is the time to be working the cities but we take our lives in our own hands if we are still living in them today. Like Lot, we stand to lose everything. In fact, city dwellers cannot see how hypnotized they are by remaining in the cities, even in doing the work of evangelism as an excuse. Yes, four people escaped Sodom, but none of Lot's married children escaped. Then his wife became a pillar of salt, so that just left three. Three physically left, but later, spiritually, he lost his two daughters as well. He alone is probably the only one of that group that will be in Heaven. So again, is

convenience worth the risk? Sure, people cannot just pack up and leave today, but are they working on a reasonable plan to do so?

Directly, to answer your questions, we ought not be living in the cities today, and God will impress people to start dispensing with their properties before it crushes them.

QUESTION: Do you have CD's, DVD's?

ANSWER: Unfortunately, at this time, none of us has CDs/DVDs. Plans for the future, God willing, is to have such. Those with the Internet can take advantage of YouTube videos. At YouTube.com, search for Pathway to Peace, Prophesy Again, Cary Rodgers, David House, Andrew Henriques, as just a few suggestions.

QUESTION: Have you heard of New Life Missions? They bulk mail books by Jan Marcussen for me on a monthly basis.

ANSWER: I have not heard of them, but it sounds great that they bulk mail things like

Jan Marcussen's written material.

SIDE NOTE: We have received many, many letters with questions, especially regarding the Holy Spirit. Unfortunately, due to limited space, we will have to postpone answering those questions until another issue, but please be comforted in knowing that no question shall go unanswered. May God bless you in your patience, fellow saints.

What Are the Most Popular Discussions You Have With Non-Adventists?

Please share at least the question, if not the answer, too, so that none of us is blindsided by the latest anti-truth arguments.

Stop Attacking the Church?



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As they say, all in the eye of the beholder. Mention something about error in the church and the "don't judge" group comes out saying that we are attacking the church. Nonsense! Satan is attacking the church by bringing in the error, by bringing in the apostasy. We are the ones that love the church and do not want any to be deceived.

We are only doing what we are told by being a good standard bearer:

"It is of great importance that the one who is chosen to care for the spiritual interests of patients and helpers be a man of sound judgment and un-deviating principle, a man who will have moral influence, who knows how to deal with minds. He should be a person of wisdom and culture, of

affection as well as intelligence. He may not be thoroughly efficient in all respects at first, but he should, by earnest thought and the exercise of his abilities, qualify himself for this important work. The greatest wisdom and gentleness are needed to serve in this position acceptably yet with unbending integrity, for prejudice, bigotry, and error of every form and description must be met." {Testimonies for the Church Volume Four, page 546.4} [Emphasis added.]

Sin is not to them repulsive and abhorrent, as it was to their Master. They do not meet it, as did Christ, with decisive and determined resistance. They do not realize the exceeding evil and malignity of sin, and they are blinded both to the character and the power of the prince of darkness. There is little enmity against Satan and his works, because there is so great ignorance concerning his power and malice, and the vast extent of his warfare against Christ and his church. Multitudes are deluded here. They do not know that their enemy is a mighty general, who controls the minds of evil angels, and that with well-matured plans and skillful movements he is warring against

Christ to prevent the salvation of souls. Among professed Christians, and even among ministers of the gospel, there is heard scarcely a reference to Satan, except perhaps an incidental mention in the pulpit. They overlook the evidences of his continual activity and success; they neglect the many warnings of his subtlety; they seem to ignore his very existence. {The Great Controversy (188), page 507.2} [Emphasis added]

I am instructed to speak plainly. "Meet it," is the word spoken to me. "Meet it firmly, and without delay." But it is not to be met by our taking our working forces from the field to investigate doctrines and points of difference. We have no such investigation to make. In the book Living Temple there is presented the alpha of deadly heresies. The omega will follow, and will be received by those who are not willing to heed the warning God has given. {Selected Messages Book 1, page 200.1} [Emphasis added]

Few realize the dangerous character of the sentiments that we are having to meet. I have been over the ground. I have been given plain words to speak concerning these specious, bewitching sentiments. If they are not most decidedly

met and reprov'd, souls will be lost. *We cannot afford to be deceived.*

We must point our people to the old landmarks.

We are to obtain strength and courage from on high, that we may obey the command given me, "Meet it." {Manuscript Releases Volume Seven, page 384.1} [Emphasis added]

Do be careful on what side you are on when you think you are sensing the church is under

attack by people calling for coming back to the standards.

"But and if that servant say in his heart, My lord delayeth his coming; and shall begin to beat the men-

servants and maidens, and to eat and drink, and to be drunken; The lord of that servant will come in a day when he looketh not for [him], and at an hour when he is not aware, and will cut him in sunder, and will appoint him his portion with the unbelievers" (Luke 12:45-46).

Jesus said, *"Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves" (Matthew 7:15).* That is not just applied to literal prophets. That is anyone preaching "Thus Saith the Lord" when the Lord did not say "Thus!" And when Jesus said,

"Beware..." that was not for personal protection. If we see the error and if we love our brothers and sisters, we are going to say, "Hey, do not get caught up in that. It is wrong and leading people to be lost!"

And that is just it. Everyone is quick to dismiss all of the error and apostasy as simply being uneducated mistakes. *"The days are fast approaching when there will be great perplexity and con-*

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Isaiah 58:1

fusion. Satan, clothed in angel robes, will deceive, if possible, the very elect. There will be gods many and lords many. Every wind of doctrine will be blowing" {Testimonies for the Church Volume Five, page 80.1}.

And that is what we are here to protect against. If you are offended and think we are the attackers, you are quite mistaken. Please wake up and direct your feelings properly, which is towards Satan for bringing in the heresy, apostasy, the corrupting influences. To attack the defenders by calling them the "accuser of the brethren" is to take your

position on the side of the apostasy even if you think you are living the truth. Please do not do that because there are plenty of writings that state that in these days, each of the apostasy issues will sweep away many of God's people, as in, there is no hope for them. They are not coming back in the droves they left in. And so before many others get swept permanently away, let us *"Cry aloud, spare not, lift up thy*

voice like a trumpet, and shew my people their transgression, and the house of Jacob their sins" (Isaiah 58:1), but "reprove, rebuke, exhort

with all longsuffering and doctrine" (2 Timothy 4:2).

Look at what celebration music has done sweeping whole churches over to Sunday worship. Do you think they are coming back? There is always an exception or two that wake up, but if we stay silent, more people will follow.

Look at what women's ordination battle has done in which many, many ministers claim that since the Spirit of Prophecy and the Bible are silent on the subject it is allowed and they teach their congregations to interpret scrip-

ture on other subjects much the same way. Since when do we interpret scripture on silence as giving allowance for us to do whatever we fallible humans feel is right? And those on the side of the movement will not come back to proper understanding or scripture, so much so that they are fighting to tear the divisions apart and go do their own thing! Yes, the North American Division wants to become independent.

Look what critical thinking has done for the scriptures and the Spirit of Prophecy! Evolution is being taught. Homosexuals are being baptized and even allowed to be ministers. And Ellen White's authority has also been lowered yet further. Again, the vast majority that are accepting of humans able to critically tear apart the Bible and Spirit of Prophecy are not going to all be sweeping

back into the true understanding of scripture.

And the list goes on of what we want to do, which is to call upon those that are looking into these various theories to let them know they are treading on sand and not solid rock. Do you really want to stop us from warning these precious souls that

danger is ahead or shall we continue to remain silent and watch them leave out the back door sooner or later through ignorance? Would you prevent anyone from standing between people and a cliff warning them of the danger if they keep walking the way they are walking, which is straight over the edge?

It is agreed that to beat someone over the head with the doctrines and identify the errors to simply condemn people is absolutely wrong, but that is not what we are doing and even stated as a rule for article submissions. In love for souls, despite how it may come across, is what we need to speak. I am certain that John the Baptists in

church be like in the last days, especially right before Sunday law happens?

"The church may appear as about to fall" {Manuscript Releases Volume Twelve, page 324.3}.

"Be not deceived; many will depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits and doctrines of devils. We have now before us the alpha of this danger. The omega will be of a most startling nature" {Selected Messages Book 1, page 197.4}.

"The enemy of souls has sought to bring in the supposition that a great reformation was to take place among Seventh-day Adventists, and that

this reformation would consist in giving up the doctrines which stand as the pillars of our faith, and engaging in a process of reorganization. Were this

But when he saw many of the Pharisees and Sadducees come to his baptism, He said unto them, O generation of vipers, who hath warned you to flee from the wrath to come?

Matthew 3:7

criticizing the church leaders of the time very directly with the word "vipers"

(Matthew 3:7) was not done in a gentle voice.

Now let us look at the facts and let the truth be told. Let us simply have questions asked and God answer it through His Words.

QUESTION, what will the

reformation to take place, what would result? The principles of truth that God in His wisdom has given to the remnant church, would be discarded. Our religion would be changed. The fundamental principles that have sustained the work for the last fifty years would be accounted as error. A new organization would be estab-

lished. Books of a new order would be written. A system of intellectual philosophy would be introduced. The founders of this system would go into the cities, and do a wonderful work. The Sabbath of course, would be lightly regarded, as also the God who created it. Nothing would be allowed to stand in the way of the new movement. The leaders would teach that virtue is better than vice, but God being removed, they would place their dependence on human power, which, without God, is worthless. Their foundation would be built on the sand, and storm and tempest would sweep away the structure" {Selected Messages Book 1, page 204.2}.

Basically, it is going to be as close as possible to not exist, as in, carrying the truth. "And they shall wander from sea to sea, and from the north even to the east, they shall run to and fro to seek the word of the LORD, and shall not find [it]" (Amos 8:12). It will be in the most startling form of apostasy. And the enemy of souls will have successfully accomplished every single item on his list that he set out to attack God's church with. We will be preaching erroneously.

QUESTION: Will the church stay in that condition?

"We have been inclined to think that where there are no faithful ministers there can be no true Christians, but this is not the case. God has promised that where the shepherds are not true He will take charge of the flock Himself. God has never made the flock wholly dependent upon human instrumentalities. But the days of purification of

And think not to say within yourselves, We have Abraham to [our] father: for I say unto you, that God is able of these stones to raise up children unto Abraham.

Matthew 3:9

the church are hastening on apace. God will have a people pure and true. In the mighty sifting soon to take place we shall be better able to measure the strength of Israel. The signs reveal that the time is near when the Lord will manifest that His fan is in His hand, and He will thoroughly purge His floor" {Testimonies for the Church Volume Five, page 79.4}

So the answer is no, it does not stay that way. And notice that God is going to clean it up. And it will be pure in which there is no apostasy, there is no error, there is no difference of opinion

on how to practice the doctrines or even what the doctrines are. But notice the event that takes place to do it. It is the "mighty sifting".

Now do not misunderstand. God Himself is not going to come down and fix things. He always uses the human instrument. And the most popular human instrument are those that do not follow normal channels. In other words, John the Baptist never attended the schools, never became a Rabbi, or even been part of the group of Pharisees. Elijah was not ordained of King Ahab. And if you try to dismiss it by saying, "Yes, but they were prophets", then read:

"Representations have been made to me, showing that the Lord will carry out His plans through a variety of ways and instruments. It is not alone the most talented, not alone those who hold high positions of trust, or are the most highly educated from a worldly point of view, whom the Lord uses to do His grand and holy work of soulsaving. He will use simple means; He will use many who have had few advantages to help in carrying forward His work. He will, by the use of simple means, bring those who

possess property and lands to a belief of the truth, and these will be influenced to become the Lord's helping hand in the advancement of His work."--Letter 62, 1909. {Selected Messages Book 1, page 128.2}

QUESTION: What is a synonym to the word sifting?

"The great sifting time is just before us. The jealous and the faultfinding, who are watching for evil, will be shaken out. They hate reproof and despise correction. Those who love the spirit of the third angel's message can have no union with the spirit of R and his wife." {Testimonies for the Church Volume One, page 251.1}

The word is "shaking".

Now be careful, weak readers, how you read this quote. If you tell us that we just shot ourselves in the foot because we are watching for evil and are faultfinding you are then only applying part of the quote, which is to misinterpret the entire quote. It is further defined as the people who hate being reproofed and cannot stand the correction. In other words, the faultfinding and the evils looked after are by those that are finding fault in the messengers and not the message. The message is correct but to diminish its effect, they find fault in the people themselves, which Ellen

White brings to light in many references. These people may say, "They think they are correct; God wouldn't have them driving around in that fancy car." "How dare they speak like that about the church. All they want is the people's money." "This can't be of God, they can't even preach eloquently or dynamically!"

Those that cannot stand the reproof or the correction are the ones that cry, "Don't be judging..." and especially "Don't be judging the church like you are. You are just too critical!"

QUESTION: What brings on the sifting and the shaking?

"I asked the meaning of the shaking I had seen and was shown that it would be caused by the straight testimony called forth by the counsel of the True Witness to the Laodiceans. This will have its effect upon the heart of the receiver, and will lead him to exalt the standard and pour forth the straight truth. Some will not bear this straight testimony. They will rise up against it, and this is what will cause a shaking among God's people."

"I saw that the testimony of the True Witness has not been half heeded. The solemn testimony upon which the destiny of the church hangs has been lightly esteemed, if not entirely disregarded. This testimony must

work deep repentance; all who truly receive it will obey it and be purified" {Early Writings, page 270.3}

Did you catch that? The end result of this type of preaching is purification, just like we started with. So to rise up and say, "Stop pointing out the errors and apostasy! It serves no purpose." Not to you then because you are supporting the true attacker, Satan, even if all you want to do is simply have a nice church experience and stop all this fighting by not arguing even when truth is under attack.

Notice also that true preaching causes deep repentance; and she said "deep repentance". Having a good sermon that causes some feeling of, "Oh, I shouldn't do that anymore" is repentance but not "deep" repentance.

QUESTION: How extensive is the deep repentance to be? Is it just a personal feeling or is it bigger than that?

"I urged upon them the necessity of deep repentance, confession, and forsaking of the sins which had shut away the sweet spirit of Christ from the church." --The Review and Herald, Oct. 19, 1886.

It encompasses the church level. The church is engaged in shutting away the sweet spirit of Christ. It is not just on an

individual level. The church has allowed the omega apostasy to come in and the whole list, including rewriting our understanding of things through those "Books of a new order". So the deep repentance is to reject the apostasy, the error, and even the activities that are different than God ordained.

But people are not baptized into such knowledge of knowing what is and is not of God. Just because it is stamped by the

Seventh-day Adventist church does not make it right. And that is what we are trying to be used of God to bring out. We are trying to teach the path to walk in, not attack the church.

And it is not all about the apostasy of the church. There are whole movements dedicated to nothing but trying to pull people out of the structured church. For the most part, all their energy seems to be focused upon that effort. Our mission is not just to Israel. We need to go and plant seeds for the great harvest as well. In fact, I would say if we are not doing 50-50 work, church attention and the seed planting, something is wrong. If we are 90% or more dealing with apostasy, we are imbalanced.

If we are only 40% focused on the church and 60% seed planting, that is not so bad. But even 80% seed planting or more to the neglect of saving people from apostasy is equally wrong. Satan does not want the Three Angels' Messages going forth to the public

tion of devils, and the hold of every foul spirit, and the cage of every unclean and hateful bird. Those who have had opportunities to hear and receive the truth and who have united with the Seventh-day Adventist church, calling themselves the commandment

-keeping people of God, and yet possess no more vitality and consecration to God than do the nominal churches, will receive of the plagues of God just as verily as the churches

who oppose the law of God. Only those that are sanctified through the truth will compose the royal family in the heavenly mansions Christ has gone to prepare for those that love Him and keep His commandments." {Manuscript Releases Volume Nineteen, page 176.1}

So I appeal to everyone, when I am asked, "Do you attack the church?" I can honestly say that No, I do not. I defend her as the barking dog, the standard bearer, the calling to higher standard, giving a certain sound, etc. all of which are phrases Ellen White uses frequently for those who love the church. And so I ask, how much do you love the church?

But if I tarry long, that thou mayest know how thou oughtest to behave thyself in the house of God, which is the church of the living God, the pillar and ground of the truth.

1 Timothy 3:15

and he will even use good causes to prevent it from happening, such as saying, "I can't go pass out literature. I'm too busy waking up the saints!"

QUESTION: What is the true church anyways?

"Will the churches heed the Laodicean message? Will they repent, or will they, notwithstanding that the most solemn message of truth--the third angel's message--is being proclaimed to the world, go on in sin? This is the last message of mercy, the last warning to a fallen world. If the church of God becomes lukewarm, it does not stand in favor with God any more than do the churches that are represented as having fallen and become the habita-

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reproved. They will not compare their faith and doctrine with the law and the testimony."

{The Signs of the Times, April 22, 1889 par. 10}

Now I find it interesting how people can swear that they believe in the Spirit of Prophecy and yet dismiss it by using such phrases as, "Back in her day", "She wasn't given all of the light", "We are told that we would understand things a bit clearer in the last days" in the context of contradicting what was written beforehand, etc.

To the last one, we have Ellen White writing, *"But although the long line of events extends through so many centuries, and new and important truths are from time to time developed, that which was truth in the beginning is the truth still. The increased light of the present day does not contradict or make of none effect the dimmer light of the past."* *{The Signs of the Times, June 3, 1886 par. 13}*

So with that in mind, it appears that there are many hot topics all directed at the conservatives because liberals are not that serious in being precise with the Word. We know that

liberalizing away the sanctuary, the atonement, Sunday versus Sabbath, even the ecumenical movement, let alone downplaying the strictness in obedience is all wrong. Motivated in winning souls by lowering standards is also wrong. God is precise. His commands are not negotiable. So Satan comes at the conservatives in over-thinking the Spirit of Prophecy and the Bible.

Topics include calling the church Babylon and starting a new organization, keeping or not keeping the feast days, believing in a two person Godhead or three person or even one person, believing that the king of the north and south is fulfilling by the papacy versus ISIS or radical Islam, not using the name Jesus, actually using a specific name with a specific pronunciation of God's name, nothing negative should be said towards the "church", and I could go on. All of these things are a distraction to stop us in our tracks, take precious time to argue various points preventing us from getting out there and doing the work. Sure, we are to be presenting the same gospel, but know this, why is it that here in the last few decades

that all of a sudden an eruption of these points is being made? Should we not stop and think that it is nothing more than, if traced back to the originator, someone was just trying to come up with some interesting take on the item at hand?

Now equally be prepared that if you do share, when rejection of absolute truth, even unrelated to the main topic, is expressed, then I have no time to waste upon you and I have that authority to do so. "Whosoever shall not receive you, nor hear your words, when ye depart out of that house or city, shake off the dust of your feet" (Matthew 10:14). Further, if someone attacks the pillars, "The zeal of thine house hath eaten me up" (John 2:17) and I will "reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine" as well as be "slow to anger, and plenteous in mercy" (Psalms 103:8), so deny the truth and explain away direct quotes of the Spirit of Prophecy, I will reach that level. Nothing upsets me more than outright blind actions to stick to a heresy undermining God's truth.

I say this because I do love everyone one and

wish everyone would be saved, hence why this newsletter has been produced. I realize, as do the contributors, we are putting our necks out to be ridiculed and even rejected, but we do it any-

ways because of the love of the souls. But at the same time, we love the truth so much so that it eats us up when under attack. I can only speak for the contributors as I have watched their sermons. God

never said anger is wrong; we just ought not use it as the first means in dealing with others. But Satan full well knows how to waste people's time, and we just cannot allow that. We have a job

to do and we are not going to be distracted from it.

May God bless and protect everyone and may we continue in the balanced approach of presenting God's truth for this time, even

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We will be happy to provide you with a receipt but please indicate that you would like to receive one. Many give without claiming it on their taxes. Personally, I would so as to have more to give. But for us to mail a receipt to those that do not use such would be a waste of God's funds. So do not hesitate to ask, and even if you already gave, we have record of it, so if you still want a receipt, just ask.