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Yea, the stork in heaven knoweth

her appointed times .. Jer. 8:7



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Glimpses of the Antichrist

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In studying Daniel, we find numerous glimpses of the Antichrist. In preparation for the subject, I noticed that the Jews thought Antiochus IV to have fulfilled the "abomination of desolation" (Dan. 9:27). Jesus however, corrects this by showing us that the ultimate fulfillment of the "abomination of desolation" spoken of by Daniel the prophet would be fulfilled in the Tribulation, or midway at the beginning of the Great Tribulation to be exact (Matt. 24:15). With that in mind, we better understand Daniel by seeing Antiochus, who desecrated the Temple in 168 BC by placing a statute of Zeus there and forced the Jews to worship it, as a type or foreshadow of the real Antichrist to come.

Combining some of these glimpses we come up with a man that: speaks great blasphemies against the Most High (7:25), with supernatural intelligence and operating under a power other than his own (8:24). He will be a vile person (8:11), with fierce countenance and of dark understanding (8:23). While appearing to promote peace and safety all the while he is cunning, deceiving, practicing craft (or fraud). He will corrupt by the use of flatteries (8:25, 11:21). He will be brutal and ruthless making away (or annihilating) many (8:24, 11:43). He will be greedy and plunder the treasures of the Jews (11:28). He will have no respect for the holy covenant or the Temple (obviously) (9:27). He will make war with the saints and prevail for a time at least (7:21, 25). He emerges out of the 10 toes of the revived (or continuation of the) Roman Empire (the iron/clay mixture of Daniel's image) and will unsuccessfully attempt to rule the world (11:40-41). He will magnify himself above every god. He will be eccentric and self-absorbed, and have no desire for women. In total disregard for the god's of his fathers, he will do his own will and introduce a totally new religion.

Instead he will honor the god of forces (or munitions), a god that his father's knew not (11:37-39).

While focusing so on Daniel's view of the Antichrist, I struggled to explain this new religion or the god of forces that was introduced by him. Then I realized that the religion was already explained in Revelation 13 with the image of the beast. Isn't it amazing how the Bible will explain itself if we will allow it to? Let's look to the future to see this religion of the beast that will be the one world religion.

Obviously at the midway point (42 months), the beast or the Antichrist undergoes a transformation after being mortally wounded in his head and rising again. At this point, as if he wasn't already the most devilish character to date, the dragon now totally possesses this world dictator who now is obsessed with self-worship. He opens his mouth and out comes blasphemies against God and all that dwell in heaven. Not only that, he was given power to make war with the saints and overcome them (13:6-7). Sounds repulsive I know, but anyone who is left on the planet at this time and rejects the truth of Jesus Christ will worship the Antichrist (13:8).

If that wasn't enough, the Antichrist now gets a worship leader or more accurately worship promoter. The Bible says, "I saw another beast coming out of the earth" (13:11). This character looks like a lamb, but he talks like a dragon, plus he does miracles in the sight of the beast (13:13-14)!

Taking this worship obsession one step further, the false prophet in an ongoing attempt to promote the new religion (the one world religion) comes up with an idea to make an image of the beast (13:14). What better way to capitalize on this wonder of wonders (so they think) of the beast that was wounded to death and now lives! Next, he has the power not only to call fire down from heaven,

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but he has power to give life unto the image of the beast. I would hope that no left behind Christians would be at this tent revival, but you know that if some had had problems resisting the lively contemporary music, it would be even harder to resist the statute when it comes to life, and now it even speaks! Now the real test of faith comes with the worship promoter's next proclamation. Part one says that anyone who does not worship the image of the beast will be punished by death. For all those that thought they would opt out, hear part two. He introduces the cashless society (one world currency). All those who do not take the mark of the beast in your right hand or your forehead will not be able to buy or sell anymore.

I seriously hope at this point as God's end-time plan continues to unfold that you are not looking to Washington to fix your problems or meet your needs. One thing that became so obvious in our study of Daniel was that man's government starting from the head of gold (Babylon), continuing down to the legs of iron (Rome), and culminating (in the last days) with the feet of an iron and clay mix (revived Roman Empire) will ultimately rise against Israel and then God Himself. At this point, Daniel's image (representing the totality of man's government) will be crushed with a stone that was "cut out of a

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mountain without hands" (Dan. 2:44-45). God's solution to the failed governments of the world is not just crushing them beyond repair, but it is the installation of earth's true King! Daniel foretold of earth's King coming in the clouds and there was "given him dominion, and glory, and a kingdom. His kingdom is an everlasting kingdom and all people of the earth shall serve him" (Dan. 7:14). While on earth, as Jesus Christ addressed Pilot, He claimed to be the very fulfillment of Daniel's prophecy of earth's King (Matt. 26:64). The only part that is not so clear is where is our King that we need so desperately now? The woman of Revelation 12 clothed with the sun, the moon under her feet, and a crown of twelve stars is Israel. She had a man

child who was to rule the nations with a rod of iron. The old dragon was poised and ready to devour the child as soon as he was born, but He was caught up to God and to His throne (Rev. 12:5). Daniel shows us that once God's government comes to earth and earth's true King is installed, the saints of the most High will take the kingdom and possess it forever and ever (Dan. 7:18). So, saints of the most High, do not despair, the political landscape of the whole world is going to change

for good, after the devil is permitted to implement his world dictator and his world religion. Keep looking up, for your redemption draweth nigh (Luke 21:28).

When 'Food Hoarding' Becomes a Crime

Recently, I watched an old movie, *Days of the Antichrist*. I told my wife, "You know the movie is old when you would have to explain to the general audience what a payphone and a Pinto was." One message that the movie made very clear was that when the Antichrist takes control of the world, 'food hoarding' will become a crime. After the rapture of the Church, the mandate came down from the Antichrist to gather all the food from the 'food hoarders.' As he came to power, this simply gave him the necessary control to implement his demonic mark of the Beast by keeping the masses dependant on the system. You could make it without your Facebook and your cell phone, but in today's world most people wouldn't survive 3 days without a grocery store. In the coming days, it is of the utmost importance that your faith and trust be solely in God and in God alone and not in the government to protect and provide for you and your family in the event of an emergency. I know that many in America today do look to the government for protection. Recalling the recent major weather related emergencies in the U.S., the American public and the media gives the president a report card on how well he did or did not handle the crisis. Please understand as you read the following report that all governments are on a collision course towards a one-world government, including our very own.

First, you need to know and understand that there is a food crisis developing worldwide. Whether you look at the devaluation of the U.S. dollar caused by the continuous printing of money by the government, or whether you look at the cost of food from the stand point of rising oil prices that it takes to produce and transport it, food prices keep going up. I am sure you have noticed the price of gas at the pump. Since Christmas, in our area the price of gas has increased around 95 cents per gallon. This is only going to get worse as tensions rise in the Middle East. Israel is presently poised to attack Iran's uranium enrichment facilities at any moment, most likely pulling the U.S. into the conflict. Regardless of how the scenario plays out, the Strait of Hormuz is the first place that Iran has vowed to seize control of, stopping one fifth of the world's oil. Many are predicting that gas prices could easily go above five dollars per gallon or even more. Regardless of these economic tensions, there are a growing number of natural factors impacting the world's food supply as well.

As for commodity prices, soybeans have jumped 40 percent and cotton and corn have nearly doubled. While you and I may be annoyed at the rising prices seemingly every time you go to the grocery store, this increase has pushed 44 million people in other parts of the world into extreme poverty. According to the World

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Bank, food prices have risen 36 percent in the last year overall. In some countries, the entire economy is being threatened due to the rising price of food. India is facing an annual food inflation rate of 18 percent.

Even more alarming are the rates at which our topsoil and water tables are being depleted. According to EconomicCollapse.com, due to the lack of water many Middle Eastern countries totally rely on grain imports. After 2012, it is projected that in Saudi Arabia wheat production will cease all together. Again from World Bank data, 130 million in China and 175 million in India are being fed from irrigated grain where the water is being pumped from aquifers faster than it is being replaced. According to ForeignPolicy.com, this over pumping is occurring in countries that comprise half the world's population, and on top of that, one third of the world's topsoil is being eroded faster than it is being replaced by natural processes. The article goes onto say that there are two major dust bowls, one in northwest China and the other in central Africa that would make the U.S. dust bowl of the 1930s pale in comparison. The millions of tons of topsoil can be seen leaving the area in the dust clouds from satellite imagery.

Recently, Pastor Parsley began his Break-through broadcast reporting that the price of a simple jar of peanut butter had almost double in one year's time. From there he began his discussion on the mark of the Beast of Revelation 13. You are probably thinking, as I was, what does that have to do with the mark? Remember in that day, the masses will be saying "peace and safety," and then "sudden destruction cometh upon them" (1 Thes. 5:3). This swift turn for the worse can vividly be seen in Revelation with the four horses of the apocalypse as the Antichrist comes to power. The first horse came to conquer, the second horse to take away peace, but by the time of the third horse, the cries of famine are heard saying "a measure of wheat for a penny, and three measures of barley for a penny" (Rev. 6:1-6). By the time of Revelation 13, the Antichrist will have seized control of the all currencies and the food requiring that every person on the planet receive his mark in order to buy or sell. This would not be possible if food was plentiful, or if we lived in an agrarian society as we did a century or so ago. You may not like being stuck in traffic or an occasional loss of electricity after a storm, but remove the food off the shelves of your local grocery store and that would be a major crisis in this modern convenience driven society. Apparently the Antichrist will step in to be a "savior" in the midst of the crisis, but to those who take his mark, it will cost them everything.

Before we discuss the criminal act of 'food hoarding' further, again there are things you need to understand about the movement of all governments towards a one-world government. Dwight Kinman, in his book *The World's Last Dictator*, by the help of a new-age insider turned Christian, uncovered the sinister world plot of international

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bankers, namely David Rockefeller and Baron Rothschild, to create a super World Bank under the guise of the World Conservation Bank back in 1987. This "debt-swap" plot, according to Kinman, is to "lock up forever one-third of the surface of the earth by the power elite and the international bankers." During the coming financial meltdown, this bank will step in as the financial "savior" to bail people out with generous loans and later seize control of the world's wealth.

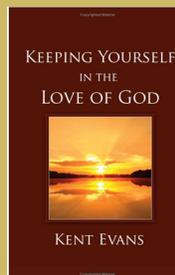
Kinman's book was written back in 1995 and terms like NAFTA, SAFTA, IMF, World Bank, and the green-movement were not nearly as prevalent then as they are today. Kinman shows in his book that it was through NAFTA that the World Conservation Bank comes into North America. Additionally, Kinman shows that North American is territory #1 on the Club of Rome's map of the ten world super states. During the coming financial chaos, the people of the world will be "crying out for a leader to bring them out of their chaos." At this point, according to Kinman, "the Order will announce that the ten regions of earth will become Federation Earth in the New World Order – the One-world Government." This proposed map of the ten zones can be seen on Green-agenda.com/turningpoint.html. Amazingly Kinman also showed how the World Conserva-

tion Bank would move through the Gaia or the green-movement, claiming to help Mother Earth. The Club of Rome, now the "official consultants to the United Nations," views the earth as having "cancer," and the "cancer is Man."

This land grab can be seen today under the guise of "sustainable development." UNESCO has created a program called Man and the Biosphere. There are 411 of these biospheres worldwide with 48 of them currently in the U.S. The obvious objective of this "sustainable" movement, other than protecting nature's delicate balance as they claim, is population control and moving people into "sustainable communities." Here in the communities, their goal is for the crowded population to lessen the use of carbon emitting cars by using efficient mass transportation. You guessed it! In these crowded communities, more and more dependent on the system, there will certainly be no 'food hoarding.'

This still may sound far removed from anything that could possibly affect your daily life, but this recent development should at least raise some concerns. On March 16, The Daily Crux reports that President Obama signed the National Defense Resource Preparedness executive order "giving him the power to take just about anything deemed

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The birds and the turtles know what God commands God's people that seem to have the problem! The roar, but they can never pass the boundaries I set," but in these last days, many of God's people are pushing the limits! Jesus, referring to the time before His return prophesied, "because iniquity shall abound, the love of many shall wax cold" (Matt. 24:12).

In Jer. 5:1, God challenged someone to search throughout the streets of Jerusalem and see "if ye can find a man, if there be any that executeth judgment, that seeketh the truth; and I will pardon it." God was willing to spare that holy city if He could just find a single man with judgment and that sought the truth. Sadly enough, God did not find that person. They refused God's warning and suffered greatly under God's hand of judgment.

It is my prayer that we would be the people that God was looking for and know the judgment of God. Not in the way that the people of God in Jeremiah's time came to know it, but that we would know God's judgments as taught in His Word and correct ourselves accordingly, so "that we should not be condemned with the world" (1 Cor. 11:31-32). *By Pastor Kent Evans*

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necessary for national defense." This was the part that raised my antenna. If you have been listening lately, there has been a lot of interest in owning a handgun, the storage of food, planting gardens, and purifying your own water to name a few. The article made this alarming assessment of the executive order:

"While millions of people have been preparing for the possibility of a catastrophic event by relocating to rural homesteads or farms, as well as stockpiling food, water, personal defense armaments, and other essential supplies with the intention of utilizing these preparations if the worst happens, the latest executive order signed by President Obama on March 16, 2012 makes clear that in the event of a nationally deemed emergency, all of these resources will fall under the authority of the United States government."

While this type of National Defense order has been in place by other presidents since 1939, this updated version certainly targets resources such as anything dealing with our food and water, bringing them under the control of the Department of Homeland Security. According to NewsMax.com, the concern from some conservative groups is that the order gives the president "absolute control over all the country's natural resources in case of a natural disaster or during of a war."

No one can say for sure what the government is anticipating or up to for that matter, but one thing for sure is that all "farm equipment," "food resources," "food resource facilities," "health resources," "national defense," and "water resources" are now under the control of the DHS in the event of a "national emergency." So learning from an old movie, if you are 'hoarding food and water,' please don't post it on Facebook or

YouTube. The NSA's is currently working on a 2 billion dollar spy center in Utah which will collect and archive all of your emails, tweets, Facebook posts, Google searches, phone calls, and texts. So 'food hoarders' beware. It is only a matter of time before you are viewed as a hindrance to the "master plan." You should be aware though, that the master of their plan is the devil, and he so desperately wants to rule the world. But Jesus Christ is the only Master and has an awesome plan for your life. Put your total faith and trust in Him, for He alone can protect you and meet your every need. You must also know that He is coming back soon for those who are looking for Him. Will you be ready? At the end of the book of Revelation, the Spirit and the bride say "Come." Next, Jesus said, "Surely I come quickly." John the Revelator replied, "Amen, Even so, come, Lord Jesus" (Rev. 22:20). I have to agree with John!

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