

PROPHECY UPDATE

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THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

“WILL AMERICA WIN THIS WAR?”

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INTRODUCTION

to the Study

More Than Ever are we to be a people well aware of times in which we live...

Spiritual Watchfulness

2 Pet 3:3-4

knowing this first: that scoffers will come in the last days, walking according to their own lusts, and saying, "Where is the promise of His coming? For since the fathers fell asleep, all things continue as they were from the beginning of creation."

Matt 24:42-44

"Watch therefore, for you do not know what hour your Lord is coming. "But know this, that if the master of the house had known what hour the thief would come, he would have watched and not allowed his house to be broken into. "Therefore you also be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.

The Sudden Appearing of Jesus Christ isnt Comfortable Thought for Some

2 Tim 3:1-14

But know this, that in the last days perilous times will come: 2 For men will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, 3 unloving, unforgiving, slanderers, without self-control, brutal, despisers of good, 4 traitors, headstrong, haughty, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, 5 having a form of godliness but denying its power. And from such people turn away! 6 For of this sort are those who creep into households and make captives of gullible women loaded down with sins, led away by various lusts, 7 always learning and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth. 8 Now as Jannes and Jambres resisted Moses, so do these also resist the truth: men of corrupt minds, disapproved concerning the faith; 9 but they will progress no further, for their folly will be manifest to all, as theirs also was. 10 But you have carefully followed my doctrine, manner of life, purpose, faith, longsuffering, love, perseverance, 11 persecutions, afflictions, which happened to me at Antioch, at Iconium, at Lystra-- what persecutions I endured. And out of them all the Lord delivered me. 12 Yes, and all who desire to live godly in Christ Jesus will suffer persecution. 13 But evil men and impostors will grow worse and worse, deceiving and being deceived. 14 But you must continue in the things which you have learned and been assured of, knowing from whom you have learned them,

These are hope-filled times

It just depends on where you're looking for hope

These are comforting days

If you see them in light of the Bible

These are the anticipated days of the prophets

The things we see and hear others wondered about

These are those "Good Old Days" that Jesus Spoke of

The prophetic word of God prepares us to be ready

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Understanding This...

THESE ARE DEEPLY SPIRITUAL TIMES

**Every Day Brings This World Closer
To The Approaching End Time or Last Days Events**

*((But I Cannot Find a Direct Verse or Chapter
That Speaks About What is Happening Right Now))*

**PLACING THESE DAYS
IN THERE PROPER BIBLICAL TIMELINE**

...more of a devotional

What Time is It?

CAN (WILL) AMERICA WIN THIS WAR?

1.) *America must seek God, God's way*

a.) *There must be a turning to the Bible*

Answer This Question;
Will America turn back to the Bible?
(Are You Turning Back to the Bible?)

b.) *There must be a humble approach*

Answer This Question;
Is America Really Praying
(Are You Praying?)

Being Humble is not weakness and not political savvy

c.) *There must be a repentant attitude*

Answer This Question;
Is America Sorry for it's Evil's
(Are You Sorry for Your Evil?)

(Evil - it's our first amendment right)

Isa 5:20

Woe to those who call evil good, and good evil; who put darkness for light,
and light for darkness; who put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter!

CAN (WILL) AMERICA WIN THIS WAR?

2.) *America must recognize God and His favor*

not until it can see God's ownership of this nation again

a.) *We need to know His history*

**Answer This Question;
Is America Teaching it's Children
(Are You Teaching Your Children?)**

Deut 6:5-9

"You shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength. 6 "And these words which I command you today shall be in your heart. 7 "You shall teach them diligently to your children, and shall talk of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up. 8 "You shall bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. 9 "You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

You Cannot Expect a Godless Public School System
To Teach Your Kids The Things of God...

Thank God They Don't!!!

School Prayer

Isnt a big issue to me for several reasons.

Those Who Pray - Are Going to Pray Anyway
There is The God of the Bible - ^&%\$#%%&

America must recognize God and His favor

b.) We need to know His mercy

God has been Merciful to America

"If God doesn't Judge America for it's Disobedience,
Then He Owes Sodom and Gommorah an Apology"

-Billy Graham

"Mercy is Physical Manifestation of the Patience of God"

-Me

**Answer This Question;
Is America Blessed by His Mercy
(Are You Being Merciful?)**

America must recognize God and His favor

c.) We need to know His grace

**Answer This Question;
Is America Blessed by His Grace
(Are You Being Gracious?)**

Getting What it Does Not Deserve

Ps 86:5

For You, O' Lord, are good, and ready to forgive,
and abundant in mercy to all those who call upon You.

Desiring to Give and Giving, *Because...*

CAN (WILL) AMERICA WIN THIS WAR?

3.) *America must act upon The Truth*

If America was Confused About Truth,
It is now and at this hour

a.) *Go to God for the Church*

I believe that America is what it is because of the Church
the church is guilty of being asleep in the light

(IN WHAT TO WE REALLY TRUST – IN THE NEGATIVE)

**Answer This Question;
Is America Supportive of the Church
(*Are You Supportive of the Church?*)**

2 Cor 9:1-7

I realize that I really don't even need to mention this to you, about helping God's people. 2 For I know how eager you are to do it, and I have boasted to the friends in Macedonia that you were ready to send an offering a year ago. In fact, it was this enthusiasm of yours that stirred up many of them to begin helping. 3 But I am sending these men just to be sure that you really are ready, as I told them you would be, with your money all collected; I don't want it to turn out that this time I was wrong in my boasting about you.....

4 I would be very much ashamed-- and so would you-- if some of these Macedonian people come with me, only to find that you still aren't ready after all I have told them! 5 So I have asked these other brothers to arrive ahead of me to see that the gift you promised is on hand and waiting. I want it to be a real gift and not look as if it were being given under pressure. 6 But remember this-- if you give little, you will get little. A farmer who plants just a few seeds will get only a small crop, but if he plants much, he will reap much. 7 Everyone must make up his own mind as to how much he should give. Don't force anyone to give more than he really wants to, for cheerful givers are the ones God prizes.

Go to God for the Church

America must act upon The Truth

b.) Go to God for the Nation

our nation is a relection of the church at large

Answer This Question;
Is America Supported by the Church
(Are You Supportive of the Church?)

The Separation of Church and State

**The United States of America, One Nation Under God,
Shall not as a government hinder, conflict, or restrict the worship of God.
Nor shall it show favoritism toward any specific belief or faith of any people.**

America must act upon The Truth

c.) *Go to God for the World*

THE WORLD NEEDS TO SEE A TRUE WITNESS

America May or May Not Win This War
But Has Given The Church The Victory

As a Nation, A Government,
It is Biblical and it is Godly to be at War against Wrong and Evil Doing

God Sanctions War –
He Has Made Provision for it in this Fallen World

**PERHAPS
I SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING IN ASIA
A LITTLE DIFFERENT THEN MOST**

I Think For the Christian
This is a great opportunity to share Jesus Christ

To The Muslim and the World

How will the Muslim's of world hear the Good News of Jesus Christ?

By The Christian

*if Islam is
The fastest growing religion on Earth*

*if Islam is
The fastest growing religion in America*

If Muslim numbers are growing more then all others on earth, then just on the grounds of numeric, Muslims are going to get saved during the tribulation period more then any other group of people...

Isa 19:19-25

In that day there will be an altar to the LORD in the midst of the land of Egypt, and a pillar to the LORD at its border. 20 And it will be for a sign and for a witness to the LORD of hosts in the land of Egypt; for they will cry to the LORD because of the oppressors, and He will send them a Savior and a Mighty One, and He will deliver them. 21 Then the LORD will be known to Egypt, and the Egyptians will know the LORD in that day, and will make sacrifice and offering; yes, they will make a vow to the LORD and perform it. 22 And the LORD will strike Egypt, He will strike and heal it; they will return to the LORD, and He will be entreated by them and heal them. 23 In that day there will be a highway from Egypt to Assyria, and the Assyrian will come into Egypt and the Egyptian into Assyria, and the Egyptians will serve with the Assyrians. 24 In that day Israel will be one of three with Egypt and Assyria-- a blessing in the midst of the land, 25 whom the LORD of hosts shall bless, saying, "Blessed is Egypt My people, and Assyria the work of My hands, and Israel My inheritance."

Then Many Muslim's Will Respond to the Truth

DIDN'T JESUS SAY

Matt 12:25-26

"Every kingdom divided against itself is brought to desolation, and every city or house divided against itself will not stand. "If Satan casts out Satan, he is divided against himself. How then will his kingdom stand?"

Gen 17:18-20

And Abraham said to God, "Oh, that Ishmael might live before You!" 19 Then God said: "No, Sarah your wife shall bear you a son, and you shall call his name Isaac; I will establish My covenant with him for an everlasting covenant, and with his descendants after him. 20 "And as for Ishmael, I have heard you. Behold, I have blessed him, and will make him fruitful, and will multiply him exceedingly. He shall beget twelve princes, and I will make him a great nation.

From Ishmael,
it is Claimed, Came the Islamic, Muslim Faith

Rev 7:9-17

After these things I looked, and behold, a great multitude which no one could number, of all nations, tribes, peoples, and tongues, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed with white robes, with palm branches in their hands, 10 and crying out with a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" 11 All the angels stood around the throne and the elders and the four living creatures, and fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, 12 saying: "Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom, thanksgiving and honor and power and might, be to our God forever and ever. Amen." 13 Then one of the elders answered, saying to me, "Who are these arrayed in white robes, and where did they come from?" 14 And I said to him, "Sir, you know." So he said to me, "These are the ones who come out of the great tribulation, and washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb...."

15 "Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve Him day and night in His temple. And He who sits on the throne will dwell among them
16 "They shall neither hunger anymore nor thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any heat; 17 "for the Lamb who is in the midst of the throne will shepherd them and lead them to living fountains of waters.
And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

God Deals With Both Nations

And those who dwell within the borders of those nations,

With one specific plan in mind...

2 Pet 3:9

for The Lord is not willing that any should perish
but that all should come to repentance.

Matt 24:14

"And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in all the world as a
witness to all the nations, and then the end will come.

IF JESUS SAID

Luke 21:34-36

"But take heed to yourselves, lest your hearts be weighed down with
carousing, drunkenness, and cares of this life, and that Day come on you
unexpectedly. 35 "For it will come as a snare on all those who dwell on
the face of the whole earth. 36 "Watch therefore, and pray always that
you may be counted worthy to escape all these things (tribulation
period) that will come to pass, and to stand before the Son of Man."

IF THE BIBLE SAYS

1Thes 4:13-5:1

But I do not want you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning those who have fallen asleep, lest you sorrow as others who have no hope. 14 For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so God will bring with Him those who sleep in Jesus. 15 For this we say to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive and remain until the coming of the Lord will by no means precede those who are asleep. 16 For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first. 17 Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And thus we shall always be with the Lord. 18 Therefore comfort one another with these words. CHAPTER 5 1 But concerning the times and the seasons, brethren, you have no need that I should write to you.

The Doctrine of Imminency

Applies only to what is called in Latin, the Rapture, or in English, "The Catching Away"

CAN (WILL) AMERICA WIN THIS WAR?

Will this become yet another world war?

"THE FACT THAT AMERICA
ISNT MENTIONED IN PROPHECY
IS INTERESTING"

But We Do Know That God is On Time

**IF THE GREAT TRIBULATION IS COMING
THEN THE RAPTURE IS EVEN CLOSER**

Rev 3:10

"Because you have kept My command to persevere, I also will keep you from the hour of trial which shall come upon the whole world, to test those who dwell on the earth.

**IF THE GREAT TRIBULATION IS COMING
THEN THE RAPTURE IS EVEN CLOSER**

Heb 9:28

so Christ was offered once to bear the sins of many. To those who eagerly wait for Him He will appear a second time, apart from sin, for salvation.

**IF THE GREAT TRIBULATION IS COMING
THEN THE RAPTURE IS EVEN CLOSER**

1Thes 1:10

and to wait for His Son from heaven, whom He raised from the dead, even Jesus who delivers us from the wrath (tribulation period) to come.

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