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We have entered the final age of man's self-rule on earth and we are now in the Book of Revelation. Not sure? Read the Book of Revelation for yourselves.

Not many pastors teach from the Book of Revelation even though it is the fifth gospel of the New Testament and is the testimony of Jesus Christ to His Church. Why? Because it causes many to be fearful when they learn our Messiah will not be coming back as the gentle lamb. Rather he will be the roaring lion of the tribe of Judah. He will not be humbly riding a donkey, but will be a conquering King on a white stallion with the armies of heaven at His side. With eyes blazing like fire, **he will judge** and **make war**. The world will watch the fullness of God's wrath unfold on the unrepentant wicked and He will bring salvation to those who are His.

Tragically, for the most part, His church does not embrace the Book of Revelation as a message of hope detailing the events leading up to the triumphant return of our King of kings and Lord of lords. Rather, many believers view it as a book of "gloom and doom" and avoid it like a plague.

I don't know about you, but I definitely want to hear and heed what the author and finisher of our faith has to say to His end-time church. Jesus gives us critical instructions we need to know ahead of time in order to overcome until the end. In my opinion, in this hour we need to read the Book of Revelation continually for the contents are relevant now and in the not so distant future.

Furthermore, this perspective of many in the body of Christ is contrary to God's Word for Revelation 1:3 (NIV) proclaims, *"Blessed is the one who <u>reads aloud</u> the words of this prophecy, and <u>blessed are those who hear it</u> and <u>take to heart what is written in it</u>, <i>because the time is near."*

The Book of Revelation, written by the Apostle John, is the testimony of Jesus Christ. This gospel was written for all the different church ages throughout history, however, it is especially critical for **this** generation to read, study, and heed!

Jesus emphatically said for us to **watch** and **pray** so we can escape all these things which shall come to pass. So, how do we know what to watch for if we refuse to read these final instructions for His end-time church? Moreover, He wants us to fully know how we are to respond as we are faced with end-time scenarios so we can maintain our faith in Him and overcome until the last Day.

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First and foremost, this period of time known as the tribulation period (or the time of Jacob's Trouble) we are now entering into, is dealing with a time frame of seven years. During the first three and one half years (42 months) of the tribulation period, the world will come under the Antichrist's rule where Satan unleashes his wrath upon God's elect—His saints.

When the Antichrist sits as God in the temple of God, showing himself that he is God, this is when God will bring the hammer down and His wrath shall commence on the unrepentant wicked. This commences during the last three and one half years (42) months of the tribulation period. Also, remember God will cut this time short for the sake of His elect, otherwise no one would survive.

Jesus warns us ahead of time in Matthew 24:15-16, "So when you see standing in the holy place 'the abomination that causes desolation,' spoken of through the prophet Daniel--let the reader understand - then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains."

God's Word clearly states the church will still be on earth when the Antichrist is revealed and he will in fact oppress and oppose God's saints. The Apostle Paul clearly states this undisputable fact in 2 Thessalonians 2:1-4 below.

"Now, brethren (the Apostle Paul is speaking to believers), concerning the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our gathering together to Him, we ask you, not to be soon shaken in mind or troubled, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as if from us, as though the day of Christ had come. Let no one deceive you by any means: for that Day will NOT come unless the falling away comes first (APOSTASY-Disillusionment with Christianity), and the man of sin is revealed, the son of perdition, (the ANTICHRIST) who opposes and exalts himself above all that is called God (CHRIST-IANS) or that is worshiped, so that he sits as God in the temple of God, showing himself that he is God." ~ 2 Thessalonians 2:1-4 (NKJV)

We are now in the early stages of the tribulation period and the events happening worldwide attest to this fact.

When Jesus Christ opens the **first** seal **(Revelation 6:1-2)**, this results in the rise of the Antichrist and the False Prophet on the world scene. When Jesus Christ opens the **second** seal **(Revelation 6:3-4)**, it will result in war involving Israel and many Islamic nations. We are currently seeing nations strategically align against Israel, such as Iran, Russia, and Turkey to name a few.

Furthermore, the **world-wide** economic collapse we are beginning to see coming to pass will be the result of the **third** seal being opened up by Jesus Christ **(Revelation 6:5-6)** which will greatly reduce the purchasing power of goods and services, especially food

When, not if, the **global** economic collapse happens we will experience the cost of goods and services, especially food, increase exponentially due to hyperinflation. Hyperinflation will result due to many factors such as the unceasing printing of monopoly money by our Treasury Department to fund their out of control spending, being raped by the Federal Reserve as they roll out their unconventional monetary policy to line the pockets of the international banking cartel, often referred to as quantitative easing, otherwise known as QE1, QE2, and QE3.

Moreover, the ability to grow crops is rapidly diminishing due to all the natural disasters and changes in the weather, the disappearing bumblebees, coupled with other factors such as Agenda 21 initiatives, using our food for fuel, etc. This will ultimately lead to severe famine which is the Black Horse judgment under the third seal.

The Antichrist will be an Islamic Muslim and the False Prophet will rise out of Rome. Listen carefully to the relevance of what I am about to share.

The Antichrist will **try** to change the appointed time God has preordained end-time events to come to pass by **hastening the return of their Mahdi** (12th Imam) <u>and</u> **replacing the laws of God** (i.e.: marriage between a man and a woman) <u>and</u> **the laws of nations** (i.e. the U.S. Constitution) with Sharia <u>and</u> **other laws which will justify his global control and New World Order** (such as international treaties signed by executive orders).

This is based on Daniel 7:25 (NIV 1984), which states *"He* (Antichrist) *will speak against the Most High_and oppress his saints_and try to change the set times <u>and</u> <i>the laws. <u>The saints will be handed over to him</u> for a time, times and half a time."*

Many of you may be thinking that President Obama is the Antichrist and he is not. He is the forerunner or John the Baptist to the Antichrist and has the antichrist spirit using him to bring about the Antichrist's Kingdom, otherwise known as the One World Order, New World Order, or Revived Roman Empire.

Many believe the Antichrist and the false prophet will be emerging on the world scene at the end of 2012 or early 2013. The global elitists have said in 2012 we will see the "Devil's Messiah." I believe the rise of the Islamic Mahdi, the 12th Imam, is what they are referring to.

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The uprisings we are currently witnessing in the Middle East are the fulfillment of Daniel 11:40-45 below. The Antichrist will emerge on the world scene (this is the **first** seal in the tribulation period being opened up by Jesus Christ) and will help facilitate the invasion of Egypt, Libya, and Ethiopia while Jordan will be spared. We have just witness the fall and takeover of Egypt and Libya.

"At the time of the end the king of the South will engage him in battle, and the king of the North will storm out against him with chariots and cavalry and a great fleet of ships. **He will invade many countries and sweep through them like a flood.** (We are currently witnessing many countries in the Middle East in uprisings and revolts of their current government) *He will also invade the Beautiful Land* (Israel). *Many countries will fall*, <u>but</u> (Jordan) *Edom, Moab and the leaders of Ammon will be delivered from his hand.* He will extend his power over many countries; *Egypt will not escape.* He will gain control of the treasures of gold and silver and all the riches of Egypt, with the Libyans (Libya) and Cushites (Ethiopia) in submission. But reports from the east and the north will alarm him, and he will set out in a great rage to destroy and annihilate many. He will pitch his royal tents between the seas at the beautiful holy mountain (the Temple Mount). Yet he will come to his end, and no one will help him." ~ Daniel 11:40-45

Expect to see the total fall of Sudan in the not so distant future and the total destruction of Damascus Syria as prophesized in Isaiah 17. As a matter-of-fact, all the nations coming against Israel such as Russia, Iran, and Turkey are coming into alignment for the first war leading up to the war of Gog and Magog based on Ezekiel 37 and 38.

This is why the Islamic Caliphate, otherwise known as the Muslim Brotherhood, and the Socialists/Communists/Marxists/Global Elitists they are in collusion with, despite their apparent differences, has their sights set on destroying America and Israel. They are trying to hasten the return of their Mahdi, the 12th Imam, **before** God's appointed times and seasons.

Furthermore, the Islamic Caliphate has their sight set on Jersusalem as their world headquarters.

Jerusalem to become Egypt's capital under Morsi's rule, says Muslim cleric

http://english.alarabiya.net/articles/2012/06/07/219272.html

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Muhammad Morsi, who was elected President of Egypt in June 2012, is a leading figure in the Muslim Brotherhood. Furthermore, I believe this current administration helped him win his election.

Why Is Sec. Clinton Giving Hundreds of Millions of Dollars to Muslim

http://www.breitbart.com/Big-Peace/2012/06/27/Why-Is-Sec-Clinton-Giving-Hundreds-of-Millions-of-U-S-Dollars-to-the-Muslim-Brotherhood

Could Mohamed Morsi be the evil dictator the prophet Isaiah refers to in Isaiah 19 that will be a cruel and mighty king over the people of Egypt? Morsi makes his intentions very clear and has does not mince words about his allegiance to Allah and Jihad.

"The Koran is our constitution. The Prophet Muhammad is our leader. Jihad is our path. And death for the sake of Allah is our most lofty aspiration. This nation will enjoy blessing and revival only through the Islamic sharia. "I take an oath before Allah and before you all that regardless of the actual text [of the current Egyptian constitution], Allah willing, the text will truly reflect sharia, as will be agreed upon by the Egyptian people, by the Islamic scholars, and by legal and constitutional experts. Rejoice and rest assured that these people will not accept a text that does not reflect the true meaning of the Islamic sharia as a text to be implemented and as a platform. The people will not agree to anything else."

The Koran Is Our Constitution': Egyptian President Promises to Ignore Egyptian Constitution For The Sake of Sharia In Chilling Speech

http://www.theblaze.com/stories/the-koran-is-our-constitution-egyptian-presidentpromises-to-ignore-egyptian-constitution-for-the-sake-of-sharia-in-chilling-speech/

Unfortunately, it shall come to pass that half of Jerusalem will be taken into captivity based on Zechariah 14:1-5 below.

"Watch, for the day of the LORD is coming when your possessions will be plundered right in front of you! I will gather all the nations to fight against Jerusalem. The <u>city will be taken</u>, the houses looted, and the women raped. <u>Half the population will be taken into captivity</u>, and the rest will be left among the ruins of the city. Then the LORD will go out to fight against those nations, as he has fought in times past. On that day his feet will stand on the Mount of Olives, east of Jerusalem. And the Mount of Olives will split apart,

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making a wide valley running from east to west. Half the mountain will move toward the north and half toward the south.(This will be due to a great earthquake). You will flee through this valley, for it will reach across to Azal. Yes, you will flee as you did from the earthquake in the days of King Uzziah of Judah. **Then the LORD my God will come, <u>and all his holy ones with him</u>." ~ Zechariah 14:1-5 (NLT ©2007)**

Also, note in Zechariah 13:7-9 below notice that it is the wicked (two-thirds) which will be cut off and die!

"Awake, O sword, against my shepherd, the man who is my partner," says the LORD of Heaven's Armies. "Strike down the shepherd, and the sheep will be scattered, and I will turn against the lambs. Two-thirds of the people in the land will be cut off and die," says the LORD. "But <u>one-third will be left in the land</u>. I will bring that group through the fire and make them pure. I will refine them like silver and purify them like gold. They will call on my name, and I will answer them. I will say, 'These are my people,' and they will say, 'The LORD is our God.'" ~ Zachariah 13:7-9 (NLT <u>©2007</u>]

Moreover, notice what God says about His faithful remnant (one-third) in the Scripture above. He will take them **through** the fire and they will remain in the land! The righteous will remain in the land and it will be the wicked which will be cut off and die. Contrary to what is being taught by most it is the righteous which will never be uprooted and will remain in the land. In other words, it will be the righteous that are left behind, not the wicked. This is based on Proverbs 10:29-30 below.

"The way of the LORD is a refuge <u>for the blameless</u>, but it is the ruin of those who do evil. The righteous will <u>never</u> be uprooted, but the wicked <u>will not</u> <u>remain in the land</u>." ~ Proverbs 10:29-30 (NIV)

Believers must go **through** the fire of trials and tribulations, including the end-time tribulation, in order for God to make us pure. We must go **through** His refining fire in order to take possession of the land God has for us while on earth, which culminates in eternal life. Remember Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego? In the face of death they stood firm and would not compromise their belief and deny their Lord no matter what the outcome.

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Furthermore, God did not rapture the Hebrew children from the land of Goshen when He brought all the plagues against Egypt. He supernaturally protected them. As a result, the Hebrew people in the land of Goshen not only survived, but thrived when God brought His judgment against Pharaoh and the Egyptian people! As they left Egypt they left with all the Egyptians gold, silver as they plundered all the wealth of the Egyptians. This transfer of wealth from the wicked to the righteous will happen again in the days ahead based on Isaiah 60:5.

Again, God's people in the land of Goshen were supernaturally protected by applying the blood of a lamb over the doorposts and lentils of their homes so the death angel would "Passover" them. They were also instructed to bake bread **without leaven** in it because they would have to leave Egypt in haste and did not have time to let the bread rise. Leaven is symbolic for sin and all leaven had to be removed from their houses. The Hebrew people were not affected in any way as God released His wrath on the Egyptians (which represent the unrepentant wicked of the world). The same applies to end-time believers who are covered by the blood of the "Passover Lamb" Jesus Christ, over the doorpost of our hearts who have removed the leaven (sin) from their lives.

We will NOT be raptured until the end of the tribulation period. One third of my second book titled, *"God's Blueprint for His End-Time Church. Let His Church Arise!"* substantiates this truth.

Unfortunately, because of the false teaching of the pre-trib rapture multitudes of believers will **<u>not</u>** be mentally, spiritually, or physically prepared to overcome until the end. As a result, many believers will **<u>not</u>** maintain their faith until the end.

This is why Jesus said many would fall away from their faith in the end times. (See Matthew 24:10 and 1 Timothy 4:1). We are all quick to profess we have died in Christ, but the true test will come when it is time for His bride to stand up for her husband and share in His suffering.

When this time comes many will fall away from their faith because they were misinformed and never thought they would still be here on earth to deal with these things. As a result, many believers will become disillusioned with Christianity because this is not what they signed up for when they accepted Jesus Christ and are faced with persecution unto death.

This is because we do not adequately convey that there is a very high price to being a **true** disciple of Jesus Christ which could cost you everything, even your life. Jesus warned us in John 15:20 when He said, *"Remember the words I spoke to you: 'No servant is greater than his master.' If they persecuted me, they will persecute you also..."*

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Jesus Christ "became" the perfect lamb without spot or blemish because He had to prove himself worthy by learning obedience from what He suffered. Jesus Christ is coming back for a bride without spot or blemish and we too must prove ourselves worthy by learning obedience from what we suffer by going **through** trials and tribulations.

Read, meditate, and heed these final instructions from Jesus Christ to believers throughout the church ages, but particularly for <u>this</u> generation of believers so we will be ready at <u>all</u> times.

Jesus specifically tells us what we must be willing to do to maintain our faith in Him and overcome until the end in His "love" letters to His church in the beginning of the Book of Revelation.

In His letter to Ephesus; we must return to our first love.

In His letter to Smyrna; we must prepare for persecution even onto death.

In His letter to Pergamum; we must use the double-edge sword as our spiritual weapon which is speaking and standing on God's Word.

In His letter to Thyatira; His **insistence upon holiness** for we have His grace and power to overcome all the sins in our life.

In His letter to Sardis; to wake up from our slumber and continuously put our faith in action by not relying on our past accomplishments.

In His letter to Philadelphia; continue to carry out the great commission.

In His letter to Laodicea; **our wealth** (prosperity) **and doing things in our own strength** (relying on our intellect and human reasoning) **for our own motives** (building our own kingdoms) **will be our downfall if we do not humble ourselves and receive Christ's real riches.**

Moreover, I will now convey an interesting fact. All the "love" letters Jesus had the Apostle John write to the churches in the beginning of the Book of Revelation were written to churches physically located within the province of what used to be referred to as the Ottoman Empire.

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Do you know why we are seeing nations such as Turkey, Iran, and Russia forming alliances with one another? Do you know why they are working with the Communists, Marxists, Socialists, and global cabal, (which are comprised of the Illuminati and global bankers)? Do you know why we are seeing the reemergence of the Islamic Caliphate?

History always repeats itself. As stated in Ecclesiastes, 3:15, *"Whatever has already been, and what will be has been before; and God will call the past to account."* Also, always remember, "As it was in the beginning so it shall be in the end."

Therefore, almost the same scenarios that happened in the beginning before Jesus Christ came the first time will re-emerge before His second return.

As it was in the beginning, so it shall be in the end. In its day, the Ottoman Empire was also commonly referred to as the Turkish Empire or Turkey, though it should not be confused with the modern nation-state of that name. From 1517 onwards, the Ottoman Sultan was also the Caliph of Islam, and the Ottoman Empire was from 1517 until 1922 (or 1924) synonymous with the **Caliphate, the Islamic State**!

Therefore, the Caliphate, or the Islamic state will work together with the Marxists/Socialists/Communists/Global Elite/Illuminati despite their apparent differences, because their end justifies their objective to establish the One World Order/New World Order/Revived Roman Empire/Antichrist kingdom with Islamic world domination.

The army of the antichrist will be comprised of men and women who have the spirit of antichrist using them to be agents of change who will orchestrate and facilitate some of the cataclysmic events during the tribulation period.

Furthermore, the Illuminati equally detest atheists and believers in Jesus Christ, so they are using both camps to come against each other until they can conquer and eliminate both groups.

Their intent is to reduce the world's population by two thirds (2/3) which will be the result of the **fourth** seal being opened up by Jesus Christ **(Revelation 6:7-8)** where many will die due to war, famine, pestilence, and wild animals. Also, during this time there will be many martyrs which will die for their faith in Jesus Christ and will not denounce Him for Allah, accept the mark of the beast, or worship the antichrist. This is a result of the **fifth** seal being opened up by Jesus Christ **(Revelation 6:9-11)**.

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Moreover, the Illuminati study Scripture, and the one they worship—Satan, sadly knows Scripture better than most who profess to be Christians. They know exactly what will take place and what needs to happen ahead of time.

If you are willing to accept this is a video which will substantiate Free Masonry and the century's old plan to bring America and the world to where we are now. This video will show how all three world wars were planned ahead of time so they could achieve their One World Order. World War I and World War II achieved the end result they predetermined.

Free Masonry and the Plan For A Single Political System

http://netnewsnetwork.net/index.php?aid=277

As a matter-of-fact, Albert Pike, who by the way is related to Zebulon Pike Jr.*, that Pike's Peak located 10 miles west of Colorado Springs, Colorado is named after, wrote a letter to Mazzini (an *Illuminati Revolutionary head, 1834-1871)* on January 22, 1870, calling for a One World Order where he wrote about all three world wars.

*source:http://www.geni.com/people/Brig-General-Zebulon-Pike-Jr-USA/600000003978413223

Following is Albert Pike's assessment for World War III. Remember this was written back in 1870.

"The Third World War must be fomented by taking advantage of the differences caused by the "agentur" of the "Illuminati" between the political Zionists and the leaders of Islamic World. The war must be conducted in such a way that Islam (the Moslem Arabic World) and **political Zionism** (the State of Israel) mutually destroy each other. Meanwhile the other nations, once more divided on this issue will be constrained to fight to the point of complete physical, moral, spiritual and economical exhaustion... We shall unleash the Nihilists and the atheists, and we shall provoke a formidable social cataclysm which in all its horror will show clearly to the nations the effect of absolute atheism, origin of savagery and of the most bloody turmoil. Then everywhere, the citizens, obliged to defend themselves against the world minority of revolutionaries, will exterminate those destroyers

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of civilization, and the multitude, **disillusioned with Christianity**, whose deistic spirits will from that moment be without compass or direction, anxious for an ideal, but without knowing where to render its adoration, will receive the true light through the universal manifestation **of the pure doctrine of Lucifer**, brought finally out in the public view. This manifestation will result from the general reactionary movement which will follow the **destruction of Christianity and atheism, both conquered and exterminated at the same time.**"

Source: http://portland.indymedia.org/en/2006/07/342663.shtml

These men and women have sold their souls to Lucifer whom the Illuminati refer to as "the" *Enlightened One* who will use the Antichrist and false prophet to lead his army for the kingdom of darkness. Lucifer (a.k.a. Satan) is also referred to as an *"angel of light."*

Just like Lucifer, these men and women think they know better than God, and desire to exalt themselves above God, just like Lucifer tried to do before he was thrown out of heaven the first time. This is why they believe they have the right to decide who lives and who dies as they seek to reduce the world's population by 2/3 and why they seek to proliferate abortion, same-sex marriage, eugenics, manufacture cataclysmic events, including genocides, and institute "sustainable development" the UN initiative under the umbrella of Agenda 21.

The Antichrist and his army will seek to destroy both Israel and America because their end goal is a New World Order with **world dominance by the Islamic Caliphate** <u>and</u> **instituting Sharia worldwide**.

Their biggest obstacle in achieving their agenda is people who believe in Yahweh, the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, and His Son, Jesus Christ. Therefore, anyone unwilling to claim Allah as their god must be eliminated. This is why Islamic Jihadists harbor so much hatred for the Jewish people and Christians. This is why they are "anti" anything of God and need to remove God from the public square and use Atheists for the time being to <u>silence</u> believers in Jesus Christ. I think the Apostle Paul's exact words in 2 Thessalonians 2:1-4 were, "<u>who opposes and exalts himself above all that is called God.</u>"

The only thing standing in their way from achieving their One World Order/New World Order is **America's sovereignty**. Once America loses her sovereignty these end-time events will happen rapidly just like the contractions increase in intensity and frequency just before a woman gives birth.

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The enemy camp has been planning what they are doing to our nation, and other nations around the world, for at least a century. They are now implementing the final stages of their plan. This is why voting President Obama out of office in November **will delay** but **not stop** the One World Order

Our enemies are from within and they are intentionally manufacturing the perfect storm of revolution which will be propped up by three legs which are economic chaos, chaos through racial division, and chaos through class division. The enemy knows if he can divide he will conquer. And, he always uses chaos and confusion to bring about his plans. As a matter-of-fact this is their mantra, "*Order out of Chaos.*"

If everything I have presented still doesn't convince you we are already in the tribulation period, view the following video. We entered the new age in 2011. They say a picture is worth a thousand words...

Harbingers of prophecy 2011 - earth shattering events on the horizon

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HWFnBcQG4zc&sns=fb

In conclusion, as I have clearly conveyed based on the events happening on a global basis and the fulfillment of end-time prophecy, this epic spiritual battle we are engaged in is well beyond just saving America. We are in the Book of Revelation and fast approaching the final showdown between God and Satan. The only choice we have is whether we will choose to serve God or Satan, good versus evil, eternity in heaven or eternity in hell.

This cause is greater than ourselves and was planned before the foundation of the world for God's purposes and glory to prevail, **not** ours. This is why God is our only hope! If you think all these issues we are dealing with now are difficult, how will we manage with what is to come? We cannot prevail and be victorious in our own strength.

<u>If</u> we will determine our minds and our hearts to first seek **God's Kingdom** <u>and</u> **His righteousness** only then will He will keep us from the hour of trial which shall come upon the whole world, to test those who dwell on the earth.