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Go, set a watchman,
let him declare what
he seeth. —Isa 21:6



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Perilous Times Have Come

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I received a call recently from a disconsolate listener to our program, to wit: "You tell us about what the devil is doing in the world today; why don't you tell us about what God is doing in the world?" But this is exactly what Jeremiah's detractors asked him.

We all had rather receive a tax refund than a threatening overdue tax bill from the IRS. All of us enjoy and are blessed by new believers coming down the aisles to receive Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord rather than looking at increasingly empty pews. I indeed had rather be on the mission fields winning souls to the Lord than having to report the discouraging speeches of our president where he announces to the world that this is no longer a Christian nation. And, I had much rather visit with our listenership about how the Lord is blessing them than spend half my time on the telephone trying to counsel with discouraged Christians over their churches going into the apostate Purpose Driven Church movement.

Those who keep count say that I have written over 100 books. Some of these books are used in seminaries. But the most widely disseminated item I have ever composed was written in 2005 in less than one hour, a little 8-page tract titled, "Is Your Church Going Purpose Driven? How Can You Tell?" We have sent out tens of thousands of these upon request. They are not copyrighted, and other ministries have copied them and mailed out millions. This past week Vic Eliassen of VCY called to tell me that in just the last three weeks VCY-America has mailed out 8,000, even though they had been sending them out for the past three years. This is just one example of the discontentment and confusion that exists today in every venue of human society: the family, the government, the economy, the moral structure, education, and the churches.

While as Christians we may still find something in which we can find peace, satisfaction, hope, and encouragement, in

most remaining tenets of these entities which influence or make up our lives, the ugly truth is that God is warning us that we who are living in the last days are not going to have much to be happy about.

Man has imagined everything possible to make our lives more pleasurable and easier: automobiles, airplanes, telephones, cell phones, air conditioning, radios, television, etc. Television itself has become a swamp medium to advertise millions of items that will make life for us easier, more comfortable, and happier. But now, life is more miserable for all of us. One of the happiest events in my life that I can remember is getting up at 4:00 a.m. to ride to the county seat in a wagon to gin a bale of cotton. The truth is, the more we have, the more we worry about.

I have been warning our nation about a coming global government for the past forty years. I have been warning about the balance of trade deficits and the taking of our factories and even service jobs overseas. And now, on the DVD produced by PBS that we are offering this month is exactly what we have been warning our nation about. This nation is now owned by foreign nations. We are \$55 trillion in debt. The whole is a sum of all its parts, so you and I are BANKRUPT! We have already lost our nation. God, because of unrepentant churches, has turned His back on us. Our government is dividing the land of Israel and God cannot bless us anymore. Our biblical signature is that our citizens had rather believe a lie than the truth. I have also just watched another 2½-hour DVD titled *Media Malpractice*. This DVD covers the programming of our five media giants, which represent 90 percent of the current media outreach. For 2½ hours, TV clip after clip, shown are those sitting in Moses' seat today telling lie after lie. This DVD is substantive evidence that God has sent us a strong delusion for citizens to believe such lies.

Mr. Al Gore is certainly worthy of the hard-earned title as the biggest liar in the world. His global warming film, *An Inconvenient Truth*, would be better named *A Very Convenient Lie*. This mammoth distortion has raised his global warming net worth from \$2 million in 2004 to \$100 million in 2008. He is soon to become the first carbon credit billionaire.

Over 31,000 scientists have signed a petition to the effect that global warming with its carbon credit scheme is a scam, or con. The majority of a 620 environmental science group this past year agreed. Russian scientists studied global warming and concluded it was a scam. Japanese scientists studied it and concluded it was astrology. CATO, an association of 100 prestigious scientists, wrote a letter to President Obama this month and stated concerning global warming, "Mr. President, in all due respects, you are incorrect." In spite of all the evidence and warnings that the Obama global warming/carbon tax program is a junk science/socialistic fraud, laws may come out of Congress to force Americans to obey a libelous law.

The latest member to join the messianic Obama administration, Cass Sustain, will—if he can—take all the guns from citizens, stop hunting, eating meat, and appoint government appointed lawyers for your pets; and as head of OIRA (Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs), will not only try to restore the Fairness Doctrine on radio and television, but also on the Internet (WNT, 4/29/09). However, restoring the Fairness Doctrine may not be needed. As Speaker of the House, petulant Nancy Pelosi wants the FCC to mandate that all radio or TV stations holding FCC licenses must be ordered by the FCC to limit licensee to programming only in "the public interest" (Newsmax, 3/10/09). Of course, a new FCC director, appointed by Mr. Obama, could quickly determine "what is in the public interest."

Our president has announced several times, nationally and internationally, that "the United States is no longer a Christian nation." Evidently in order to help confirm his own personal view, as of May 1, 2009, all National Public Radio (NPR) and Public Broadcasting Stations (PBS) are forbidden to carry any programming with a Christian message or content (One-ViewNow, 4/30/09).

If the preceding is not troubling enough, at the writing of this article on May 3, 2009, the Local Law Enforcement Hate Crimes Prevention Act has passed through the House and will probably become U.S. law. Proponents of this bill says it will still not result in persecuting and arresting people who may criticize homosexuality on a moral and religious basis. But Congressman Steve King of the Judiciary Committee replied:

"Don't believe what they say, read the bill. . . . What's their

agenda? Their agenda is to shut down preaching of faith from the pulpit. Their agenda is to force public approval of their homosexual agenda, and destroying marriage nationally. . . . Heaven help us, we've crossed the line. . . ."

Under this law, any programmer or broadcaster could be arrested for simply referencing what the Bible has to say about homosexuality, and we would assume that FCC licenses could also be canceled.

There are also troubling reports concerning our support of Israel in spite of what our president promised during his campaign. According to an IsraelNN.com report of April 29, 2009, "U.S. President Barack Obama and his senior advisors wish to incrementally diminish U.S. strategic cooperation with Israel. Obama wants to make friends with our worst enemies and until now enemies of the United States. Under this policy Israel is more than irrelevant. We have become an obstacle."

Another strange action of an Obama appointee was reported by CNS News on April 22. We quote the headline: "U.S. Education Secretary, Arne Duncan, Signs Partnership with Chinese Communists Who Put Dissidents in Re-Education Camps."

It appears this great education program of Mr. Obama, which he promised, entails certain aspects of the Chinese educational system, which has both good and bad points. The good point is that when China changed its educational system after the trial of the gang of four in 1978, within 20 years the nation moved from a bicycle society to a new, completely ground-and-air mechanical society, with 130-story hotels, in just 20 years. The negative in the Chinese system is that if you don't conform to the Fascist/Communist system, they put you in one of their 1,000 re-educational prisons until you do conform. I spent a few hours in Chinese jails myself, a couple of times, for telling the people that God loved them so much that He sent His only begotten Son to die for them so that they might have eternal life, freedom, and the pursuit of happiness. The reader can guess why the Obama administration is to adopt the Chinese educational system.

The 9-page terrorist indictment, reportedly released by reportedly sexually confused director of Homeland Security, but actually written by the Southern Poverty Law Center, practically accused anyone driving in the right lane of being a right-wing extremist capable of sadistic terrorist behavior. Of course, the so-called Poverty Law Center has more money to waste than all the Rockefellers and Rothschilds put together, and more paranoiacs than all the insane hospital psychiatric wards put together. Must be some inbreeding going on down there. This SPLC group, whoever they are, has identified 19 so-called right-wing/terrorist entities here in Oklahoma. I

have lived in Oklahoma all my 86 years, except three years in the South Pacific in WWII, and if there is even one such group in Oklahoma, I know nothing about it. I really think we are apt to find more such suspected terrorists among the goofballs within the Obama administration. I really expected the president to pin six stars on William Ayres and make him the Ultra Supreme Commander of all U.S. military forces.

Putting all this nonsense aside, the real message of this so-called Homeland Security Final Warning Decree is: *All you pro-lifers, Army veterans, gun ownership addicts, constitutionalists, patriotic citizens, just shut up and keep quiet until we take your guns, your First and Second Amendment rights, and put you off radio and television... or, we will tag you as an extremist or a terrorist, ride you on a rail out of town, or put you in a re-education center.* That is the real message.

As far as Oklahoma harboring right-wing extremists is concerned, we have, I think, the best senators and congressmen of any state in the Union. Presently, we have the best economy and the lowest unemployment of any state. We love our Native American fellow Oklahomans. We would welcome any outside investors or citizens who just want to get out of the rat race where they live.

Dr. David Kaiser received a Ph.D. in history at Harvard, taught in three universities, including Harvard, has written 15 books on history in 6 different languages, and served as a professor at the United States Naval War College. He stated in reference to the past presidential election:

Mr. Obama's winning platform can be boiled down to one word: Change. Why?

I have never been so afraid for my country and for my children as I am now.

This man campaigned on bringing people together, something he has never, ever done in his professional life. In my assessment, Obama will divide us along philosophical lines, push us apart, and then try to realign the pieces into a new and different power structure. Change is indeed coming. And when it comes, you will never see the same nation again.

And that is only the beginning.

And what do 99 percent of the pastors and their congregations say? "... Prophecy not unto us right things, speak unto us smooth things, prophecy deceits: Get you out of the way, turn aside out of the path, cause the Holy One of Israel to cease from before us" (Isa. 30:10-11).

And what does God reply? "... Because ye despise this word, and trust in oppression and perverseness, and stay thereon:

Therefore this iniquity shall be to you as a breach ready to fall, swelling out in a high wall, whose breaking cometh suddenly at an instant" (Isa. 30:12-13).

What God Says Christians Today Should Expect

- ▶ "... many shall come in my name ... and shall deceive many" (Matt. 24:5).
- ▶ "... ye shall hear of wars and rumours of wars ..." (Matt. 24:6).
- ▶ "... there shall be famines, and pestilences, and earthquakes, in divers places" (Matt. 24:7).
- ▶ "... then shall many be offended, and shall betray one another, and shall hate one another" (Matt. 24:10).
- ▶ "... many false prophets shall rise, and shall deceive many" (Matt. 24:11).
- ▶ "... iniquity shall abound ..." (Matt. 24:12).
- ▶ "... there shall arise false Christs, and false prophets, and ... they shall deceive the very elect" (Matt. 24:24).
- ▶ "... as it was in the days of Lot [Sodom] ..." (Luke 17:28).
- ▶ "... ye shall be betrayed both by parents, and brethren, and kinsfolks ..." (Luke 21:16).
- ▶ "... ye shall see Jerusalem compassed with armies ..." (Luke 21:20).
- ▶ "... many shall run to and fro, and knowledge shall be increased" (Dan. 12:4).
- ▶ "... and there shall be a time of trouble, such as never was since there was a nation ..." (Dan. 12:1).
- ▶ "... then shall be great tribulation, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time ..." (Matt. 24:21).
- ▶ "... except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved ..." (Matt. 24:22).
- ▶ "... ye shall be hated of all men for my name's sake" (Luke 21:17).
- ▶ "... and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity ..." (Luke 21:25).
- ▶ "Men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth ..." (Luke 21:26).
- ▶ "... in that day will I make Jerusalem a burdensome stone for all people ..." (Zech. 12:3).
- ▶ "... I will gather all nations against Jerusalem to battle ..." (Zech. 14:2).
- ▶ "... the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and *doctrines of devils; Speaking lies* in hypocrisy ..." (1 Tim. 4:1-2).
- ▶ "I charge thee therefore before God, and the Lord Jesus

Christ, who shall judge the quick and the dead at his appearing and his kingdom; Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; And they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables" (2 Tim. 4:1-4).

- ▶ "... the day of the Lord so cometh as a thief in the night" (1 Thess. 5:2).
- ▶ "... sudden destruction cometh upon them [the unsaved] ... and they shall not escape" (1 Thess. 5:3).
- ▶ "And take heed ... so that day [not] come upon you unawares" (Luke 21:34).
- ▶ "Watch ye therefore, and pray always, that ye may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass ..." (Luke 21:36).
- ▶ "... when these things begin to come to pass, then [Christians] look up, and lift up your heads; for your redemption draweth nigh" (Luke 21:28).
- ▶ "For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord" (1 Thess. 4:16-17).
- ▶ "Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away [Gr. *apostasia*] first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition; Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God" (2 Thess. 2:3-4).
- ▶ "Knowing this first, that there shall come in the last days scoffers, walking after 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 the creation" (2 Pet. 3:3-4).
- ▶ "And many shall follow their pernicious [wicked] ways; by reason of whom **the way of truth** shall be evil spoken of. And through covetousness shall they with feigned words make **merchandise** of you ..." (2 Pet. 2:2-3).
- ▶ "And then shall that Wicked be revealed, whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of his mouth, and shall destroy with the brightness of his coming: Even him, whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders" (2 Thess. 2:8-9).
- ▶ "And there was given unto him a mouth speaking great

things and blasphemies; and power was given unto him to continue forty and two months. ... And he causeth all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, to receive a mark in their right hand, or in their foreheads: And that 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. 13:5,16-17).

- ▶ "And for this cause God shall send them strong delusion, that they should believe a lie: That they all might be damned who believed not the truth, but had pleasure in unrighteousness" (2 Thess. 2:11-12).
- ▶ "And the nations were angry, and thy wrath is come ... and shouldest destroy them which destroy the earth" (Rev. 11:18).
- ▶ "And then ... they shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. ... So likewise ye, when ye shall see all these things, know that it is near, even at the doors" (Matt. 24:30,33).
- ▶ "... **This generation** shall not pass, till all these things be fulfilled" (Matt. 24:34).

Our current president, who was elected this past November, is certainly not responsible for the present economic woes of this nation that have caused so much unemployment and loss of homes. However, my concerns are the same as many in related circles of ministry and communications. When nations crumble into such crises, a totalitarian opportunist can place his own bureaucracy in positions of authority and change the form of government. In the past hundred years we have seen this happen in Russia, Germany, China, Cuba, Cambodia, and other countries. Those I have talked with in Christian communications believe our government is now in a fascist transition stage and could become Marxist within the foreseeable future.

Although at my age I may not be here at the next presidential election, if there is one, what has transpired in Mr. Obama's first 100 days is most interesting. However, I am more interested in his first 183 days, because then he will have 42 more months. Let us pray for him in that our country continue to be one nation, indivisible, under God. If not, then Christians will need to pray the last prayer in the Bible: Even so, Come Lord Jesus!

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