



The Trumpeter

Ezek 33:3 If when he seeth the sword come upon the land, he blow the trumpet, and warn the people;

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World is Coming Unraveled

If you're getting the sense that things are coming unraveled, it is because things are coming unraveled and you are not alone. The average person is sensing an unprecedented level of insecurity about the world around us. Our daily news is filled with crime, political tensions, scandal, and moral rot. There is a spirit of unhappiness almost all over the world. Tensions are high resulting in rioting and protests.

The Bible speaks of the end-time generation. ***"But realize this, that in the last days difficult times will come. For men will be lovers of self, lovers of money, boastful, arrogant, revilers, disobedient to parents, ungrateful, unholy, unloving, irreconcilable, malicious gossips, without self-control, brutal, haters of good, treacherous, reckless, conceited, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God..."*** (2 Tim 3:1-5). Sound familiar? Lawlessness and rebellion is rapidly becoming the norm as a result of the acceleration of these end-time characteristics.

It brings little comfort, but we are warned that the end times, just before the return of Jesus, would be just like the "days of Noah". (Matthew 24:37). Those days are described in the Book of Genesis. ***"Now the earth was corrupt in the sight of God, and the earth was filled with violence. God looked on the earth, and behold, it was corrupt; for all flesh had corrupted their way upon the earth."*** (Gen 6:11-12). Jesus also warned, ***"And there shall be signs in the sun, and in the moon, and in the stars; and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity; the sea and the waves roaring; Men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth..."*** (Luke 21:25-26).

Lawlessness is preparing the world for a ruler God calls Antichrist. He is even called the "man of lawlessness" (2 Thessalonians 2:3 NASB). The prophet Daniel said ***"he will intend to make alterations in times and in law"***. (Dan 7:25). His reign is described in detail in Revelation 6-19. His time approaches.

What does all this mean? It means that the return of Jesus also approaches and there is hope. He will put an end to the Antichrist's short rule, then set up His long-awaited Kingdom that executes peace, righteousness, and justice (Isaiah 65, Amos 8, Micah 4). The whole world is groaning and travailing waiting for this redemption (Romans 8:22). Those who love Him can't wait!

80th Anniversary of the Evian Conference

This July is the 80th anniversary of the Evian Conference. What was the Evian Conference? It was a conference called for by President Roosevelt to discuss what the world would do with the Jewish immigrants fleeing the Nazi Party of Germany in 1938.

Thirty-two countries sent delegates. Thirty-one countries declined to admit Jewish refugees. One country, Dominican Republic, agreed to absorb 100,000. The fate of the remaining 12 million or so was sealed. They were left to face what Adolph Hitler called "the final solution". Six million were systematically killed before Germany was defeated in May of 1945.

Only three years later, against all odds, in May of 1948, the new State of Israel was founded. Today, it is a haven for any Jewish person seeking a place to call "home" away from government persecution. It serves as a great fulfillment of Bible Prophecy. God said, "I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries and bring them to their own land". (Ezekiel 34:13.)

Notice it says **"their own land"**. It is not somebody else's land that Israel is occupying. While the world insists that the land of Israel is someone else's, God says it is **"their own land"**. God is blessing that Land and the Jewish people that occupy it today!

The Holocaust resulted from the Evian Conference. The countries that refused Jewish refugees will be held responsible. There will be a day of reckoning with God about this issue in that He says, ***"Then He will also say to those on the left hand, 'Depart from Me, you cursed, into the everlasting fire prepared for the devil and his angels: for I was hungry and you gave Me no food; I was thirsty and you gave Me no drink; I was a stranger and you did not take Me in, naked and you did not clothe Me, sick and in prison and you did not visit Me.'"*** ***Then they also will answer Him, saying, 'Lord, when did we see You hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not minister to You?'*** ***Then He will answer them, saying, 'Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to Me.'*** (Matt 25:44-46. NKJV).

To see Israel today is to witness an incredible act of God in progress! We are taking a new group to see it in late February 2019. Anybody out there interested?

"The Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has triumphed. He is able to open the scroll and its seven seals."

All indicators Revelation 5:5

Israel News

Israel's population tops 8.8 million, to hit 15 million by 2048

- www.israelnationalnews.com - April 16, 2018 - More than 8.84 million people live in Israel on the eve of the country's 70th Independence Day, according to data released by the Central Bureau of Statistics. In the seventy years since Israel declared its independence on May 14th, 1948, the total population has increased eleven fold – rising from 806,000 total citizens to 8,842,000. The Jewish population rose at a slightly slower rate, increasing tenfold from approximately 650,000 in 1948.

Of Israel's more than 8.8 million citizens, 6,589,000, or more than 74%, are Jewish. Israel's 1,849,000 Arabs (not including residents of the Palestinian Authority or Hamas-ruled Gaza Strip) make up 21% of the population, with less than 5% of the population – or about 404,000 – classified as neither Jewish nor Arab.

Israel's massive population increase over the past 70 years was fueled in large part by immigration, with more than 3,200,000 immigrants or "Olim" moving to Israel since May, 1948.

With a current annual growth rate of 2%, Israel's population is expected to continue growing at a relatively fast pace through the middle of the century, topping 15.2 million by 2048. Israel's Jewish population is expected to exceed 11 million by then. The CBS predicts that Israel's growth rate will fall to 1.7% by 2048, sinking to 1.6% by 2065. Over the past year, Israel's population increased by 163,000, with approximately 177,000 births, 41,000 deaths, and 28,000 immigrants.

'We will not rest until every Jew wishing to immigrate is here'

- www.israelnationalnews.com - Oct. 27, 2017 - 227 new immigrants arrive in Israel and celebrate Israel Aliyah week in their real home. Two hundred twenty seven new immigrants (olim) from Belarus, France, Russia and Ukraine arrived in Israel during Israel Aliyah (immigration) Week. 174 of the new olim arrived on the Tuesday, as the Knesset celebrated Yom Ha'aliyah (Immigration Day). The new Israeli citizens join over 10,000 others who were brought to Israel by International Fellowship of Christians and Jews (IFCJ) since the organization began leading its own aliyah (immigration to Israel) activities in 2014.

Comment: God says He will gather the dispersed of Israel from all over the world (Isaiah 11:12). They are returning to Israel from every country. Before the 20th and 21st centuries, there was no official Israel for them to return to. What a fulfillment of Bible prophecy taking place before our eyes!

EU promises to back Abbas' demand for Jerusalem

- israelnationalnews.com - January 22, 2018 - The European Union pledged its support Monday for Palestinian Authority chief Mahmoud Abbas' vision of a Palestinian state with Jerusalem as its capital. On Monday, PA chairman Abbas met with European Union Foreign Affairs High Representative Federica Mogherini in the EU capital in Brussels, in a bid by the PA leader to win recognition for Palestinian statehood from the 28-member European body.

Comment: The Palestinians attempting to take the Land is no surprise to God. *"Surely in the fire of My jealousy I have spoken against the rest of the nations, and against all Edom, who appropriated My land for themselves as a possession with wholehearted joy and with scorn of soul, to drive it out for a prey."* (Ezek 36:5).

Israel to expand Ben Gurion Airport as tourism increases

- www.israelnationalnews.com - April 27, 2018 - Israel's Ben Gurion International Airport will undertake a major expansion at a cost of 1 billion shekels, or \$280 million, in order to meet the demand of a record number of tourists. The 388,000-square-foot expansion of the terminal for overseas travelers will take place on four levels and include 88 new check-in counters. The airport is expecting a record number of individual arrivals and departures in 2019 — more than 25 million. There were some 20.8 million entries and exits in 2017.

Comment: The increase of tourism in Israel is also a fulfillment of Bible Prophecy. Ezek 36:34-35 states about the restored Land of Israel, "The desolate land will be cultivated instead of being a desolation in the sight of everyone who passes by. "They will say, "This desolate land has become like the garden of Eden; and the waste, desolate and ruined cities are fortified and inhabited.' 3.6 million tourists witnessed this restoration during 2017. More are anticipated for 2018.

Israel Ranked World's 8th Most Powerful Country

- www.breitbart.com - July 11, 2018 - ...An international survey has ranked Israel as the eighth most powerful nation in the world for the second consecutive year, narrowly ahead of Iran, Saudi Arabia and Turkey. The annual survey by the US News & World Report was published during the weekend, based on the answers of more than 21,000 people from four regions. The survey ranked 80 countries on a range of issues, including power, cultural influence, economy and entrepreneurship, with the categories adding up to an overall "best countries" ranking.

See also: <https://www.usnews.com/news/best-countries/israel>

Comment: Zechariah's prophecy about the Israel Defense Force in the last days is coming true: *"In that day I will make the clans of Judah like a firepot among pieces of wood and a flaming torch among sheaves, so they will consume on the right hand and on the left all the surrounding peoples, while the inhabitants of Jerusalem again dwell on their own sites in Jerusalem."* (Zech 12:6).

Russia, Iran leaders head to Turkey for summit on Syria

- www.timesofisrael.com - April 2, 2018 - Ties between Russia and Turkey are growing closer than ever, as Russia runs into widespread diplomatic fallout from the poisoned spy scandal and Turkey's relations with its Western allies worsens over human rights issues and its military operations against Kurdish militia in Syria. Russian President Vladimir Putin heads back to Turkey on Tuesday, joining Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan at a symbolic ground-breaking ceremony for a Russian-made nuclear power plant being built on Turkey's Mediterranean coast at Akkuyu. On Wednesday, Putin, Erdogan and Iranian President Hassan Rouhani are expected to hold a summit in the Turkish capital of Ankara to discuss Syria's future.

Comment: All three of these countries are listed in Ezekiel 38 as coming together against Israel at some point yet future. Amazing but really no surprise to see all three countries strategizing together about the future of Syria because it is from Syria where these armies will launch their attack on Israel. It is also amazing that these countries already have a presence in Syria. Russia has three military bases in Syria, the Iranians have nineteen facilities according to Al-Quds Al-Arabi news site. They are rallying into place for the Ezekiel 38-39 event in which God will destroy these armies (Ezekiel 39:4).

Church

Dallas pastor draws 99-year sentence for starving toddler to death to purge 'demon' - Associated Press

- March 25, 2018 - A Dallas pastor was sentenced to 99 years in prison on Friday for starving a child to death after she believed it was the only way to exorcise a “demon” from the boy’s body. The pastor, Aracely Meza, 52, was convicted of felony injury to a child causing serious bodily injury; investigators say both she and the parents of the toddler, Benjamin Aparicio, believed he was possessed by a demon and could only get rid of it by fasting.

Comment: This is a shame! The most trustworthy people on the planet today should be pastors.

American Bible Society to Require Church Attendance, Certain Beliefs about LGBT - www.christianheadlines.com

- May 30, 2018 - One of the oldest nonprofit organizations dedicated to distributing Bibles around the world will soon require all employees to adhere to orthodox Christian beliefs and heed a conservative code of sexual ethics. Employees are resigning in protest of the new policy, which will effectively prohibit sexually active LGBT people and couples in cohabitating relationships from working for the American Bible Society. But the organization stands by it as a measure intended to bring “unity and clarity.”... The American Bible Society, founded 202 years ago to publish, distribute and translate the Bible, presented its “Affirmation of Biblical Community” to employees in December. It requires employees to “refrain from sexual contact outside the marriage covenant,” which it defined as man and wife. The document also requires employees to be “involved in a local Christian church” and to “resist temptations of deception, malicious speech, stealing, cheating others, and dishonoring my body through substance abuse.”

Comment: Doesn't it make sense that a Bible based company would maintain morality standards that come from the Bible?

A televangelist wants his followers to pay for a \$54 million private jet. It's his fourth plane. - www.washingtontimes.com

- May 29, 2018 - If Jesus were to descend from heaven and physically set foot on 21st-century Earth, prosperity gospel televangelist Jesse Duplantis told his followers, the Redeemer would probably take a pass on riding on the back of a donkey: “He’d be on an airplane preaching the gospel all over the world.”...Duplantis, saying he needs about \$54 million to help him efficiently spread the gospel to as many people as possible, has asked the Lord — and hundreds of thousands of hopefully deep-pocketed followers across the world — for just such a plane.

Comment: This is absolute nonsense! God did not accidentally overlook that Jesus could have come 2,000 years later and had a jet, lots of money, a worldwide TV show, etc. It was no accident when Jesus was born and raised and conducted His ministry some 2,000 years ago. Jesus came exactly when He was supposed to. God didn't overlook anything. The Bible states...“at the right time Christ died for the ungodly” (Romans 5:6). Jesus came when He did because He didn't need a jet, or a TV show. He still doesn't. What an unbelievable, irresponsible claim to suggest otherwise!

Episcopal Church considers making God gender neutral - foxnews.com

- July 7, 2018 - The Episcopal Church formed a committee Wednesday to “provide a pathway” toward

revising the Book of Common Prayer to include gender-neutral language. Church leaders called for immediate revisions to correct the “overwhelming use of masculine language” throughout the book, arguing that the language is now a hindrance to spiritual inclusion, according to the Episcopal Church website. “As long as ‘men’ and ‘God’ are in the same category, our work toward equity will not just be incomplete. . .The Episcopal News Service shared further concerns from church leaders that the current language has created a “barrier to evangelizing young people.”

Jesus was 'drag king' with 'queer desires,' claims theology professor - foxnews.com

- Mar. 29, 2018 - Dr. Tat-siong Benny Liew, chair of New Testament Studies at the College of the Holy Cross in Worcester, Mass., said Jesus was a “drag king” who had “queer desires.” He also claims the Last Supper, when Jesus washed his disciples feet, was a “seductive,” “literary striptease” and a “womanly/slavishly task” used as an example of John’s transgenering of Jesus, the professor claims. The religious studies professor also argues John’s multiple references of Jesus wanting water, giving water, and leaking water “speak to Jesus’ gender indeterminacy and hence his cross-dressing and other queer desire.”

Comment: How anyone can read the Bible and conclude that God is not male is mind boggling! Also, an important question is, how can one teaching that Jesus was a drag queen teach at any Bible school? These last two news pieces are classic examples of *"giving heed to seducing spirits and doctrines of demons"* (1 Timothy 4:1)!

Miscellaneous

GQ: The Bible Is One Of The Most Overrated Books Of All Time - www.dailywire.com

- The Holy Bible, the book upon which all of Western morality rested for the past 2,000 years, is the most overrated book of all time, according to an essay in GQ.

Atheist group wants Bible verse mural scrubbed from Ohio city hall - Associated Press

- Feb. 26, 2018 - An anti-religion activist group is threatening to sue the city of Findlay, Ohio for a mural in the municipal building that shows an eagle and a Bible verse. The Freedom From Religion Foundation sent a cease-and-desist letter to Flag City USA on Feb. 1, claiming the mural is unconstitutional because it “conveys government support for religion” through the phrase “Under His wings shall you find refuge,” and the corresponding Scripture reference, “Psalms 91.” The mural was painted in 2011 by a group of local artists to symbolize the protection of the community, and dovetailed with the theme of that year’s National Day of Prayer.

Suicide rates on rise in US, CDC reports - foxnews.com

- June 8, 2016 - ...According to the CDC, nearly 45,000 Americans age 10 or older died by suicide in 2016, making it the 10th leading cause of death. The study noted that suicide is rarely caused by a single factor, and found more than half of cases involved a person who did not have a known mental health condition. . . Firearms were revealed to be the most common method.

Comment: The main reason someone commits suicide is that they have lost all hope. The Bible and the promises contained in it has been the greatest source of hope for many centuries. It is no surprise that as our society works to remove it or discredit it, that suicide numbers rise. Ps 130:4-5 declares, *"But there is forgiveness with You, That You may be feared. I wait for the LORD, my soul does wait, And in His word do I hope."*

Natural Disasters

Indonesia earthquake: 14 dead on tourist island of Lombok - www.bbc.com - A powerful earthquake has struck a popular tourist destination in Indonesia, killing at least 14 people. The 6.4 magnitude quake hit the central island of Lombok just before 07:00 local time (00:00 GMT) on Sunday...More than 160 people are injured and thousands of homes are damaged, officials say.

Earthquakes Increasing!

List of Earthquakes below for the last five years quoted from Wikipedia quoting U.S. Geological Survey's website.

Magnitude	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
8.0-9.9	2	1	1	0	1	0
7.0-7.9	17	11	18	16	6	5
6.0-6.9	125	140	124	128	106	48
5.0-5.9	1402	1475	1413	1506	1451	866
4.0-4.9	9795	13494	13239	12771	11,296	6178
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Totals	11341	15121	14795	14421	12,860	7,097

Comment: Jesus said earthquakes would increase in the last days. They are! For the last 100 years see: <http://www.metatech.org/wp/wp-content/uploads/2015/05/earthquakes-usgs-graph08.jpg>

Hurricanes Harvey, Irma, Maria and Nate were so destructive, their names have been retired -

www.washingtonpost.com - April 12, 2018 - The 2017 hurricane season was record-shattering... It wasn't just the most active — it was also the most expensive on record in U.S. history...estimates suggest the tab will run beyond \$200 billion.

Fatal California Wildfires Wreaking Destruction

- wsj.com - July 29, 2018 - Wildfires spread across California Sunday, forcing officials to extend closure of the famed Yosemite Valley by another week and maintain evacuations for thousands of people further north around Redding where the death toll climbed to at least five. By far the most destructive inferno so far has been the Carre Fire, which has exploded to more than 80,000 acres...

Dangerous flooding continues in Eastern U.S. as wildfires burn out West -

www.cbsnews.com - July 25, 2018 - Waves of rain are still drenching neighborhoods from the Carolinas to New England, with historic floods in Pennsylvania. Many have had to flee flooded homes and cars by boat. Parts of the state have had more than a foot of rain since the tropical downpours started over the weekend. Harrisburg, the state capital, has seen its wettest July ever. The surrounding county has been drenched with 78 billion gallons of water...Bridges are washed out, and numerous residents have been evacuated in Hershey and Lancaster counties...On the West Coast, the Ferguson Fire has burned nearly 40,000 acres since it was sparked by lightning nearly two weeks ago. It's the largest wildfire in the nation -- with a footprint the size of San Francisco...

Comment: Amos 4 makes it plain that God will use disasters (including rain and drought) to discipline a nation in need of repentance to motivate the nation to turn back to Him.

Famous Quotes

"There are two ways to be fooled. One is to believe what isn't true; the other is to refuse to believe what is true". ~Soren Kierkegaard 1813-1855

"The more I know Jesus, the less I like 'Christians'. The more I know 'Christians', the more I like pets". -Michael Del Giorno, talk show host, Nashville, TN.

FROM THE DESK OF THE MINISTRY



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We Need Your Support!

Your support ensures that the message that Jesus is coming soon continues to go out in several ways. The Trumpeter newsletter goes out by mail and email all over. I also conduct speaking engagements seminars, radio and television interviews that promote the message. Other ways we are reaching out are described below..

International Outreach: Skype, Facebook, our website, You Tube, and sermonaudio.com have allowed us to literally reach around the world. I am using Facebook to share outlines and teachings with pastors in other countries that they in turn share with their congregations. Help us pray for more of these opportunities.

Internet Messages: We have started posting audio messages on a web site called sermonaudio.com . My latest post there is called "America in Prophecy". It has been listened to and downloaded hundreds of times at no charge. The link is as follows - www.sermonaudio.com/playpopup.asp?SID=715141827375

Another about the timing of the Rapture - <http://www.sermonaudio.com/saplayer/playpopup.asp?SID=51516175070>

You Tube: Many of you are familiar with You Tube. I have established a Gary M Fisher You Tube channel at which you can find video messages that I have posted. My latest are: The Miraculous Past, Present, and Future of Israel and The Miraculous Past, Present, and Future of Jerusalem. These are also available on DVD at \$10.00 each.

Israel Booklet: My booklet called "*Israel In Bible Prophecy*", *God's Greatest Sign To This Generation*" has been posted on Sar El Tours website and is making its way around the world. This is a 19 page 5" X 7" booklet about the past, present, and future of Israel. It would be a great guide for Sunday School classes. It would also be a good witnessing gift to explain the main reason to believe we are living in the season of the Lord's return. Suggested donation is \$5.00 each.

Speaking Engagements: Please see our Website for upcoming speaking engagement announcements, upcoming Israel tours, and teaching materials that are available. If interested in scheduling an update on current events or general teaching on end-time Bible prophecy, call us at 615-591-8036.

Next Israel Trip - February 24-Mar.7, 2019 - \$3899.00 from Newark, NJ. This price will include all taxes and tips but does not include domestic air to New York. If you're considering a trip to Israel, this is your trip! You will not find a better price. Details are on our website or call or write for a brochure. 615-591-8036.

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