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COMING TO DLI CLASS THIS YEAR, 1999?

Study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." (2 Tim. 2:15), "Seest thou a man diligent in his business, he shall stand before kings, he shall not stand before mean men."

DLI! DLI! DLI! The more we hear it, the better it sounds. Yes, we are on the job as usual, seeking to do exactly what Mt. Carmel Center was set up to do--training the Lord's army to prepare the church for the sealing of the 144,000, the purification of the church and the Loud Cry. So, happily, it is DLI time again.

To "lay siege against it", means, of course, to invade it with an army of reformatory workers and compel it to surrender--to come to the knowledge of the truth herein revealed. Very evident it is, then, that the message of the hour, and it alone, should be brought before the people of God...

"Set the camp against it"; that is, make a temporary lodging place for your workers, Headquarters from which to carry on the work, and make preparation to remain there until you have conquered the city. This is the devout purpose in building Mt. Carmel Center, this is its given goal."

DLI Training Class starts this year the first week of June (June 1, 1999). We anticipate a sizeable class in English and Spanish. Our classes are usally good. We want this year to be extra good.

So prospective DLI students, get hold of your membership application forms and send them in right away. It is exceedingly important that you complete your required reading and meet the requirement for the fellowship cards. I hope you have already started your preparation. Delays may prevent you from entering this year's class-so get down to this business of the Lord immediately.

"Further provision was made for the instruction of the young, by the establishment of the schools of the prophets. If a youth desired to search deeper into the truths of the Word of God, and to seek wisdom from above, that he might become a teacher in Israel, these schools were open to him. The schools of the the prophets were founded by Samuel, to serve as a barrier against the wide-spread corruption, to provide for the moral and spiritual welfare of the youth, and to promote the future prosperity of the nation by furnishing it with men qualified to act in the fear of God as leaders and counselors. In the accomplisment of this object, Samuel gathered companies of young men who were pious, intelligent, and studious. These were called the sons of the prophets. As they communed with God and studied His Word and His works, wisdom from above was added to their natural endowments. The instructors were men not only well versed in divine truth, but those who had themselves enjoyed communion with God, and had received the special endowment of His Spirit. They enjoyed the respect and confidence of the people both for learning and piety." Patriachs & Prophets, pp. 592-594; Leviticus of Davidian Seventh-day Adventists, p. 44

Looking forward to working with you.

Errol Stanford, EDUCATION DIRECTOR

66THE LORD OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS?

By Victor T. Houteff

"When we moved our office from California to Texas, where we had neither friend nor believer in the message, the church elders were glad, and thought our work would then die out for sure. It nevertheless grew more than before, although this took place in the midst of the depression, in 1935, while hundreds and thousands of businesses were going bankrupt, and while well-to-do men were becoming poor. Yet we who started out with nothing, grew and prospered. We, moreover, never took collections in any of our meetings anywhere and never made any calls for money. This holds good still. Then, too, our free literature that goes out week by week amounts to hundreds and thousands of dollars week after week, and year after year, besides the cost of building the Institution.

"And today after going through the nightmare of supposing I might live a life of poverty, as I explained before, my credit is unlimited, and the checks I write amount to thousands of dollars week after week, and year after year, although I am not bonded, own no property, and have no personal bank account! Furthermore, I pay my secretaries as much as I pay myself and some of my workmen I pay twice as much. Yes, there are as great miracles today as there ever were.

"Jacob, too, had no righteousness of his own but he had a great zeal and respect for the righteousness of the Lord. Esau, though, who had no regard for the righteousness of the "Lord sold his birthright only for a mess of pottage. What a bargain was Jacob's! As that there be no chance for them getting

a result, though, Jacob became a fugitive. The first night away from home, however, God met him, and having given him a vision, Jacob put his whole trust in God and pledged to be faithful in all his duties.

"To start with in Padan-Aram, Jacob had nothing but faith and zeal. He was only a good workman, that is all. These qualities Laban immediately recognized in Jacob, and as a result Laban not only offered to give Jacob his daughter Rachel for a wife, but even devised a scheme by which to force him to take both daughters -- Rachel and Leah -the only girls in the family! Moreover, although Jacob dearly paid for them with fourteen solid years of hard faithful labor, he in the next six years became rich! Then on returning home, he whole heartedly, honestly, and with free conscience said to Laban:

"This twenty years have I been with thee; thy ewes and thy she goats have not cast their young, and the rams of thy flock have I not eaten." Gen. 31:38.

"Still further, when he was asked what he wanted for his work after the fourteen years were over, he chose the wages God would pay, not Laban. For he said to Laban:

"Thou shalt not give me anything, but let me pass through all thy flock today, and remove from thence all the speckled, spotted, and brown cattle, sheep and goats, and take them three days journey apart from the rest so

mixed. To date, all the sheep and cattle, speckled or unspeckled are to be yours, but hereafter all the speckled that shall be born from among the unspeckled (the apparently impossible) shall be mine for serving thee!

"Laban was well pleased with the contract and Jacob went to work. God blessed Jacob's labors in spite of natural impossibility, and within Six years he became rich! Why? -- Because Jacob served God wholeheartedly, and implicitly trusted in Him for his living. He wanted nothing but what God would let him have. He knew that so long as he worked for the Lord, the Lord would leave him neither hungry nor naked. He knew that if God so clothed the grass of the field, He would clothe and feed him in His vineyard.

"Since Jacob was getting rich so fast, and since his father-in-law wanted him to stay longer, and also since Jacob still feared Esau, why did he leave Laban, and why did he start for home? -- The answer is simple, Because God asked him to, saying:

"Gen. 31:13 -- "I am the God of Bethel, where thou anointedst the pillar, and where thou vowedst a vow unto Me: now arise, get thee out from this land, and return unto the land of thy kindred."

"From this record, you see, Jacob was faithful at his post of duty, and always mindful of God's command. Are we like Jacob? or are we like Judas Iscariot? Jacob, now you know, took perfect care of Laban's business, and followed God's direction all the way. But Judas Iscariot took perfect care of his own selfish interest at the expense of

God's Gift, and rather than following the Lord's directions, he followed his own. Now, though, compare Jacob's end with that of Judas'. One's work ended in glory and the other's work ended in shame and disaster.

"For whom are you working, Brother, Sister? for yourselves or for God? -- You say, "For God," and I hope you are right, but remember, as I said before, that no business firm will promote a workman that is not interested at least as much in the prosperity of his firm as he is in the size of his wages. Moreover, no firm is interested in the workman's private business. It is interested in its own business. God's business, though, is far more important, and of far greater consequence than the business of any man. He, too, is not at all interested in your selfish business, He is interested in His business of saving souls. You cannot, therefore, make your own interests of first importance and His of second, and at the same time expect to reap His promises, and expect Him to answer your prayers. If such be the case, then you are even falsely calling yourself a Christian. According to Matthew 6:32, you are still a deluded Gentile.

"To be a Christian in God's sight you must never praise yourself, but praise God and His goodness. Never boast of your own interests and achievements, but boast of God's. Never try to promote your business, but always try to promote God's. Never pray for light to know what to do, and where to go in order that your business, your interests prosper, but rather pray for light that God help you do the thing or go to the place where you would best serve His cause, that He lead you and teach you how to advance His kingdom. Then, and then only, will you find that you never go wrong! Any motive other than this will take you where God does not want you, and where you will have to carry your own burden independent of Him.

"I have seen a number of individuals swear by heaven and earth that God has led them here or there, into this or into the other. But when things did not please them, then they packed away swearing just as hard that God had not led them into the thing! And again swear just as hard as before that God is taking them out of it, and into something better! They again felt just as positive that God was leading in their move, though it was the opposite of what they thought He had led them in before!

"Others have felt that God had opened the way for them to do this or the other by the fact that they had been able to get the money for the trip, or to get a buyer for one thing or another, to have this and to have that. Still others told me that they opened the Bible at random, and that their eyes dropped on a verse which indicated God's approval of their move. One brother told me that he had flipped a coin and another had found an Indian arrow pointing in the direction he should go! All these I have seen come to naught although these indications were held as positive evidences of God's will in the matters under question.

"Let me now tell you that these indications in themselves are but presumption of the highest form, hallucination and gambling, not God's signs at all. Moreover, anyone's plans

which are based on purely selfish interests, based purely on where and how one may better his private profit-making projects while he professes to be a Christian, -- I tell you that all these are schemes, not God's plans at all, regardless how the way opens, or what happens. The fact is that God is never given the opportunity to direct in these things, for to give Him the opportunity, He says, "Seek ye first the Kingdom of God, and His righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you."

"When you therefore make the Kingdom of God your chief interest, then you will most surely find yourself in the right place at the right time, doing the right thing and reaping God's richest blessing. You can then rest assured that He will open the way and take. you where you need to be even if He has to lift you out of the well, and to tell the Ishmaelites to carry you into Egypt and to put you working in Potiphar's house. He may even have to take you into prison before He seats you with Pharaoh on the throne. Or He may cause you to run away from Egypt and have you keep sheep around Mt. Horeb. He may bring you against the Red Sea while the Egyptians are pursuing you. He may bring you into the desert where there is neither water nor food. The lion and the bear may come to take your lambs, Goliath to kill your people, and the king may cast you in the fiery furnace, or in the lions' den.

"Yes, hundreds and thousands of things may happen, but he that trusts in God and does His work well shall find all these so-called hindrances or mishaps wonderful deliverances, and avenues to success, all carrying out God's marvelous plans, and God's way toward your promotion from one great thing to another. When you are in God's care and in His control never say the Devil did this or that regardless what it be, for he can do nothing except he is allowed to do it. Always give God the credit.

"I came to America, not because I wanted to, but because God wanted me to. And since I knew not my future work, and as God could then no more make me understand than He could at first make Joseph understand his trip to Egypt, I was therefore driven out of the country at the point of a gun as was Moses driven out of Egypt, although I had done nothing to bring trouble upon myself. And who do you suppose led the rebels to storm me out of the country? None other but the Greek Orthodox bishop of the province! And where do you suppose he sponsored his pursuing campaign? In the church on Sunday morning while in his full regalia and about twenty feet from where I stood!

"At that time I knew not what my going away from home to such a distant land was about, but now I know as well as Joseph knew that his brethren's hope to defeat God's plan for him was but God's plan to get him down into Egypt. And so rather than to thwart the plan, they really caused the plan to be carried out!

"When things go contrary to one's will and way today, most Christians give credit to the Devil. Only when things go according to their liking do they give credit to God! Balaam, too, was happy when the way opened for him to go to Balak, but when the

angel of the Lord blocked the road he was traveling on, then Balaam, became as mad as a dog and smote the ass.

"No, nothing but you yourself can defeat God's plans for you. Be it your friends or your enemies, be it beasts or kings, you will find them all unwittingly or wittingly working for your good rather than for your harm if you are doing God's bidding. What a rich resource Heaven is! And who knows it!

"Remember now, that whatever may stand in your way, be it the Red Sea or the River Jordan, be it a mountain or be it a desert, it shall become your very stepping stone.

"Such as this is the righteousness of the Lord, and you can have it at the cost of your own righteousness. Then you will find the Lord's ways as much higher than yours as the Heaven is higher than the earth. When this happens, then only you will understandingly say, "The Lord our Righteousness."

"Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on Thee: because he trusteth in Thee. Trust ye in the Lord for ever: for in the Lord JEHOVAH is everlasting strength: for He bringeth down them that dwell on high; the lofty city, He layeth it low; He layeth it low, even to the ground; He bringeth it even to the dust. The foot shall tread it down, even the feet of the poor, and the steps of the needy." Isa. 26:3-6." Timely Greetings, Vol. 2, No. 35, pp. 23-31

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NATURAL REMEDIES JOR COLDS & JLUS

No one likes to get a cold or the flu. We succumb to these attacks when:

we are under a lot of pressure; experiencing excessive bouts of anxiety; not paying attention to our diet; become intemperate

- (a) not getting enough rest,
- (b) exercise,
- (c) Negative state of mind from not spending enough time with God,
- (d) excessive food intake, etc.;

When these instances occur our body becomes unable to function properly, our immune system becomes impaired and thus opens us up to succumb to anything foriegn in our environment.

Your first line of defense against colds and flus is to BUILD YOUR IMMUNE SYSTEM. This you can accomplish by following the 8 laws of health. (See Ministry of Healing, p. 127)

Use the following herbs to further boost your immune system:

1. ECHINACEA--Echinacea angustifolia, E. pallida and E. purpurea

Echinacea increases the competence of your immune cells to engulf and destroy germs invading the body. It stimulates the white blood cells.

2. ASTRAGALUS--Astragalus Membranaceus

This herb fights viruses, inflammation and bacteria and is a wonderful immune system booster.

FOR ACHES & PAINS ASSOCIATED WITH A COLD OR FLU

The following herbs are wonderful for alleviating the painful discomforts associated with a cold or the flu:

1 PEPERMINT

Apply the essential oil of this herb topically to the temples to lessen a headache (be careful to avoid getting this oil in your eyes).

2. FEVERFEW--Tanacetum
Parthenium

Feverfew is popularly used today in the United States as a natural headache remedy. It is also wonderful for lowering fevers.

FOR COUGHS & SORE THROATS

MULLEIN--Verbascum Thapsus, SLIPPERY ELM--Ulmus rubra, & PLANTAIN--Plantago spp.

These herbs have a **DEMULCENT** action upon the body.

They coat and soothe the lining of the respitory system. As such they aid in the loosening of a cough.

The following herbs have an **EXPECTORANT** action on the body. They can be used in tea form to loosen respiratory secrections so that they can be expelled from the body. The oil of eucalyptus can be applied topically, or inhaled to aid in opening air passages.

HOREHOUND--Marrubium vulgare
EUCALYPTUS
THYME--Thymus vulgaris
LOBELIA--Rapuntium inflatum

Fighting the VIRUS

GARLIC--Allium Sativum

Garlic is one of the best natural substances for fighting the flu virus. You can very easily add more garlic to your diet in the form of supplements or just adding finely chopped garlic to your vegetable salads or whole cloves to your vegetable juices.

Garlic also works to loosen respitory secretions to help you cough it up and get it out of the body. It is important that you use your garlic in as fresh a state as possible.

You can also use garlic to calm a raging sore throat by keeping a skinned clove in your mouth.

"Courage, hope, faith, sympathy, love, promote health and prolong life. A contented mind, a cheerful spirit, is health to the body and strength to the soul. 'A merry [rejoicing] heart doeth good like a medicine.' Proverbs 17:22." Ministry of Healing, p. 241

~~YOUNG WORLD~~

66The Way of Wisdom99

"The youth often urge that they need something to enliven and divert the mind. The Christian's hope is just what is needed. Religion will prove to the believer a comforter, a sure guide to the Fountain of true happiness. The young should study the word of God, giving themselves to meditation and prayer. They will find that their spare moments cannot be better employed. Wisdom's "ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace."

"Paul, writing to Titus, exhorts the youth to sobriety: 'Young men likewise exhort to be sober-minded. In all things showing thyself a pattern of good works: in doctrine showing uncorruptness, gravity, sincerity, sound speech that cannot be condemned; that he that is of the contrary part may be ashamed, having no evil thing to say of you.'

"I entreat the youth, for their souls' sake, to heed the exhortation of the apostle. All these gracious instructions, warnings, and reproofs will be either a savor of life unto life or of death unto death.

"The young are naturally inclined to feel that not much responsibility, caretaking, or burden-bearing is expected of them. But upon every one rests the obligation to reach the Bible standard. The light that shines forth in privileges and opportunities, in the ministry of the word, in counsels, warnings, and reproofs, will perfect character, or will condemn the careless. This light is to be cherished by the young as well as by those who are older. Who will now take their stand for

God, determined to give His service the first place in their lives? Who will be burden-bearers?

"Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth." Jesus desires the service of those who have the dew of youth upon them. He wants them to be heirs of immortality. They may grow up into noble manhood and womanhood, notwithstanding the moral pollution that abounds, that corrupts so many of the youth at an early age. They may be free in Christ; the children of light, not of darkness.

"God calls upon every young man and young woman to renounce every evil habit, to be diligent in business, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord. They need not remain in indolence, making no effort to overcome wrong habits or to improve the conduct. The sincerity of their prayers will be proved by the vigor of the effort they make to obey God's commands. At every step they may renounce evil habits and associations, believing that the Lord, by the power of His Spirit, will give them strength to overcome." Messages to Young People pp. 368-369

"Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity."

1 Timothy 4:12

NEBUCHADNEZZAR'S DREAM ---DAN. 2 QUIZ

Read Daniel chapter 2 then answer the following questions. These references will also help you to answer the questions: Dan. 9:16, 20; Isa. 2:2,3; IT:361; Rev. 3:14-17; Zechariah 12:3;

- 1. Who did Nebuchadnezzar call to tell him his dream?

 2. What would happen to them if they could not tell him the dream?

 3. What does the Image of Daniel 2 Represent?

 4. When is the prophecy of Daniel 2 to be fulfilled?
- 5. Since Nebuchadnezzar's dream is telling about the world's history in symbols from Dan Nebuchadnezzar's day to the end of time, what does the mountain symbolize?

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 - 6. Where did the stone come from?

7. What does the stone symbolize?

8. Where was Nebuchadnezzar King of?

~~BIBLE TRIVIA~~

How good a Bible student are you? This Bible Trivia comes from the book of Daniel. Check the bold print to see if your answer is correct.

- 1. Who was so afraid that he could hardly stand and his knees knocked against each other?

 Dan. 5:6
- 2. Who was king when Daniel dreamt of the 4 beasts coming out of the sea? Dan. 7:1-4
- 3. Which prophet prayed for the sins of a mountain? Dan. 9:16,20
- 4. When was the "sacrifice and the oblation to cease"? Dan. 9:27

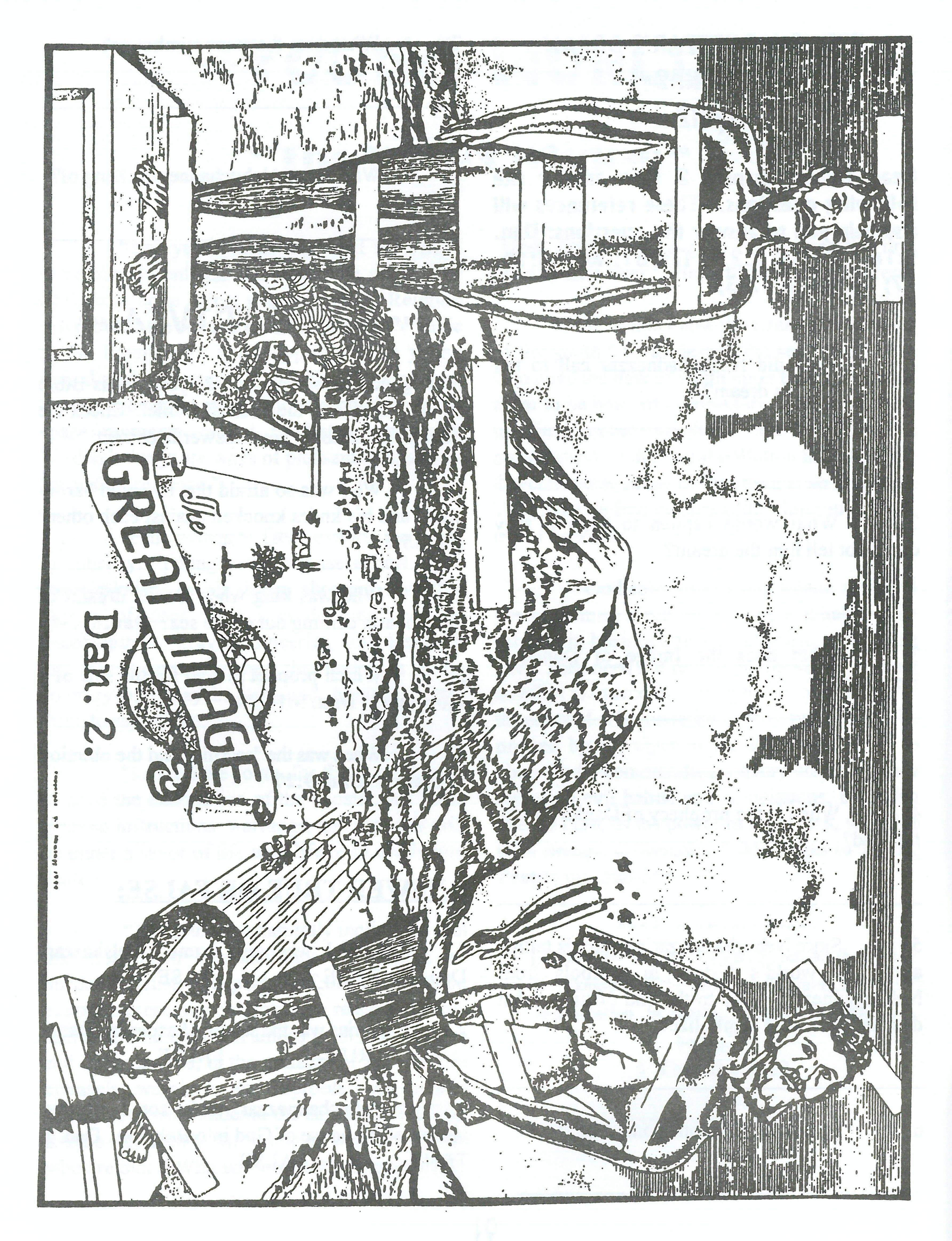
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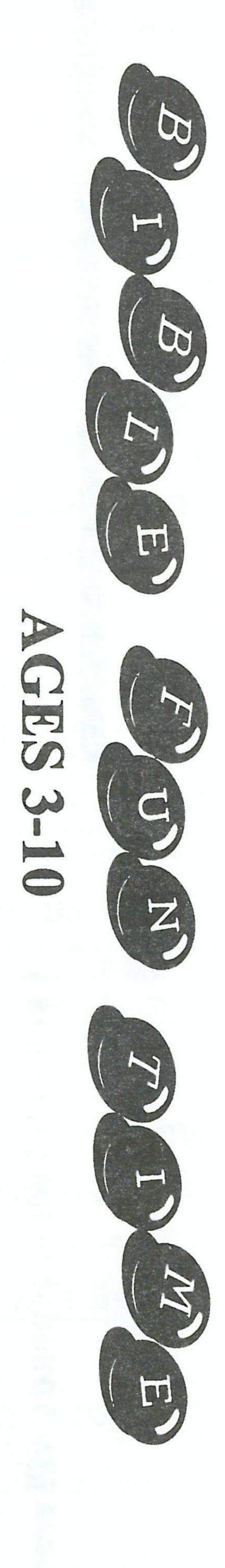
- 1. Daniel was also named Belshazzar.

 Dan. 6. TRUE FALSE_____
 - 2. Darius was the son of Ahasuerus. Dan.9

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 - 3. Nebuchadnezzar took some of the vessels of the house of God into Babylon. Dan. 1

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3. WRITE

Ask Mommy or Daddy to share with you from the book of Daniel what the names of the different body parts of the image represent. After you have learnt them, please write the names in the blank spots on the image.

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CONVOCATION 1999

Is your spiritual battery running low? Attend our 1999 World Convocation that will be held from July 30 to August 1 and become re-charged. It promises to be spritually uplifting. This is the last Convocation for the 20th century. You cannot afford to miss it.

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Topics for our meetings will include:

- Family Matters
- The Mellennium Bug--Y2K
- End Time Events

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CONGRATULATIONS ERROL & KEISHA

On December 20 th, 1998 after Bible studies and close of the Sabbath, little Samuel announced his intentions to enter this troubled world — oh what faith!! At first the signs were doubtful, but soon he made them very clear. With the help of a professional midwife and the blessing of the Lord,

before daybreak and right at home, soon eight pounds of bouncing, baby boy said in touching baby language: "Hey mom, hey dad, are you all right. Don't worry. I am fine."

Please pray for the Stanford's family. Daddy has chosen the name 'Samuel', because with God's help, he would like this firstborn son to like the great and noble Samuel of the Bible — a man close to God and a great blessing to his people. Pray that with the help of Omnipotence and parental faithfulness, this dream would become a happy reality in Samuel Hector Stanford.

Y2K or MILLENNIUM BUG Preparedness

The year 2000 crisis is upon us. Are you prepared Spiritually, Physically and Emotionally?

We urge you to "sigh and cry" as never before. Draw close to the Lord and share this precious truth [Elijah's Message] with as many as will listen.

For physical preparation resources contact:

- 1. Y2KNEWS 1-888-Y2K-NEWS
- 2. GRANT MANAGEMENT 1-914-434-0618

More Information is forthcoming from Mt. Carmel

**JUSTIFIED BY FAITH

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THE RIGHTEOUSNESS OF CHRIST**

By Ellen G. White

GOOD WORKS THE FRUIT OF FAITH

"Genuine faith will be manifested in good works; for good works are the fruits of faith. As God works in the heart, and man surrenders his will to God, and cooperates with God, he works out in the life what God works in by the Holy Spirit, and there is harmony between the purpose of the heart and the practice of the life. Every sin must be renounced as the hateful thing that crucified the Lord of life and glory, and the believer must have a progressive experience by continually doing the works of Christ. It is by continual surrender of the will, by continual obedience, that the blessing of justification is retained.

"Those who are justified by faith must have a heart to keep the way of the Lord. It is an evidence that a man is not justified by faith when his works do not correspond to his profession. James says, 'Seest thou how faith wrought with his works, and by works was his faith made perfect?' (James 2:22).

"The faith that does not produce good works does not justify the soul. 'Ye see then how that by works a man is justified, and not by faith only' (James 2:24). 'Abraham believed God, and it was counted unto him for righteousness' (Rom. 4:3).

"Imputation of the righteousness of Christ comes through justifying faith, and is the justification for which Paul so earnestly contends. He says: "Therefore by the deeds of the law there shall no flesh be justified in his sight: for by the law is the knowledge of sin. But now the righteousness of God without the law is manifested, being witnessed by the law and the prophets; even the righteousness of God which is by faith of Jesus Christ unto all and upon all them that believe: for there is no difference: for all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God; being justified freely by his grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus: whom God hath set forth to be a propitiation through faith in his blood, to declare his righteousness for the remission of sins that are past, through the forbearance of God... Do we then make void the law through faith? God forbid: yea, we establish the law" (Rom. 3:20-31)

"Grace is unmerited favor, and the believer is justified without any merit of his own, without any claim to offer to God. He is justified through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, who stands in the courts of heaven as the sinner's substitute and surety. But while he is justified because of the merit of Christ, he is not free to work unrighteousness. Faith works by love and purifies the soul. Faith buds and blossoms and bears a harvest of precious fruit.

Where faith is, good works appear. The sick are visited, the poor are cared for, the fatherless and the widows are not neglected, the naked are clothed, the destitute are fed. Christ went about doing good, and when men are united with Him, they love the children of God, and meekness and truth guide their footsteps. The expression of the countenance reveals their experience, and men take knowledge of them that they have been with Jesus and learned of Him. Christ and the believer become one, and His beauty of character is revealed in those who are vitally connected with the Source of power and love. Christ is the great depositary of justifying righteousness and sanctifying grace.

"All may come to Him, and receive of His fullness. He says, "Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest" (Matt. 11:28). Then why not cast aside all unbelief and heed the words of Jesus? You want rest; you long for peace. Then say from the heart, "Lord Jesus, I come, because Thou hast given me this invitation." Believe in Him with steadfast faith, and He will save you. Have you been looking unto Jesus, who is the author and finisher of your faith? Have you been beholding Him who is full of truth and grace? Have you accepted the peace which Christ alone can give? If you have not, then yield to Him, and through His grace seek for a character that will be noble and elevated. Seek for a constant, resolute, cheerful spirit. Feed on Christ, who is the bread of life, and you will manifest His loveliness of character and spirit." Selected Messages, Book 1, pp. 397-98.

WITHOUT A WEDDING GARMENT

"Righteousness is right doing, and it is by their deeds that all will be judged. Our characters are revealed by what we do. The works show

whether the faith is genuine.

"It is not enough for us to believe that Jesus is not an impostor, and that the religion of the Bible is no cunningly devised fable. We may believe that the name of Jesus is the only name under heaven whereby man may be saved, and yet we may not through faith make Him our personal Saviour. It is not enough to believe the theory of truth. It is not enough to make a profession of faith in Christ and have our names registered on the church roll. "He that keepeth His commandments dwelleth in Him, and He in him. And hereby we know that He abideth in us, by the Spirit which He hath given us." "Hereby we do know that we know Him if we keep His commandments." 1 John 3:24; 2:3. This is the genuine evidence of conversion. Whatever our profession, it amounts to nothing unless Christ is revealed in works of righteousness.

"The truth is to be planted in the heart. It is to control the mind and regulate the affections. The whole character must be stamped with the divine utterances. Every jot and tittle of the word of God is to be brought into the daily practice.

"He who becomes a partaker of the divine nature will be in harmony with God's great standard of righteousness, His holy law. This is the rule by which God measures the actions of men. This will be the test of character in the judgment.

"There are many who claim that by the death of Christ the law was abrogated; but in this they contradict Christ's own words, "Think not that I am come to destroy the law, or the prophets. . . . Till heaven and earth pass, one jot or one tittle shall in no wise pass from the law." Matt. 5:17,

18. It was to atone for man's transgression of the law that Christ laid down His life. Could the law have been changed or set aside, then Christ need not have died. By His life on earth He honored the law of God. By His death He established it. He gave His life as a sacrifice, not to destroy God's law, not to create a lower standard, but that justice might be maintained, that the law might be shown to be immutable, that it might stand fast forever.

"Satan had claimed that it was impossible for man to obey God's commandments; and in our own strength it is true that we cannot obey them. But Christ came in the form of humanity, and by His perfect obedience He proved that humanity and divinity combined can obey every one of God's precepts.

"As many as received Him, to them gave He power to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on His name.' John 1:12. This power is not in the human agent. It is the power of God. When a soul receives Christ, he receives power to live the life of Christ.

"God requires perfection of His children. His law is a transcript of His own character, and it is the standard of all character. This infinite standard is presented to all that there may be no mistake in regard to the kind of people whom God will have to compose His kingdom. The life of Christ on earth was a perfect expression of God's law, and when those who claim to be children of God become Christlike in character, they will be obedient to God's commandments. Then the Lord can trust them to be of the number who shall compose the family of heaven. Clothed in the glorious apparel of Christ's righteousness, they have a place at the King's feast. They have a right to join the blood-washed throng.

"The man who came to the feast without a wedding garment represents the condition of many in our world today. They profess to be Christians, and lay claim to the blessings and privileges of the gospel; yet they feel no need of a transformation of character. They have never felt true repentance for sin. They do not realize their need of Christ or exercise faith in Him. They have not overcome their hereditary or cultivated tendencies to wrongdoing. Yet they think that they are good enough in themselves, and they rest upon their own merits instead of trusting in Christ. Hearers of the word, they come to the banquet, but they have not put on the robe of Christ's righteousness.

'Many who call themselves Christians are mere human moralists. They have refused the gift which alone could enable them to honor Christ by representing Him to the world. The work of the Holy Spirit is to them a strange work. They are not doers of the world. The heavenly principles that distinguish those who are one with Christ from those who are one with the world have become almost indistinguishable. The professed followers of Christ are no longer a separate and peculiar people. The line of demarcation is indistinct. The people are subordinating themselves to the world, to its practices, its customs, its selfishness. The church has gone over to the world in transgression of the law, when the world should have come over to the church in obedience to the law. Daily the church is being converted to the world.

"All these expect to be saved by Christ's death, while they refuse to live His self-sacrificing life. They extol the riches of free grace, and attempt to cover themselves with an appearance of righteousness, hoping to screen their defects of character; but their efforts will be of no avail in

the day of God.

"The righteousness of Christ will not cover one cherished sin. A man may be a law-breaker in heart; yet if he commits no outward act of transgression, he may be regarded by the world as possessing great integrity. But God's law looks into the secrets of the heart. Every act is judged by the motives that prompt it. Only that which is in accord with the principles of God's law will stand in the judgment.

"God is love. He has shown that love in the gift of Christ. When "He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life," He withheld nothing from His purchased possession. (John 3:16.) He gave all heaven, from which we may draw strength and efficiency, that we be not repulsed or overcome by our great adversary. But the love of God does not lead Him to excuse sin. He did not excuse it in Satan; He did not excuse it in Adam or in Cain; nor will He excuse it in any other of the children of men. He will not connive at our sins or overlook our defects of character. He expects us to overcome in His name. Those who reject the gift of Christ's righteousness are rejecting the attributes of character which would constitute them the sons and daughters of God. They are rejecting that which alone could give them a fitness for a place at the marriage feast.

"In the parable, when the king inquired, 'How camest thou in hither not having a wedding garment?' the man was speechless. So it will be in the great judgment day. Men may now excuse their defects of character, but in that day they will offer no excuse.

"The professed churches of Christ in this generation are exalted to the highest privileges.

The Lord has been revealed to us in ever-increasing light. Our privileges are far greater than were the privileges of God's ancient people. We have not only the great light committed to Israel, but we have the increased evidence of the great salvation brought to us through Christ. That which was type and symbol to the Jews is reality to us. They had the Old Testament history; we have that and the New Testament also. We have the assurance of a Saviour who has come, a Saviour who has been crucified, who has risen, and over the rent sepulcher of Joseph has proclaimed, "I am the resurrection and the life." In our knowledge of Christ and His love the kingdom of God is placed in the midst of us. Christ is revealed to us in sermons and chanted to us in songs. The spiritual banquet is set before us in rich abundance. The wedding garment, provided at infinite cost, is freely offered to every soul. By the messengers of God are presented to us the righteousness of Christ, justification by faith, the exceeding great and precious promises of God's word, free access to the Father by Christ, the comfort of the Spirit, the well-grounded assurance of eternal life in the kingdom of God. What could God do for us that He has not done in providing the great supper, the heavenly banquet?

"In heaven it is said by the ministering angels: The ministry which we have been commissioned to perform we have done. We pressed back the army of evil angels. We sent brightness and light into the souls of men, quickening their memory of the love of God expressed in Jesus. We attracted their eyes to the cross of Christ. Their hearts were deeply moved by a sense of the sin that crucified the Son of God. They were convicted. They saw the steps to be taken in conversion; they felt the power of the gospel; their hearts were made

tender as they saw the sweetness of the love of God. They beheld the beauty of the character of Christ. But with the many it was all in vain. They would not surrender their own habits and character. They would not put off the garments of earth in order to be clothed with the robe of heaven. Their hearts were given to covetousness. They loved the associations of the world more than they loved their God.

"Solemn will be the day of final decision. In prophetic vision the apostle John describes it: 'I saw a great white throne, and Him that sat on it, from whose face the earth and the heaven fled away; and there was found no place for them. And I saw the dead, small and great, stand before God; and the books were opened; and another book was opened, which is the book of life; and the dead were judged out of those things which were written in the books, according to their works.' Rev. 20:11, 12.

"Sad will be the retrospect in that day when men stand face to face with eternity. The whole life will present itself just as it has been. The world's pleasures, riches, and honors will not then seem so important. Men will then see that the righteousness they despised is alone of value. They will see that they have fashioned their characters under the deceptive allurements of Satan. The garments they have chosen are the badge of their allegiance to the first great apostate. Then they will see the results of their choice. They will have a knowledge of what it means to transgress the commandments of God.

"There will be no future probation in which to prepare for eternity. It is in this life that we are to put on the robe of Christ's righteousness. This is our only opportunity to form characters for the home which Christ has made ready for

those who obey His commandments.

"The days of our probation are fast closing. The end is near. To us the warning is given, 'Take heed to yourselves, lest at any time your hearts be overcharged with surfeiting, and drunkenness, and cares of this life, and so that day come upon you unawares.' Luke 21:34. Beware lest it find you unready. Take heed lest you be found at the King's feast without a wedding garment.

"In such an hour as ye think not the Son of man cometh.' 'Blessed is he that watcheth, and keepeth his garments, lest he walk naked, and they see his shame.' Matt. 24:44; Rev. 16:15." Christ's Object Lessons, pp. 312-319.

"Speak not thou in thine heart, after that the LORD thy God hath cast them out from before thee, saying, For my righteousness the LORD hath brought me in to possess this land: but for the wickedness of these nations the LORD doth drive them out from before thee." Deuteronomy 9:4

"As for me, I will behold thy face in righteousness: I shall be satisfied, when I awake, with thy likeness." Psalms 17:15.

"And be found in him, not having mine own righteousness, which is of the law, but that which is through the faith of Christ, the righteousness which is of God by faith:" Phillippians 3:9

MAIL BAG

Greeting in the name of Jesus Christ our Savior. .
.need for the Rod's literature in Kenya and especially my locality; I find a need to order more literatures to serve the circulations. I am glad to let you know that your gospel cassets/magnetic tapes you sent to me has helped to outreach many souls. It is my pleasure to request more tapes especially the 144,000 saints, Daniel chapter 5, Hoseas gospel, the eleventh hour call, etc.

Finally I would like to pass to you warn greetings from my choir "Rod evangelistic choir"... am starting another program in Bible discussion with them.

May God bless you Yours in Christ

KENYA

This message has been such a blessing, my life has gone from drugs, sex and spirit worshiping to Southern Adventist University and Bible study in a few months. Thank God for the work of our message.

Please don't send anything that says "Davidian" to my house because my mother is completely against it. Thank you, God bless you.

TENNESSEE

Christian greeting in the name of Christ our soon coming King.

Thanks for the tracks you sent me previously. All have been consumed. Kindly send me two hundred (200) copies of the Entering Wedge. I

am doing a great work here in Belise and Jamaica.

Sincerely yours

BELIZE

Hello, I am a man in prison, who took many wrong turns in life, I am seeking to became right in my life, and right with God, and realy really need all the help I can get. My friend (....., from Boston) has been having studies and getting into present truth and also sent me an excerpt from the Timely Greetings "What is Religion"? she can't send me booklets or tracts or anything, because they have to came directly from the publisher. I have seen what a positive change it has made in her, and I would realy apreciate any materials you could send me, it would mean a lot.

Always in Christ,

MASSACHEUTTES

Greetings to you in the name of our precious Lord. As I am studying the message of the Rod and believing that it is the message from the Lord. . .I am photo-copying the booklets and giving them out to our brethren here in Fiji, and giving the message to my families and my church, and sharing the message at every opportunity I have.

FIJI ISLAND

I am a Seventh Day Adventist Christian since 1967. I believe in the 27 funfamental beliefs of the SDA doctrines included the gift of the Spirit of Prophecy that was given to the SDA church through Ellen G. White.

I am not satisfied of the light that I have. I need more information. Wil you please send me the following articles. . .to equip and awaken us since as I believe the SDA church is represented as the Laodecian church is sleeping. I am prepared for financial contributions toward the costs of these articles. . .Your positive response concerning the request is highly anticipated.

NAMIBIA

I am a member and Christian in the SDA church and recently my studies in the Bible have led me to your address

I would be most grateful if you could consider me a subscriber and hoped for the privilege of the following tapes.

Thy Kingdom come part 1 and 2

I pray for God blessings upon you for the wonderful works you are enganged in. Keep it up!

ST. LUCIA

E-MAIL BIN

I received some fantastic cassetes from you's..."a study of zechariah 6" and "The great multitude of revelation 7". I received these free, it says on the revelation tape to ask for part one, can you send it? Also can you send a tape listing of the cassettes I can purchase from you? These cassetes are the greatest words of truth I heard in my life!!! I play them over and over...... Send to:.....p.s. Since you are only in new york do you let people like me attend worship services and stay for the weekend, sort of like a retreat??? I'm not asking to stay for free, do you have a cost for a week-end stay?? we'll keep in touch, god bless you and the saints

there, maranatha!!!

PENNSYLVANIA

Greetings in the Name of The Lord, Jesus Christ! The words of the English language could not adequately describe the immense joy I feel in having the privilege by God to receive this beautiful and precious truth. I would really love to share with the world how I came to the point where I now am in Christianity. It's a very beautiful and touching story.

major role in my current development, and I would like to write about it. I solicit your prayers in this endeavor. . How can I get a transcript of "The BIBLE and the Middle East" and "Y2K"-"Millennium Bug"? I missed the discussions because I wasn't sure if I was in the forum or not.

.....@PRODIGY.NET

I am disfellowshipped member of the 70 day adventist church, and I would like to know more about you, thank you.

...please send some studies about tithes, I would be so grate full to you, receive my best regards.

...@BO.NET BOLIVIA

I came to learn about your biblical study materials essential for our last time lives in this planet earth. I'm a SDA member and would like to study these materials. I will thus be thankful if you can supply me with tracts, Jezreel letters, symbolic codes, timely greetings and shepherd's rod. However, if this happen to be against your regulations, you can advice me accordingly. May God bless you as you work for Him.

....@VET.UU.NL HOLLAND

"How Readest Thou?"

By Glenroy Matthews

It is not the intention of this article to establish a doctrinal position. Its aim is to show that any seeming contradictions that care harmonize them. may exist between the writings of Sister White and Brother Houteff can be easily cleared by anyone who is sound in his reasoning, logical in his thinking, thoughtful in his studying, and above all, by anyone who asks for the wisdom of the Holy Spirit.

The controversial subject of the opened/closed "fountain" of Zechariah 13:1, is a classic example of seeming discrepancy, since both prophets wrote differently on the subject. As both prophets are dead and are unable to further clarify the matter, it then rests with you and me to harmonize their seemingly opposing truths.

Before we look at Zechariah's fountain, let us analyze a few of the many seeming contradictions that's found in the Bible. An understanding of the method used to harmonize Bible discrepancy is relevant to our understanding of seeming contradictions found in the writings of our end-time prophets.

Proverbs 26:4, 5

"Answer not a fool according to his folly, lest thou also be like unto him" Verse 4.

"Answer a fool according to his folly, lest he be wise in his own conceit" Verse 5. To the superficial reader, it would be

apparent that these verses present opposing concepts. But do they? Let us with great

"Answer not a fool according to his folly,..." because your answer may make you look like a fool.

"Answer a fool according to his folly, . . ." because your answer may very well help him. Coming from your lips, his own exact words may be better judged by him than when he speaks the, thus he discovers his own folly.

Have you ever tried to reason with an unreasonable person? After you realize the futility of your situation you become cautious of how you answer that person. Both proverbs are saying that you must be cautious how you answer unreasonable people—fools. Do you see the harmony? One thing is certain though, no fool will ever see the underlying harmony.

How many demoniac did Jesus heal at Gadara?

"And when he was come out of the ship, immediately there met him out of the tombs a man with an unclean spirit." Mark 5:2

"And when he was come to the other side into the country of the Gergesenes, there met him two possessed with devils, coming out of the tombs, exceeding fierce, so that no man might pass by that way." Matt 8:28

Which of the above accounts is correct? Both are. We sometimes use logic to reinforce certain truths, such as, "there can be no first-fruits without second-fruits", and "a second death implies a first death", etc. Now let us apply a similar logic to Matthew and Mark accounts: where there are two, there is always one.

If Mark had said that there was only one demoniac then contradiction would be justified, he said "a demoniac", Matthew says there were two. Evidently, Mark highlights one because he was more outstanding.

The blind men at Jericho

How many blind men were healed at Jericho?

"And, behold, two blind men sitting by the wayside, when they heard that Jesus passed by, cried out, saying, have mercy on us, O Lord, thou son of David." Matt 20:30

"And they came to Jericho: and as he went out of Jericho with his disciples and a great number of people, blind Bartimeus, the son of Timeus, sat by the highway side begging. And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out, and say, Jesus, thou son of David, have mercy on me." Mark 10:46.

Here again we must apply the fundamental mathematical law: where there are two, there is always one. Mark focused on one of the blind men—Bartimeus. The fact that Bartimeus and his father are mentioned indicates that Mark took more than just a casual interest in Bartimeus; he was made the focal figure of the occasion, even though there was another like himself who had been

healed by Jesus. No discrepancy here!

So the Apostles and prophets of old focused on aspects of truths or events that were more prominent and meaningful to them; they placed emphasis on themes with which they could identify.

Ellen White puts it this way:

"Written in different ages, by men who differed widely in rank and occupation, and in mental and spiritual endowments, the books of the Bible present a wide contrast in style, as well as a diversity in the nature of the subjects unfolded. Different forms of expression are employed by different writers; often the truth is more strikingly presented by one than by another. And as several writers present a subject under varied aspects and relations, there may appear, to the superficial, careless, or prejudiced reader, to be discrepancy or contradiction, where the thoughtful, reverent student, with clearer insight, discerns the underlying harmony.

"As presented through different individuals, the truth is brought out in its varied aspects. One writer is more strongly impressed with one phase of the subject; he grasps those points that harmonize with his experience or with his power of perception and appreciation; another seizes upon a different phase; and each, under the guidance of the Holy Spirit, presents what is most forcible impressed upon his own mind—a different aspect of the truth in each, but a perfect harmony through all. And the truth thus revealed unite to form a perfect whole,

adapted to meet the wants of men in all the circumstances and experiences of life." The Great Controversy, p. vi.

The phrases "different forms of expression", "truths is more strikingly presented by one than the other", "several writers present a subject under varied aspects", "one writer is more strongly impressed with one phase of the subject", apply just as strongly to our last day prophets (Victor Houteff and Ellen White) as they did to the prophets of old.

It is so easy for the careless and spiritually uncultured mind to gravitate to one aspect of a truth as presented by one writer, while he fails to appreciate another phase by another writer that is equally grand and important. As you look at the varied aspects of the fountain do not let partiality to one aspect rob you of a thorough understand that can only be achieved by a willingness to see the oneness in a multifaceted truth.

Zechariah's Fountain

"In that day there shall be a fountain opened to the house of David and to the inhabitants of Jerusalem for sin and uncleanness." Zechariah 13:1.

There are two schools of thought on this subject. (1) This symbolical fountain is closed and will only be opened in the time of the kingdom. (2) The fountain is opened for sin now, while another phase will be fulfilled in the kingdom. Let us hear the prophets:

Victor Houteff

"When this thorough reformation takes place then the cleansing fountain shall be opened to the whole house of David." 2 Timely

Greetings, No. 44, p. 48.

"Two things now stand out clearly in these verses: (1) that the house of David must come into existence before the cleansing fountain is opened; (2) that the cleansing begins with cutting off the names of the idols, and throwing out of the land the false prophets and the unclean spirits." 1 Timely Greetings, No. 18, p. 14.

"When this fountain for sin and for uncleanness' is finally opened 'to the house of David,' the crowning evidence will be seen that the consolidation of the two kingdoms is an accomplished fact..." 8 Tract, p. 18.

Ellen White

"These words mean more than bodily cleanliness. Christ is still speaking of the higher cleansing as illustrated by the lower. He who came from the bath was clean, but the sandaled feet soon became dusty, and again needed to be washed. So Peter and his brethren had been washed in the great fountain opened for sin and uncleanness. Christ acknowledged them as His. But temptation had led them into evil, and they still needed His cleansing grace. The Desire of Ages, p. 646.

Brother Houteff places the opening of the fountain in the future while sister White says it is already opened. Which is correct? Both are.

Like the Bible, the Spirit of Prophecy is a product of Divine revelation—God is the Author. Therefore, there can exist no inconsistences in its truths! Since He allowed the statements to be written, it suggest there must be harmony somewhere. It is, however, our duty to see and understand the harmony here as it is for us to understand any other truth in the Bible or Spirit of Prophecy.

In order to harmonize the two truths we need to understand what the fountain is.

"God is able to heal the soul and the body; but He will not heal the latter before He has heal the former—'sin' first, then 'uncleanness.' 'I will also save you from all your uncleanness: and I will call for corn, and will increase it, and lay no famine upon you.' (Ezek. 36:29.) The power that is able to wash away the filthiness of any man, is 'opened to the house of David and to the inhabitants of Jerusalem' and is represented by the 'fountain' of Zechariah's prophecy." 2 Shepherds Rod, p. 291.

The "fountain" represents "the power that is able to wash away the filthiness of any man." What exactly is this power?

"Like Peter and his brethren, we too have been washed in the blood of Christ, yet often through contact with evil the heart's purity is soiled. We must come to Christ for His cleansing grace. . . . He alone can wash us clean." The Desire of Ages, p. 649.

The blood of Christ alone is able to cleanse any man. Therefore, the "fountain" is a symbol of the blood of Jesus! The song says: What can wash away my sin? Nothing but the blood of Jesus. And another declares: There is power, power, wonder- working-power, in the precious blood of the lamb.

To say that the fountain will only be opened in the kingdom, is to say that our sins cannot

be forgiven now. And further, that Peter and his brethren were not washed; their sins not forgiven; that sister White was mistaken when she declared that the fountain is now opened.

Note what Inspiration says: "He will not heal the latter before He has healed the former—'sin' first, then 'uncleanness." 2 Shepherds Rod, p. 291.

Plainly then, the fountain is open for sin now, but in the kingdom it will be opened for uncleanness. In other words, the power that is able to heal both body and soul will be made available in a significant way to the house of David. This is the phase to which brother Houteff referred. When does this phase begin? "(2) that the cleansing begins with cutting off the names of idols, and throwing out of the land the false prophets and the unclean spirits [Ezekiel nine]."

1 Timely Greetings, No. 18, p. 14.

Obvious it is that Sister White is focused on that facet of the fountain that has to do with cleansing from sin now, so much so that she says: "Not one of us will ever receive the seal of God while our characters have one spot or stain upon them." 5T 214. While brother Houteff emphasized another phase that will commence with the purification of the church. Do you see the harmony? The prophets emphasized different aspects of the same fountain. Remember, "the thoughtful, reverent student, with clearer insight, discerns the underlying harmony." The Great Controversy, p. Vi.

[Emphasis supplied]

CONTROLLING THE WORLD'S POPULATION

By E. Stanford

Did you know that there are dark forces on the earth that seek to destroy large segments of the world's population for their own political and secret society agendas? And did you know that to better disguise and accomplish their unspeakably evil objectives they have diligently brainwashed the public into believing that there is an overpopulation problem on planet earth. The truth of the matter is that this is a very big lie. The entire world's population of ten billion people can easily fit into the United States alone, with each man having at least an acre of land.¹

That men should seek to destroy large sections of the human race employing wars, genocide, infanticide, and "family planning programs" seems utterly incredible to the average member of the public. Only those who have studied the diabolical motives and agenda of secret societies like the Freemasons, the Jesuits, ancient mystery religions, and such like can readily grasp these points. In article on "The Population control Agenda" by Dr. Stan Monteith, M.D. and published on the Internet by K-House, the following is confirmed:

"Planned population control including genocide is a difficult concept for Americans to accept. Even though the U.S. government helps finance the Red Chinese program of forced abortion, sterilization and infanticide, and helps finance the United Nations "family planning program," most people find it impossible to believe that such programs are really part of a larger plan to kill off large segments of the world's population."

Family planning of itself seems perfectly reasonable. But it is the type of family planning that the powers have in mind that is so horrendous. Behind the carefully chosen words and laudable labels are seen the successful efforts to achieve unspeakably evil objectives. Take for example Margaret Sanger and the organization she founded called Planned Parenthood. How laudable its objective on the surface: in its 1985 Annual Report here is what it asserted: "Proud of our past, and planning for our future."2 Yet a review of Margaret Sanger's life and teaching as seen in her books, shows that she believed and supported Nazi Germany's "infanticide program," that she still believes that some races like the Negroes are "human weeds" that are not fit to live and reproduce.

During the 1930s Margaret Sanger published The Birth Control Review, in which she openly supported Nazi Germany's "infanticide program" in the 1930s, and publicly championed Adolf Hitler's goal of Aryan white supremacy. Prior to World War II she commissioned Nazi Ernst Rudin, director of the dreaded German medical experimentation programs, to serve as an advisor to her organization.

In Killer Angel, George Grant chronicled the life and writings of Margaret Sanger, including her plans for genetically engineering the human race. Margaret Sanger's The Pivot of Civilization called for "the elimination of human weeds," and the "cessation of charity" because it prolonged the lives of the unfit. She called for the segregation of the unfit and prohibiting them to reproduce.

In 1939, Margaret Sanger organized the Negro Project, designed to eliminate members of what she believed to be an "inferior race." She justified her proposal because "the masses of Negroes... particularly in the South, still breed carelessly and disastrously, with the result that the increase among Negroes, even more than among whites, is from that portion of the population least intelligent and fit..."3 But what is still more incredible is that our tax money is used to further the infernal goals of this organization of such handsome appearance. Does it not surprise you that the government that should protect the people should be in on this? But there is still greater contradiction on the government's part. In his book The Unseen Hand, the chapter "Abortion and Laetrile," Ralph Epperson makes the following observation.

"When a woman takes the life of her unborn child on the theory that she may do what she wishes with her own body, she receives the sanction of the Federal Supreme Court. But if she purchases Laetrile in an attempt to save a life—either her child's or her own—she has participated in a criminal act.

On October 21, 1980, the Supreme Court turned away arguments brought before it that would have allowed a terminal cancer patient the right to use Laetrile as an aid to eliminating the cancer. In essence, the Court stated that the individual's body did not belong to the individual but to the state, and that the state had the right to tell the individual what he or she may do with his or her own body.

On Monday, 22, 1973, the Supreme Court struck down all restrictive laws against abortion, in essence saying that the individual had the right to do with her own body whatever she wanted; the individual's body did not belong to the state."

So unfortunately, as you can see, our governments and supreme court are also agents, wittingly and unwittingly, of the New World Order plans for culling the world's population while telling us plausible lies.

But there is still more to make us gasp and run for cover in the divine Rock and Refuge. Not only large numbers of politicians and government ministers belong to secret occult societies but in most cases their first loyalty is to the god of these societies — Lucifer himself, and his murderous agenda for the human race. And if you think that this is overdrawing the picture, then you had better wake up before it is too late. Dr. Stan Monteith, further confirms:

Just like Adolf Hitler, Margaret Sanger was a disciple of Theosophy and its founder, Madame Blavatsky. Both Sanger and Hitler were involved in a religion that worshiped Lucifer and were energized by the same dark, spiritual forces.

Lucis Trust is a prominent modern day representative of Theosophy, an extension of the Lucifer Publishing Company, which is also a United Nations NGO. Lucis Trust was founded by Alice A. Bailey during the early 20th century. Bailey was a disciple of Madame Blavatsky and nominal leader of the Theosophical Society in the early 1900s.

Because the name "Lucifer" had such a bad connotation, Bailey changed the name of her organization from the Lucifer Publishing Company to Lucis Trust. The nature and beliefs of this organization, however, have always remained the same.

Lucis Trust is one of the major front groups through which Theosophy influences life in America. Publications from Lucis Trust regularly refer to "The Plan" for humanity that has been established by "The Hierarchy." Sanger's disciples are alive and functioning today, influencing national and international population control policy.

From this you can see too that Christians are especially targeted. They are undesirable elements in the New World Order scheme of things where Lucifer is the head of the pyramid with his "all seeing eye." The New Age influence is especially cultivated as desirable. New Age writer and philosopher Dr. Sam Keen, while addressing his audience at the world Forum in San Francisco in 1996, observed that there was a consensus of opinion that the religious institutions were to blame for the world's "population explosion." He then offered his solution amid warm applause from his audience composed chiefly of Socialists, New Agers and other occultists. The solution: "We must speak far more clearly about sexuality, contraception, about abortion, about values that control the population, because the ecological crisis, in short, is the population crisis. Cut the population by 90% and there aren't enough people left to do a great deal of ecological damage."

But is it really true that they are planning to destroy large numbers of Christians and Negroes? Well, unfortunately, history says that it has already been done and plans are afoot to do it on a much grander scale. For evidence we need only look a little closer at the massacres in Africa as recently as 1994, between the months of April and July. The horrible story goes like this. First the

Christian Tutsis were disarmed by governmental laws during the earlier three years. The now defenseless Christians were then viciously attacked by the military forces of Hutu and systematically butchered. With machetes as horribly effective as bullets, a reign of terror pervaded the Christian community as countless thousands fell hapless victims to their organized murderers who were thus culling the Christian population.

And did civilized governments or the United Nations permit such atrocities in this enlightened age? Cunningly calling it a "civil war", the American Ambassador to the United Nations, Madeline Albright, insisted that other African nations should not be allowed to "interfere" until the "civil war had come to an end." — meaning of course until they had made and end of the Rwandan Christians. Needless to say it was a planned mass murder rather than a civil war, and that the governments, including the United Nations connived (at the very least) at these unspeakable atrocities.

A few lines from Dr. Stan Monteith's, article on the subject likewise corroborate these historical facts.

"In addition to blocking intervention by neighboring nations, Madeline Albright also insisted that the word "genocide" not be used, and that United Nations forces stationed in Rwanda were not to be allowed to intervene. In the three months that followed, between one-half and three-quarters of a million Christians were systematically dismembered, hacked to death, and slaughtered in the bloody carnage that ensued. Tens of thousands of Christians were murdered in churches; tens of thousands more were murdered

in hospitals and schools. On several occasions, United Nations soldiers stationed in Rwanda actually handed helpless Christians over to members of the Hutu militia. They then stood by as their screaming charges were unceremoniously hacked to pieces."

"At the end of the carnage in late July 1994, the American government rewarded the Hutu murderers with millions of dollars in foreign aid. The American press has been silent about the fact that almost all people slaughtered were Christians, and that it was our government's policy that was primarily responsible for blocking efforts by neighboring African countries to intervene."

But are the only major methods of forced population reduction wars and abortions as done through planned parenthood? Oh certainly by no means are these the only two. What about drugs and diseases? These both are certainly effective tools. Regarding the latter, for instance, while ostensibly claiming to protect the environment (which in its place is a very good thing), the occult secret societies' powers or the "hierarchy" to use their own language, are diligently furthering their goals or population culling.

In October 22, 1989, in the Los Angeles Times Book Review Section, page nine, research biologist with the National Park Service made the following spine-chilling, but eye-opening avowal of their position. The statement shows that human happiness has no priority whatsoever with the Luciferians. And as for human fertility this only furnishes them with objects for genetic experimentation, cloning and murder. Viruses of course, as in Aids, are certainly too effective to be ignored by the powers. Consider for yourself the implication of this diabolical statement:

"Human happiness and certainly human fecundity are not as important as a wild and healthy planet.

I know social scientists who remind me that

people are part of nature, but it isn't true...We have become a plague upon ourselves and upon the Earth...Until such time as homosapiens should decide to rejoin nature, some of us can \only hope for the right virus to come along."

Again, in his book, "Murder By Injection," author and researcher Eustace Mullins documents and shows convincingly that the disease of Aids, that is wreaking untold havoc and ravages in Africa, is by no means a freakish accident of Nature, or a malicious manifestations of the policies and activities of the "hierarchy" under the ingenious supervision of Lucifer himself and his secret societies lackeys. As Margaret Sanger calls them, "the human weeds" need to be eliminated.

And now, if Americans think that these planned mass murders are only for third world countries and the "inferior" races, they had better wake up and take in the facts. In "The Population Controllers," New American Magazine, page seven of June 27, 1994, and in the UNESCO Courier of November 1991, the following statement from spokesman Jacques Costeau speaks volumes.

"The damage people cause to the planet is a function of demographics-it is equal to the degree of development. One American burdens the earth much more than twenty Bangladeshes. . . this is a terrible thing to say. In order to stabilize world population, we must eliminate 350,000 people per day. It is a horrible thing to say, but it's just as bad not to say it."

Believe it or not, the estimated goal for the United States by these diabolical powers is 150 million, the size of the population about

five decades ago. Which presently means that about half of America needs to be depopulated. And of the world present ten billion, do you know how many of these "human weeds" the "hieraracy" thinks should be allowed to remain? Two billion. What should happen to the rest -- the other eight billion people? . . . Now you know? Do you still wonder if the Devil is doing his job?

Let's face it readers. You can run, but you can't hide. The New World Order with its New Age religions, is not coming some time soon: it is virtually here. What is your refuge? What is your security? Wise indeed are those who can like king David in his famous Psalm ninety one, make the the Omnipotent one their Shield and Strength.

"He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty. I will say of the LORD, He is my refuge and my fortress: my God; in him will I trust. Surely he shall deliver thee from the snare of the fowler, and from the noisome pestilence. He shall cover thee with his feathers, and under his wings shalt thou trust: his truth shall be thy shield and buckler. Thou shalt not be afraid for the terror by night; nor for the arrow that flieth by day; Nor for the pestilence that walketh in darkness; nor for the destruction that wasteth at noonday. A thousand shall fall at thy side, and ten thousand at thy right hand; but it shall not come nigh thee. Only with thine eyes shalt thou behold and see the reward of the wicked."

"Because thou hast made the LORD, which is my refuge, even the most High, thy habitation; There shall no evil befall thee, neither shall any plague come nigh thy dwelling. For he shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways. They shall bear thee up in their

hands, lest thou dash thy foot against a stone. Thou shalt tread upon the lion and adder: the young lion and the dragon shalt thou trample under feet. Because he hath set his love upon me, therefore will I deliver him: I will set him on high, because he hath known my name. He shall call upon me, and I will answer him: I will be with him in trouble; I will deliver him, and honour him. With long life will I satisfy him, and shew him my salvation."

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