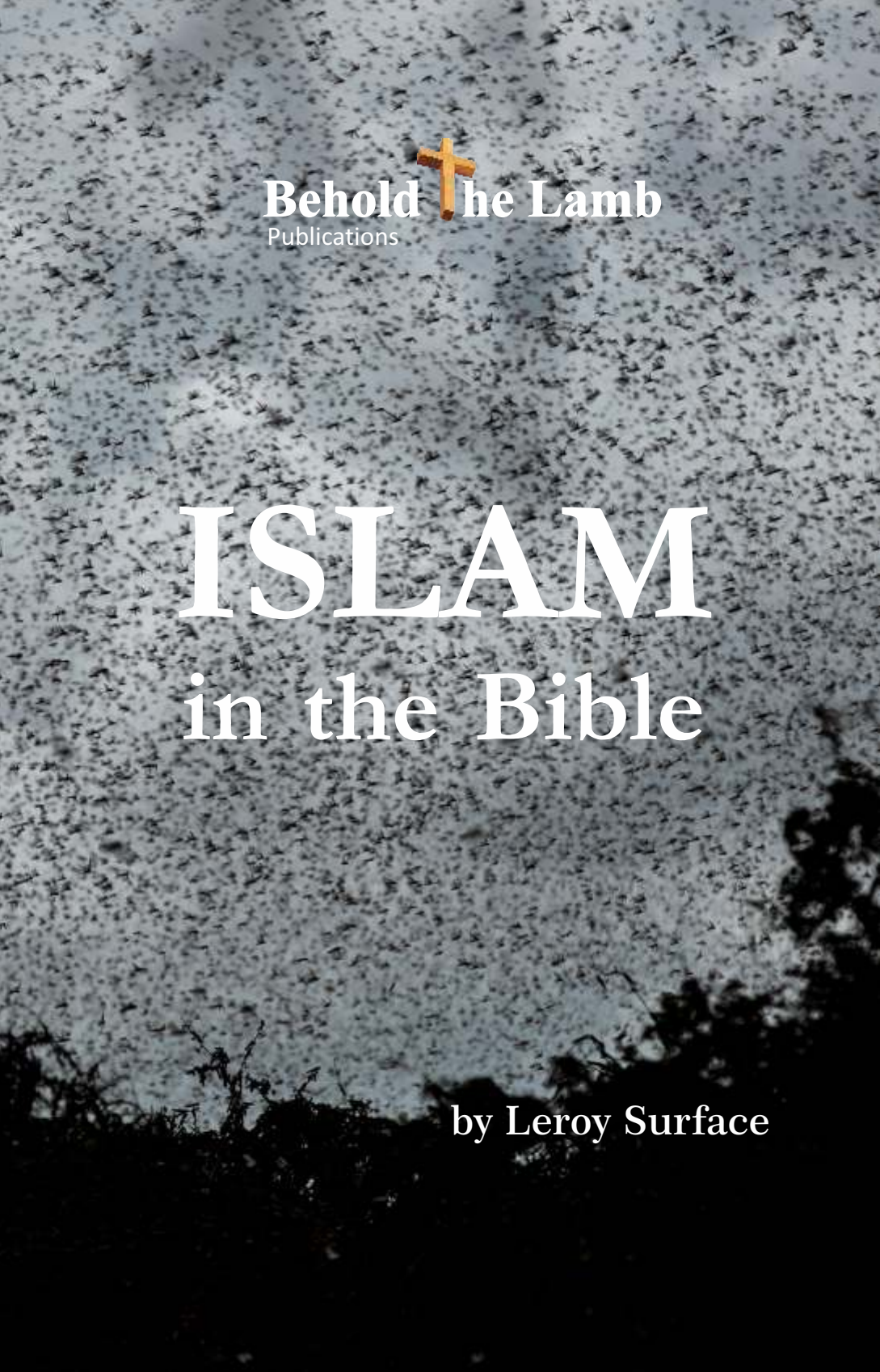




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Islam:

The Beast that ascendeth out of the Bottomless Pit

“And when they shall have finished their testimony, the beast that ascendeth out of the bottomless pit shall make war against them, and shall overcome them, and kill them.”

Revelation 11:7

There are about 2.6 billion Christians in the world, and there are about 2.06 billion Muslims. It is projected that Islam will overtake Christianity within this century if Christ has not returned to earth. It is very unlikely that God did not give us a warning of Islam in the scriptures, even though it would never be called by that name. Our text for this message today speaks of a beast that “*ascendeth out of the bottomless pit*” and kills the two last day witnesses. I believe that “beast” is Islam.

“So he carried me away in the spirit into the wilderness: and I saw a woman sit upon a scarlet coloured beast, full of names of blasphemy, having seven heads and ten horns.”

Revelation 17:3

The woman is the Roman Catholic Church of the dark ages, which through her Popes and Cardinals exercised absolute dominion over the entire known world for over a thousand years, and sentenced those who denied their decrees to be burned alive at the stake.

“And the woman was arrayed in purple and scarlet colour, and decked with gold and precious stones and pearls, having a golden cup in her hand full of abominations and filthiness of her fornication: And upon her forehead was a name written, MYSTERY, BABYLON THE GREAT, THE MOTHER OF HARLOTS AND ABOMINATIONS OF THE EARTH. And I

saw the woman drunken with the blood of the saints, and with the blood of the martyrs of Jesus: and when I saw her, I wondered with great admiration.” Revelation 17:4-6

It was the Apostle John, the last living Apostle who received this vision of things to come while he was a prisoner on the Isle of Patmos. The woman in his vision was very beautiful to look upon, and John marveled with great admiration for her beauty, even though she was a harlot, and the mother of harlots. Her name was “*Mystery Babylon the Great.*” She was drunk, but not with the wine of grapes, but with the wine of her fornication. Even so, John marveled at her great beauty.

“And the angel said unto me, Wherefore didst thou marvel? I will tell thee the mystery of the woman, and of the beast that carrieth her, which hath the seven heads and ten horns. The beast that thou sawest was, and is not; and shall ascend out of the bottomless pit, and go into perdition: and they that dwell on the earth shall wonder, whose names were not written in the book of life from the foundation of the world, when they behold the beast that was, and is not, and yet is.” Revelation 17:7-8

Take notice and remember the identifying marker of this “beast;” he “*was, and is not, and yet is.*” This in itself is a great mystery. First, however, we will discover the mystery of the woman whose name is Mystery Babylon; “*And the woman which thou sawest is that great city, which reigneth over the kings of the earth*” Revelation 17:18. Mystery Babylon is none other than that which is called “*The Holy Roman Empire, (the Catholic church)*” which dominated the entire world for over a thousand years, which we call “the dark ages.”

“And here is the mind which hath wisdom. The seven heads are seven mountains, on which the woman sitteth.” Revelation 17:9

We have already identified the woman as “The Holy Roman Empire” of the dark ages. The city of Rome is built on seven mountains, which further identifies the woman who sits on them.

An angel from Heaven is revealing the mystery of the beast John saw, which had seven heads and ten horns.

“And there are seven kings: five are fallen, and one is, and the other is not yet come; and when he cometh, he must continue a short space.”

Revelation 17:10

This verse is of great importance to understanding the mystery of the beast with seven heads and ten horns. The seven heads are seven kings, or better understood as “kingdoms.” Five of these kingdoms have fallen at the time the Apostle writes this. These are Egypt, Assyria, Babylon, Persia, and the Greek Empire. The angel continued to tell John, “...and one is,” which referred to the Roman Empire, the sixth kingdom to dominate the world, and was in power during the time of Jesus Christ on earth. This accounts for six of the seven kingdoms. Of the seventh kingdom, the angel said, “...the other is not yet come....” When the angel spoke these things to John, the seventh kingdom was in his future, and remained a mystery to him, but two thousand years later, in hindsight we can understand the mystery of the seventh kingdom; it was what is called “the Holy Roman Empire,” which was the Roman Catholic Church of the dark ages. As the Roman Empire began to lose its dominion over the world, it was replaced by the “Holy Roman Empire.” This empire ruled absolutely over the nations of the world until the protestant reformation in the sixteenth century. Martin Luther received the revelation of “justification by faith,” which dealt a “deadly wound” to the head of the beast, but the deadly wound was healed. We will see the prophetic record of this as given in the scriptures.

The Reformation

“And I stood upon the sand of the sea, and saw a beast rise up out of the sea, having seven heads and ten horns, and upon his horns ten crowns, and upon his heads the name of blasphemy. And the beast which I saw was like unto a leopard, and his feet were as the feet of a bear, and his mouth as the mouth of a lion: and the dragon gave him his power, and his

seat, and great authority. And I saw one of his heads as it were wounded to death; and his deadly wound was healed: and all the world wondered after the beast. And they worshipped the dragon (Satan, the Devil) which gave power unto the beast: and they worshipped the beast, saying, Who is like unto the beast? who is able to make war with him?"

Revelation 13:1-4

When Martin Luther began to preach the revelation of justification by faith which he had received from God, he dealt a "deadly wound" to the seventh head of the beast, which was the "Roman Catholic Church" of the dark ages. Martin Luther's preaching and writings were the "deadly wound" dealt to the head of the beast, and millions of people left the Roman church to become Lutherans, Calvinist, Anglicans etc. Next, the scripture says the "deadly wound" was "healed," at which time the Roman church, which had become the seventh head of the beast, became even more vicious. The Spanish inquisition, which began shortly before the reformation, and continued for over three and a half centuries until 1834, was established by the Roman Catholic church to punish heretics, which included both Muslims and Protestants. Many thousands were burned at the stake by the inquisition, while thousands of others were tortured by every conceivable means. All these things were foretold by the angel of God and recorded in the scriptures.

"And there was given unto him a mouth speaking great things and blasphemies; and power was given unto him to continue forty and two months. And he opened his mouth in blasphemy against God, to blaspheme his name, and his tabernacle, and them that dwell in heaven. And it was given unto him to make war with the saints, and to overcome them: and power was given him over all kindreds, and tongues, and nations. And all that dwell upon the earth shall worship him, whose names are not written in the book of life of the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world. If any man have an ear, let him hear. He that leadeth into captivity shall go into captivity: he

that killeth with the sword must be killed with the sword. Here is the patience and the faith of the saints.” Revelation 13:5-10

The Eighth

“And the beast that was, and is not, even he is the eighth, and is of the seven, and goeth into perdition.” Revelation 17:11

With this verse, the mystery actually deepens. The “beast” has seven heads, which represent the seven kingdoms in the history of the world. The statement that says “...*the beast that was, and is not, even he is the eighth...*” actually fulfills verse eight, which speaks of “*the beast that was, and is not, and yet is.*” This speaks of an eighth kingdom, even though the prophecy speaks of only seven world kingdoms. Notice that the eighth is “of the seven.” Each of the seven world kingdoms could be defined by the words “*was, and is not.*” One of these will revive and become the kingdom that “*was, and is not, and yet is*” Revelation 17:8. I am persuaded that this “eighth kingdom” which is “of the seven” is fulfilled in modern day Islam as practiced in Iran. It is the only kingdom that “ascendeth” out of the bottomless pit, and thus the “beast” that will kill the two Christian witnesses Revelation 11:7.

Mohammed founded the Muslim religion in the seventh century, in 610 A.D. He was neither a Christian or a Jew, but was of the Hanif religion, and believed he was descended from Abraham through Ishmael. He was strong in his monotheistic belief, and preached against the idolatry that had come into the Christian churches under the rule of the Popes. The people were taught to pray to Mary, as well as to the images of the saints which lined the walls of the Catholic churches. Mohammed also preached against the Jews for forsaking the Law of Moses. In 622 A.D., Mohamed began his military career, raising an army which he would lead for the next ten years until his death in 632 A.D. During the twenty-two years from his first “revelation” until his death, Mohamed wrote the Koran, which is the “holy book” of Islam. He believed his revelations were given to him by the angel Gabriel, but obviously it was not Gabriel, but an evil spirit which

ascended from the bottomless pit with the purpose to deceive Mohammed. After the death of Mohammed, the Islamist military continued to conquer nations for the next one hundred years until their defeat by France on October 10, 732 AD.. A list of nations conquered is as follows; Egypt, Turkey, Syria, Iraq, Libya, Tunisia, Algeria, Morocco, Bosnia, Herzegovina, Albania, and Azerbaijan, all of which remain Muslim nations until this present time.

The Locusts; The First Great Woe

*“And I beheld, and heard an angel flying through the midst of heaven, saying with a loud voice, **Woe, woe, woe, to the inhabitants of the earth by reason of the other voices of the trumpet of the three angels, which are yet to sound!**”*

Revelation 8:13

*“And the fifth angel sounded, and I saw a star fall from heaven unto the earth: and to him was given the key of the bottomless pit. And he opened the bottomless pit; and **there arose** (ascendeth) **a smoke out of the pit**, as the smoke of a great furnace; and the sun and the air were darkened by reason of the smoke of the pit. And **there came out of the smoke locusts upon the earth**: and unto them was given power, as the scorpions of the earth have power. And it was commanded them that they should not hurt the grass of the earth, neither any green thing, neither any tree; but only those men which have not the seal of God in their foreheads.”* Revelation 9:1-4

*“And they had a king over them, **which is the angel of the bottomless pit**, whose name in the Hebrew tongue is Abaddon, but in the Greek tongue hath his name Apollyon.”* Revelation 9:11

Adam Clark, the great Methodist theologian of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries, rightly believed these “locusts” were the Islamist that rose to power with Mohammed in the seventh century. These verses, however, are a prophecy of the last days. The fifth, sixth, and seventh trumpets are described by an angel

from heaven as three “woes” which will come upon the inhabitants of earth in the last days, just before the return of Jesus Christ. Notice where the locust come from. “...*and there arose* (ascended) *a smoke out of the pit... And there came out of the smoke locusts upon the earth...*” Revelation 9:2-3

Mohammed understood that he and his armies were the locust army spoken of in the second chapter of Joel.

“And the LORD shall utter his voice before his army: for his camp is very great: for he is strong that executeth his word: for the day of the LORD is great and very terrible; and who can abide it?”

Joel 2:11.

Mohammed told of locusts that fell from heaven into his hands with messages written on their wings. The first of these said, “*We are the locust army of God.*” The locusts (Islam) are, in fact, the army of God, but they are not the people of God. It is God who “*commands the locusts,*” to bring His people to repentance.

“If I shut up heaven that there be no rain, or if I command the locusts to devour the land, or if I send pestilence among my people;”

II Chronicles 7:13

These are three hypotheticals, which speak of drought, locusts, and disease. There is always an answer for God’s people in such times; it is found in a fourth “hypothetical;”

“If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.”

II Chronicles 7:14

The prophet Joel gave a clear remedy for the people of God when God called for the locust army to devour the land;

“Therefore also now, saith the LORD, turn ye even to me with all your heart, and with fasting, and with weeping, and with mourning: And rend your heart, and not your garments, and turn unto the LORD your God: for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness, and repenteth him of the

*evil. Who knoweth if he will return and repent, and leave a blessing behind him; even a meat offering and a drink offering unto the LORD your God? Blow the trumpet in Zion, sanctify a fast, call a solemn assembly: Gather the people, sanctify the congregation, assemble the elders, gather the children, and those that suck the breasts: let the bridegroom go forth of his chamber, and the bride out of her closet. **Let the priests, the ministers of the LORD, weep between the porch and the altar, and let them say, Spare thy people, O LORD, and give not thine heritage to reproach, that the heathen should rule over them: wherefore should they say among the people, Where is their God?***

Joel 2:12-17

We can know the exact time period the fifth angel sounded and the first great woe began. The Islamic revolution in Iran lasted for over a year, but it culminated with the Shah of Iran fleeing to exile on January 16, 1979. On November 4, 1979, Iranian students stormed the U.S. Embassy, and held 52 Americans hostage for 444 days, and released them on the same day Ronald Reagan was inaugurated as our President. We have been living in the first great woe since the Islamic revolution in Iran in 1979, which is forty-seven years at this time. It is amazing how the prophecies of the bible pinpoint Iran so clearly.

With the Islamic revolution in 1979, Iran immediately began their terror attacks against Israel and American interests. During the eight years of Ronald Reagan's administration, there were twelve terror attacks against Americans, while during the same time period, there were sixteen hundred terror attacks worldwide. Most of these were done by Iran's proxies, Hezbollah in Lebanon, and Hamas in Gaza.

The Eighth: Of the Seven

The Apostle John saw in his visions from heaven an eighth kingdom which would arise, which would be "of the seven." We remember that the seven world kingdoms were Egypt, Assyria, Babylon, Persia, Greek, Roman, and the "Holy Roman Empire."

If Islam is the eighth kingdom, a “kingdom” which is “of the seven,” there is only one possibility, and it is not Egypt, Assyria, Babylon, Greek, or Roman. The only possibility is Persia, which is modern day Iran. It is the eighth head of the “beast,” which “ascendeth” out of the bottomless pit. “Ascendeth” is a present tense word. If we could say it “ascended out of the bottomless pit” in the seventh century A.D, there would remain a possibility it had reformed during the centuries that followed. Sadly, many of the popes of the Roman Catholic Church were as violent as Islam during the dark ages, and even after the protestant reformation in the sixteenth century, the Spanish inquisition continued to torture and burn thousands of protestants until less than two hundred years ago. The fact that this eighth head of the beast “ascendeth” out of the bottomless pit, indicates its evil is an ongoing thing.

The Sixth Trumpet; The Second Great Woe

At this time, most Islamic nations are relatively peaceful. Indonesia is the largest Muslim nation on earth, with over 287,000,000 people, 250,000,000 million of which are Muslim, and are relatively peaceful. Pakistan is the second largest, followed by India, Turkey, etc. The sounding of the sixth trumpet and the beginning of the second great woe are the next prophetic thing the world will face.

“One woe is past; and, behold, there come two woes more hereafter.”

Revelation 9:12

“And the sixth angel sounded, and I heard a voice from the four horns of the golden altar which is before God, saying to the sixth angel which had the trumpet, Loose the four angels which are bound in the great river Euphrates. And the four angels were loosed, which were prepared for an hour, and a day, and a month, and a year, for to slay the third part of men. And the number of the army of the horsemen were two hundred thousand thousand: and I heard the number of them.”

Revelation 9:13-16

There are four evil angels which have been bound in the Euphrates River for thousands of years. When the sixth trumpet sounds, these four are loosened, which are prepared to slay the third part of men. The first four of the seven world kingdoms, Egypt, Assyria, Babylon, and Persia, are all Muslim nations today. It is possible that the four angels which were bound in the Euphrates are the evil angelic princes of these four nations. When these are loosened, they are *“prepared for an hour, and a day, and a month, and a year, for to slay the third part of men.”* They will raise an army of two hundred million warriors.

At the present time, there are 2.06 billion Muslims living on earth. If only ten percent of these were radicalized, this would be two hundred million warriors whose only guarantee of heaven is to die killing a Christian or a Jew. It is possible that this conflict will last only about thirteen months, but when it is past, one third of all living on earth will be dead, and two thirds of the inhabitants of Israel will also have died in the warfare Zechariah 13:8. This sixth trumpet will continue to sound until the “last trumpet,” which is the seventh trumpet, begins to sound, which will bring the return of Jesus Christ to earth.

The Two Witnesses

“And I will give power unto my two witnesses, and they shall prophesy a thousand two hundred and threescore days, clothed in sackcloth. These are the two olive trees, and the two candlesticks standing before the God of the earth. And if any man will hurt them, fire proceedeth out of their mouth, and devoureth their enemies: and if any man will hurt them, he must in this manner be killed. These have power to shut heaven, that it rain not in the days of their prophecy: and have power over waters to turn them to blood, and to smite the earth with all plagues, as often as they will.” Revelation 11:3-6

Many years ago, I asked the Lord who the two witnesses will be. Most people at that time believed they were Moses and Elijah. The answer I received, and I believed it was from the Lord, was

they will be “*a people like unto Joshua and Caleb.*” These were the two faithful witnesses among the twelve spies that were sent to spy out the promised land at Kadesh Barnea. If this is true, and the “two witnesses” are “a people,” there will be many more than two who are preaching and prophesying the truth during the three-and-a-half-year period which we call “Great Tribulation.” They will be protected by God during the term of their ministry, and those who would hurt them will be slain by the words of their mouth.

“These have power to shut heaven, that it rain not in the days of their prophecy: and have power over waters to turn them to blood, and to smite the earth with all plagues, as often as they will.” Revelation 11:6

It is on the basis of this scripture that many theologians believe the two witnesses are Moses and Elijah. Moses turned the waters of Egypt to blood, and smote the land to numerous plagues until the children of Israel were delivered from Egypt’s bondage. Elijah was the prophet that caused it not to rain for three and a half years in Samaria.

The Two Witnesses Slain

“And when they shall have finished their testimony, the beast that ascendeth out of the bottomless pit shall make war against them, and shall overcome them, and kill them.” Revelation 11:7

For three and a half years the “two witnesses” have prophesied against the sins of the world and have smitten the earth with plagues “*as often as they will.*” Whether these are a “people” as I have suggested, or only two who are like unto Elijah and Moses, they are hated by the entire world. Statistics show that Islam will overtake Christianity in number by the middle of this century. In fact, according to statistics, Christianity is losing in percentage of world population. Jesus said, “*...shall not God avenge his own elect, **which cry day and night unto him**, though he bear long with them? I tell you that he will avenge them speedily.*

Nevertheless when the Son of man cometh, shall he find faith on the earth?” Luke 18:7-8. Sadly, the present state of Christianity in much of the world is not good. They have long ago ceased to “*cry day and night unto Him.*” I wrote a book year’s ago titled “Satan in the Church.” It was based on the scripture in the fourteenth chapter of Isaiah which tells of Lucifer’s ambition. He said, “*For thou hast said in thine heart, I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God: I will sit also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the north* (the Old Testament Temple and the New Testament Church): *I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will be like the most High. Yet thou shalt be brought down to hell, to the sides of the pit.*” Isaiah 14:13-15. Today, I believe Lucifer is the God of Islam by another name, and “*the beast that ascendeth out of the bottomless pit*” is Islam, which will make war against the two witnesses, and kill them.

“And they of the people and kindreds and tongues and nations shall see their dead bodies three days and an half, and shall not suffer their dead bodies to be put in graves. And they that dwell upon the earth shall rejoice over them, and make merry, and shall send gifts one to another; because these two prophets tormented them that dwelt on the earth. Revelation 11:9-10

The two witnesses will be hated by most of the inhabitants of earth. They will rejoice over their deaths, and send gifts to one another, because they were tormented by the message of the two prophets. It will be a Christian message of “*Jesus Christ, and Him crucified,*” the same message the Apostle Paul preached; “*For I determined not to know any thing among you, save Jesus Christ, and him crucified*” I Corinthians 2:2. By this time, Islam will have become the majority religion on earth, but the God of heaven will still be in control. After the dead bodies of the witnesses have lain in the streets of Jerusalem for three and a half days, God will raise them from the dead. They will stand on their feet, and hear a great voice from heaven saying to them, “*Come up hither*” Revelation 11:12. The entire world will see them as they ascend to heaven in a

cloud, exactly as Jesus did almost two thousand years ago at this time.

“The second woe is past; and, behold, the third woe cometh quickly.” Revelation 11:14

The Seventh and Last Trumpet; the Third Great Woe

The sounding of the seventh trumpet announces the return of Jesus Christ to earth. The Apostle Paul tells us more about the nature of His return in his letters to the Thessalonians and to the Corinthians;

*“For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and **with the trump of God**: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord.”*

I Thessalonians 4:16-17

*“Behold, I shew you a mystery; We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, **at the last trump**: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.”*

I Corinthians 15:51-52

Notice it is the “last trump,” which is the seventh trumpet, that brings the return of Jesus Christ and the resurrection of the dead.

“And the seventh angel sounded; and there were great voices in heaven, saying, The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of his Christ; and he shall reign for ever and ever.”

Revelation 11:15

Due to the condition of the religious world, the greatest “woe” the world will ever know will be the return of Jesus Christ.

*“And the **nations were angry**, and **thy wrath is come**, and the time of the dead, that they should be judged, and that thou shouldest give reward unto thy servants the prophets, and to the saints, and them that fear thy name, small and great; **and shouldest destroy them which destroy the earth.**”* Revelation 11:18

Recall that the beast with “seven heads” also had “ten horns.” These are ten “kings,” which receive their power and authority from the beast. These are the nations which are angry. The number ten is most likely symbolic, being the nations that make up the eighth “empire,” which is Islam. True Christian nations will rejoice at the return of Christ, but the Muslim nations will be angry. *“These shall make war with the Lamb, and the Lamb shall overcome them: for he is Lord of lords, and King of kings: and they that are with him are called, and chosen, and faithful”* Revelation 17:14. Jesus Christ, “The Lamb of God,” will overcome the nations of Islam, but He will not utterly destroy them at this time; instead, He shall *“rule them with a rod of iron.”*

The Rod of Iron

The first mention of a “rod of iron” is found in the Psalms of David; it is also a prophecy of the Son of God.

*“Ask of me, and I shall give thee the heathen for thine inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth for thy possession. **Thou shalt break them with a rod of iron; thou shalt dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel.** Be wise now therefore, O ye kings: be instructed, ye judges of the earth. Serve the LORD with fear, and rejoice with trembling. Kiss the Son, lest he be angry, and ye perish from the way, when his wrath is kindled but a little. Blessed are all they that put their trust in him.”* Psalms 2:8-12

In the second chapter of Revelation, there is a promise which Jesus gave to “the overcomer” in the Christian churches.

*“And he that overcometh, and keepeth my works unto the end, to him will I give power over the nations: **And he shall rule them with a rod of iron; as the vessels of a potter shall they be broken to shivers:** even as I received of my Father.”*

Revelation 2:26-27

In the twelfth chapter of Revelation the scripture reflects back to the birth of Jesus Christ;

*“And she brought forth a man child, **who was to rule all nations with a rod of iron**: and her child was caught up unto God, and to his throne.”* Revelation 12:5

*“And out of his mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the nations: **and he shall rule them with a rod of iron**: and he treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God.”* Revelation 19:15

The millennial reign of Jesus Christ will not be a “thousand years of peace,” as most modern theologians tell us. Instead, Jesus, and “*they that are with Him*” Revelation 17:14, that is, the “overcomers,” will rule over the “angry nations” of Islam with a rod of iron for a thousand years.

*“And when the thousand years are expired, Satan shall be loosed out of his prison, and shall go out to deceive the nations which are in the four quarters of the earth, **Gog and Magog, to gather them together to battle: the number of whom is as the sand of the sea.** And they went up on the breadth of the earth, and compassed the camp of the saints about, and the beloved city: and fire came down from God out of heaven, and devoured them. And the devil that deceived them was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone, where the beast and the false prophet are, and shall be tormented day and night for ever and ever.”* Revelation 20:7-10

God had promised Abraham that his seed would be multiplied “...as the stars of the heaven, and as the sand which is upon the sea shore;” Genesis 22:17. It should be understood that the children of God through Jesus Christ are counted as the “seed of Abraham.” They are a “...great multitude, which no man could number, of all nations, and kindreds, and people, and tongues...” Revelation 7:9. Islam, at the end of the thousand years will also be “...as the sand of the sea...” for number. Satan, who had been bound for a thousand years will be loosed. He will gather those nations he has deceived to do battle against the Christians, and against “*the beloved city, Jerusalem.*” At this point the end of

Islam will come. God had said, *“I will seek to destroy all the nations that come against Jerusalem”* Zechariah 12:9. These are the Islamic nations that surround Israel. Fire will fall from heaven and devour them. The devil that deceived them will be cast into the lake of fire and brimstone, *“...and whosoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire”* Revelation 20:15. Every person who has ever lived on earth from Adam until that day will be resurrected to stand before God at the great white throne judgment. Scientist estimate that to be over one hundred billion (100,000,000,000) people at this time. Only those whose names are found written in the book of life will enter the New Heavens and the New earth. All the rest will be cast into the eternal burning lake of fire to be tormented day and night forever. God has said He will *“...seek to destroy all the nations that come against Jerusalem”* Zechariah 12:9.

This will be the end of Islam. They will be destroyed by fire from heaven, only to be raised again to be judged by Jesus Christ at the White Throne Judgment, and cast alive into the lake of fire, where they will be tormented day and night for ever and forever. Oh friend, why will you take chances with your eternal soul. The Apostle Paul said, *“Whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord (Jesus) shall be saved”* Romans 10:13. “Whosoever” means you. Whether you are Muslim, Hindu, Buddhist, are any other religion of the world, you can call upon Jesus Christ and be saved today. Please don’t delay, because eternity is long and hell is hot, but Jesus Christ died on the cross to take your sin away, if you will call on Him today.

A close friend of mine who is with the Lord in heaven today, wrote a song before he passed from this life. I want you to know the words of the chorus;

*“Is your name written there, have you been made whole;
If the Lord should come today, who would claim your soul.
Ask yourself, search your heart, make your answer fair,
Are you saved, is your name written there.”*

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