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PREFACE

Many Bible researchers have attempted to define The Mark of The Beast. Since it is *a mark*, some think it is *a visible sign* or perhaps *a tattoo*. Others believe it is a card, like a membership in a club or an association such as The United Nations. Others believe the mark could be *a social security number*.

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INTRODUCTION

Whenever a recession occurs in the world, mankind becomes *frightened* and tries to make logical sense of it all. Humans, above all, want to live and *survive* the best they can. Science calls this “*Survival of The Fittest.*” In times of extreme stress, the value of your *money* becomes questionable. People naturally wonder about where and how they can keep it *protected*. Where can you trust to invest your money and make *a fair rate of return*? Moreover, what does *money* have to do with *The Mark of The Beast*? The answer may surprise you. It has everything to do with this dreaded “*mark.*” Money allows you to purchase items to fulfill your human needs, such as *food, shelter* and *clothing*. Money, in this life, has everything to do with survival. In fact, it is a large part of what *The Mark of The Beast* is all about – *biblically*.

Financial Investment

All over the world, banks and financial institutions were created to safely store your money. You place your money in a financial institution so you can receive a certain rate of return. You receive interest from it, but, in some cases, these institutions make exceptional profits. (Read the book, *Morality And Economics*). When a recession or depression hits and people lose some investments, they naturally become frightened. They do not know where there is a safe place to keep their money. This is stressful when the savings have been allotted for a rainy day or *retirement*. It is astounding how these banks, investment houses and brokers act like they know, in advance, what investment will show a profit. Sometimes they act like they

know six months to a year before they start investing your money. Then suddenly, stocks, bonds and real estate seem to fail. Some values start to rise even in a recession. How do they know?

They judge by facts and not hearsay. During a decline of values in the world, the financial *market* begins to improve out of *nowhere*, or does it? Some people, when observing these improvements, begin to gain *confidence*. They start to improve their attitudes about *survival*. Their fears have lessened. Then, these same people begin to spend money once again. All of a sudden the recession ends. How come? You are going to discover how it has to do with *The Mark of The Beast*. Most investors look for hard data, while others do not care. They may invest foolishly and then, afterwards, are scared to death.

Babylon

God wants His *people* to *come out of her* (Babylon) (Revelation 18:4). Why would Christians be in Babylon? *The Bible* tells you there are three groups of humans who are drunk or intoxicated with *Babylon*, “*For all nations [world] have drunk of the wine of the wrath of her fornication and the kings [world leaders] of the earth have committed fornication with her and the merchants [businesses] of the earth are waxed rich through the abundance of her delicacies*” (Revelation 18:3). The three groups that are involved in Babylon are: 1) *The World*, 2) *World leaders* and 3) *Businesses* or *merchants*. Christians are to be *in the world* but not of *the world*. You’ve heard it over and over again, “*Come out of her, my people*” (Revelation 18:4). Does that mean Christians are not to make *a living* in this

world? Are you to run off somewhere to hide and attempt to survive in a cave by *yourself*?

No! That is not the answer. How can you *witness The Gospel* when there are *not any people* to witness to? You are not to be *a society of hermits!* Christ did *not say*, “*Do not be in the world.*” He told you “*to be of the world, but not like those who are in the world*” (John 17:15-16) (paraphrased). Don’t act like *the world*, but rather try to be like *Christ*. He left you an example.

Can’t Buy Or Sell

The Book of Revelation tells about a time when a person will not be able to buy or sell unless they have The Mark of The Beast. Many misunderstand this prophecy, “*And he [a beast power] had power to give life to the image [idol] of the beast, that the image [idol] of the beast should both speak and cause that as many as would not worship the image [idol] of the beast should be killed. And he caused all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond [slave], to receive a mark in their right hand or in their foreheads: And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark or the name of the beast or the number of his name*” (Revelation 13:15-17). This text can’t be any clearer!

John wrote this so you would know what *The Mark of The Beast* stands for. You are told in *the next verse* that those who have Christ’s *wisdom* will know *The Mark of The Beast* is the number 666 (the number of a man) (Revelation 13:18). The definition of *The Mark of The Beast* is plain. It is *not a social security number* or being involved in an association like The United Nations. Rather, it is something entirely different. This

is something written in *the right hand* and on *the foreheads* of those who receive it. *The Book of Revelation* tells you it is going to be difficult to *buy* and *sell* unless you have this *mark*. Furthermore, this *mark* has to do with *the idol worship* of *The Image of The Beast*. It's time for you to take all these biblical revelations to heart and understand what *The Mark of The Beast* really represents (Revelation 13:18)!

CHAPTER 1

THE WORLD

To understand The Mark of The Beast, you need a definition for “*the world*” and another definition for “*Babylon*.” You are about to see how God describes and views this world. Once you understand God is telling you, *The Mark of The Beast*, is your enemy, everything becomes clear.

The Earth

The whole earth (the world) is God’s since He *created everything* (Psalm 24:1-5). Everything in the world, including humans, animals, fish and birds, belongs to Him. All the land in the world belongs to God. Everything is owned by God. God’s *dwelling place* (on top of a hill) is The Garden of Eden. The word “*marriage*” or “*married*” in Hebrew is “*Baal*” or “*master*” (Deuteronomy 24:1). God’s *house is the earth*. Consequently, God is *married to His property*.

The ones who are allowed to live on His *land* must be completely *sinless*. To be in God’s *house* and to have *Salvation*, you must have God’s *righteousness*. You must be *Holy*, like God (Ephesians 1:4). God will not *dwell* with or even *listen* to those who commit *sin*. God will not and cannot dwell with *the unrighteous* (Isaiah 59:1-2 and I John 5:17). Any *unrighteousness* is

sin because it causes *chaos, violence and death* (I John 5:17). All this is brought on by *The Mark of The Beast*. Originally, God dwelt on His *property* in The Garden of Eden. This entire Land Of Eden was *a delight and very beautiful*.

It was well cared for by God, who took care of *everything* (Genesis 2:3). God takes good care of His *land*. When Adam and Eve *sinned*, they had to leave God's *house*. From then on, Adam and Eve could live on God's *property* but *not in His house*. Adam and Eve were required to *work* and provide for themselves without God's *help*. Why was this?

When this first couple decided to eat from The Tree of The Knowledge of Good and Evil, they were determined to live their *own lives* and wanted to decide *what was right* for them. What was *the result*? Instead of *Salvation*, God said, "*doing it their way would only lead to death*" (Genesis 2:16-17) (paraphrased). The end result was called Babylon (Genesis 11:6-9). You will find the answer is *The Mark of The Beast*. Adam and Eve lost their *way to Salvation* by not eating from The Tree of Life. That tree was no longer available to them (Genesis 3:24). They were still in God's *pasture land* but they chose to be on their own. This, also, applied to Cain, Abel and all the other children of Adam and Eve.

The Land Of Nod

When Cain killed Abel, God banished him to *The Land of Nod*. "*Nod*" in Hebrew means a "*land of wan-*

dering.” It was *wild* and *uncultivated*. “*Wild*” means “*a wilderness*” or “*a dangerous place*” where an individual could lose the chance to obtain *Salvation*. A person could *die there*.

God had three places on this earth: 1) A house on a hill in a garden, 2) His cultivated land or farm where only clean farm animals dwelt and, 3) The wilderness where unclean beasts dwelt. Death could have been the result of living in this *wilderness*. All kinds of *beasts* and *carnivorous animals* lived there. The wilderness does not have God’s *protection*. Because sin is there, God cannot dwell there. As a result, God had not, yet, cultivated the wilderness.

God’s Seven Earthly Houses

In *The Bible*, God tried to *dwell* with His *people* in His *Holy house* six times. When the time comes for God’s *last seventh earthly house*, He will once again dwell with His *creation*.

The first earthly house was called The Garden of Eden (Genesis 1:31). His *second Holy house* was only *a tent* or *a moveable tabernacle*. This tabernacle was for Israel while they were in the wilderness. *The third house* was Solomon’s *temple* and *the fourth* was Herod’s *temple*, when Christ lived on the *earth*. God’s *fifth house* is a *spiritual house* comprised of Christians with God’s *Holy Spirit* dwelling in them. God’s *sixth earthly house* will come to pass in the future. It will be a physical temple. *The Millennium* is a special time when the entire world will be invited to The Wedding

Feast. Christ will then build *this house* which is physical so the people can follow *The Law of Moses* (Ezekiel 40 to 47). *The seventh Holy house* of God will take place during *The New Heaven* and *The New Earth*, which will not only be *spiritual* but *eternal* (Revelation 21 and 22).

God has departed from the world, which was and is an uncivilized land in *the wilderness* filled with wild and carnivorous animals. Babylon occurs when people decide for themselves about what is *right* or *wrong* (Genesis 11:6-7). Now, you've come to an important juncture in understanding *The Mark of The Beast*. The inhabitants of *the world* make too many decisions that bring wrong results which leads to *death*. These are unintended consequences. How many *ideas* can humans devise? There are as many concepts, numerically, as there are people in the world. What a mess! This situation really is Babylon!

All this confusion ends in *death*. *A world* without God can only *end* in *bestly behavior*. A world without God is a *pagan* world. What is a *pagan*? A "*pagan*" in Greek is defined as "*a country dweller*." The word conveys negative ideas such as *uneducated*, *uncivil* and *not for peaceful social intercourse*. It literally implies that a person, who is in outer darkness, has an uncivilized behavior and is completely in the dark. "*God is light and in Him is no darkness at all*" (I John 1:5). Since God has *no darkness*, God cannot *dwell in the world*, which is in *the wilderness* and full of *darkness*.

God, being *the light*, would *reflect light* into *the wilder-*

ness and, therefore, it *no longer would be dark or wild*. God knows *right from wrong* because “*There is none good but one, that is, God*” (Matthew 19:17). God is comprised of *goodness*.

“*Babylon*” is another word that can be defined alternately as “*human nature which is left to itself to determine right from wrong*.” This state of mind creates too many wrong choices. The Tree of The Knowledge of Good and Evil tells the whole story. Adam, Eve and all future generations decided for themselves what would be right or wrong (Genesis 11:6). The more *secular* the world becomes, the more *confused* the world becomes. You become like *the carnivorous beasts in the wilderness*. Scripturally, God is giving you insight into The Mark of The Beast.

Christ prayed to The Father, “*I pray not that you should take them out of the world, but that you should keep them from the evil. They are not of the world, even as I am not of the world*” (John 17:14-17). By knowing *the truth*, God will *sanctify you* even though you are living in the world. Jesus states, “*As you [God] have sent me into the world, even so have I also sent them into the world*” (John 17:18). The message becomes clear. Even though you are to be in the world as God’s *witness*, you are not to become part of *the world’s evilness*. Can you begin to see how you are getting close to understanding *The Mark of The Beast*?

CHAPTER 2

TIMES OF THE GENTILES

Regarding The Return of Jesus, *The Bible* says, “*And they shall fall by the edge of the sword and shall be led away captive into all nations: and Jerusalem shall be trodden down of the Gentiles, until the times of the Gentiles be fulfilled*” (Luke 21:24).

Even though Judah, as part of Israel today, is The Land of God, Jerusalem is still being trodden down by The Gentiles. The Jews keep arguing with The Arabs over Jerusalem. Their main argument concerns The Dome of The Rock and the original site for The Temple of God. Until The Times of The Gentiles have been completed, Christ cannot return and rebuild The Temple of God.

The Great Image

“*An image*” is, biblically, defined as “*an idol*.” These idols or images were *worshipped* by the masses. *The great image* described in Daniel, has *four parts* which represent *The Four World Gentile Kingdoms* (Daniel 2). These four kingdoms are ruled by three men. They will rule the world until The Messiah returns and establishes The Kingdom of God. This is when

His Temple will be built. Consequently, this new construction will end *The Times Of The Gentiles*. The three men were: 1) Nebuchadnezzar of Babylon; 2) Cyrus, The Mede who ruled over Media-Persia; and finally, 3) Alexander, The Great, the ruler over The Greco-Macedonian Empire. *The fourth beast* is a composite of these three rulers. The number 666 consists of three heads, because each number (6) represents *the number of a man*.

Daniel's "great image" has been worshipped by the whole world and will be honored until Christ returns. This image, today, is called *globalization*. Remember, this important fact – The Mark of The Beast is ruled by ten kings. This includes all nations who have become drunk with The Babylonian Mysteries and have committed fornication with her in business and religion (as with a whore). This includes "the merchants of the earth [who] are waxed rich" (Revelation 18:3).

Nations fornicate by having *intercourse* with others instead of their own husband, who is God. God is the sole owner of *the land*. When one country makes agreements with other nations (not relying upon God for their needs), *The Bible* calls it "world fornication." Your understanding of The Mark of The Beast will become clearer and clearer.

The world is presently in a recession and is worshipping *The Image of The Beast!* But, how do you worship this image? Try to picture individuals who are willing to give all *their money* to keep *this image* alive. They have a willingness to go broke, if necessary, in order

to keep *globalization* or *this world's economy* alive! Metaphorically, the woman called Babylon rides *The Beast with seven heads and ten horns* (Revelation 13 and Revelation 17:3). *The Bible* explains how these seven heads are governments, which will, finally, end sooner than you might think. (Read the book, *Satan's Image* for the historical information of this beast).

The first beast in the original Babylon, under Nimrod, was a kingdom called Babel. Babel had ties to Egypt. Assyria was the second beast while Babylon of Nebuchadnezzar's day was the third. The fourth was Media-Persia, the fifth was The Greco-Macedonian Empire and the sixth was Rome. The seventh was located in Constantinople and was known as The New Rome. (Restructured by Constantine in Constantinople, consisting of two legs – Western Rome and The Eastern Empire).

With Constantine, *the seven heads* completed this group. Following these seven heads was *an eighth head* which was only *an image* but in the likeness of the previous seven. Rome was finally *defeated* in The Fifth Century by The Vandals, Ostrogoths and Huruli.

Babylon, The (Future) Great Whore is *a great city* which has been *worshipped* since Christ's days. It was worshipped as if it were *Sodom* and *Egypt*. This is because *The Prophets* and God's people were *martyred* in this city (Revelation 11:8). It is the city where Christ was crucified – Jerusalem. (Read the book, *What's It All About*). Islam, Judaism and Christianity, the three great religions of the world, claim Jerusalem as their

own. All claim *the present Jerusalem* as being theirs and theirs alone! This generates a power struggle for full possession of the city. Throughout history, Jerusalem was *a city of warfare and blood*. She is *The Great Babylonian Whore* (Sodom and Egypt). Constantine, *the seventh head of the beast*, had written about the acceptance of *Christianity* in his will. Upon his death, he passed on his own form of God's *government and religion* (Pontifex Maximus) to the two great Christian Churches – The Catholic and The Orthodox.

Rome was considered *first among equals*. These two great *Christian religions* continued with *this image* of the seventh head of the beast as *the eighth head*. This eighth head was *an image* of the previous seven.

Now you have arrived to the present day where these *two religions* have *split apart* and have given birth to daughters which came out of them in protest. Biblically, these daughters are called *harlots*. Christ *warns* His seven churches and The Remnant of Israel, The 144,000, to come out of this Babylonian System in Jerusalem (Revelation 2 and 3). In God's eyes, all of them are seen as Sodom and Egypt, the original Babylon (at The Tower of Babel) (Genesis 11).

When will The Messiah return? *The Bible* tells you He will return when The Times of The Gentiles are fulfilled. When Christ returns, Jerusalem will no longer *be trodden down* by The Gentiles (Luke 21:24).

Christ will return with His *Bride*, which is The Church of God and *includes The 144,000 Israelites* (Revela-

tion 11). **When will that occur? It will not be on any particular date which you can mark on a calendar. He will return when His *Bride* is ready to become His *Wife* (Revelation 19:7-8). When will this come about?**

Clearly, *The Bible* states it will be when His *Bride* is clothed in *righteousness*. It could take thousands of years (II Peter 3). Read what Jesus told His Disciples (Matthew 24, Luke 21 and Mark 13). What will transpire, historically, so you can understand *this end* of The Times of The Gentiles?

CHAPTER 3

WORSHIP OF THE IMAGE

The two beasts in Revelation 13 worship the dragon, Satan. The first beast, having seven heads and ten horns with ten crowns, refers to the seven heads from Babylon starting with Nimrod. It continues to the seventh head, which is Rome under Constantine. Rome fell in The Fifth Century and, from then on, the eighth head, being an image of the seven heads, continues throughout history (Revelation 17:11). It is an idol or system which is worshipped. The second beast speaks like a lamb (Christ), but is a beast that blasphemes God. This beast carries the banner of its religion. This image is a composite of the previous seven heads and continues The Deception of Satan.

Buy And Sell

This second beast had two horns or governments just as Constantine's rule comprised The West and The East. This eighth head truly is derived out of the seven, but it is only an image or likeness of its predecessors. This beast is so influential that those who do not worship this image become the enemy and war will be made against them (the saints). Those who do not worship this beast will be killed (Revelation 13:15). Only when

a person carries *this Mark of The Beast* can he/she buy and sell to survive. What will a person be able to buy and sell? This is not referring to merely being able to go to the grocery store to obtain food or basic human needs. Remember, *the merchants will grow extremely rich* because of this beast. So, *this buying and selling* is far more significant than just going *shopping*. This buying and selling refers to *a system of worldwide business* which profits *the merchants of the entire world*. That is why the world's merchants cry and mourn when *The Babylonian System* is destroyed (Revelation 18:11). Notice, this system affects the entire world and, eventually, no one will be able to buy any merchandise.

“*Buying*” and “*selling*” are key words pointing to a prophecy concerning “*a global-merchandising method.*” It is based upon *world trade* like the reference given to ancient Tyre (Ezekiel 28). Prophecy forecasts that *this Satanic System of Babylon* will be *cut off* (Isaiah 14:22). Today, nations call it *globalization*. It is *the process of world-trade agreements* between nations, competitively, outdoing each other and all the while cooperating to seemingly help each other. These are *the ten toes* (world leaders), which are partly of *iron* (militarily strong) and partly of *clay* (commercially strong). The mixture makes them *weak* (very competitive) (Daniel 2). Upon Christ's return, He defeats these ten toes (these world economic powers).

Today, *the world* seems to be *fearful* about *the economy*. The world may be approaching the time of *global economic prosperity*, but, in reality, this Babylonian Sys-

tem has *The Mark of The Beast*. It is ruled by Satan, The Dragon. The price for success in this *beastly system* is a *mark*, which all *the super-wealthy will carry*. *This mark* is compared to the three heads – Nebuchadnezzar, Cyrus and Alexander combined (the seventh, like Rome). The Roman Government claimed, “*rule by the people*,” but The Caesars acted like *dictators*. *This image of Rome* (the eighth) demands to be worshipped until The Messiah comes. The eighth head is a form of idolatry based upon *greed* (Colossians 3:5).

Bowing To The Image

“*To worship*” in Greek means “*to lay prostrate*.” The word “*image*” is “*an idol*.” *An idol* is anything that is more important than God. It is one of their mini-gods. When people are *fearful* enough and do not know who to *trust*, they will worship anyone who promises them the tools for fulfilling their needs of *survival*. Those with *The Mark of The Beast* like Babylon, Media-Persia and The Greco-Macedonian Empire and others who have the number 666 are like ravenous beasts and devour people and kingdoms. This composite of all three is fulfilled in Rome. Now, *the image* of this Roman Government, as the eighth head, will be *worshipped as the world’s savior*. *The Mark of The Beast* has to do with *a world government* and is dominated by *ten world leaders* (Daniel 2:40-44). These leaders promote *the economic system of globalization*, which brings great prosperity to the world. It is composed of *iron and clay*. Militarily, when these ten leaders *unite*, they will be *unbeatable*. However, each of their *internal motives* will be different. Each leader, natu-

rally, wants *the best* for his own *nation*. Personally, they may be *very decent*, but they will be willing to *kill* if threatened. The world will truly be *a mixture of iron and clay*. *The Mark of The Beast* is far more than some *sign* or *mark*. It will be looked upon as *a god* that helps them to survive. It has to do with who is *worshipped*. Will it be The True God or *an earthly false imagined god*? Jesus declared God is The One who *supplies* every human *need* and there is no other God.

Christ said when you, as a Christian, pray, God knows what your needs are before you ask (Matthew 6:9-13). God made Christ – *your Savior and Protector*. *This role* is not fulfilled by *any man* (Titus 3:6-8). If you *fear* for your *survival* and look to *a human government*, then you *lack faith* in God. Today, many are very *fearful* and look to *their human governments*. They want *a change* and, yet, when they see an opportunity, they still want to be cared for by their government. They are more than willing to be under the government's rule. In fact, some *demand* it.

The Mark of The Beast is a *type of behavior*, which can be explained *scripturally*. As Christians, you either look to God and Christ as your *Savior*, or else you look to a man or a government. The only one who created you and gave you *life* was God. No human owes you anything. When you were *born*, God gave you *life* and promised to *care for you*. All you need to do is *believe* Him! That is *faith*.

Those with *The Mark of The Beast* have their *faith* in

the beast as their *mini-savior*. God warns His people to have *faith* in Him and to come out of *Babylon*. The Mark of The Beast is not *some sign* but rather it is followed as *a matter of faith*. Worshipping *The Image of The Beast* is the act of prostrating yourself and *trusting* in *that leadership*. How can you tell if you have *The Mark of The Beast*? It is simple! It is a matter of *faith* and about who, you, as a Christian, believe will *save you*. The majority of people in *the world* believe in *their rulers* and its *governments*. *Only those, who trust the beast, will carry The Mark of The Beast and suffer the seven last plagues* (Revelation 15).

CHAPTER 4

WHO IS THE BEAST?

The word “*beast*” in Greek is “*therion*.” This is different from the word “*zoa*” in Greek. “*Zoa*” signifies “*living creatures*” which are, also, in the heavens. *A therion beast is like a viper which is poisonous. A zoa can be domesticated like a farm animal. Symbolism in The Bible ranges from gentle animals to extremely dangerous, wild animals, such as lions, bears and leopards. The Bible uses the full range of animal life as an analogy to prove its biblical purpose. (Read the book, Discovering God).*

Human Animals

Symbolically and prophetically, humans are depicted as animals. Animal sacrifices, when offered for *sin*, are like slain *farm animals*. Humans are of the animal kingdom, scientifically, so their *nature* can be symbolized by *the different animals*.

God only accepts animals that are *teachable* for sacrifice. Sheep, oxen and goats can denote the characteristics of human nature. Humans, symbolically, can range from *sheep* to *snakes* and, ultimately, to *the devouring ones*, like *lions*. *The Bible* uses the animal kingdom to depict human nature. This is true, espe-

cially, in reference to *prophecy*. Jesus is represented by a lamb, as in *The Lamb of God*. Those who are depicted as *goats* are thrown into *The Lake of Fire*. *Carnivorous beasts* depict *The Mark of The Beast*. Some examples are the lion, bear and leopard, which carry the number 666.

Paul refers to *denominational* Christians as “*Babes In Christ*” (I Corinthians 3). Why is this? Very simply, Paul defines his reasons about why divisions are caused in The Body of Christ. Then he said, “*Are you not carnal and walk as men?*” (I Corinthians 3:3). “*Carnal*” in Greek is “*sarkikos*” or “*fleshly*.” If you are not a vegetarian, you eat *flesh* just like any wild *devouring beast*. Some animals in the jungle will, in extreme cases, devour people.

The Garden Of Eden

In God’s *house* and *property* (land), you will find God has *no wild beasts*. Specifically, in The Garden (God’s House of Rest) you will find *a snake* who cunningly works his way onto the scene to deceive Eve. In fact, Adam and Eve only had *the fruits* of the trees to eat for food. Once they ate *the wrong fruit*, they had to leave The Garden and The House of God. They were only allowed to live in The Land of Eden. On God’s *farm* in Eden, Cain and Abel grew crops and raised sheep. There were *no wild animals*. However, Adam and Eve and their family had to do all *the work*.

In The Garden, they had a good deal. This was because God took care of everything. God was the farmer, the

planter, the tiller, the rain giver and the protector. He was Adam and Eve's *everything*. They were still safe, except from each other. Once Adam and Eve sinned it became necessary to give sacrifices for sin.

Land Of Wandering

When Cain acted like *a wild man* (a lion) and killed Abel, he was exiled to *The Land of Nod* (a wilderness). He was no longer allowed to *live in safety* in Eden. He was on his own in *the wilderness*, which is being in *the world* without God's *protection*. *This wilderness* was a place of *great uncertainty*.

For humans, trying to take care of themselves, it became *a serious matter of self-survival*. Cain explains to God how his "*punishment is greater than I can bear*." He is completely on his own to feed himself and his growing family. In his attempt to *survive*, he was not able to *live forever*. Finding eternal life was his only pursuit (as the book, *The Epic of Gilgamesh* reveals).

In time, humans felt *safer* when they gathered themselves together into *towns* or *cities*. Their enemies were miles apart, unless they had a few enemies living close to them. When they built *walls* around a city, they felt safer. This reality is found throughout *human history*. *Survival of the fittest* consumed everyone in various degrees. That is why Lamech, Cain's relative (after he killed two people) declared, "*If Cain shall be avenged* [forgiven] *sevenfold* [seven times], *truly Lamech* [I] *seventy and sevenfold* [should be forgiven seventy times seven]" (Genesis 4:24).

Human History

The human family started the concept of *community life* which focused upon *survival* and *security*. Kings and rulers appeared over these city/states by declaring they were the chosen saviors of the people. The need for *The Promised Messiah* was sought throughout *the entire world*, even in *the wilderness*. God would *no longer dwell* where *sin* was, because it brought *death*. God is not The God of *the dead* but of *the living*. However, all the different tribes, towns and cities looked for a savior to arise. History shows how generation after generation, in every nation, many looked for a *messiah* who was, yet, to come (I Corinthians 15).

In this wilderness, ships on the oceans have the greatest insecurity. The oceans are beautiful to observe, but they are hostile in *their breadth* and *depth*. That is why *the most carnivorous creatures* can be found in the oceans. Prophecy tells of *these beasts* coming out of *the great sea*. The ancestors of the early communities and nations knew *the truth* about The Garden of Eden and God's land (Romans 1:18). *This truth* was known from *the beginning*, but, eventually, this truth was turned into *unrighteousness*. When you do not follow God and want to become righteous, you begin to look to man as your *messiah*.

What did the early ancients (The Sumerians) do? Some were *decent* like *sheep* (gentle). Others varied and were more like an ox, goat, lion, bear, leopard or even a snake! Through many generations, the people eventually turned the truth of their forefathers into

unrighteousness by following Satan instead of God. It is because of *this human nature* that individuals behave like animals. They began to worship what God created rather than The God who created them. Some became rulers and were considered *mini-gods*, who were part human and part divine.

They were, also, viewed as part human and part like a strong animal (like *the sphinx* in Egypt). If a Pharaoh was as strong as an ox, then he was pictured as an ox, lion or an eagle. The people knew they weren't animals, but they had the characteristics of those beasts. *The Wrath of God* will come upon all who behave *as devouring wild animals* (Romans 1:18). Now, you can begin to understand *The Mark of The Beast*. *This mark* is the result of *the natural behavior* of humanity when they emulate beasts (to the point of devouring each other militarily). Beasts vary and can be *devouring, deceptive* or *mild*. When they are domesticated, they can be *gentle*. The carnivorous beasts eat flesh – any flesh. This happens in the wilds of a jungle or even in any so-called civilized society. The word “*civil*” means “*able to function as a peaceful community.*” They can be civilized. But, when *sin prevails*, every civilization *deteriorates*. Most humans believe they can create a civilized society. Many nations find out it is not always as easy as they thought. The State of California recently learned it couldn't afford to keep criminals in prison, therefore, a percentage of criminals were set free to torment society once again. God will never allow mankind to dwell in The House of God until they are *totally civilized*. God knows you need Him to make you *Holy*. Always remember, it is a gift from God.

“*Vanity of vanity...all is vanity,*” said Solomon with his ***gift of wisdom*** (Ecclesiastes 1:2). ***The Bible*** is the story about ***mankind’s journey***. It begins in The Garden of Eden in The House of Peace and Rest where God provided everything ***humans needed***. They had an added gift of Eternal Life. Mankind, by their own ***self-determination***, came to ***their final outcome***. As an ***animal in the wilderness***, only mankind’s self-wit allowed them to ***survive***. The question becomes, ***“what kind of beastly behavior will end civil human society?”***

Through thousands of years of ***this human journey*** living as ***pilgrims in the wilderness*** and wandering aimlessly, God pleads with His people to change their ways. To do so, they must become Holy before they can have ***rest or peace*** and live in The House of God (Ephesians 1). God pleaded five times for His people to have ***faith*** in Him. Instead, The Messianic Jews and Christians looked to other humans or thought they, themselves, could find all the answers to life.

First, God started with Adam and Eve in The Garden; secondly, in The Tabernacle (the wilderness with Israel); thirdly, in Solomon’s Temple; the fourth, with Herod’s Temple; the fifth, with The Spiritual Temple (within you) along with The Church of God (dwelling in your heart); the sixth will be during The Millennium and, finally, the seventh time, God, The Father will win out. He will send His Son to save the world from complete annihilation. Then, Christ and The Faithful will reign (Revelation 21 and 22).

CHAPTER 5

THE BEAST

*This “beast” of Revelation is worshipped throughout the world (Revelation 13:1-9). This worship is decided through the choice of the people. Most people choose to follow those who will provide security and peace. The Roman Government continued to function during The Fifth Century an image of its former self. This image (idol) is worshipped by the whole world through the various religious systems with the two legs continuing into the time of The Mark of The Beast (Revelation 13:11-18). These world religious systems have many harlots or divisions. Remember, *the eighth head* prevails and is a duplicate of the prior seven.*

Now, the lion, the bear and the leopard (symbolizing nations) are combining the government with the land. These three are combining as one world power which is Rome. The daughters of the seventh (comprising the eighth) show themselves under Justinian, Charlemagne, Napoleon and Hitler. Paul tells you what to think about these daughters who imitate the original ideas of a false religion. They bring with it various ideas from The Tower of Babel concerning The Great Whore (II Thessalonians 2:3).

Son Of Perdition

“Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come [Christ], except there come a falling away first and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition” (II Thessalonians 2:3). ***This falling away*** was well underway by the end of The First Century (Read *The Book of Jude*). It was so bad that Christ instructed John to write a letter to warn the people that they were corrupt and were not preaching The Good News of *The Bible*. They strayed from the faith once preached. *The Book of Revelation* had to be written to His *two witnesses* – *The Church of God* and *The Remnant of Israel* (The 144,000). When will *The Man of Sin, The Son of Perdition* be revealed? The last seven heads were bad enough. This man is so terribly sinful because he, literally, leads *the whole world to its death*. This person is so evil, he opposes all of God’s *ways* and His *truth*. He has exalted himself *above* God. He has the audacity to claim to be God. Until this man is made *known*, Christ will not return (II Thessalonians 2:4). This is The anti-Christ.

Paul warns that *this Mystery of Iniquity* was already at *work* and will continue until this man’s *time of removal* takes place. Jesus, The Christ, will reveal this *evil person* and *destroy him*. This *Man of Sin* performs *The Works of Satan* with *power, signs* and *lying wonders*. This man sees himself as a Savior of The World, but he is The anti-Christ. This conclusion is based upon human nature interconnected with *Bible teachings*. “*Anti-Christ*” means “*being against Jesus and The Word of God.*”

God will allow those with The Mark of The Beast to fall under this strong delusion and believe this lie (II Thessalonians 2:5-12). Why would the world believe *this lie*? The following *Bible* verse explains what happens to *the merchants of the earth* when they see *the end of Babylon – The Great Whore*. “*And they cast dust on their heads and cried, weeping and wailing, saying, Alas, alas, that great city, wherein were made rich [which] all that had ships in the sea by reason of her costliness! For in one hour is she made desolate*” (Revelation 18:19). Jerusalem, where the world’s three major religions make their claim and hold court, will be destroyed. To find the culprit in any crime, you must look for the motive. At other times they say, “*Follow the money.*” For *this Son of Perdition* and all who *worship the beast*, the reality concerns *world economic prosperity*. *Globalization is where the money is located*. *This Man of Sin* will be *worshipped* as a *Savior* because he seems to provide all the world’s needs. That is why this future world leader will be *worshipped* and followed. He will *deceive everyone* except God’s *elect*. The appearance of this Man of Sin is still to come.

The Elect

The Apostle, John, gives you *a clear definition* of those who are *The Elect of God* and those who have *The Mark of The Beast*. “*Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him*” (I John 2:15). This is pretty simple! When Christians fear for their needs and desires and solely depend on the leaders of their nation, they will be deceived. The beast is all about

money and the pleasures in this world. John says, “For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh and the lust of the eyes and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world” (I John 2:16). All of this becomes, biblically, obvious. The Mark of The Beast is not a written sign or mark but rather it is a structured human behavior! It depends upon who or what you decide to love – God or this world. When you are fearful for your survival and your needs, you depend on this world’s government. Christians, who grow spiritually and are dependent upon God, will still be in this world. However, they will not have The Mark of The Beast. So, you must spiritually grow and do everything possible to become one of God’s elect (I John 2:16-17).

The Anti-Christ

Who is The anti-Christ? Many believe it is only one person. “*Little children [elect], it is the last time [days]: and as you have heard that anti-christ shall come, even now are there many anti-christs; whereby we know that it is the last time*” (I John 2:18). *The Last Times or The Last Day brings many anti-Christ, not just one. However, during The End of Days there is only one. From The Days of The Apostles, The Roman Government formed the beginning of The Last Days (Hebrews 1:1-3). These Last Days from Rome, the seventh head of the beast, are followed by an image of the seventh, but it comprised the eighth head. This Eighth Head of The Beast is in the image of the seventh and many anti-Christ, arise during that time. These are all the daughters who are harlots coming out of this Great Whore – Babylon. History is full of these anti-Christ*

from Justinian, Charlemagne, Napoleon to Hitler and there are even more to come. They will attempt to reestablish The Old Roman Empire. Today, it is just a facsimile of its former governmental structure. There will be many anti-Christ's who are against The Real Savior. These anti-Christ's believe in themselves. They believe they truly are *the saviors of the world*.

Remember, The anti-Christ tries to make *this world* succeed by bringing peace and prosperity, but all of this is without The True God. The word "*anti*" in Greek is "*against*" and it means "*a person who takes the place of Christ and claims to be Jesus, The Christ.*" All those who *worship this image* have *The Mark of The Beast*. It focuses on how *one behaves* and it is *not a mark* in the ordinary sense of the word. The Man of Sin (the future anti-Christ) is, also, against The True Christ. *The End of Days in these Last Days* will reveal this Man of Sin (Daniel 12). John, very clearly, defines who is The anti-Christ (I John 4:1-6). John begins by revealing The anti-Christ comes in *a specific spirit*. *This definitive spirit* is contained in *many false prophets*. There are many anti-Christ's. They began at the time of The Tower of Babel and have continued to this present day. All of them represent *the beast* ruled by The Dragon, Satan, who *deceives* the whole world (II Corinthians 4:4). Now, very clearly, John tells you, "*Hereby know you the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God*" (I John 4:2). This is more than just discussing whether Jesus was divine or human. This plainly states that Jesus Christ *never* came as a human being. *Anti-Christ*, also, means *a replacement*

for the real Jesus. “And every spirit [many] that confesses not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God: and this is that spirit of anti-christ, whereof you have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world” (I John 4:3). The anti-Christ claim Jesus, The Christ, *never came in the flesh*. To them, the argument about Christ’s divinity was only an excuse because the real issue was about when *The Messiah* actually came. These anti-Christ see *themselves in the place of Jesus*. They *deny* Jesus ever came as a human in the flesh. This is the spirit of many of The anti-Christ. People in the world who believe in human saviours like Kings, Caesars or protectors are part of *The Mark of The Beast*. They *love* this world and are *a part* of it. That is why The Apostle John said, *“Hereby know you the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God”* (I John 4:2).

The Man of Sin is the final anti-Christ. Why is this? It is because The Man of Sin seems to be *succeeding* and, for many people, he is producing *a prosperous world*. *All the world worships* this anti-Christ while the masses think this is The Christ sent from God. Presently, The Jews and Muslims believe *The Christ is not The Messiah*. So, when *The Man of Sin* comes, he will prosper in *all his ways* and *deceive many*. The Eighth Image of The Beast will succeed and be *falsely worshipped* as *The True Christ*. But, when The True Christ does come, He will destroy this *false man-created* Messiah. Christ will set-up The True Kingdom of God (Daniel 2 and 12). This will be The End of Days. You now have to ask yourself, *“end of what days?”*

CHAPTER 6

THE END OF DAYS

When you hear God's seventh trumpet, He will usher His final warnings to the world (Revelation 16). A trump is an advanced warning from God. It is time for The Bride of Christ to become worthy (Revelation 19:6-8). World conditions will have developed so that the final anti-Christ is at hand and human behavior is bearing its final fruit. The End of Days is near.

By Their Fruits

Jesus states, "*By their fruits you shall know them*" (Matthew 7:20). The Tree of Life, God's *Holy Spirit*, will bring *peace* and *eternal paradise*. The Tree of The Knowledge of Good and Evil, along with Satan's deception, only brought a mixture of *good* and *evil*. This is The End Time. God has not controlled *human events*, rather they are the result of human nature. God wanted to *dwell* with His people, so six times in human history He tried to build His Holy House. But the people were not ready. For thousands of years, since Christ first came, too many individuals still have not come to *complete repentance* (II Peter 3). *The curse* on the earth was not given by God. The curse on the earth is *the natural result of the deeds of mankind*. God's only *curse* was in allowing man's human

behavior to come to its natural conclusion which is ruining God's land, oceans, rivers, lakes and the air that individuals breathe (Malachi 4:6).

Daniel's Time Of Trouble

At The Time of The End, the results of human behavior will conclude in *enormous troublesome times*. At The End Time, Michael, The Archangel will stand up for God's people – Israel and The Church of God (Daniel 12:1). These troublesome days will continue until *the resurrection of the just and unjust* (Daniel 12:2-3). It will be a time when *the righteous* Christians will turn *the unrighteous* ones to *righteousness*. Do you understand what you have just read? These will be *the most troublesome times* the world has ever experienced. The Archangel (through God) will *help individuals convert from their ungodly ways* and turn to God. *The End Days are the beginning of the conversion to the truth.*

Throughout world history from Daniel's day, there has been increased world travel and an explosive increase in *knowledge* (Daniel 12:4). At The End Days, man will possess *weapons of complete genocide*. At the same time, Michael will be preaching the truth (Daniel 12:1-3). Now, you come to an important juncture in *prophecy*. Why did God choose Daniel to divulge prophetic information about The End Days? You are about to see that your *perfect* God has covered every detail of His *plan*. The first tribulation, which had not been before, occurred to Judah with the destruction of *The Temple* and ended with the suicides at

Masada. That *troublesome time* concluded with The Tribe of Judah being scattered throughout *the world* (Luke 21:24). This dispersion continued *the troubled times* of The Jews, especially when they came out of Babylon with The Decree of Cyrus, The Mede. This First Tribulation dispersed God's people, The Jews, into *all nations* (Matthew 24, Mark 13 and Luke 21). This occurs in The Last Days of the beast (Rome) but it is not The End of Days (which is The Second Tribulation). The Ending Tribulation involves all nations of the world and not just Rome.

Now, for the answer concerning why God chose Daniel to prophesy about *The Great Image* and *The Beast with Seven Heads* (Daniel 2, 7, 8 and 9). This prophecy is about the exodus of God's people from *The Promised Land* (God's physical house on earth) (Luke 21:24). From this time on, The House of God consists of *spiritual Christians*. The Land of God is *turned over* to The Gentiles. These *troublesome times* for Jerusalem will not end until The Return of Christ. That is why Christ said, "*He will not return until The Times of The Gentiles are fulfilled* (completed)" (Luke 21:24) (paraphrased). Daniel's *prophecy* covers The Times of The Gentiles when they *destroyed* The House of God and *took over* The Promised Land of God. So, The Times of The Gentiles applies to the condition of exercising control over God's people and Jerusalem. This began in Daniel's day. That is why Daniel's prophecy, also, concludes with The End of Days being The Great final Ending Tribulation. Mankind will live and die in a time like the world has never seen before. (Read the book, *The Times of The Gentiles*).

Nebuchadnezzar's Head Of Gold

During Nebuchadnezzar's (The King of Babylon) seven years of living like *a wild man*, he emulated *a beast* in the wilderness *surviving on his own* (Daniel 4). The King experienced what human nature is like when it is left, completely, to itself. That is why Daniel told The King, "*he was The Head of Gold over The House of God.*" However, this lasted as long as he acknowledged God was The Almighty One over *all* gods. Once Nebuchadnezzar acknowledged The One True God, his rulership was restored. As long as any ruler, whether Gentile or Israelite, acknowledges that God is The One True God, they are allowed to rule over His property (Psalm 24:1). When they view themselves as *a god, a savior or a messiah, their end is very near*. They will bring about their end by means of their own human behavior, which is that of *a beast*. Without God, peace and Paradise *cannot be possible!* Humans, when left to themselves, always come to *the same conclusion* which is that of lying, lusting, stealing, murdering, sadness, pain, war and death.

Constantine, The Great

When Constantine ended The Rule of Rome, the seventh head ended. *This Great Image*, The Gentile Rule of the earth, now included *The West* and *The East – the two legs* (Daniel 2). How did Constantine *structure* the seventh head of the beast? It was based upon Christianity. Constantine took over Rome in 325 A.D. at The Council of Nicea. He brought all The Bishops around The Mediterranean Sea to The Council Meeting. He

deemed Christianity *the official belief* of The Seventh Head of The Beast. Even though he remained *a sun worshipper* until he was baptized just before his *death*, he always *acknowledged* The One True God and His Son, The Messiah. This is why Constantine is the seventh head, a head of gold, just like Nebuchadnezzar who retained his kingdom and passed on his image to The West and The East until Christ *returns* (Daniel 2)!

The Property of God and The House of God (spiritual temple) is *captive in Babylon* until The End of Days. Christ tells His people “*to come out of her [Babylon]*” before *The Wrath* of God is unleashed upon those with *The Mark of The Beast* (Revelation 18 and 19). The End of Days is *a time of truth* coming to fruition with the help of Michael, The Archangel (Daniel 12). Over the course of history, *knowledge* builds to the point where *human technology* can create *miraculous inventions*. God’s people, Christians and Messianic Jews, will be preaching *The Gospel*. Christ is telling Christians in Babylon to grow, *spiritually*, and to be like He was, when He lived on the earth. Human nature, left to itself, without *The Holy Spirit of God*, will always worship *The Mark of The Beast* and satisfy their human desires and lusts. God *accepts everyone of all nations*, even in Babylon, as long as they *fear Him and seek righteousness* (Acts 10:35). Every Gentile and every Israelite is included. All God-fearers are His. *The seven trumpets* are *the warnings* of God that your human behavior is at the point where The Wrath of God will be unleashed upon those with The Mark of The Beast.

CHAPTER 7

WHAT IS THE MARK?

The Mark is the number of *the beast* (666) and it is, also, the number of *a man* (Revelation 13:18). Individually, each number “6” represents Nebuchadnezzar, Cyrus and Alexander, the originators of the three beasts. The fourth is Rome, which is a composite of the former three and leaves one man who will be known as 666.

Three Unclean Spirits

Three unclean *spirits* will come out of the mouth of *the dragon* (devil), out of the mouth of *the beast* (seven heads) and out of the mouth of *the false prophet* (of all the religions) (Revelation 16:13-14). *These spirits* are *devils* and deceive not only the kings of the earth but *the whole world*. It is a time to gather them to *battle* on God Almighty’s *great day*. The devil, the beast and the false prophets will gather *the armies* of *the world* to fight a world war over *The Whore* (The Great City). This city is the center of the world’s three major religions and, according to *prophecy*, is *Jerusalem*. This is where *all nations* of the world gather to battle over *religion* (Islam, Judaism and Christianity) (Zechariah 14).

This war is *ideological* and does not concern the land.

It is over *The Holy House of God* and *The Property of God* and determines which religion has a right over *The House of God* and *The Land of God*. This is *Babylon* in The End of Days, which God regards as *Sodom* and *Egypt*. Remember, they killed The Prophets and The Saints (Revelation 16:6).

Because these three religions have *shed the blood* of The Righteous People of God, Babylon, The Great Whore's blood will, also, be shed. Satan (the beast) and these false religious systems will be causing *this war*. Timewise, it is at the time of *the seven trumpets* (Revelation 16).

These seven trumpets are *the warnings* from God to the world regarding their *behavior* which they knowingly and unknowingly took on as *The Mark of The Beast*. This Beast comprises exactly *seven heads of government* from The Tower of Babel to the period of World War III. Each head and its *daughters* (as harlots) under Satan have *deceived the world*.

Only those who, *in faith*, have come out of these false religious systems and governments do not have *this Mark of The Beast* and will continue to grow *spiritually* leaving the teachings of *Babylon* (Revelation 18:4).

Those remaining in Babylon, who *fear God*, *seek righteousness* and keep God's *Commandments* must still go through this End Time of Worldwide Tribulation (Revelation 12:17). *The righteous ones*, who have *spiritually* come out of Babylon, will be safely *protected* by Christ (while in the wilderness).

Ten Kings And Ten Toes

Who are *the leaders* of World War III (Daniel 2:40-44 and Daniel 7:21-28)? Daniel prophesies that *The Last Gentile Kingdom* will have ten toes (ten world rulers) just before Christ returns. Christ will settle the issue over Jerusalem and The Promised Land of God. From Cain's murder of Abel to the consummation of the age in World War III, the problem of who has *a right to dwell* in The House of God will be resolved. These ten toes cover the whole world as it is The Fourth Kingdom of the world at *The End of Time*. End of whose time? It is the end of *The Times of The Gentiles*. How can you know? Jesus said that when The Gentiles' *times* are *completed*, Christ will *return* (Luke 21:24). (Read Daniel 2:40-44, again).

***The Times of The Gentiles* are when, in world history, The Gentile's rule over The People on The Property of God cause *troublesome times*. This is *the reason* (the second period) *Judah* goes into *captivity*. *The trouble* The Gentiles cause in Jerusalem *must end*. The Gentile Rule terminates at The End of Days of The Gentile's trouble.**

Judah is having the same *trouble today* over *Jerusalem* and The Property of God. Jesus must return so He can *restore The Holy House* and The Holy Land of God (Matthew 18:11). The ten rulers, which Christians must be aware of, will *foretell* The Return of God. It is The End of Gentile Rule. These are *the ten world rulers* who bring *prosperity* and a sense of *security* to everyone in the world. The world will *worship this*

beast, which is an image (the eighth) at The End Days. One of these ten rulers will be The Man of Sin. He will be The anti-Christ. Paul said there are many anti-Christes (II Thessalonians 2). Who is an anti-Christ? In Greek, it means “in opposition to Jesus” or “one who preaches another Jesus.”

The Anti-Christ

All former rulers who thought of themselves as gods will be removed from their kingdoms (Nebuchadnezzar of Babylon in Daniel 4). Throughout history, religious and civil leaders have viewed themselves as God’s *replacement*. Caesars, kings, tyrants and religious heads have made that mistake and lost their kingdoms. Men like Nimrod, Nero, Charlemagne and Hitler are a few examples. They were all *anti-Christes*.

However, there is *one* at The End Time who will be *the final anti-Christ*. The Apostle John, who lived at the start of The Great Falling Away or *Apostasy*, discusses the subject of The anti-Christ. John simply and clearly writes about who is The anti-Christ. Because of *false teaching*, it is difficult to believe *the simple truth*. Jesus warns you not to believe everyone who speaks, because many *false prophets* (spirits) are *not truthful* (I John 4:1).

You are *to test or to judge any prophetic speaker*. Then, John defines the difference between *a false preacher* and *a true one*. “*Hereby know you the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God: And every spirit [prophet] that con-*

fesses not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God: and this is that spirit of anti-christ, whereof you have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world” (I John 4:2-3). How clear!

It is true, part of *the debate* is over Jesus and concerns whether He was *human* or *not*. The test of an anti-Christ, however, is much *simpler*. Read those verses concerning anti-Christ again. Plainly, it states Jesus came in *the flesh*. The Jews and Muslims insist *The True Messiah* has *not come at all*. Both religions look for *the first coming* of The Messiah. What better way to resolve the issue between Muslims and Jews than to have a Messiah come the first time in the flesh.

This is exactly what John defined as *an anti-Christ*. Many have claimed to be *a savior of the world* throughout history, but there is one more to come. This person will claim to be a god or The Messiah in The Temple of God. This Messiah will not be The True Jesus but one who claims to be The Messiah. He is *the final anti-Christ*, The Man of Sin. When is *this false* Messiah removed? “*For the mystery of iniquity* [lawlessness] *does already work: only he who now lets will let* [happen], *until he be taken out of the way”* (II Thessalonians 2:7). Paul acknowledges there are many anti-Christ (saviors), but *the final one* will be taken out of the way. How? “*And then shall that Wicked be revealed, whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of his mouth and shall destroy with the brightness of his coming”* (II Thessalonians 2:8).

The Apostles, John and Paul, have put it all together

for you. At The Time of The Ten World Rulers, *an anti-Christ* will arise and claim to be *a savior* for all mankind. This satisfies The Jews and The Muslims. It seems *world peace* is, finally, at hand. *This anti-Christ* proves to be wrong and is *the beast*. The beast, The Ten World Rulers with *The Arabs*, turns against the whore – Jerusalem (Babylon) (Psalm 83). Christ returns just at the right time and destroys this Gentile System headed by The anti-Christ. Why does Jesus pick this moment?

Day Of Noah

Two events must transpire before The Messiah or Savior can come. The Messiah, in this case, is a different savior than Joshua or Cyrus, The Mede. The anti-Christ, *The Man of Sin*, *saves this world*, physically, for a short time, from all its pain and suffering. He really changes *nothing* and just perpetuates *human existence* with all its *shortcomings*. The anti-Christ, *one who misses the mark*, uses all the human methods for peace. It comes at *a high price*.

Religious domination, military force and restricted government is the rule. There is *false worship* and *no true liberty*. Idols can never really do anything. All anti-Christ's will end in a battle with the three major world religions. This is of human origin, with human ideas of a successful world, but ends up being very temporal and without substance. The Beast, because of *the seven trumpets*, brings chaos and upheaval to the world making the beast turn on *the whore* who claims to be *the savior of the world*. Three major events take

place at this juncture in time:

- 1) **The Bride, The Church of God and The Remnant of Israel (The Messianic Jews) have become worthy to be Christ's wife (Revelation 19:6-8).**

- 2) **The Times of The Gentiles are about to be fulfilled (Luke 21:24). What occurs at this point? Just as in The First Tribulation at The Fall of The Temple, Judah is scattered into all nations. Then, The Second Tribulation includes the whole world, when the seven trumpets sound, *"And there shall be signs in the sun and in the moon and in the stars; and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity; the sea and the waves roaring; Men's hearts failing them for fear and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth: for the powers of heaven shall be shaken. And then shall they see the Son of man coming in a cloud with power and great glory"* (Luke 21:25-27).**

Notice, this happens *after* The Times of The Gentiles are *completed*. The *final battle* of the beast takes place with *The Fall of Babylon, The Great Whore*, which became drunk from the wine of these three major religions in *Jerusalem*. Everyone who depends on their own conclusions (decides for themselves as to what is right and wrong) will be in *a state of chaos*. *Torment or great fear* will be experienced by the entire world. The anti-Christ will be proven false and will, merely, be *a very earthly savior* carrying the number of The

Beast. This man is a composite of the former three numbers of The Beast, 666 (a lion, bear and leopard). He proves to be just a man and not God.

- 3) The third condition is given by Christ about His return. *“But as the days of Noah were, so shall also the coming of the Son of man be”* (Matthew 24:37). People married, ate and drank as if nothing was going to happen. With all the signs and warnings from God (the seven trumpets) and His two witnesses, The Church of God and The Remnant of Israel (144,000), the world will still worship The Mark of The Beast.

“Sin” means *“to miss the mark”* or *“miss the goal of paradise.”* Also, The Mark of The Beast with The anti-Christ *misses the mark* which is *Eternal Life in Paradise*. The Mark of The Beast is not *a sin*, but reveals a type of *human behavior*. They miss the mark while they stand with The Man of Sin (II Thessalonians 2).

Noah's Day

“And God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth and that every imagination [worldly science] of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually” (Genesis 6:5). *“And God looked upon the earth and, behold, it was corrupt; for all flesh had corrupted his way upon the earth. And God said to Noah, The end of all flesh is come before me; for the earth is filled with violence through them; and, behold, I will destroy them with the earth”* (Genesis 6:12-13). This is God's water

baptism of the world. God put them to *death* to keep them from committing *genocide*. They will be resurrected in *the last resurrection* so they can receive Salvation. (Read the book, *God's Will*). These will be just like *The Days of Noah*, so, in order to save mankind, Christ must *return*.

Jesus, as The True Savior of The World, has to return to save the world from *suicide*, just as in The Days of Noah. The Messiah comes when The Time of The Gentiles will be *fulfilled*.

The Times of The Gentiles will be completed when it is in a state of *world violence* and *corruption*. Mankind needs God and Jesus to *save* them from their own attempts of reasoning and following The Mark of The Beast. Christ cannot and will not return until the following three conditions exist in the world:

- 1) The Bride (by faith) is worthy to become The Wife of Christ.
- 2) The Times of The Gentiles have been fulfilled.
- 3) As in The Days of Noah, the same violence and corruption will exist in the world.

This really will be a world sitting on the edge of *total destruction*. It will be a time when you will need God and Christ. Only The True Messiah can *save* mankind. *No date* has been set, but He will come when the above three conditions take place. Read the final words concerning The Return of Jesus Christ, "*Watch you there-*

fore and pray always, that you may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass and to stand before the Son of man” (Luke 21:36). Through God’s great love, He pleads with you, “Come out of her, my people” (Revelation 18:4).

You have been blessed with spotting the ad God has placed: “*Position open: man, woman or child. No age limit. Must be willing to follow a certain path and prove you can follow company rules. Salary worth zillions and your benefits includes Eternal Life. Call God any time of the day. His ‘customer service’ is available 24 hours a day.*” On your resume, you must list the steps you feel will qualify you for the job. You are in charge of your own destination. You can do so by tapping into *The Holy Spirit of God*. When you do, God will do His part and give you The Gift of Love – The Lifetime Job of Salvation and *Eternal Life in Paradise*.