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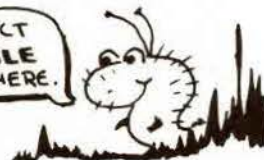
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SELECTED SHORTS CONCERNING.....

MONEY MATTERS

I DETECT
A DOUBLE
MEANING HERE.



MAYBE IN THE NEXT AGE IT WON'T... BUT IN THIS AGE
MONEY MATTERS.

IN READING THE HISTORY OF THE FOUNDING OF OUR NATION IT BECOMES APPARENT THAT IT WAS BUILT ON TWO IDEALS: ① THE QUEST FOR RELIGIOUS FREEDOM, WHICH IS GOOD AND ② THE LOVE OF MONEY, WHICH IS CORRUPT.

WE COULD REALLY SAY OUR NATION WAS BUILT ON THE FOUNDATION OF THE CHRIST AND THE ANTICHRIST. AS WE LOOK ABOUT US SOME 350 YEARS AFTER THE PILGRIMS LANDED ON PLYMOUTH ROCK IN 1620 WE SEE THE WHEAT AND TARES ARE BOTH GROWING UP TOGETHER AND BOTH ARE DOING RATHER WELL. BUT WE ARE NEARING THE END OF THIS AGE AND SOON THE LORD WILL SEND HIS ANGELS TO REMOVE THE TARES AND GATHER HIS WHEAT INTO HIS BARN.

CAN YOU TELL US ABOUT THIS STRIKE GABE?

SURE WALT. YOU SEE, ACCORDING TO OUR CONTRACT, WE ANGELS ARE SUPPOSED TO REMOVE EVIL FROM THE WORLD. WE'RE GOING TO KEEP ON PROTESTING UNTIL THE CHRISTIANS GIVE US OUR JOB BACK.



IF THIS SOUNDS A LITTLE MYSTICAL TO YOU, I GUESS IT IS. WE'RE ALLUDING TO A PARABLE JESUS TOLD ABOUT THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN AND AN EXPLANATION HE GAVE OF IT. THESE CAN BE FOUND IN MATT. 13: 24-30 & 37-43.

JESUS SAID WHEN THE TARES (CHILDREN OF THE WICKED ONE) ARE DONE AWAY WITH THEN THE WHEAT (CHILDREN OF THE KINGDOM) SHALL "SHINE FORTH AS THE SUN IN THE KINGDOM OF THEIR FATHER" (MATT. 13:43).

JESUS SAID THAT AFTER EVIL IS REMOVED FROM THE EARTH THEN THE RIGHTEOUS SHALL SHINE FORTH AS THE SUN IN THE KINGDOM OF THEIR FATHER.



IN THIS ARTICLE WE'D LIKE TO TAKE A LOOK AT THE WHEAT AND TARES. WE WANT THE WHEAT TO LEARN FROM PAST MISTAKES AND GO ON IN TO THE FULNESS OF GOD. AND WE WANT TO IDENTIFY THE TARES SO THE WHEAT KNOW WHAT THEY'RE DEALING WITH AND CAN STAY THEIR DISTANCE AND NOT BE

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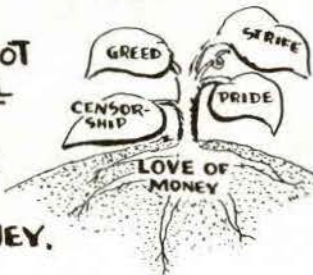
CHOKED OFF BEFORE THE HARVEST.

WE'LL DO LIKE JESUS DID AND GET RID OF THE TARES FIRST (MATT. 13:41-43). **WOOPS!** THERE GO A WHOLE LOT OF THEORIES ABOUT THE RAPTURE DOWN THE TUBES.

NOW CHURCHES AND PREACHERS AND EVANGELISTS MAKE A BIG MISTAKE BY TAKING THE BIBLE SYMBOLS FOR EVIL AND APPLYING THEM TO EACH OTHER. LET ME TELL YOU, THE EVIL ONE NO DOUBT ENJOYS THAT IMMENSELY. WHILE WE CHRISTIANS ARE PICKING ON EACH OTHER WE'RE MISSING THE WHOLE POINT. LET'S GET TO THE ROOT OF THE PROBLEM. ANY GOOD GARDNER KNOWS IF HE DOESN'T PULL A WEED (TARE) OUT BY ITS ROOTS IT WILL ONLY BE A MATTER OF DAYS TILL IT WILL BE BACK, STRONG AS EVER, SAPPING THE NOURISHMENT FROM THE GOOD PLANTS.

THE BIBLE SAYS THE ROOT OF ALL EVIL IS THE LOVE OF MONEY (1 TIM. 6:10). THAT DOESN'T MEAN RICH PEOPLE ARE EVIL. POOR PEOPLE CAN HAVE THE LOVE OF MONEY JUST AS EASILY AS RICH ONES. IT IS NOT MONEY THAT IS EVIL, IT IS THE LOVE OF MONEY.

THE ROOT OF ALL EVIL IS THE LOVE OF MONEY.



THE LOVE OF MONEY RUINS MANY GOOD PREACHERS. THEY BECOME SUCCESSFUL AND GROW AND PRETTY SOON ALL THEIR LITERATURE AND PREACHING TURNS INTO PLEAS FOR MONEY. THE TIME TAKEN TO BRING IN THE OFFERING GETS LONGER & LONGER TILL IT TAKES OVER THE WHOLE SERVICE.

IT IS THIS BASIC DESIRE, THE LOVE OF MONEY, THAT TWISTS MANY GOOD PEOPLE AROUND AND ALLOWS OTHER THINGS, LIKE CENSORSHIP AND PERSECUTION TO CREEP INTO THEIR LIVES OR MINISTRIES AND RUIN THEM. JUST LIKE THE RELIGIOUS LEADERS IN THE DAYS OF JESUS, IT IS EASY IN THIS DAY TO BE AFRAID OF LOSING A POSITION OF POWER OR AUTHORITY. THE SYSTEMS OF THIS WORLD ARE BUILT ON THE LOVE OF MONEY, IT PERMEATES EVERYTHING WE DO. LIFE IS BUILT AROUND MONETARY GAIN AND OUR POSITION IN LIFE OFTEN ENSURES MONETARY SECURITY.

DAVE HAS SHOWN IN DIFFERENT WAYS IN A FEW OF HIS TAPES: NATIONAL ECONOMY-MONEY FAILURE, MONEY & THE MILITARY AND COUNTERFEITS 666 THAT THE SYMBOLS IN THE BIBLE FOR EVIL, ESPECIALLY THE GREAT SYMBOLS IN REVELATION (666, THE HARLOT WOMAN, ETC.) RELATE TO MONEY AND THE LUST AFTER IT.

THE GREAT BIBLE SYMBOLS OF EVIL **666** HAVE TO DO WITH THE LOVE OF MONEY!

AGAIN, MONEY IS NOT EVIL. THE BIBLE SAYS IT IS A DEFENSE (ECC. 7:12). BUT IT IS DECEITFUL (MATT. 13:22). THE BIBLE SAYS "WISDOM IS A DEFENSE, AND MONEY IS A DEFENSE. BUT THE EXCELLENCE OF KNOWLEDGE IS, THAT WISDOM GIVES LIFE TO THEM THAT HAVE IT (ECC. 7:12).

MONEY IS A DEFENSE



THERE IS A DELICATE BALANCE BETWEEN DOING SOMETHING PURELY FOR THE LOVE OF MONEY AND DOING SOMETHING FOR MONEY BECAUSE MONEY IS A NECESSITY IN THIS WORLD. WE ARE ENTERING AN AGE WHERE WE MAY BE ABLE TO BUY WINE AND MILK WITHOUT MONEY (ISAIAH 55:1). BUT JUST TRY IT NOW. I DON'T THINK OUR NEIGHBORHOOD GROCERS WOULD UNDERSTAND.

HE WHO DOES NOT PROVIDE FOR HIS FAMILY IS WORSE THAN AN INFIDEL!



BECAUSE WE ARE RESPONSIBLE TO OUR FAMILIES AND SOCIETY, WE NEED MONEY IN ORDER TO FUNCTION AND TO PROVIDE FOR THEM. WE'RE TOLD THAT A MAN WHO DOES NOT PROVIDE FOR HIS FAMILY IS WORSE THAN AN INFIDEL (1 TIM. 5:8).

WE NEED TO CHECK OUR MOTIVES AND KEEP OURSELVES FROM THE LOVE OF MONEY. AT THE SAME TIME WE MUST REALIZE WE LIVE IN A WORLD WHERE MONEY IS A VERY REAL NECESSITY. IF WE HAD MORE POWER, LIKE JESUS, WE COULD SIMPLY GO FISHING WHEN WE NEED MONEY AND PULL COINS OUT OF THE FISHES' MOUTHS (MATT. 17:27).

GOD MAY HAVE MIRACULOUSLY PROVIDED FOR YOU IN THE PAST, JUST AS HE HAS FOR US. AND I'M SURE HE WILL PROVIDE IN THE FUTURE. BUT THERE IS NO POINT IN PUTTING HIM ON THE SPOT AND EXPECTING HIM TO PROVIDE. MATURITY TEACHES US TO COUNT THE COST

BEFORE STARTING A VENTURE (LUKE 14:28). BUT AT THE SAME TIME WE THANK GOD FOR HIS FAITHFULNESS AND KNOW HE IS ABLE TO PULL US OUT OF THE HOLE WHEN WE DIG OURSELVES IN TOO DEEPLY (ALTHOUGH SOMETIMES WE SUFFER GREAT LOSS).

LEARN TO COUNT THE COST..



WE SAID OUR NATION WAS BUILT PARTIALLY ON THE LOVE OF MONEY... I DON'T THINK WE HAVE TO BELABOR THAT POINT. LET'S MOVE ON TO A MORE POSITIVE SUBJECT. IT IS DOCUMENTED IN ALMOST EVERY HISTORY BOOK WRITTEN ABOUT THE SUBJECT, THAT OUR FOREFATHERS CAME TO THIS COUNTRY SEEKING RELIGIOUS FREEDOM. WE'LL CALL THOSE SEEKING RELIGIOUS FREEDOM AND UNDERSTANDING THE WHEAT.

NOW THE WHEAT HAS MADE, ARE MAKING AND WILL MAKE MISTAKES. THERE'S NO DOUBT ABOUT IT. BUT... THE WHEAT HAVE A GRAND AND GLORIOUS FUTURE TO LOOK FORWARD TO THEY ARE GOING TO BE SAVED WHOLE AND COMPLETE IN SPIRIT, SOUL AND BODY. AND THEY WILL RULE AND REIGN ON THIS EARTH WITH CHRIST (THE ANOINTING). 1 THESS. 5:23 AND REV. 20:4-6.

YOU SAY WE HAVE A LONG WAY TO GO? YOU BET! BUT THEN GOD HAS PROMISED TO DO A QUICK WORK IN THE LAST DAYS

DON'T CAMP TOO LONG AROUND A REVEALED TRUTH.



THOSE TENTS WILL TURN INTO HOUSES
HOUSES WILL TURN INTO A CITY
WALLS WILL GO UP FOR DEFENSE
AND YOU'LL NEVER
WANT TO
LEAVE.

ONE OF THE BIGGEST MISTAKES THE WHEAT HAS MADE IS ONE THAT KEEPS REPEATING ITSELF FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION AND ONE THAT THIS GENERATION MUST OVERCOME. IT IS THIS: WHEN EACH REVIVAL GROUP COMES INTO A NEW TRUTH IT CAMPS AROUND THAT TRUTH. IT BECOMES HARD AND ADAMANT UNABLE TO HEAR ANYTHING MORE. IT THEREFORE HAS SEALED ITS FATE AND CANNOT MOVE INTO THE FULLNESS OF GOD.

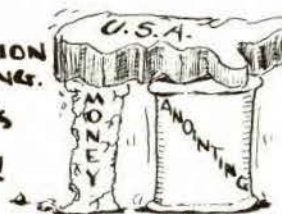
FOR INSTANCE, WHEN THE PURITANS LANDED IN THIS COUNTRY THEY WERE SEEKING RELIGIOUS FREEDOM BUT THEY DID NOT GRANT THAT SAME FREEDOM TO OTHERS. THEY STOPPED AND CAMPED AROUND WHAT TRUTH THEY HAD AND MADE IT UNLAWFUL FOR ANYONE TO BE ANYTHING BUT A PURITAN.

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IN OUR OWN DAY WE SEE THIS VERY SAME THING HAPPENING IN CHARISMATIC CIRCLES. THEY ARE DEFINITELY A MOVE OF GOD BUT THEY ARE DRAWING IN TO THEMSELVES, FORMING A CLIQUE. THE SPIRIT OF CENSORSHIP HAS ENTERED THEIR RANKS. THE FREEDOM THEY ONCE HAD IS NOW DIMINISHING. WHEREAS THEIR CALL A FEW YEARS BACK WAS FOR CHRISTIANS TO COME OUT OF WHAT THEY CALLED "THE BABYLON SYSTEM" IT IS NOW JUST AS IMPORTANT FOR CHRISTIANS TO COME OUT OF THE CHARISMATIC MOVE IF THEY ARE GOING TO FIND FULLNESS. (WE ARE NOT AND NEVER HAVE CALLED THE CHARISMATICS OR ANY DENOMINATION "THE BABYLON SYSTEM." WE BELIEVE EACH REVIVAL GROUP HAS A TRUTH THAT MUST BE EXPRESSED, EXPERIENCED AND MOVED THROUGH)

ONE FOUNDATION IS WEAKENING.

THE OTHER IS GROWING STRONGER!



THE BABYLON SYSTEM IS A PART OF EVERY SYSTEM IN THIS WORLD, SACRED OR SECULAR. IT IS THE LOVE OF MONEY. WHEN IT FALLS THE SONS OF GOD SHALL SHINE FORTH IN ALL THEIR GLORY.

OUR MESSAGE TO THE WHEAT IS DON'T STOP GROWING TILL YOU'VE REACHED MATURITY. UNLIKE LITERAL WHEAT YOU'RE NOT ROOTED WHERE YOU'VE BEEN PLANTED. IF THE TARES START GROWING UP AROUND YOU AND CHOKING YOU OUT, YOU CAN MOVE AND FIND RICHER SOIL. DON'T BE WORRIED ABOUT THE FALL OF THE MONETARY SYSTEM THAT IS NOW TAKING PLACE IN OUR COUNTRY. IT'S A GOOD THING. AFTER ALL, WHEN MONEY IS GONE WHAT IS THERE LEFT TO WORSHIP? GOD? YOU'RE RIGHT! □

ALL DEBTS CANCELLED !!

THE YEAR OF JUBILEE

ONE OF THE SADDER THINGS THAT HAS HAPPENED TO OUR MONETARY SYSTEM IS THAT MONEY HAS BECOME A COMMODITY WHICH CAN BE BOUGHT AND SOLD. IT SHOULD BE A MEDIUM OF EXCHANGE, NOT A COMMODITY. THE BIBLE IS CLEAR ON THIS SUBJECT.... MONEY IS NOT TO BE SOLD. THERE ARE LAWS IN THE OLD TESTAMENT WHICH ARE SPECIFICALLY DIRECTED AGAINST USURY. THE BIBLICAL LAW IS AGAINST LENDING WITH INTEREST, NOT BORROWING. THAT OUGHT TO GIVE EVERYONE A SIGH OF RELIEF.



ACCORDING TO THE BIBLE, WHEN YOU DO LOAN MONEY, THE DEBT IS TO BE FORGIVEN EVERY FIFTY YEARS. THAT IS, ALL DEBTS ARE TO BE ERASED, THE SLATES WIPED CLEAN. THIS FIFTIETH YEAR IS CALLED THE YEAR OF JUBILEE (EXODUS 25:10). SINCE JOSHUA LED THE ISRAELITES ACROSS THE JORDAN INTO CANAAN UNTIL 1978 THERE WILL BE 70 JUBILEE PERIODS. 1978, GIVE OR TAKE A FEW YEARS, IS OUR YEAR OF JUBILEE.

SO WHAT, YOU SAY? WELL, LISTEN TO THIS: IN DANIEL 9:2 WE FIND DANIEL SAYING "I HAVE DETERMINED FROM READING THE PROPHET JEREMIAH THE NUMBER OF YEARS THAT SHOULD BE ACCOMPLISHED ON THE CITY OF JERUSALEM." WHAT IS THE CITY OF JERUSALEM? IT IS THE LITERAL CITY OF SEVEN HILLS AND IT IS ALSO, SYMBOLICALLY, THE BABYLON SYSTEM, THE LOVE OF MONEY (HEAR OUR TAPE BABYLON).

JERU- = BABY-
SALEM = LON
BAB- = LOVE
YLON = OF MONEY



DANIEL WAS READING FROM THE BOOK OF JEREMIAH AND HE UNDERSTOOD THAT "THE WORD OF THE LORD CAME TO JEREMIAH THAT HE WOULD ACCOMPLISH 70, (SEVENTY) YEARS IN THE DESOLATION OF JERUSALEM.

FROM THE DAY OF JOSHUA TO THE TIME ISRAEL WAS TAKEN INTO CAPTIVITY WAS 490 YEARS.

IN 490 YEARS

THERE ARE

70 SABBATICAL YEARS.

70
7/490

EVERY SEVENTH YEAR IS A SABBATH YEAR OF REST.

DANIEL KNEW MOSES' LAW.... HE KNEW THE LAND WAS SUPPOSED TO REST EVERY SEVENTH YEAR (SABBATH YEAR OF REST - FORE RUNNER OF OUR CROP ROTATION - MANY THINGS WE DO ARE BIBLICAL)

HE SAW THAT THE LAND MUST BE FALLOW FOR SEVENTY YEARS AND THEIR SEVENTY YEARS WERE ABOUT UP. HE SHOWED THE KING HIS DISCOVERY, TOLD HIM IT WAS TIME FOR THEM TO GO HOME AND, LO AND BEHOLD, THE KING HELPED HIM, GAVE HIM MONEY, AND SENT THE JEWS HOME.

ONE WAY OR ANOTHER THE JEWS HAD TO LEAVE THEIR LAND REST.



WHAT ARE WE GOING TO LEAVE? IN DANIEL'S CASE IT WAS THE LAND THAT WAS TO BE FALLOW. THE ISRAELITES HAD NOT OBEYED THE SABBATICAL LAW AND IT HAD TO BE FULFILLED. ALL THOSE SEVENTH YEARS THEY DIDN'T LET THE LAND REST KEPT BUILDING UP TILL IT REACHED SEVENTY GROUPS OF SABBATICAL PERIODS. THAT WAS THE LIMIT.

70 SABBATH YEARS HAD PASSED... THE LAND HAD TO REST.

70 JUBILEE YEARS HAVE PASSED... ALL DEBTS MUST BE CANCELLED.



GOD SAID -OKAY, ONE WAY OR ANOTHER THAT LAND IS GOING TO REST - AND HE JUST TOOK THE PEOPLE OFF IT.

OUR CAPTIVITY IS ALMOST OVER.



THE ISRAELITES LEFT THEIR LAND, WE ARE GOING TO LEAVE OUR PRESENT MONETARY SYSTEM, THE BABYLON SYSTEM. SEVENTY JUBILEE YEARS HAVE PASSED. THE LIMIT HAS BEEN REACHED. ALL DEBTS MUST BE CANCELLED. □

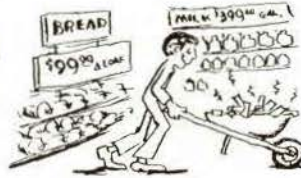
ABOUT MONEY

FAILURE..



VIRTUALLY ALL THE AUTHORITIES WE READ ON THE SUBJECT CONFUSE MONEY FAILURE WITH ECONOMIC FAILURE. WHEN WE SAY OUR MONETARY SYSTEM WILL FAIL WE DO NOT MEAN THE ECONOMY WILL FAIL. THERE IS A BIG DIFFERENCE.

MONEY CAN FAIL AND NOT CAUSE ECONOMIC FAILURE.



OUR ADVICE TO YOU IS THAT IT IS STILL OKAY TO GO INTO DEBT. THIS ADVICE COMES FROM OUR STUDY OF BIBLE PROPHECY. OUR NATION AND ECONOMY ARE STRONG BUT OUR MONEY IS WEAK AND GETTING WEAKER. IF YOU BORROW MONEY NOW AND USE IT TO PURCHASE GOODS -- HOME, CAR, NON-PERISHABLES, YOU CAN PAY OFF THE DEBT LATER WITH BAD MONEY.

BEING IN DEBT IS OK.



IN THE U.S. WE CAN SEE OUR MONEY IS BECOMING LESS AND LESS VALUABLE BUT STORIES FROM OTHER COUNTRIES SHOW IN A MORE DRAMATIC WAY WHAT'S HAPPENING TO THE DOLLAR. FOR INSTANCE, THE DOLLAR HAS LOST SO MUCH VALUE AGAINST THE GERMAN MARK THAT AMERICAN SERVICEMEN CAN NO LONGER AFFORD TO LIVE IN GERMANY. THE DOLLAR HAS RECENTLY HIT RECORD LOWS ON THE TOKYO FOREIGN EXCHANGE. A CUP OF COFFEE IN JAPAN COSTS \$2.48. A PACKAGE OF CANDY MARKED "20% SUGGESTED RETAIL PRICE" COSTS 75¢. OPEC IS HOLDING THE LINE ON OIL PRICES BUT SAYS IT MUST HAVE AN INCREASE BY JANUARY. ALTHOUGH THEY RECEIVE \$12.00 A BARREL FOR THEIR OIL, THE REAL AMOUNT THEY GET IS ONLY \$7.00 DUE TO DEVALUATION.

THE DOLLAR IS BEING STRETCHED LIKE A RUBBER BAND. IN OUR COUNTRY PRICES CAN BE HELD AND INFLATION SOMEWHAT CONTROLLED (BUT WE KEEP HEARING THAT DOUBLE DIGIT INFLATION IS RETURNING). BUT THE PRICES WE PAY FOR IMPORTED GOODS JUMP TREMENDOUSLY (OIL, COFFEE, ETC.). OTHER COUNTRIES DO NOT LIKE THIS BECAUSE ON THE WORLD MARKET THEIR EXPORTS TO THE U.S. ARE BRINGING THEM MORE DOLLARS BUT LESS IN REAL PURCHASING POWER. SOMETHING IS GOING TO HAVE TO BE DONE ABOUT THE DOLLAR.

WE BELIEVE THAT SOON IT WILL BE BACKED BY GOLDEN AMERICAN GRAIN - A REAL VALUE, NOT GOLD, SILVER OR A ROTHSCCHILD SIGNATURE.

YOU SEE OUR ECONOMY IS STRONG AND FLEXIBLE. EVEN THOUGH THE DOLLAR IS FALLING, AMERICANS ARE PROSPEROUS. OUR UNEMPLOYMENT RATE IS GOING LOWER AND LOWER. HOUSING STARTS ARE UP. THE AUTO INDUSTRY IS REPORTING RECORD SALES. IT'S A PARADOX.

ANOTHER WAY TO TRY TO EXPLAIN THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN MONEY FAILURE AND ECONOMIC FAILURE IS TO CITE WHAT DAVE EXPERIENCED ON A TRIP TO BRAZIL A FEW YEARS BACK. THE BRAZILIANS ARE WORKING WITH A MONEY SYSTEM THAT HAS ONLY 1/1000 (ONE THOUSANDTH) ITS FORMER VALUE. IN OTHER WORDS, IT TAKES \$1,000 TO BUY WHAT \$1.00 USED TO BUY. HOWEVER, EVERY BRAZILIAN HE SAW WAS WELL FED AND HAPPY. AND COMMERCE AND ECONOMY CONTINUED.

OUR ECONOMY IS STRONG..



OUR MONEY IS WEAK..

OUR GOVERNMENT IS TELLING US WE ARE HEADING FOR A RECESSION. THIS SHOULD IMMEDIATELY CLUE US IN TO THE FACT THAT WE ARE NOT. THE GOVERNMENT RARELY, IF EVER, TELLS US THE TRUTH CONCERNING MONEY MATTERS. WE ARE HEADED FOR MORE AND MORE INFLATION NOT RECESSION. DURING THE RECESSION OF THE THIRTIES THE PROBLEM WAS THAT THERE WAS NO MONEY. NOW WHAT IS HAPPENING IS THAT THERE IS A SURPLUS OF MONEY. WE ARE NOT GOING HUNGRY OR STANDING IN BREAD LINES. WE ARE NOT IN A RECESSION.

WE'RE TOLD INFLATION IS A TERRIBLE PROBLEM THAT MUST BE CONQUERED. INFLATION IS NOT BAD FOR THE AVERAGE AMERICAN. IT IS TROUBLE FOR THE PERSON WITH MONEY IN THE BANK. LOOK, IF YOU HAVE \$1,000 IN THE BANK AND INFLATION STRIKES, SAY 10%, WHAT HAPPENS? IT NOW TAKES \$1,100 TO BUY WHAT \$1,000 WOULD HAVE BEFORE INFLATION. YOU JUST LOST 100 IN PURCHASING POWER. THE SUPER RICH ARE NOT DUMB ENOUGH TO KEEP THEIR MONEY IN THE BANK. THEY KEEP IT INVESTED.

INFLATION IS GOOD FOR THE AVERAGE OR SMALL WAGE EARNER.

IT'S BAD FOR THE RICH.

MONEY MATTERS

IF YOU HAVE NO MONEY IN THE BANK AND 10% INFLATION STRIKES, WHAT HAPPENS? EVENTUALLY YOU GET A RAISE IN PAY TO OFFSET THE INFLATION, PLUS, YOUR \$10,000 MORTGAGE REMAINS THE SAME WHILE THE MARKET VALUE OF YOUR HOUSE GOES UP AND UP, NOT ONLY THE MARKET VALUE OF YOUR HOUSE BUT OF YOUR CAR, FURNITURE, AND ALL UNDERSTANDABLE GOODS. YOU'RE GETTING MORE MONEY SO MORTGAGE AND LOAN PAYMENTS ARE EASIER TO MAKE.... YOU'RE MAKING OUT LIKE A BANDIT. IT'S THE GUY WITH ALL THE MONEY IN THE BANK THAT'S LOSING HIS SHIRT.

DON'T LET ANYONE FOOL YOU. INFLATION IS NOT BAD FOR THE SMALL WAGE EARNER. AND MORE AND MORE INFLATION IS WHAT OUR COUNTRY IS IN FOR.

MANY EVANGELICALS ARE CONVINCING PEOPLE TO GET OUT OF DEBT. IF WE'RE RIGHT YOU SHOULD GO INTO DEBT AND PAY THE DEBT OFF WITH DEVALUED MONEY LATER ON.

AS DAVE RECENTLY SAID, "IF THE EVANGELICALS ARE RIGHT, THEN YOU SHOULD PAY OFF YOUR DEBTS. IF I'M RIGHT.... YOU SHOULD GO INTO DEBT AND PAY IT OFF LATER WITH BAD MONEY. TIME WILL TELL, HOWEVER, I CALL IT TO YOUR ATTENTION THAT SINCE 1967 I HAVE BEEN RIGHT 100% OF THE TIME AND OTHER EVANGELICAL WRITERS HAVE BEEN WAITING TO BE RIGHT ONCE. I APOLOGIZE FOR THE STRONG STATEMENT, BUT IT IS STILL TRUE REGARDING MONEY MATTERS,"

WE'RE IN FOR MORE INFLATION

NOT RECESSION !!

DANIEL 12... BLESSING DUE...

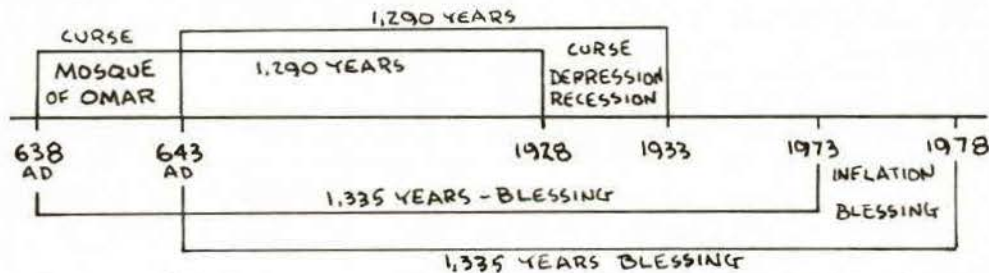
NO DEPRESSION THIS TIME !!

DANIEL 12:11-AND FROM THE TIME THAT THE DAILY SACRIFICE IS TAKEN AWAY, AND THE ABOMINATION THAT MAKETH DESOLATE IS SET UP, THERE SHALL BE A THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED & NINETY DAYS.

12- BLESSED IS HE THAT WAITETH, AND COMETH TO THE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND FIVE AND THIRTY DAYS."

IN THE YEAR 638 A.D. THE MOSLEMS BEGAN THE TAKEOVER OF THE CITY OF JERUSALEM. BY 643 THEY HAD FINALLY DESTROYED ANY HOPE OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE BEING REBUILT OR THE DAILY SACRIFICE BEING RE-INSTITUTED. THEY DID THIS BY BUILDING THE MAGNIFICENT MOSQUE MOSQUE, THE MOSQUE OF OMAR, ON THE SACRED TEMPLE MOUNT. IT STANDS THERE TO THIS VERY DAY. ANY HINT OF ITS REMOVAL OR DESTRUCTION WOULD CAUSE WORLD WIDE REPERCUSSIONS, REPRISALS AND HOLOCAUST.

IN THE EYES OF THE JEWS IT IS AN ABOMINATION THAT MAKETH DESOLATE. IT SEVERELY LIMITS THE FULL REESTABLISHMENT OF THE JEWISH RELIGION. IN DANIEL IT SAYS THAT FROM THE TIME THIS ABOMINATION THAT MAKETH DESOLATE IS SET UP THERE WILL BE 1,290 DAYS. INDICATING A NEW AGE WOULD START AFTER THIS PERIOD. IF WE TAKE THE PERIOD 638-643 AND ADD 1,290 DAYS (A DAY IS AS A YEAR-EZEK. 4:6) WE COME TO THE PERIOD 1928-1933, THE GREAT DEPRESSION-RECESSION. 638 A.D. TO 643 A.D. WERE SAD, SAD DAYS FOR THE JEWS. 1928-1933 WERE SAD, BAD DAYS FOR THE WORLD-IT WAS AN ABOMINATION THAT MADE DESOLATE.



BUT THE SCRIPTURES GO ON TO SAY "BLESSED" IS HE THAT WAITETH AND COMETH TO THE 1,335 DAYS. TAKING THE SAME DATES, 638 A.D. TO 643 A.D. AND ADDING 1,335 DAYS WE COME TO THE PERIOD 1973-1978... 1928-1933 WERE SAD DAYS (RECESSION). 1973-1978 ARE GLAD DAYS (INFLATION).

WE'VE COME TO THE 1,335 DAYS. WE'RE ABOUT TO BE REALLY, REALLY BLESSED, BY GOD HIMSELF. THINGS ARE LOOKING GOOD. THE SCRIPTURES CONFIRM IT. HOLD YOUR HEAD HIGH! OUR BLESSING IS AT HAND. DON'T CURSE WHAT YOU SEE HAPPENING AROUND YOU (MAINLY INFLATION) FOR IT IS EVIDENCE THAT OUR COMPLETE SALVATION-SPIRIT, SOUL AND BODY IS ABOUT TO TAKE PLACE. WE'RE AT THE END OF THE CHURCH AGE... PREPARING TO ENTER THE KINGDOM.

WHO'S ROBBING WHO?

BEFORE 1972, SEVEN BARRELS OF OIL COST \$35.00. AN OUNCE OF GOLD COST \$35.00 ALSO. THE ARABS WERE GETTING THE EQUIVALENT OF ONE OUNCE OF GOLD FOR SEVEN BARRELS OF OIL. ALL WAS WELL.



THE U.S. WENT OFF THE GOLD STANDARD IN 1972. THE PRICE OF GOLD SOARED TO \$175.00 AN OUNCE, FIVE TIMES ITS PRIOR VALUE. THE ARABS HAD TO RAISE THE PRICE OF THEIR OIL. THEY ONLY TRIPLD IT. THUS



SAM HAD TO COME UP WITH TWO EXTRA \$35.00 BAGS.

MOHAMMED HAD TO COME UP WITH TWO EXTRA \$35.00 BAGS.

ROCKY CHILD RECEIVED 4 EXTRA \$35.00 BAGS FOR THE SAME TRANSACTION.

WHO LOST?
SAM AND MOHAMMED LOST EQUALLY.

WHO WON?
ROCKY CHILD!

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Dear Friends in Christ:

In July we mailed a short note with questions and answers and the response was so gratifying to me that I felt to handle some more the same way.

Q. *Where can I obtain unbiased information concerning current events?*

A. The best source of contemporary information is the U.S. NEWS & WORLD REPORT. All other sources we have found seem to be slanted in one direction or another. I hope that this source continues to be unbiased. By the way, a man in the Pentagon told me the very same thing which indicates a confirmation.

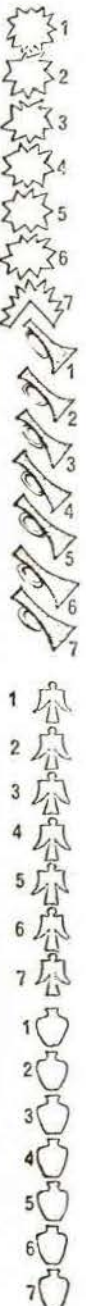
Q. *Have you a word on the verse that says "Forsake not the assembling of yourselves together"? Was it just for Paul's day- not ours?*

A. As you know, this is commonly used by structured preachers as proof that we should all attend church on a regular basis. Well, I don't have any argument on attending church on a regular basis but I don't think that is a good scripture to use. Christians did not attend church on a regular basis until about 300 AD - many years after that scripture was written. Rather, I believe that Paul was advocating getting together in the homes of deacons and elders for worship, praying and edifying one another.

It appears to me that the scripture is for Paul's day and also for our day as well. The question is really - Should we gather together on a formal basis in a structured church society or does the scripture indicate that an informal gathering in a home is indicated? It seems that the latter is more true than the former - but we would not want to exclude formal church meetings either. In other words, when folks gather together for formal church meetings they are keeping traditions established for many centuries, - but when folks gather informally for home meetings with deacons and elders, they definitely fulfill the letter and the spirit of Paul's instructions.

Q. *What does virtue mean? Does it mean to seek power? Or a high moral life? Or what?*

A. The word VIRTUE as used by Peter is a Greek word closely associated with POWER. We have applied the concept of ethics and morals to virtue but the real meaning has to do with the power to live a life of high morals and ethics.



Q. Brother Dave, we gather you believe in "reconciliation." Are we right?

A. I believe that the Bible teaches that eventually all spirits shall be saved. It does not teach, as far as I can find out, that all souls and bodies shall eventually be saved. Therefore, I seem to walk with one foot in the camp of the reconciliationalists and the other foot in the camp of the traditional Pentecostals in this matter. In other words, I tend to believe that all the scriptures and writings that are written about ultimate reconciliation do apply to the spirit of man. I also agree with the Methodists, however, that a man can be like a dog and return to his own vomit and lose his own soul. I underline soul to call your attention to the fact that Jesus warned of Him who can destroy both soul and body in hell - not spirit.

Now we should look at the case of the incestuous man in I Cor. 5 who was turned over to Satan for the destruction of body that the spirit might be saved in the day of the Lord Jesus Christ. Notice carefully that ultimately all spirits will be saved - even of an incestuous person - but not souls and bodies. Eventually, God is going to be THE GOD OF EVERYTHING and HE will be ALL and ALL and everything will be subject unto HIM.

When Jesus Christ died on the cross He died to save the spirit of every man. As in Adam all (spirits) died; so in Christ shall all (spirits) be made alive (I Cor. 15:22). We believe that Jesus was successful.

It is obvious however, that it is hopeless to try to explain these concepts to people who have not studied the difference between spirit, soul and body.

Q. Are you saying that you believe the U.S. will go to the new money system by 1979? If so, what will happen to the debts we owe? Will they be paid with the worthless money?

A. I am expecting that a new monetary system should be proposed by at least 1979. It may take up to 1984 to institute this new system. I cannot find how long it will take (for I just don't know). Old debts will probably be paid by your worthless money. I expect you to carry large sums of money but you will have to pay \$100 for a hamburger.