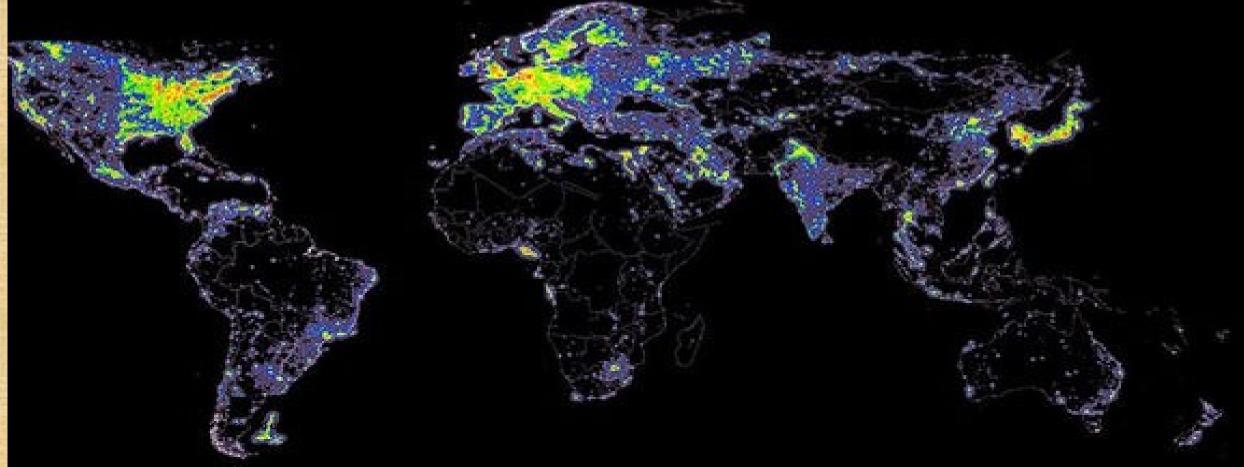
ALMOST HARVEST TIME



How close are we to the end of this world as we know it? May we offer some thoughts for your consideration and comment! Let it be clearly understood from the start of this study, that the Word of God, Jesus Himself, says,

"No one knows the day or the hour, no, not the angels of heaven, but My Father only. But as the days of Noah were, so shall also the coming of the Son of Man be." Mathew 24:36.37

Only the Creator, our Omnipotent, Omniscient and Omnipresent God knows the future before it happens. He tells us in Isaiah 46: 9 and 10, to "Remember the former things of old: for I am God and there is none else; I am God, and there is none like Me, declaring the end from the beginning, and from ancient times the things that are not yet done, saying, My counsel shall stand, and I will do all My pleasure."

Isaiah 48:3 repeats God's declaration, "I have declared the former things from the beginning; and they went out of My mouth, and I showed them; I did them suddenly, and they came to pass." In verse 5, God says, "I have even from the beginning declared it to thee; before it came to pass I showed it to thee:"



God created the earth and everything in it, including man in six literal days, and rested on the seventh day declaring it a Holy Day....the Sabbath.

"He spoke and it was done: He commanded and it stood fast." Psalm 33:9

Chapter 2 of Genesis describes how beautiful the Garden was, and it also says that God told our first parents, that they could eat of everything except one tree in the midst of the Garden. God told them that if they chose to disobey, and eat from that Tree, the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil, that that day they would die. Genesis 2: 16,17.

Well, we know the sad story how they chose to listen to the Serpent, Lucifer, and disobeyed God's express command, so death passed upon all men.

Romans 5:12 says: "Wherefore; by one man sin entered the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have simpled."

Adam and Eve didn't die the day they ate the fruit. I used to wonder why until I remembered that God is a God of Love, and "is not willing that any should perish". 2 Peter3: 8-10. Peter reminds us that a day is as a thousand years with the Lord. Because of God's love and mercy, He chose to allow our first parents to live on in His 'thousand years as a day'.

It is interesting that no man lived past one thousand years! Even Methusaleh, the longest-living person, died at 969 years just before Noah's Flood.

God loves His "SEVENS"! Creation week is just seven days. The Seventh Day is the Sabbath: the Seventh week after Passover is Pentecost: Seven months after till the Three Feasts of Trumpets, Day of Atonement, and Tabernacles: every seven times seven years, 49 years, the land had to rest and <u>over six hundred</u> other references to SEVEN in the Scriptures.

SEVEN DAYS --SEVEN THOUSAND YEARS

- Some of our best Bible scholars have estimated the Creation date at between 3950 and 4004 years BC (Before Christ). If we add 2000 years AD to us today, (AD is Anno Domini—year of the Teacher), we have approximately 6000 years since Creation!
- So four thousand years, (<u>like four days with the Lord</u>), from Creation to Jesus' first coming, and another 2000 years (<u>like two days with the Lord</u>), to us today, makes around 6000 years, (<u>like six days with the Lord in total</u>). Then there will be a thousand years of rest. (<u>Like the seventh day or a Sabbath with the Lord</u>.) Read Revelation 20 for what God says is going to happen, during that thousand years of rest for the Earth. Even the devil will be chained and unable to do his work of deceiving the nations.

God's faithful people who have died since Adam and Eve, will be raised at Jesus' Second Coming, and then with those who are alive at that time, will be caught up together with the raised ones, in the air, and so shall we ever be with the Lord, as in the beautiful Scriptures by the Apostle Paul in 1 Thessalonians.

"But I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning those that are asleep, that you sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with Him. For this we say unto you by the Word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not precede them which are asleep. 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. Wherefore comfort one another with these words." 1 Thessalonians 4: 13-18

Now what else does the Word of God tell us is going to happen <u>BEFORE it happens</u>? We call this prophecy! Let's look at some prophecies that are very relevant to what is happening in our sad old world today.

God showed Daniel in the time of Babylon, some startling prophetic events that show us clearly that we are living at the "time of the end" of this world right now. We see the world descending into gross sins and terrible evil, rejecting the Lord and all His commands.

From Daniel chapter seven to twelve, God shows Daniel, over and over, signs that show when the "time of the end" is about to occur. Daniel was shown that a power would emerge that would "go forth with great fury to destroy, and utterly to make away many." (That is surely happening right now with the COVID thing and global forced vaccinations.) "And he shall plant the tabernacles of his palace between the seas in the glorious holy mountain; yet he shall come to his end and none shall help him." Daniel 11: 44,45. (Watch for the plans of the WEF, (World Economic Forum), and the super rich elite readying for Global Control and setting up Global Headquarters in Jerusalem, "between the seas" (the Mediterranean and the Dead Sea)—"in the glorious holy mountain." (the special place, Jerusalem, that God calls His holy mountain. Isaiah 11:6-9).

Very important! Remember that Scripture says that NO ONE knows when the Father will say "Enough!", as He did in the time of Noah, and Sodom and Gomorrah. NO ONE knows when Jesus will finish His intercessory work in the heavenly Sanctuary. NO ONE but our Heavenly Father knows when this time of probation will end, and Jesus will return.

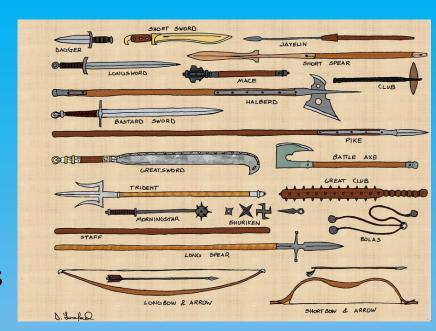
BUT, God does give us lots of indications and signs that it is near, "even at the doors!"

In Daniel chapter 12:1-4 God says, "And at that time", (the time a world power is set up in Jerusalem), shall Michael (another name for Jesus), stand up, the great prince which standeth for the children of thy people: and there shall be a time of trouble, such as never was since there was a nation even to that same time: and at that time thy people shall be delivered, every one that shall be found written in the book. And many of them that sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars for ever and ever. But thou, O Daniel, shut up the words and seal the book, even to the time of the end: many shall run to and fro, and knowledge shall be increased." Wow! Aren't we seeing these amazing signs being fulfilled right now? Today?



Horse and Buggy Travel

Ancient weapons



When I was just a young man, this was my world!



The old 'Outhouse'



Early Mobiles



Sailing ships only for world travel.

When I was just sixteen, I was cutting and loading sugar cane by hand and carting it out of the paddock to the siding with three draught horses. Now a large machine does it all with the driver seated in an air-conditioned cab listening to his favourite music. The cut cane is loaded mechanically into a truck alongside with the driver enjoying similar air-conditioned comfort! That was just seventy years ago!

Thousands of motor vehicles of numerous types now speed along beautiful smooth roads at incredible speeds. Now, we can board an Aircraft and fly to anywhere in the world in hours.

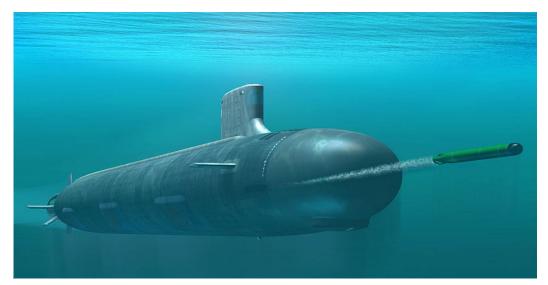
Sea travel is done by huge ships carrying hundreds of passengers with all the comforts of home. Even Swimming Pools and Sports facilities on board! Huge Cargo ships sail the seas.

Dare I mention Communication marvels of tiny Mobile Phones which can take incredibly clear photos and even movies, and you only need to speak to it to find out any information you wish to know. The Internet now is taking over Banking, and nearly all Buying & Selling.

Advances in surgical and medical feats boggle the mind! Amazing increase of knowledge!



Wow! Modern Travel on the Maze of Highways



A Submarine can travel round the earth without surfacing.



A Modern Cruise Liner



A Modern Air Liner



Space Ships and Space Stations.



Nuclear damage to Hiroshima and Nagasaki.



Skyscrapers in Huge Cities.



A Modern Mobile Phone can even do videos.

Dare I mention what computers can do? I'm using a small laptop right now to put this study together. Sometimes when I am typing, it will suggest the next word or words I may be thinking of using, and will put them in if I touch "tab". Our whole world now depends on electronics. Computers large and small are essential components of every store, for management, inventory and programming. Now the elite are planning complete universal surveillance for every person with "nano" technology.

Truly amazing increase of knowledge and ALL JUST IN MY LIFETIME!

In Matthew's Gospel chapter 24, Jesus was telling the disciples about coming catastrophes for Jerusalem and our world. We find the disciples asking Jesus in verse 3, to tell them when these things would happen and "what shall be the sign of thy coming, and of the end of the world?" Read what Jesus said from verse 4 onwards, of what we shall see happening, even the COVID thing, (pestilences), and especially note verse 15, where Jesus Himself gives the starting point of the "time of trouble such as never was since there was a nation." (Daniel 12: 1).

What did Jesus give as an answer to their question? In Matthew 24:15-22 Jesus says, "When ye therefore shall see the abomination of desolation, spoken of by Daniel the prophet, stand in the holy place, (whoso readeth, let him understand:)

For then shall be great tribulation, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be." (That sounds like Daniel's "time of trouble such as never was since there was a nation" at "the time of the end".).

So, when will it begin? When the abomination of desolation sets up in the holy place, as in Daniel 11:45, "between the seas in the glorious holy mountain." What holy place is between the Mediterranean and the Dead Sea? Jerusalem!

So, are we to look for an "abomination of desolation" setting itself up in Jerusalem? Right now there are plans to set up a world authority, a New World Order, headed up by the most looked up to man on earth, the Jesuit Pope Francis. In 1798 the then Pope was taken prisoner by General Berthier and imprisoned on an island. But that wound is healing wonderfully. The present Pope Francis is dialoguing with heads of the world's most powerful nations to bring our world under one wonderful, global, united, governing entity, the New World Order. It is openly being discussed and in the news almost daily. Keep watching the developments. This world is changing so quickly now.

One of the mega-rich elite of this world, David Rockefeller, a Bilderberg member, has this to say: "We are on the verge of a global transformation. All we need is the right major crisis and the nations will accept the NEW WORLD ORDER."

This New World Order has been planned and discussed for over thirty years. Other mega rich elite, like Klaus Schwab, the Rothchilds, Bill Gates, and many others are openly airing their plans for this New World Order. Schwab is the founder and Chairman of the WEF-the World Economic Forum, which is planning a completely new system of economics, and world control, with Digital Identity, DI, for every man, woman and child on the earth. I have personally heard Gates stating that our world cannot support the present population of round eight billion people. He says the world population has to be drastically reduced from the present round eight billion to about one billion. Revelation 18 speaks very specifically about this great One World Power, and shows clearly what will happen to all the plans of men. Read and study these wonderful prophecies in Daniel and Revelation, especially Revelation 14:6-12.

Only those who accept our Heavenly Father 's invitation, and because of our love for our amazing God, follow His commands, will be safe through this coming world crisis!

So....."What must I do to be saved?" Jesus' invitation is just as valid and wonderful as it was when He spoke to His disciples! Listen to His words:

"Come unto Me all you that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you, and learn of Me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and you shall find rest unto your souls. For My yoke is easy and My burden is light." Matthew 11:28-30

We have those beautiful Scriptures in John 3:16,17. "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believes in Him should not perish but have everlasting life. For God sent not His Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through Him might be saved."

Spend time in God's Word—the Bible. Start with the Gospels-- Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. Spend time speaking to God in prayer every day and if you'd like help in any way feel free to contact us:

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