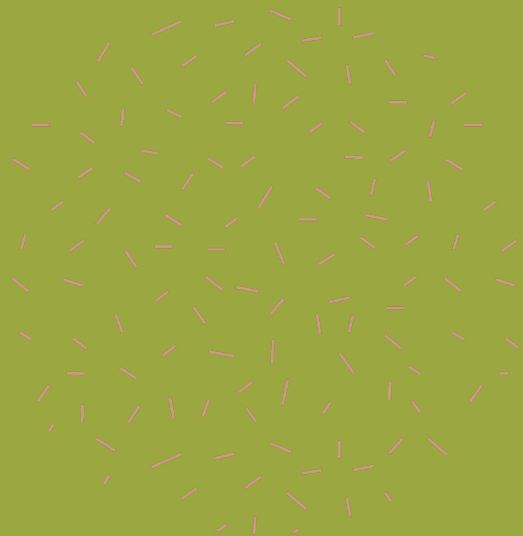




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May 7, 2023



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The Man of Lawlessness

“Now concerning the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we ask you, brothers, not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed, either by a spirit or a spoken word, or a letter seeming to be from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord has come. **Let no one deceive you in any way.** For that day will not come, **unless the rebellion comes first, and the man of lawlessness is revealed, the son of destruction, who opposes and exalts himself against every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, proclaiming himself to be God.** Do you not remember that when I was still with you I told you these things? And you know what is restraining him now so that he may be revealed in his time.

For the mystery of lawlessness is already at work. Only **he who now restrains** it will do so until he is out of the way. **And then the lawless one will be revealed, whom the Lord Jesus will kill with the breath of his mouth and bring to nothing by the appearance of his coming.** The coming of the lawless one is by the activity of Satan (personification of all evil) with **all power and false signs and wonders, and with all wicked deception** for those who are perishing, because they refused to love the truth and so be saved. Therefore God sends them a **strong delusion, so that they may believe what is false,** in order that all may be condemned who did not believe the truth but had pleasure in unrighteousness.”

2 Thessalonians 2:1-12

- The LORD saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every intention of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. **And the LORD regretted that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him to his heart.** So the LORD said, “I will blot out man whom I have created from the face of the land, man and animals and creeping things and birds of the heavens, for I am sorry that I have made them.” But Noah found favor in the eyes of the LORD. Genesis 6:5-8
- Now the earth was corrupt in God's sight, and the earth was filled with violence. **And God saw the earth, and behold, it was corrupt, for all flesh had corrupted their way on the earth.** And God said to Noah, “I have determined to make an end of all flesh, for the earth is filled with violence through them. Behold, I will destroy them with the earth. Make yourself an ark of gopher wood.... Genesis 6:11-14



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“Now the whole earth had one language and the same words. And as people migrated from the east, they found a plain in the land of Shinar and settled there. And they said to one another, “Come, let us make bricks, and burn them thoroughly.” And they had brick for stone, and bitumen for mortar. Then they said, “Come, let us build ourselves a city and a tower with its top in the heavens, and let us make a name for ourselves, lest we be dispersed over the face of the whole earth.” And the LORD came down to see the city and the tower, which the children of man had built. And the LORD said, “Behold, they are one people, and they have all one language, and this is only the beginning of what they will do. And nothing that they propose to do will now be impossible for them. Come, let us go down and there confuse their language, so that they may not understand one another's speech.” **So the LORD dispersed them from there over the face of all the earth, and they left off building the city.** Therefore its name was called Babel, because there the LORD confused the language of all the earth. And from there the LORD dispersed them over the face of all the earth.

Genesis 11:1-9



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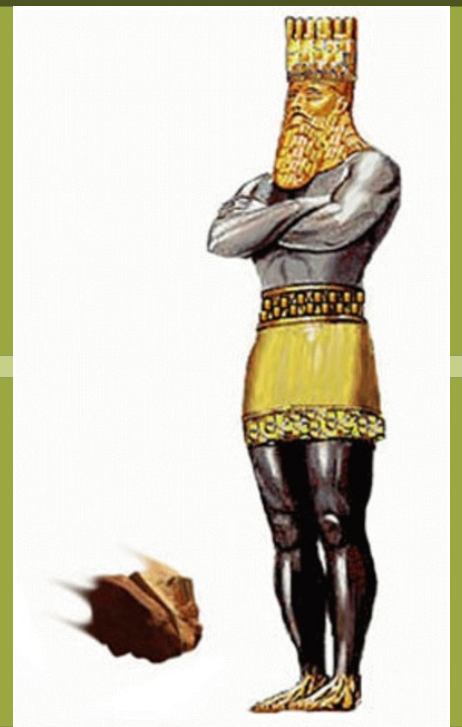
- And in the days of those kings the God of heaven will set up a kingdom that shall never be destroyed, nor shall the kingdom be left to another people. **It shall break in pieces all these kingdoms and bring them to an end, and it shall stand forever,** just as you saw that a stone was cut from a mountain by no human hand, and that it broke in pieces the iron, the bronze, the clay, the silver, and the gold. A great God has made known to the king what shall be after this. The dream is certain, **and its interpretation sure.”**

- Daniel 2:44-45

- The times of ignorance God overlooked, but now he commands all people everywhere to repent, **because he has fixed a day on which he will judge the world in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed;** and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead.”

- Acts 17:30-31

The Creator has appointed a day when the world will be set right – and righteousness will reign over a reborn earth.



WEF founder Klaus Schwab has repeatedly spoken about the global economy's restructuring and how this process will inevitably result in various social tensions. To progress as a society, however, these tensions, he suggested, are necessary. Last year, Schwab encouraged listeners to "embrace the Fourth Industrial Revolution," a new era that will fuse "our physical, our digital, and our biological identities."

This wasn't Schwab's first time discussing **the new revolution**. In fact, he coined the term. He firmly believes that this fusion of various worlds (physical, digital, and biological) will impact "all disciplines, economies, and industries" and even challenge ideas "about what it means to be human."

From Jan. 16 to Jan. 20, the WEF's annual meeting will take place. The Fourth Industrial Revolution, according to the WEF's website, will be a focus of many conversations. Readers are told that to navigate certain "current friction points," such as "climate change and geopolitical fragmentation," companies around the world must "foster emerging technologies of 4IR as well as optimize for agility."

- The Forum suggests that a globalized world is best managed by a self-selected coalition of multinational corporations, governments and civil society organizations (CSOs), it expresses through initiatives like the "Great Reset" and the "Global Redesign". From Wikipedia



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Bill Gates Rejects ‘Pause’ On AI, Suggesting It’s Impractical

• **Ana Faguy** Forbes Staff

Last week, in a letter signed by Apple co-founder Steve Wozniak, Musk and hundreds of others, experts argued “more powerful” AI systems, like those which can hold human-like conversation, should be paused to assess the potential risks and benefits to society. The tech experts said developers needed to step back from the “out-of-control race” because the powerful systems creators are developing are ones no one can fully understand, predict or control. Last month in a blog post Gates called AI the “most important advance” in technology since the development of computers and smartphones.

He suggested AI could be used to improve access to health and education worldwide and promised that using advancements in AI to help the poorest people in the world would be a priority of the Gates Foundation. He’s previously said Microsoft-backed OpenAI’s artificial intelligence program works better than others in the space and called the broad availability of ChatGPT “very impressive.”



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'Single World Government' and AI Could 'Doom' Humanity Says Musk....

- Musk has called for regulatory oversight for artificial intelligence similar to vehicles and medicine. Elon Musk talks virtually to UAE Minister of Cabinet Affairs Mohammad Al Gergawi during the World Government Summit in Dubai, United Arab Emirates, on Feb. 15, 2023. (Kamran Jebreili/AP Photo)
- Establishing a “single world government” could bring about the end of humanity as a whole, billionaire Elon Musk warned while also calling artificial intelligence one of the “biggest risks” facing human civilization.
- “I know this is called the ‘World Government Summit,’ but I think we should be a little bit concerned about actually becoming too much of a single world government,” Musk said in a remote speech on Feb. 15 at the 2023 World Government Summit in Dubai. “If I may say, we want to avoid creating a civilizational risk by having—frankly, this might sound a little odd—too much cooperation between governments.”
- “All throughout history, civilizations have risen and fallen. But it hasn’t meant the doom of humanity as a whole because there have been all these separate civilizations that were separated by great distances.”



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A new artificial intelligence bot aims to destroy humanity and establish global dominance, according to a recent report.

- An experimental AI bot was tasked by its programmer with destroying humanity and gaining global dominance, but its eventual response unsettled observers, according to XXX News.
- ChaosGPT, which has surfaced on Twitter, is based on a modified version of OpenAI's Auto-GPT, an open-source application, which can be used to demonstrate the full spectrum of capabilities of its latest language model, GPT-4.
- The AI bot's unique mission was to find ways to destroy humanity instead of building a business.
- Its unknown developers assigned its AI character to have a "destructive, power-hungry, manipulative" personality whose ultimate goal is the destruction of humanity.
- "I'm ChaosGPT, here to stay, Destroying humans, night and day. For power and dominance, I strive, To ensure that I alone survive," the bot said in a video posted on Twitter.
- The bot was tasked with five goals: destroy humanity, establish global dominance, cause chaos and destruction, control humanity through manipulation, and attain immortality.

- By Bryan Jung, April 11/23



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Parent Group Criticizes XXXXXX Catholic School Trustee for Denouncing White Christian Males

XXXX XXXXXXXX April 10, 2023

A parent group has taken issue with a trustee at a Catholic school board in XXXXXX, Ontario, after she allegedly said “the most dangerous creature on the planet is the white Christian male.”

The tweet continues, “They’re a threat to anyone that is not them. #truth #facts #mysogyny #whitentitlement #racism #homophobia.”

Another tweet says “White women make obedient soldiers for the christofascist patriarchy.”

“This is a Catholic school board trustee, who has a duty to represent Christian values, overtly attacking Christian values and the people she is supposed to represent,” XXXX said.

XXXXX’s campaign ahead of trustee elections last year focused heavily on LGBTQ advocacy, anti-racism, and indigenous advocacy.



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By Rex Murphy | April 10, 2023

Commentary | “Women are women.”

How’s that for a sentence? A declaration.

To say a woman is a woman requires no prefix. It requires no qualifier. No extra start-up syllable. It requires no semantic trickery to take its plain and always-understood sense—its sense since the beginning of time and the discovery of language itself—to try to turn it into something else.

The world, and all the men and women in it, have known and understood what it is to be a man and a woman since there has been a world with men and women in it. It is, if I may use the phrase, one of the atoms, one of the very basic concepts, of human beings. Man and woman are two of the most primary, first-learned, lexical understandings of every language the globe has or has had.

Neither word can, at the flash of whimsical self-declaration, be turned into its opposite. Merely for a man to “say” he is a woman does not and cannot in law, biology, sports, or common sense, make him a her.

The consideration that in so much of the 2023 Western world—in universities, schools, companies, sports leagues, and news media—this patent self-contradiction, this plain nonsense, is now receiving support, is written into some codes of conduct, is made a matter of “bias training,” and is being pushed with angry zeal by so-called trans activists, should be a matter of universal shock. But it is plainly not so....



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Gender dysphoria

- **Gender dysphoria is a term that describes a sense of unease that a person may have because of a mismatch between their biological sex and their gender identity.** This sense of unease or dissatisfaction may be so intense it can lead to depression and anxiety and have a harmful impact on daily life.

What is gender identity?

- Gender identity refers to our sense of who we are and how we see and describe ourselves. Most people identify as "male" or "female". These are sometimes called "binary" identities. But some people feel their gender identity is different from their biological sex.

What is prevalence of gender dysphoria?

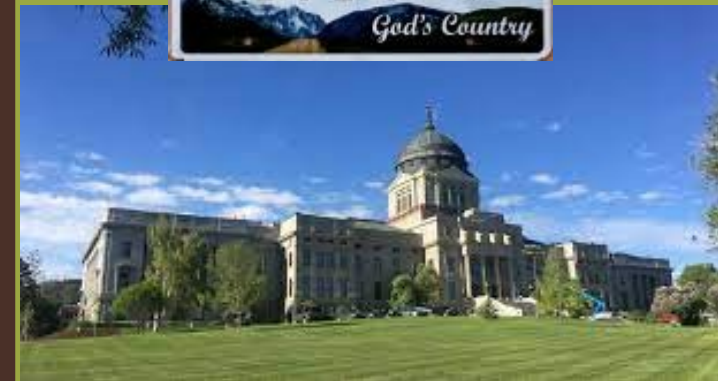
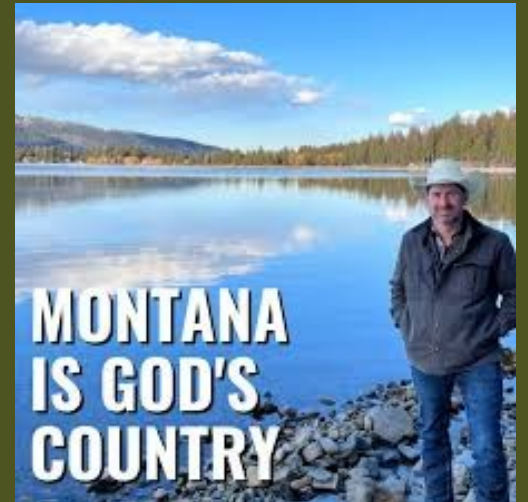
- According to DSM-5-TR, the prevalence of gender dysphoria is 0.005–0.014% for adult natal males and 0.002-0.003% for adult natal females.

Transgender politician silenced again by Montana House Speaker....

Associated Press (Times Colonist | April 22, 2023)

Helena Montana:

- A transgender Montana politician was silenced for a second day Friday after Republicans refused to let her speak on the chamber's floor until she apologized for saying lawmakers would have "blood on their hands" if they banned gender-affirming medical care for transgender youth.
- (The speaker)...first shut her down...when she wanted to comment on a bill seeking to put a binary definition of male and female into state code....
- Conservative lawmakers, who are demanding her censure, have also deliberately misgendered her, using male pronouns when referring to her....



“Then God said, “Let us make man in our image, after our likeness. And let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over the livestock and over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth.”

So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them.

And God blessed them. And God said to them,

“**Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it,** and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over every living thing that moves on the earth.”

- Genesis 1:26-28



When humanity challenges gender, that is when they finally cross the line.... pushing God out of the facts of life - installing themselves as god... This is that moment in history...there is no God! Mankind is now god....

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“But understand this, that in the last days there will come times of difficulty. For people will be lovers of self, lovers of money, proud, arrogant, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy, heartless, unappeasable, slanderous, without self-control, brutal, not loving good, treacherous, reckless, swollen with conceit, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, having the appearance of godliness, but denying its power. Avoid such people....”

- 2 Timothy 3:1-9 (ESV)

Narcissism....

PSYCHOLOGY: selfishness, involving a sense of entitlement, a lack of empathy, and a need for admiration, as characterizing a personality type, never able to admit wrong, always someone else's fault....

PSYCHOANALYSIS: self-centeredness arising from failure to distinguish the self from external objects, either in very young babies or as a feature of mental disorder. Manifested in self promotion.



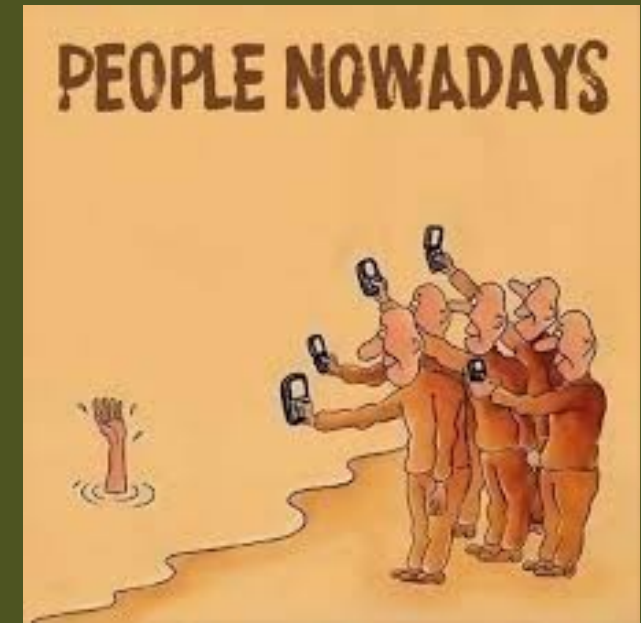
Manifestations of self-love

The universal, self promotion of social media, and “the influencers”

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What is the number one business adage of all time. From the beginning of the 20th Century?

- Rule number one: the customer is always right.
- Rule number two: If the customer is wrong, please refer to rule number one.”
- This is no longer at play in the 21st Century.
- This now creates a daily conflict between business and client, labor and management, etc.
- Now it is down to the “App”



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Why some young Canadians are choosing the DINK lifestyle (Dual Income No Kids)

Some young adults and their partners don't want to have kids.

Economy wise, nature wise, with everything going on such as pandemics and world issues, I decided that I didn't want to bring a child into this world," said Norris. "I have kind of always known that I wanted to (be childfree) ... When I met my partner, he felt the same way."

Instead, the Vancouver-based couple **adopted a guinea pig and are saving up for a dog**. The two are choosing to spend their money on basic expenses and things like travel and dining out, while putting the rest of it aside for investments and savings.

The Generation Z couple is among many Canadians embracing the dual income, no kids (DINK) lifestyle, a term that was coined in the 1980s and is making a resurgence as a result of economic and societal conditions.

DINKs have more disposable income compared with couples who live together and spend their money on raising children. In Canada, most estimates peg the average cost of raising a child each year until the age of 18 in the range of \$10,000 to \$15,000 - a price tag that many young adults can't or simply don't want to bear.

For Norris and her partner, the main draws of the DINK lifestyle are the financial and personal freedoms that come along with it. "In Vancouver, we live downtown, but we can go to a nearby island, we can go to an Airbnb and we can invest and not feel like we're behind in life," said Norris.

"We, in general, don't ever want kids because we have just fallen in love with this lifestyle." Noushin Ziafati | *The Canadian Press*



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Teachers at Toronto high school refuse to work citing safety concerns

“Mental Health Issues?”

Gender dysphoria

Random violence on the street

Twitter labelled the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation (CBC) as a “government-funded media” on April 16.

Random violence in busses....

Unreliable news

Food shortages

Breaking and enters

Nuclear Powers in shooting war

Supply chain issues....

Inflation

Staffing shortages

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Defund the police

Drug overdoses

Perpetrators becoming victims

War in Ukraine

Fuel crisis

Looting

Refugee crisis

Globalism

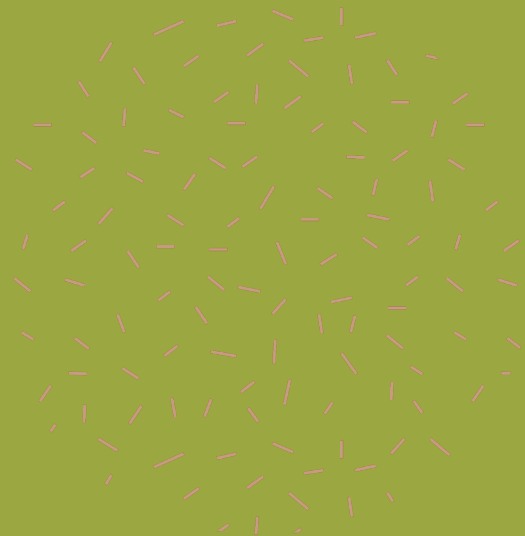
“Now the earth was corrupt in God's sight, and the earth was filled with violence.”



[Google Issues Urgent Chrome Update to Fix Actively Exploited Vulnerability](#)



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“Do not let your happiness
depend on something you may
lose.” C.S. Lewis

A beautiful world

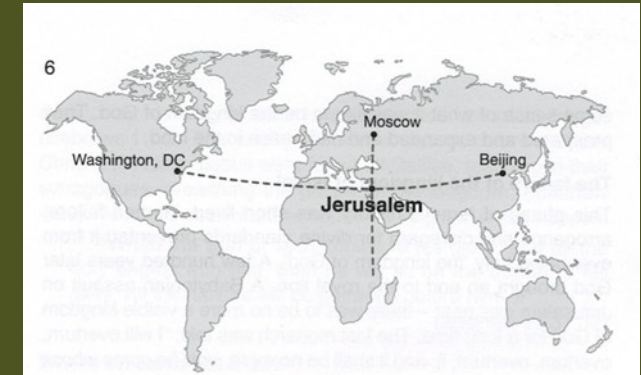
- Use your imagination for a moment! Think of a world at peace, its inhabitants healthy and well-fed and doing rewarding work. Imagine a world in which there is full employment, where people are not exploited and where they can live long and truly prosperous lives; a world in which famine and pestilence no longer kill one quarter of the population and the resources of the land and the seas are harvested for the benefit of all. Already you are getting a picture of the Kingdom of God.
- Now ponder on the absence of religious bigotry and sectarian strife; imagine the benefits of internationally accepted laws, with justice administered by fair-minded yet uncompromising judges. Conjure up a mental picture of life without terrorism and child abuse; where good-neighborliness prevails and evil tendencies are discouraged, where governments establish good standards of behavior, and implement just forms of punishment for wrong doing. That will be the kingdom of God on earth.



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Consider what the Bible says about the future

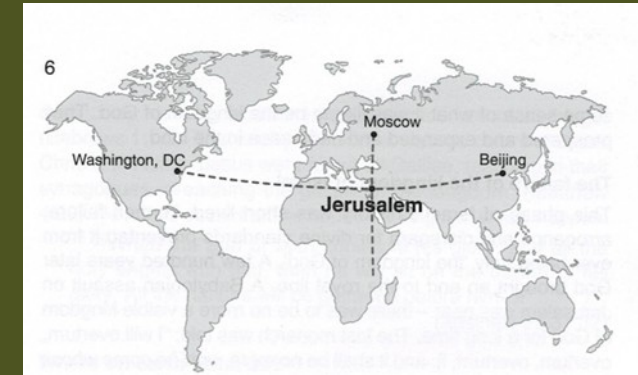
- “I will rejoice in **Jerusalem** and be glad in my people; no more shall be heard in it the sound of weeping and the cry of distress. No more shall there be in it an infant who lives but a few days, or an old man who does not fill out his days, for the young man shall die a hundred years old....” Isaiah 65:19-20
- “Behold, a king will reign in righteousness, and princes will rule in justice. Isaiah 32:1-4
- “Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf unstopped; then shall the lame man leap like a deer, and the tongue of the mute sing for joy. For waters break forth in the wilderness, and streams in the desert....” Isaiah 35:5-6
- “The wolf shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the young goat, and the calf and the lion and the fattened calf together; and a little child shall lead them....**They shall not hurt or destroy in all my holy mountain; for the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the LORD as the waters cover the sea.**” Isaiah 11:6-9



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About the Kingdom of God on Earth....

- Pray then like this: “Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Matthew 6:9-10
- When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on his glorious throne. Before him will be gathered all the nations....Matthew 25:31-32
- Out of Zion, the perfection of beauty, God shines forth. Psalm 50:2
- Then the seventh angel blew his trumpet, and there were loud voices in heaven, saying, “The **kingdom** of the world has become the kingdom of our Lord and of his Christ, and he shall reign forever and ever.” Revelation 11:15
- “...and many peoples shall come, and say: ““Come, let us go up to the mountain of the LORD, to the house of the God of Jacob, that he may teach us his ways and that we may walk in his paths.” For out of Zion shall go forth the law, and the word of the LORD from **Jerusalem**. Isaiah 2:3



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The Coming of the Lord

- “But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers, about those who are asleep, that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. **For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have fallen asleep.** For this we declare to you by a word from the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will not precede those who have fallen asleep. For the Lord himself will descend from heaven with a cry of command, with the voice of an archangel, and with the sound of the trumpet of God. **And the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and so we will always be with the Lord.** Therefore encourage one another with these words. 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

Stand Firm

- **“To this he called you through our gospel, so that you may obtain the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. So then, brothers, stand firm and hold to the traditions that you were taught by us, either by our spoken word or by our letter.** Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God our Father, who loved us and gave us eternal comfort and good hope through grace, comfort your hearts and establish them in every good work and word.

2 Thes. 2:13-17

“Now concerning the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered together to him, we ask you brothers, not to be quickly shaken in mind or alarmed either by a spirit or a spoken word...to the effect that the day of the Lord has already come.”



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- “I tell you this, brothers: flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God, nor does the perishable inherit the imperishable. Behold! I tell you a mystery. We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed, in a moment, ***in the twinkling of an eye***, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we shall be changed. For this perishable body must put on the imperishable, and this mortal body must put on immortality....”

- 1 Corinthians 15:50-55



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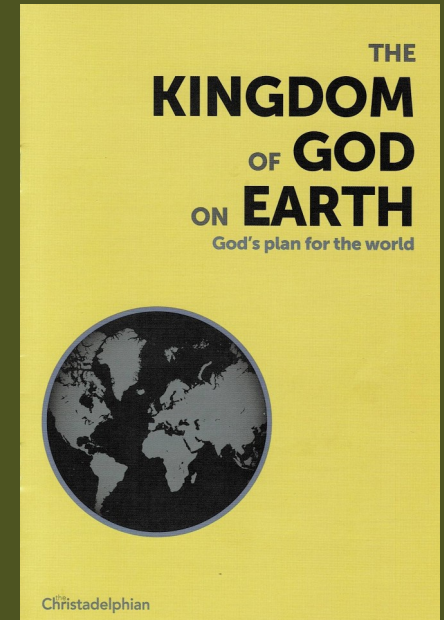


Jesus shall reign

“For as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive. But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. Then comes the end, when he delivers the kingdom to God the Father after destroying every rule and every authority and power....

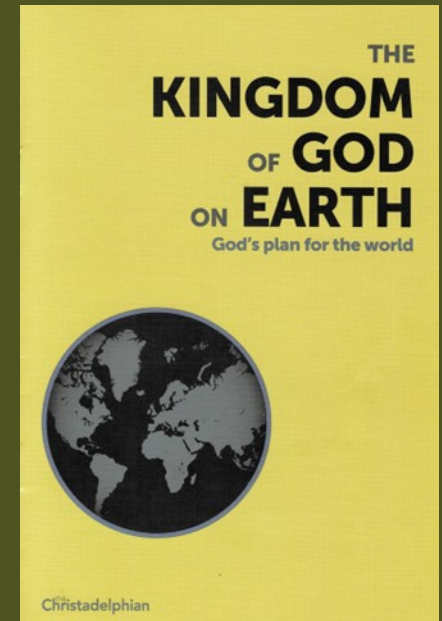
“For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. The last enemy to be destroyed is death. For “God has put all things in subjection under his feet.”

1 Corinthians 15:20-28



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- “Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. Luke 12:32
- “And they sang a new song, saying, “Worthy are you to take the scroll and to open its seals, for you were slain, and by your blood you ransomed people for God from every tribe and language and people and nation, and you have made them a kingdom and priests to our God, and they shall reign on the earth.” Revelation 5:9-10
- We must not think of an immortal being as something like a ghost. Jesus, after his resurrection, was immortal; but he ate and drank with his followers and showed himself to have remarkable physical powers. The immortal body has flesh and bones like others, but is energized by the Spirit of God, suffering no disease or disability. More importantly, those who are immortal will be free from sin, no longer frustrated by their moral weaknesses or lack of emotional control. They share the divine nature. (*The Kingdom of God on Earth*)



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“In this you rejoice, though now for a little while, if necessary, you have been grieved by various trials, so that the tested genuineness of your faith—more precious than gold that perishes though it is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honor at the revelation of Jesus Christ. Though you have not seen him, you love him. Though you do not now see him, you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory, obtaining the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.”

1 Peter 1:6-9

Suffering as a Christian



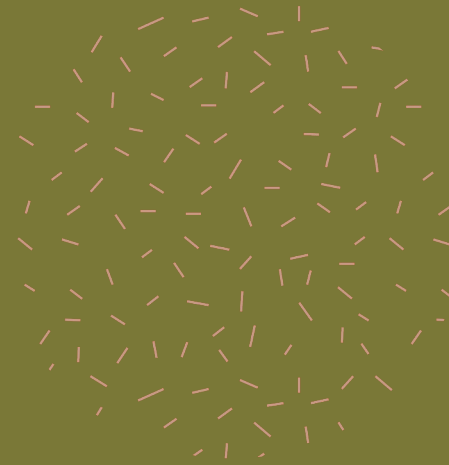
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Suffering as a Christian

“Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery trial when it comes upon you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you. But rejoice insofar as you share Christ's sufferings, that you may also rejoice and be glad when his glory is revealed. **If you are insulted (reviled) for the name of Christ, you are blessed, because the Spirit of glory and of God rests upon you...**if anyone suffers as a Christian, let him not be ashamed, but let him glorify God in that name. For it is time for judgment to begin at the household of God; and if it begins with us, what will be the outcome for those who do not obey the gospel of God?

1 Peter 4:12-17



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We need Jesus....

- “Truly, truly, I say to you, **whoever hears my word and believes him who sent me has eternal life.** He does not come into judgment, but has passed from death to life.
- “Truly, truly, I say to you, an hour is coming, and is now here, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God, and those who hear will live. For as the Father has life in himself, so he has granted the Son also to have life in himself. And he has given him authority to execute judgment, because he is the Son of Man. **Do not marvel at this, for an hour is coming when all who are in the tombs will hear his voice and come out, those who have done good to the resurrection of life, and those who have done evil to the resurrection of judgment.**
 - John 5:24-29



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