**END-TIME REVELATION**

In the beginning of February, 2014, I was overwhelmed by the Holy Spirit for the need to begin praying in the spirit in an intercessory prayer, but I did not know what I was to be praying for. Praying in the spirit means the Spirit of the Lord within you is praying. I did get the sense that there was a great spiritual warfare going on in the heavens and I was interceding on that account; I have experienced this in the past.

On Saturday February 8th while meditating and studying my Bible the Lord led me to go to the Book of Revelation and I felt to compare items there with a teaching I prepared many years ago on the Gospel in the Stars – Signs in the Heavens, (which most Christians either do not understand or accept – Psalm 19:1-4).

At first it was Revelation 6:12-13 that seemed to jump out at me with the revelation that we may have recently entered the time of the Sixth Seal. (That time could have begun 12/21/2012 which had so much speculation associated with it; but this is only conjecture.)

Revelation 6:12-13 – *And I beheld when he had opened the sixth seal, and, lo, there was a great earthquake; and the sun became black as sackcloth of hair, and the moon became as blood; And the stars of heaven fell unto the earth, even as a fig tree casteth her untimely figs, when she is shaken of a mighty wind.*

This means that the earth may soon experience a major earthquake or a series of serious earthquakes, the foretaste of which is already occurring around the world. Also listed is the “moon turning to blood”: four blood moons are scheduled to occur between April this year and September of next year. Each of the blood moons will occur on or during four of God’s Holy Days which He appointed for Israel to observe. Also the “stars of heaven fell to earth; consider that angles have been referred to as stars in heaven in various scriptures.

My attention was then brought to Revelation 12:7-9 and I immediately had to compare that with the Star Chart of the twelve signs of the Mazzaroth – Job 38:32, (now referred to as the zodiac).

Revelation 12:1, 3-4 & 7-9 – *And there appeared a great wonder (sign) in heaven; a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon under her feet, and upon her head a crown of twelve stars:*

*And there appeared another wonder (sign) in heaven; behold a great red dragon, having seven heads and ten horns, and seven crowns upon his heads.*

*And there was war in heaven: Michael and his angels fought against the dragon; and the dragon fought and his angels, and prevailed not; neither was their place found any more in heaven. And the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the Devil, and Satan, which deceiveth the whole world: he was cast out into the earth, and his angels were cast out with him. And his tail drew the third part of the stars of heaven, and did cast then to the earth:…*

The first sign, Vergo – The Virgin, referred to in verse 1, is perfectly described and it is located next to the last sign in the circuit, Leo – the Lion. The Virgin refers to the beginning of the story of Jesus Christ coming forth from a virgin. The last of the twelve signs is Leo – the Lion, and refers to the final triumph of Christ over Satan the dragon/serpent.

Looking at the Star Chart you can see that Leo, the Lion, has his foot on the head of the Hydra, the serpent. It is also noteworthy that as in verse 3, Hydra, the Serpent, from head to tail covers one-third of the stars of the heavens in the Star Chart; which fulfills verse 4. All this indicates that in these last days of the age and under the Sixth Seal that there is a war in heaven according to verse 7. This is what I was sensitive to when the Spirit of the Lord had me praying in the spirit and interceding. The result of this warfare is about to be experienced here on earth as revealed in verse 9.

What is happening according to scripture is that Satan and his fallen angels, a full one-third of them, will soon be cast down to earth and here they will cause major strife and conflict with those who belong to Christ and have His Spirit in them. Obviously they will be accompanying the sinners of this world in opposition to the true saints before Christ’s return. This could also mean that, “as in the days of Noah, so shall it be at the coming of the Lord”, and that the fallen angels may again mingle with the daughters of men as in Genesis 6:6 and so create an offspring of nephilim (giants), an ungodly race of beings that created havoc before the flood that caused God to destroy all life on earth with the exception of Noah those whom he preserved in the ark. We may see all this evil again.

It is also important to note that in verse 10 we see that the true Christians will be strengthened and empowered to declare salvation and the kingdom of God. The dedication of these saints will be complete as revealed in verse 11.

Revelation 12:10-11 – *And I heard a loud voice sayin gin heaven, Now is come salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of his Christ: for the accuser of our brethren is cast down, which accused them before our God day and night.* *And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony; and they loved not their lives unto the death.*

Contrary to popular doctrine of the pre-tribulation rapture of the church, it appears that believers are here on earth right up until the seventh (last) trumpet. Those that oppose the post-tribulation rapture argue that believers are not appointed to the wrath of God: this is true, but they assume the rapture is how God’s wrath is avoided. However, we need to consider Bible history in how God protected His people in the past from His wrath or judgments and plagues. Remember when Israel was held captive as slaves in Egypt and God sent the ten plagues upon the Egyptians for pharaoh’s defiance of God’s command to let them go?

Where was Israel when each of the plagues hit Egypt? They were IN Egypt, but they were not affected by any of the plagues. They were sheltered by God. So it will be in the last days when God pours out his wrath against the unrepentant sinners. Believers will see it but will not be touched by it. This is explicitly declared in scripture:

Psalm 91:7-10 – *A thousand shall fall at thy side, and ten thousand at thy right hand; but it shall not come nigh thee. Only with thine eyes shalt thou behold and see the reward of the wicked. Because thou hast made the Lord, which is my refuge, even the most High, thy habitation; there shall no evil befall thee, neither shall any plague nigh thy dwelling.*

 Numerous other scriptures testify of the same thing for His righteous saints; He knows who they are; where they are; and how to protect and provide for them. Their main requirement is to trust in Him and obey His commands.

One final item; don’t focus on what the enemy is doing or planning; instead, focus on what God is doing and has planned. The enemy’s efforts are based on lies and deception – that which is not true. God’s efforts are benevolent and based on truth that cannot be shaken, moved or changed.

Are we ready for what is coming?