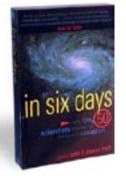


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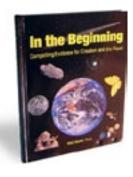
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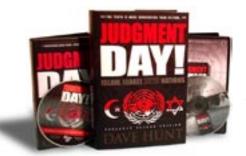
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A Call to Repentance

Dave Hunt

It is now nearly 500 years since October 31, 1517. We need a new Reformation—this time more biblical and thorough. We are drowning in "political correctness." Having changed from a president who couldn't define "is," we have one who persists in calling Islam "peace" in the face of mountains of evidence to the contrary. What the Bible clearly calls sin is whitewashed as "alternate" styles of living. Nothing is wrong, so nothing is right. The church has joined the world, the gospel has been compromised, and we think God doesn't care. Elijah's words come across 3,000 years of history to rebuke us as he did Israel:

How long halt ye between two opinions? If the LORD be God, follow him: but if Baal, then follow him. (1 Ki 18:21)

More than 90 percent of Americans claim to believe in God. About 80 percent call themselves Christians. But when asked to define God, the answers range from "Mother Earth" to a "higher power." Even many who claim to be born again deny that Jesus Christ is the "only way to God." About 70 percent of Americans, 64 percent who call themselves born again, and 40 percent of self-proclaimed evangelicals *reject the idea of absolute truth*. And most of those who claim to believe in absolutes have fallen victims to a universal reluctance to speak the truth.

In a prophetic description of our day, God warned: "And judgment is turned away backward, and justice standeth afar off: for truth is fallen in the street, and equity cannot enter....And he that departeth from evil maketh himself a prey: and the LORD saw it, and it displeased him..." (Is 59:14,15).

Even the church has forgotten that the God of the Bible is "the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob" (Ex 3:15,16, and 11 more times). No matter what one thinks of Jews, God chose them as a "special people unto himself, above all people that are upon the face of the earth" (Dt 7:6), the "apple of His eye" (Dt 32:10; Lam 2:18; Zec 2:8). He gave them the land of Canaan "from the river of Egypt unto...the river Euphrates" (Gn 15:18) to be their "everlasting possession" (Gn 17:7,8; 1 Chr 16:16-18, etc.), promising that Israel's latter end would be better than her beginning (Ezk 36:8-38; 37:21-28, etc.), and that she would never cease to be a nation (Jer 31:35,36). He declared that the land of Israel was His land never to be sold (Lv 25:23) and that all nations would be punished for dividing His land (Joel 3:2). *This is God's Word!*

World leaders (including professing Christians, President Bush and Condoleezza Rice) have openly defied God by dividing His land, giving most of it to Arabs who fraudulently call themselves "Palestinians," claiming that Israel is occupying their land. In fact, they have stolen land God gave to Israel. (See Judgment Day.) Forgotten is God's promise to Abraham: "I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee; and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed" (Gn 12:3). Both the world and the church have spurned this promised blessing and are calling God's curse upon themselves for their treatment of Israel! We call upon Western leaders and Muslims to repent of their atheism, false gods, and rebellion. God might then have mercy on today's world as He did on Nineveh.

Like politicians, religious leaders, too, defy God. In 2002, D. James Kennedy, R.C. Sproul, and dozens of others declared that Israel has no special title to land in the Middle East, having been replaced by the church. They claimed that all of God's "land promises specific to Israel in the Old Testament were fulfilled under Joshua." One trembles at their defiance of God, who has said: "Behold, the days come...that they shall no more say, The LORD liveth, which brought up the children of Israel out of the land of Egypt; but, the LORD liveth, which led the seed of the house of Israel out of the north country, and from all countries whither I had driven them; and they shall dwell in their own land" (Jer 23:7,8).

The obvious fulfillment of such promises today (not in Joshua's day) rebukes those who say that the church has replaced Israel! In the last 60 years, Jews have returned by the millions to Israel from more than 100 nations. Those who deny God's promises to Israel for today need to repent!

It is shocking how many Christian organizations oppose Israel. We have exposed Bob Finley, Christian Aid Mission's founder, with anti-Semitic revision of history, lies against Israel—even blaming her for Muslim terrorism and exonerating Islamic murderers of Israeli women and children. (See Q&A Jan '03.) The Mennonite Central Committee, having worked in "Palestine" for more than 50 years, has nothing good to say about Israel, whom it condemns for its "occupation" of Palestine and for its "58-year-old denial of fundamental rights for nearly seven million

Palestinian refugees"—a false accusation.

World Vision (WV) is one of the largest Christian relief and development organizations in the world, with a budget of \$1 billion. WV helps "Palestinians" but not Israel, for whom it has nothing but criticism. Nearly 3,000 of its 22,500 staff don't even pretend to be Christians. Many are Muslims. WV says, "They share our values." What does that mean? Isn't the gospel of Christ, which alone brings salvation, the greatest blessing WV could bring anywhere? But WV doesn't share the gospel. How could it? Material aid is given, but neglected is Christ's warning that to gain the whole world and lose one's soul is to lose all! World Vision needs to repent or stop pretending to represent Christ.

Christians seem prone to jump on every folly invented by "science" for doomsayers and publicity-seekers. Christian leaders are joining the "global warming" hoax to support Gaia, or Mother Earth. Yet Earth was probably far warmer before the flood, when life flourished as never since; there was a Medieval Warm Period AD 800-1300; Earth has been both colder and warmer than now in the last 100 years; and as recently as 1940-1975, the warnings were all about the coming *ice age*.

A network of evangelical leaders recently issued an urgent warning about global warming titled, "Climate Change: An Evangelical Call to Action." It was signed by more than 20 NAE board members and about 80 other Christian leaders, most of them heads of Christian colleges, denominations, or other organizations (among them Timothy George, Jack Hayford, Duane Litfin, Brian McLaren, David Neff, Ron Sider, Jim Wallis, Rick Warren, and Thomas Wang). It echoes Al Gore's one-sided film, An Inconvenient Truth, widely refuted by climatologists. Those interested should read the speech delivered by Senator James Inhofe on the Senate floor September 25, 2006 (http://epw. senate.gov/speechitem.cfm?party=rep&id=263759).

Paul warned Timothy (and us today) that *the faith* would be opposed by false "science": "avoiding profane and vain babblings, and oppositions of science falsely so called: which some professing have erred concerning the faith" (1 Tm 6:20,21). The theories of local flood advocates and theistic evolutionists have invaded our Christian colleges, churches, and media. This is false "science" opposing God's truth, and it has so much biblical and scientific evidence against it that supporters ought to be ashamed and

repent. The Bible states: "the mountains were covered...all in whose nostrils was the breath of life...died....Every living substance was destroyed which was upon the face of the ground" (Gn 7:20-23, etc.); "the world that then was, being overflowed with water, perished" (2 Pt 3:6). Yet John Stott writes, "The flood seems to have been a comparatively local—though widespread—disaster," and Billy Graham agrees.

Evolution has been thoroughly refuted by true science. (See *In Six Days* and *In the Beginning* in Resource Pages). Theistic evolution ("Progressive Creationism") slanders God's character by having Him use such a cruel, inefficient, and tedious method of "creation." Yet Hugh Ross writes, "[M]y acceptance of Adam and Eve as historical is not incompatible with my belief that several forms of pre-Adamic 'hominid' seem to have existed for thousands of years previously....It is conceivable that God created Adam out of one of them...."

So Christ's mother may have been descended from primal slime and soulless brutes as even John Ankerberg (like Graham and Dobson) apparently believes? The Bible declares that death entered the world through Adam's sin (Rom 5:12), not through "natural selection," which filled the earth with dead bodies before Adam "evolved." Those who hold this wicked theory need to repent on their faces before the Creator!

We have previously referred to the Renovaré Spiritual Formation Bible, touted as "THE BIBLE AS IT WAS INTENDED TO BE" in a two-thirds-page ad in Christianity Today (Jul '05), next to the masthead declaring that Billy Graham was the founder and J.I. Packer one of the Executive Editors. In its notes, 50 "biblical scholars" declare that the first 11 chapters of Genesis, foundational to the entire Bible, came from "Near Eastern religious narrative and mythology [and] were reshaped with monotheistic intent"! Yet Jesus and the apostles referred to Adam and Eve. the creation, and the flood as historical (Mt 19:4, 24:38; Mk 10:6; 13:19; Lk 17:26-32; Rom 1:20, 5:14; 1 Cor 15:22, 45-47; Col 1:16; 1 Tm 2:13; Heb 1:10, 9:4, 11:7; 1 Pt 3:20; 2 Pt 2:5,6; Jude 1:14, etc.).

The *Renovaré* "scholars" treat Israel as replaced by the church, consider the prophets as poets, deny that the Pentateuch was written by Moses, Isaiah by Isaiah, Daniel by Daniel, etc. But Jesus and the apostles treated all of the Bible as inspired of God (Mt 12:40, 42, 23:35; Lk 24:27, 44,45; Rom 15:4; 2 Tm 3:15-17; 2 Pt 1:19-21, etc.). *Renovaré* downplays the powerful Old Testament prophecies, which are the foundation of *the faith* and vital to the salvation of mankind—even denying that Isaiah 53 foretells Christ's sufferings for our sins! The contributors, endorsers, and those who read this "Bible" need to fall on their faces and repent for

their mockery of God's Holy Word!

Christian publishers began to put profits ahead of sound doctrine, made a lot of money by giving readers what they wanted instead of the biblical truth they needed, then sold out to the world monetarily as they already had spiritually. Zondervan is now owned by Fox News and Rupert Murdoch, twice knighted by the past pope and a member of the Pontifical Order of St. Gregory the Great. He has consistently made TV shows aimed at destroying the family and pursues his godless ambitions through a vast empire, of which "Christian publishing" has become one part. Murdoch published The Purpose-Driven Life, and Rick Warren has claimed to be his pastor. We don't have space to name other major "Christian" publishers who have also sold out to the world (see TBC Extra Page Aug '06). It is too late to stop this trend now.

The Roman Catholic Church has been in apostasy for 1,300 years while persecuting and killing true Christians. It has never repented of this evil. Though it proclaims a false gospel of indulgences, Christ being sacrificed in a wafer over and over, and prayers to Mary and the "saints" for salvation, it is now enjoying the support of leading evangelicals in a way that would have shocked true Christians only 50 years ago. Those involved in this seduction of lost souls need to repent in deep sorrow.

Nearly 50 years ago, Billy Graham declared, "Anyone who makes a decision at our meetings is...referred to a local clergyman—Protestant, Catholic or Jewish."2 For more than 50 years, Billy has affirmed Roman Catholicism as the true gospel and has sent Roman Catholics who come forward at his crusades back to the Catholic churches they had left. Billy praised John Paul II as a preacher of the true gospel³ and declared that he and the Pope agreed on almost everything. Yet John Paul II (as does his Church), looked to Mary instead of Christ for salvation. In his Last Will and Testament of March 6, 1979, he entrusted "that decisive moment [of death] to the Mother of Christ and of the Church [and] of my hope...." His Apostolic Letter of October 16, 2002, ended thus:

O Blessed Rosary of Mary...our comfort in the hour of death: yours our final kiss as life ebbs away...the last word from our lips will be your sweet name...O Refuge of Sinners....

Richard Land, president of the Southern Baptists' Ethics and Religious Liberty Commission, praised John Paul II's "staunch defense of traditional Christian faith..."

Pat Robertson enthused, "Pope John Paul II stands like a rock...in his clear enunciation of the foundational principles of the Christian faith." Jack Van Impe hailed the Pope as a staunch defender of the faith and calls the

Catechism of the Catholic Church biblical.

Billy Graham has praised Bishop Fulton Sheen as the "greatest communicator of the 20th century," Though Sheen preached a false gospel, and his hope of heaven was that Mary would let him in because of his 40 pilgrimages to Marian shrines at Fatima and Lourdes, Graham expressed his gratitude to Sheen "for his ministry and his focus on Christ." When Sheen died, Billy said, "I...look forward to our reunion in heaven."

J.I. Packer, a signatory to "Evangelicals and Catholics Together," who called John Paul II "a fine Christian man," had already many years ago declared, "Catholics are among the most loyal and virile brothers evangelicals can find these days." As early as 1992, in *The Body*, Chuck Colson called for ecumenical union with Rome. Likewise John Stott has said, "Evangelicals should join... in working toward full communion with the Roman Catholic Church." These men and many others need to repent for endorsing a false gospel that has led multitudes to hell.

There are so many false prophets on radio and TV (most of them on TBN) that we couldn't begin to name them all. The most popular today is Benny Hinn, praised by evangelical leaders (including Jerry Falwell). Hinn's false prophecies are too many to recite. One is enough: on December 31, 1989, claiming that he was in the very throne room of God, Hinn declared: "The Lord also tells me...about '94 or '95, no later than that, God will destroy the homosexual community of America...by fire...." It didn't happen. Yet the more false prophecies he utters, the larger Hinn's following grows and the louder do Paul Crouch and his TBN dupes praise him.

Robert Schuller said that if all of his descendants became Muslims, it would not bother him. Multitudes who call themselves Christians and are not have heaped to themselves false teachers who tell them what they want to hear.

Some of the worst heretics and practitioners of the occult, while claiming to be Christians, have gotten together in what they call the Chrysostom Society. It began with Richard Foster, Calvin Miller, and Karen Mains, joined later by Eugene Peterson. "They felt it was really important to just get together, write together, and believe in each other as practitioners of a craft to the glory of God." 14 It is a "craft," all right.

Truth has been assassinated by political correctness, the gospel has fallen victim to "we must not offend other religions," God is being mocked, and eternal souls are being robbed of the salvation that is only in Jesus Christ. That tragedy prevails in nearly all churches. Let us weep and repent for the church, for our country, for ourselves, and speak the truth in love.

TBC

Quotable.....

The chief danger that confronts the coming century will be religion without the Holy Ghost, Christianity without Christ, forgiveness without repentance, salvation without regeneration, politics without God, heaven without hell.

William Booth, founder of The Salvation Army, in late 1800s

As you leave the whole burden of your sin, and rest upon the finished work of Christ, so leave the whole burden of your life and service, and rest upon the present inworking of the Holy Spirit.

Give yourself up...to be led by the Holy Spirit and go forward praising and at rest, leaving Him to manage you and your day. Cultivate the habit...of joyfully depending on and obeying Him, expecting Him to guide, to enlighten, to reprove, to teach, to use, and to do in and with you what He wills.

Count on His working as a fact, entirely apart from sight or feeling. Only let us believe in and obey the Holy Spirit as the Ruler of our lives, and cease from the burden of trying to manage ourselves; then shall the fruit of the Spirit appear in us to the glory of God.

Harold Wildish, British Bible teacher and missionary to Jamaica, in mid-1900s

O&A

Question: What is your opinion of al-Qaeda's threats to Pope Benedict XVI for quoting a Byzantine emperor who claimed that the teachings of Muhammad were "evil and inhumane" and who objected to "spreading Islam by the sword"? Muslims have reacted by throwing firebombs at churches and threatening the West: "We will break up the cross, spill the liquor and impose head tax, then the only thing acceptable is a conversion to Islam or be killed by the sword"! Aren't they simply confirming what the pope quoted?

RESPONSE: The Byzantine emperor whom the pope quoted spoke the truth: the teachings of Muhammad were and still are "evil and inhumane." The Qur'an, which Muhammad claimed he received by revelation from Allah through the angel Gabriel, has more than 100 verses commanding the use of violence and slaughter to take over the world, such as: "Slay the idolaters [i.e., all who reject Allah as the only god and Muhammad as his prophet] wherever ye find them...besiege them, and prepare for them each ambush..." (Surah 9:5); "O Prophet! Exhort the believers to fight. If there

be of you twenty steadfast they shall overcome two hundred...a hundred...shall overcome a thousand of those who disbelieve..."(8:65). "It is not for any Prophet [i.e., Muhammad] to have captives until he hath made slaughter in the land" (8:67- given by "inspiration" to Muhammad when he needed justification for beheading captives, as Muslims still do today), etc. (For further documentation, contact TBC).

It is historical fact, as I document in *Judgment Day*, that Muhammad not only engaged in "spreading Islam by the sword" but that to do so remains a central doctrine and practice of Islam, as it has demonstrated for nearly 1,400 years. The unchanging goal of this "religion of peace" is to violently force the entire world into submission to Islam and to kill those who refuse to convert. In their conquests from France to China, Muslims slaughtered many millions (killing more in India alone than Hitler killed)!

For Muslims to insist that Islam is a religion of peace, and to riot, burn, and kill whenever the truth is exposed, is a travesty upon history, common sense, and human dignity. This hypocrisy is of such Himalayan proportions that it ought to be denounced by world leaders and media until Muslims prove their peaceful intentions by renouncing force! There ought to be an international outcry by government and religious leaders and the media demanding the removal of Muslim nations from the United Nations until they renounce the violence that has always been and still is an integral part of Islam! Instead, Western leaders (including President Bush) grovel before Islam and apologize for speaking the truth lest Muslims go on more murderous rampages to prove how peaceful they are.

The pope's inexcusable apology for "offending" Muslims with the truth is a further example of how the West continues to be intimidated by Muslim threats and encourages their hypocritical denial to themselves and to the world of the horrible truth about Islam. Muslims ought to be ashamed that their "god" promises rewards in Paradise for murdering innocent women and children.

One would be hard pressed to find terrorism anywhere in the world for which Islam and Muslims are not responsible. Yet they persist with their incredible lie equating Islam with peace and threaten anyone who tells the truth: "If you dare to criticize Islam as a religion of violence, we will kill you to prove that it is a religion of peace!"

The shameful fact that Western leaders from Bush to Blair to Chirac to Billy Graham and the pope keep on praising Islam as a religion of peace because of such threats is a betrayal of their responsibility. This surrender to Islam's blackmail will inevitably result in the complete Islamization

of the Western world with the loss of the freedoms we hold dear. In fact, Islamization has almost reached the point of no return in Europe and especially in Britain—and the United States is not far behind.

QUESTION: In the Q&A section of *TBC* (10/05), you say, "Upon death...He provided for them to go to hell to await their judgment; but even while awaiting the final judgment, they experience horrible torment." So you have God causing "horrible torment" *before* judgment. This makes no sense.

You also claim that "eternal death is separation from God and all others..." although Scripture clearly says "...he shall be tormented with fire and brimstone *in the presence of* the holy angels, and in the presence of the Lamb" (Rev 14:10).

You misunderstood the writer by saying the *punishing* is the same as the *punishment*. The punishing has a beginning and an end. The punishment—death—is eternal!

RESPONSE: I did not say that the lost experience "horrible torment' before *judgment*," but before the "final judgment." The rich man in hell says he is "tormented in this flame" —long before the Great White Throne final judgment. So he was (and still is) tormented "while awaiting the final judgment."

Clearly, the damned are in torment *before* the *final* judgment, for which you accuse God of injustice. Yet God punishes those still alive before they get to hell. The Bible has many examples: the flood, Sodom and Gomorrah, etc.

David said that he could not escape God even by fleeing to hell (Ps 139:7). But surely God is not in hell except in the sense of His omnipresence, which we cannot fully understand. Nor does "In the presence of the holy angels, and in the presence of Lamb," mean that the damned are not separated from angels and the Lamb. As for Christ, He is God and therefore omnipresent.

The wicked are separated from God by their sins even while alive: "your iniquities have separated between you and your God..." (Is 59:2). There was separation ("a great gulf fixed" - Lk 16:26) between Abraham and those in paradise with him, and those on the other side.

Likewise, those in the Lake of Fire are certainly separated from the redeemed in heaven as well as from God and Christ.

I fail to see the difference between punishment and punishing. Nor is God's "punishment" only death, but the "second death" in the eternal torment of the Lake of Fire. QUESTION: Why does violence by Muslims increase during the Islamic holy month of Ramadan? It was during Ramadan 2006 that hundreds of Iraqi police were poisoned, obviously by Muslims.

RESPONSE: The increased violence was exactly as expected. We are engaged in a war to the death—not against terrorists and extremists who, as President Bush insists, have "hijacked a peaceful religion," but with Islam itself—a fact that the West refuses to acknowledge. The "politically correct" lies, so popular in the West, must be abandoned. We are losing this war and will continue to do so until the West faces the truth that our enemy is not terrorism perpetrated by Muslim "extremists" but the violent religion of Islam itself!

Ramadan is not, in fact, an Islamic holy month. Not only is it not "holy," but it did not originate with Muhammad and Islam. Pagan Arabs had observed it for centuries before Muhammad was born. Arab tribes had traditionally refrained from fighting one another at that time. So, why do Muslims fight and kill during Ramadan?

Muhammad began his violent career in Medina, then called Yathrib, a city founded by Jews, in which he killed all of the males and enslaved the women and children. He established himself as the Prophet of Islam with more than 20 murders of those who opposed him, especially poets, whom the Qur'an says are inspired by Satan (Surah 26: 221-26 – a special "revelation" from Allah to justify Muhammad's murders).

Muhammad's first three attacks upon rich caravans passing near Yathrib on their way to Mecca were a failure. Then he received another timely "revelation" from Allah, added to the Qur'an, that Muslims could fight during Ramadan (Surah 2:217). His first military success followed. The caravan he attacked was caught by surprise during the agreed-upon "time of peace." That great success caused Arabs to flock to Muhammad to get in on the booty by joining this new religion of "peace" that allowed fighting during Ramadan!

Muslims still seem to think that Ramadan is a good time for surprise attacks, as we have just seen demonstrated in Iraq and other Muslim countries. Shiites blow themselves up in Sunni mosques as their sure way to paradise, while Sunnis blow themselves up in Shiite mosques as their quick way to paradise. Of course, Sunnis say the attacking Shiites went to hell, while Shiites say the same of Sunni suicide bombers who attack them.

Nor is the concept of Muslims killing Muslims anything new. Three of Muhammad's first four successors were killed by fellow Muslims. And as this "religion of

peace" spread, it only got worse. Through the centuries, hundreds of thousands of Muslims have been killed by fellow Muslims—exactly as they are doing to one another today not only in Iraq but in Afghanistan, Algeria, Pakistan, and wherever Islam exists.

From 1948 to 1973, there were 80 revolutions in the Islamic world. 30 successful. including the murder of 22 heads of state. The Muslim Brotherhood threatened to kill Egypt's Nasser and succeeded in assassinating Anwar Sadat, a deed that Arafat applauded. In 1971, East Pakistan rebelled against West Pakistan (both Muslim states) and became Bangladesh. In the eight-year war between Iran and Iraq, Muslims used 1,000 tons of poison gas against one another and killed as many as died in World War I. Literally *thousands* of young school boys died walking through mine fields to clear them for troops with the promise of paradise for becoming "martyrs." In 1990, we "pagans" had to rescue Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, and other Muslim nations from Iraqi Muslims demonstrating Islam's peacefulness.

Islamic violence during Ramadan began with Muhammad and is supported in the Qur'an. There is *not one example in the entire world* of Islam ever having brought peace to anyone anywhere except by killing or enslaving the opposition!

QUESTION: I must disagree with your stand on working against abortion and other widespread American ills. I am commanded in Scripture to "overcome evil with good"....I don't see how I can refuse an opportunity to work against evil just because a Muslim or Catholic may also be doing this work....I agree that we are not to be unequally voked with unbelievers....But I can't control who might also want to boycott, march, or vote as I do in protest of various evils.... I can plant a seed toward their seeing the Light. And if they never respond, I am being obedient in protesting evil and seeking to see that good prevails.

RESPONSE: As I stated in the July 2006 Q&A, abortion is evil and should be opposed in preaching, writing, and speaking by Christians.

You have misinterpreted and misapplied Romans 12:21. The context (vv. 17-20) is all about not acting in revenge against someone who has personally wronged you: "Recompense to no man evil for evil... avenge not yourselves...if thine enemy hunger, feed him...." This is one way we are to overcome evil with good.

As for being an overcomer in an evil world, we are told: "...this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith" (1 Jn 5:4). I find neither command nor example in

Scripture calling me to engage in social action to help unbelievers "overcome" any evil on this planet.

Neither Christ, the apostles, nor the early church led or participated in any public protests against any evil practices, though evil of all kinds (including abortion) was rampant throughout the Roman Empire in their day. Christ commanded us to go into all the world to preach the gospel, which calls men to forsake the world and become citizens of heaven. He told His disciples: "...ye are not of the world, but I have chosen you out of the world" (Jn 15:18-20).

As reasonable as your view sounds from man's perspective, I cannot find one verse in the Bible to support it.

News Alert

CNN.com, 10/14/2006: Former U.S. Rep. Gerry Studds, the first openly gay person elected to Congress, died early Saturday at Boston Medical Center, his husband, Dean Hara, said. Hara, who married Studds shortly after gay marriage was legalized in 2004, said Studds was a pioneer who gave courage to gay people everywhere. "He gave people of his generation, or my generation, of future generations, the courage to do whatever they wanted to do," he said.

[TBC: Just as with rebellious ancient Israel, "the leaders of this people cause them to err; and they that are led of them are destroyed"—Isaiah 9:16-17.]

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Letters

Dear Staff of Berean Call,

I have two friends who are involved with Theophostic Counseling and I have always had a check in my spirit concerning this. After reading your article in the last magazine [Sep '06], I understand why. Thank you for your ministry and your faithfulness to the Word of God. JN (MT)

Dave.

Thank you so very much for the intense work you put into *What Love Is This?* If your ministry produced only that, it would have been enough! I am flabbergasted this (Calvinism) "bad fruit" has stayed at such a quiet, low profile. Please keep it on a front burner. JF (NY)

Dear Dave and Tom,

I've been wanting to write...to tell you how much your [radio] program means to me! I rise early on Saturdays to listen at 7 a.m. and, if I can, again at 7 p.m....I just love the way you interact with each other. Sometimes I chuckle at your mannerisms and how you tease each other! You complement one another so well....I was especially blessed...by your handling and answers to "What do you do with a prodigal?" It was so biblical...practical, and helpful. BA (GA)

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Jesus,

Pure Christianity in print is hard to come by these days. I am hoping to get my lifetime (well, at least many years) of error—Roman Catholicism, Catholic education, trying to transfer to evangelicalism, with all of that baggage—straightened out.

I'm working on it, and *The Berean Call* is a big help. CR (WA)

Dear Dave,

I have been re-reading *Judgment Day*, and I get so much out of it. Our Presbyterian Church USA was going to divest from companies dealing with Israel and even sent a delegation to talk with Hizbollah! Your information in the book has been great to show [people] the true situation in the Middle East from a biblical perspective. I cannot thank you enough! DP (IL)

To Dave Hunt and all of TBC,

I weep. So many called are being led astray by their lust for an experience and a visual manifestation that they don't adhere to the simplicity in Christ....We have an ecumenical group in prison called Kairos.... They usually start with the Lord's prayer or invite Jesus to come join them in their journey. They try to get through the short list on the card but are limited in time. They end by encompassing the room, holding hands, asking for prayers and sing a song of Kairos at the end, shouting "yeah, God!" Kairos doesn't like you to bring the Word of God to this function....Don't want to offend. I tried to stay so I could reason with them. Big mistake. Even those "brothers" didn't want to hear the truth. DL (prisoner, TX)

Dear Berean Call,

I have been noticing the gradual and subtle decline of discernment within the church over the past two decades, and it appears there is no end in sight....Billy Graham is quoted as saying that he doesn't believe that every jot and tittle in the Bible is from the Lord (Newsweek, 8/14/06); the latest catalog from Christian Book Distributors highlights a new book by Robin McGraw (wife of Dr. Phil, [who] uses psychology, foul language, and believes homosexuality is OK). And his wife is going to teach Christians how to live godly lives? Fuller Seminary is obviously allowing pro-homosexuality speakers to address students in some classes....No discussion or theological debate was permitted (World Magazine, 7/8/2006)....We are certainly near the very end—or the beginning, depending on your perspective. GM (AZ)

TBC.

I was shocked at your views on the rosary and the saints. I cannot see or understand how or why you feel the way you do. The rosary is a prayer to Mary for her Son. Catholics don't pray to Mary, they pray through Mary to God. This is the mother of Jesus. Who are you to say what God accepts as prayer and what He doesn't?

I hope you have a good answer for Him when He asks why you were putting down prayers for His mother....People like you scare me. You think you talk for God, but you are professing things you cannot know about. Anon (IN)

Dear Brother Dave,

Joel Osteen's book *Your Best Life Now* is a trap. The title itself is a trick title; a satanic play on words, whether Osteen himself knows it or not (no doubt not). If you have "your best life now," you're not going to heaven. For those bound for hell, their "best life" *is* now. They'll never have anything better than this. It's like that old *Twilight Zone* episode about the book written by the space aliens for the people of Earth titled *To Serve Man*, which, when the humans were trapped on the aliens' spaceship, bound for what they thought was a luxurious vacation on Planet whatever, they discovered was a cookbook: *To Serve Man*. MH (TX)

TBC Notes

"Judgment Day!" Special

Early in the year, we received an order from an individual who purchased 350 copies of Dave's book Judgment Day! to place in all the libraries in his country. As we seek to get this book into the hands of as many as possible we would like to encourage you to consider doing the same in your own town. We are repeating the special offer that we ran in March: Anyone who has previously purchased a copy of Judgment Day! or would like to purchase one now at full price (\$22) may also buy one or more additional copies for only \$12 each, which is the case price!

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GONE (OUT OF PRINT) BUT NOT FORGOTTEN . . . As mainstream Christian publishers face increasing pressure from all sides to create "spiritual" books that sell well in the general market, and as authors themselves try to "cross over" with messages that appeal to nonbelievers, authors who hold fast to God's Word are now increasingly censored by publishers whose roster is based on tolerance (in the name of Christian "love"), political correctness (in the name of "peace"), and the bottom line—instead of "line by line." In addition, secular conglomerates—such as Harper-Collins and Random House—continue to snatch up Christian publishing companies as a means to expand their empires, stripping staff and cross-pollinating products in a swelling marketplace of "spirituality" (FOXFaith for example). In response to this unfortunate paradigm shift, TBC has launched a publishing effort of its own, releasing new and formerly out-of-print works by Dave, T. A., and other authors. By God's grace, our goal is to supply discerning readers and bookstores with biblical resources that are no longer available from mainstream publishers and suppliers. In fact, we are currently in the process of updating and reissuing a number of books that Dave has written so that they may once again be made available. (Rest assured, we will inform you of upcoming releases through the newsletter and website!) In the meantime, we will periodically use this page to present excerpts from some of these valuable works, for your enjoyment and edification.

The Shamanic Connection

University of Texas Health Science Center professor Jeanne Achterberg points out what we all know: that shamanism is being embraced in the West. Part of the reason, she says, is that "something is generally felt to be lacking in the training and demeanor of the practitioners [psychiatrists]....." She adds that "shamanism has much to teach us, especially in regard to that most difficult lesson for those of us in the helping professions: learning to honor the uniqueness of each individual's path." Again, Jesus Christ as the way is rejected.

Hillary Clinton has long promoted shamanism, including public endorsement. Placing her on its front cover with the caption THE MOST POWERFUL WOMAN, *Time* magazine declared, "Just by being herself, Hillary Rodham Clinton has redefined the role of First Lady." Inside was a picture of this "most powerful woman" (who claims to be a Christian), head reverently bowed, being "blessed" by a North American Indian spiritual healer (shaman) in Montana.

The practice of shamanism, which often is called New Age these days, is intertwined with the environmental movement....Shamanism involves contacting nonphysical entities in order to gain special knowledge and power. Robert Vetter, an anthropologist, tells the story of John Tallhorse, alleged to be the last Comanche medicine man alive. Having been diagnosed with incurable cancer, and having spent all of his money on hospital and medical bills, he "turned to the traditional ways of his people...[and] resolved to go on a vision quest."

Alone at night in an isolated place in the mountains, after fasting all day and having "smoked and prayed four times, following the ritual belief that tobacco smoke carries one's prayers heavenward," he was approached by something that terrified him. Tallhorse claims it was the spirit of Auannah Parker, a famous Comanche war chief, whom he recognized from his portrait. Says Tallhorse, "He breathed fire on me and paralyzed me. I was just lying there, dead, until he talked to me." He continues:

He looked at me and said, "Son, what are you doing here? Nothing's the matter with you."

I said, "I'm sick."

He said, "No... Morning is coming here, son. There's a man out there that they say is real sick. They told me to visit him too before I go.... This whole world stands still for just a little while toward morning.... That's when spirits come out."

This is an interesting case, because John Tallhorse knew nothing of the use of visualization (the very heart of shamanism) for meeting a "spirit guide." The spirit (impersonating demon) came to him uninvited and unexpected. The surprise element, as we have seen, is one of the marks of a genuine

experience. What occurred, including the cure of cancer, was spontaneous and could not have been a hallucination created by his expectations.

For the shaman, these spirit entities encountered on the vision quest are connected with the Earth. Eagle Man, a modern shaman, commends the Native Americans for the great gifts they allegedly gave to the world as "a result of their deeply spiritual relationship with nature." He then adds, "Getting back to nature will be the key to saving the planet."

The return to nature is a basic message that comes through in almost all communications from the occult world. Marilyn Ferguson says that "the new paradigm sees human-kind embedded in nature." Ramtha channels through JZ Knight the same message of harmony with nature. It is the common message of the entities that communicate through channelers, mediums, Ouija boards, and other occult means.

Down the Primrose Path

Although contact with such entities is claimed universally, their true identity, location, and purpose—whether "nature spirits," "space brothers," "Ascended Masters," deceased loved ones, "power animals," gods and goddesses, etc.—is always beyond verification. This ought to be disturbing, yet it seems not to be. Medical scientist Andrija Puharich writes:

Considering that I have had two years of intermittent experience [of contact with them], I am remarkably ignorant about these beings.

On the other hand I have complete faith in their wisdom and benevolent intentions toward man and living things on earth. My lack of hard knowledge about them is the kind of deficiency that does not erode my faith in their essential pursuit of the good, the true, the beautiful and the just. (Emphasis added)

Such trusting naïveté from a scientist is astounding! Yet one finds similar trust to be universal regarding the imagined forces of nature and the spirits that allegedly control those forces. In contrast, the Bible is rejected, even though its integrity is fully demonstrated internally and externally. The message the Bible brings is not the one mankind wants to hear.

In [Bill Moyers' television series with Joseph Campbell, the world-renowned expert on mythology] Campbell referred to the remarkable "commonality of themes in world myths." To Campbell, mythology was "the song of the universe." The mystical view that the universe is a living creature has a winsome appeal, but it fails to explain the impersonal violence of nature's destructive forces—or man's moral conscience. In fact, the evidence overwhelmingly proves that there are evil entities who are leading mankind down a destructive path of delusion.

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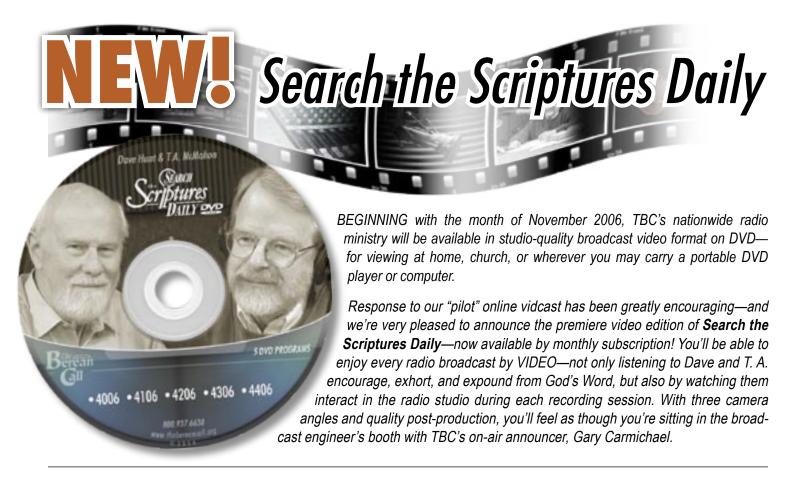


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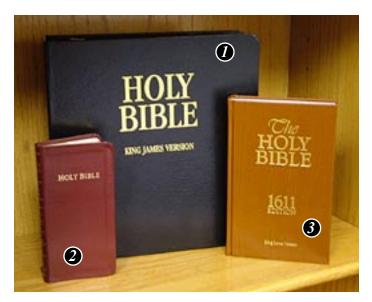


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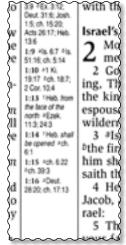
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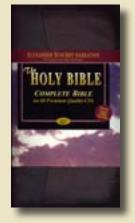
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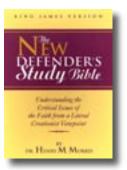
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Schlect-Written by a former youth minister, this booklet is an inspired answer to the paramount problems found in today's church youth programs. The author states problems and their histories, and then provided is the recipe for overcoming and dealing with them from

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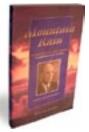
MacDonald—God has spoken in varied ways to usby creation, conscience, and circumstances. He has used people, angels, even animals to make His message known. In this highly readable book, the author tells more than 30 remarkable stories in which

the Lord has spoken to people through Scripture. He writes, "Those who heard the words knew that God had spoken to them, even if others might not have found it so convincing." We must be careful when interpreting Scripture, but as he explains, the divine Author continues to apply His Word in His own ways to meet His people's needs. An encouraging and impacting book both for the new and seasoned believer to read; and a clarion call for each to seek God through His Word for wisdom in all things, and to wait expectantly for Him to answer mightily on the seeking one's behalf.

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Mountain Rain

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on horseback over rugged mountains, laboring to bring the Lisu the good news of Christ. Packed with personal letters, insightful anecdotes, and riveting stories of missionary life in China, this superb biography by his daughter shines with God's constant faithfulness and power over evil. This amazing story continually provokes the young or aged Christian to learn to pray in God's will, surrender all to Christ, be ruled by God in every aspect of life, and walk the path of the cross-filled lifewherever that may lead.

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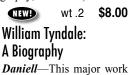
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