



The Beast

And the Anti-Christ's Among Us

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It is 5:27 am, the 6th of June, in the year of Our Lord Jesus Christ 2006. Blessed is the name of the Lord. For there is no name under the heavens or on Earth, that one might be saved.

To the Glory of God and Our Lord Jesus Christ The Messiah. The Christ. and the advancement of the Kingdom.

Last night on our local news, they carried a segment on how many of the mother's or perhaps I should say expecting mother's to be in our area, are asking their attending physicians to delay their child's birth due to the date today. The sixth day of the sixth month of the sixth year, of this millennium. June 6, 2006.

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The mark of the Beast.

The Anti Christ.

As these are truly the latter days, I am seeing more and more of a fascination and preoccupation within the Church over "The Beast",

and His number. So far as there are “Christians” dedicated to assign this number through logarithms, to assign this mark to many men down through history in hopes of identifying him. From what I have been able to search out via the net, the “Body” has attempted to assign such a number to a vast amount of people from Adolf Hitler to surprisingly Bill Gates, and even various Presidents of the United States, and a vast array of Popes, through history. “And I believe it is called “Hexaphobia”. Interesting.

Here at Phoenix Seven, I often wonder if these same people, who attempt to assign this number to certain individuals, actually take all of scripture into consideration. Such as found in the Book of Daniel, and how God’s Word tells us that their will be three kings arise prior to the fourth...the Beast. I wonder, sometimes, how they cannot know ... the order of things, or have forgotten the order of things. This is why it is so vastly important to take ALL OF SCRIPTURE into consideration. Both Old and New Testaments.

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True, scripture tells us to be aware of him and his mark, for God placed it in scripture to for our benefit, so that we would know. But my...my if they placed as much emphasis as they do on logarithms, as on winning souls to Christ, how much farther the Church would be. I find the former unprofitable at this point, and as to the latter... not winning souls to Christ... now that is truly Anti-Christ. But for a lukewarm Church that never speaks of their faith beyond the Church pew... not winning souls is a rule and not the exception.

I would liken it, the logarithms chasers, to those that write those nasty little virus’s for computers. If they would but harness the energy for the Good of mankind, what a difference that would make.

Anyway...let us continue with a look at the Anti-Christ:

Little children, it is the last time: and as ye have heard that antichrist shall come, even now are there many antichrists; whereby we know that it is the last time. - 1 John 2:18

When John penned these words, there were a flourish of false doctrine and teaching that had infiltrated the Church. Some even denying that Jesus was the Christ, the Messiah.

Who is a liar but he that denieth that Jesus is the Christ? He is antichrist, that denieth the Father and the Son. Whosoever denieth the Son, the same hath not the Father: (but) he that acknowledgeth the Son hath the Father also . - 1 John 2:22-23

Let us now pause for just a moment for a brief definition from American Tract:

Strictly means one opposed to Christ. In this sense, John says were already in his time many antichrists, many having the spirit of an antichrist; unbelievers, heretics, and persecutors, 1Jo 2:18 4:3. They were characterized by the denial of the Father and the Son, and of Christs coming in the flesh, 1Jo 2:22 4:3.

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False Teaching (Doctrine), Heresies, Division... not winning souls to Christ... now that is truly Anti-Christ. The Spirit of Anti-Christ. Not the flesh.. In the flesh..."The Beast".

As to division let us pause here for just a brief moment. A DISUNITY apposed to the Unity of Christ, over the entire BODY. Yes now that is truly Anti-Christ. Division. Like that little nasty computer virus that opposes all that is Good, and destroys... all that Jesus Christ really stood for. For the entire Body. Reflect upon this. ONE LORD.. ONE FAITH..ONE BAPTISM. ONE SPIRIT IN ALL, ONE GOD THE FATHER ABOVE ALL.

ONE FAITH.

A DISUNITY apposed to the Unity of Christ. And all that Jesus Christ really stood for.

Reflect upon this.

As to the false teaching and heresies:

Many of you familiar to the writings here at Phoenix Seven, know how outspoken I am of the modern plague and false prosperity message that has infiltrated the Church. The one where you “covet”, the return more than the fruit of righteousness. Things of the world above, that of the Good things of the Spirit; seed among the thorns; it was for this same purpose that Israel was broken off in the first place:

Now if the fall of them *be* the riches of the world,

Now if the fall of them *be* the riches of the world, and the diminishing of them the riches of the Gentiles; how much more their fulness? - Romans 11:12

In a writing of just the past few days, as God gives me, and guides me to all the scripture to use in all my writings; I discovered one that I had not really contemplated before from Psalms 62. I will reprint the Psalms here in just a moment; but first let me cover this. When He originally gave me the Psalm, I used it in it's entirety. And then later modified the text and deleted the last few verses, due to verses 9-10. I did this after thinking about how it may be of confusion to many out there, and tried to exercise a bit of wisdom to address it at a later time. It would have taken the message I was working on into a quite different direction, and disrupted the flow of the message. Now let us continue:

The 62nd Psalm:

To the chief Musician, to Jeduthun, A Psalm of David. Truly my soul waiteth upon God: from him *cometh* my salvation. ²He only *is* my rock and my salvation; *he is* my defence; I shall not be greatly moved. ³How long will ye imagine mischief against a man? ye shall be slain all of you: as a bowing wall *shall ye be, and as a tottering fence.* ⁴They only consult to cast *him* down from his excellency: they delight in lies: they bless with their mouth, but they curse inwardly. Selah. ⁵My soul, wait thou only upon God; for my expectation *is* from him. ⁶He only *is* my rock and my salvation: *he is* my defence; I shall not be moved. ⁷In God *is* my salvation and my glory: the rock of my strength, *and* my refuge, *is* in God.

⁸Trust in him at all times; ye people, pour out your heart before him: God *is* a refuge for us. Selah.

⁹Surely men of low degree *are* vanity, *and* men of high degree *are* a lie: to be laid in the balance, they *are* altogether *lighter* than vanity. ¹⁰Trust not in oppression, and become not vain in robbery: if riches increase, set not your heart *upon them* . ¹¹God hath spoken once; twice have I heard this; that power *belongeth* unto God. ¹²Also unto thee, O Lord, *belongeth* mercy: for thou renderest to every man according to his work. - Psalm 62

Now true there are some big spiritual truths here that even I am yet digging out but the main one as to why I decided to address this at a later time is the brother of low and high degree. Now in the contrast of Psalm 62, the brother of low degree or “wicked” brother of low degree is not to be confused with the brother of low degree mentioned in the Book of James. Perhaps we will get to the difference at a later date; what I caught and seen in this is the SIXTY SECOND Psalm.

We know that for the period of the last century that the Psalms have matched up to the corresponding years...prophetically.

1962.

Well being only two years old at the time, I had to do a bit of digging on this one, as I don't remember anything about that date.

What I found was that compared to the Church of the 1950's, the Church gave birth, if that is the right term, to a new generation. Immorality to a certain degree, as each generation has been worst then the last.

But vastly important...it gave birth to the start of the modern prosperity message. To a certain degree... and each generation has been worse then the last.

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I wonder if there is a connection here in the falling off of the giving of the tithe here as well. During this time period. That may be something I dig out later when I have time.

Strolling through a book here at Phoenix Seven, in my library, I came across an interesting fact or concept. Published in the late sixties or early seventies I cannot recall which, it stated what used to be in the 1950's the worst thing you could call a "Christian" was "worldly". And how they had seen a change in that train of thought. Perhaps those still around that can remember that time frame, can testify to this fact.

And how different it is from today's teaching on false prosperity. Now the worst thing you can call a "Christian" by their definition of the false prosperity movement, is "Poor". Saying that they lack God's provision. Are in bondage. Cannot reap the treasures of "This World". Interesting. How things have "flipped flopped", or "mirror imaged", a backwards image over the last few decades. What was and has been "bondage" of things of this world... for centuries, has changed. Now.. your in bondage if you don't.

In the words of Paula White: "Choose to Follow Leaders Who Experience Prosperity". The big check books. For some in ministry, multi million dollar houses and the high priced cars.

1962.

And what the Sixty Second Psalm can teach us all.

The brother of low... and high degree. The brother of low degree trying to achieve the worldly status of the brother of the high degree... not only in ministry, but the entire church....perhaps, I will have to reflect upon this a bit.

Now let us continue:

I have had something that has stuck in my craw for quite some time now. And has been reinforced over the last few weeks. And as God tells me..let go of it...spit it out...

So spit it out I will.

Ever notice... how the TV Preachers, tell you of the great teaching or message from God and then wish to charge you a nominal fee for it? For this great revelation of teaching?

A Revelation from God... to Edify and build up the Body for a price?

Hmmm... Charging for the Word of God. I thought that building up the Body of Christ was an honor and responsibility bestowed upon the ministers of God. And that God provides such revelation and knowledge in the Word to Edify the Body... to build it up... ALL OF IT. Those that can pay and those that cannot.

True scripture tells us that the ox is not to be, muzzled...he is allowed to partake. Partake, yes... but charge no.

It appears to me in scripture if everything is working as it should.. All Christians pay the required tithe as they should, (for the tithe was in existence prior to the Law, Abraham paid tithe, thus it not considered this heresy called "legalism") those ministry partake WITHIN REASON; and then all that is meant to edify and build up the Body...does just that...the entire Body.

No small wonder many months ago, Our Lord gave me this message:

“The Prosperity and Seed Faith Teachers Defile the Temple Grounds”.

The Temple Grounds.

The Body of Christ.

1962.

And what the Sixty Second Psalm can teach us all.

Just something to reflect upon...

And as to “The Beast”?

His time is not yet.

But still study and know of him. Just do not dwell on him. The Beast of the flesh.

Should we then concern ourselves with those Anti-Christ's and False Christ's and doctrines among us that work against that of the edifying and the Building up of the Body? Those that in actuality are not building up, but tearing down?

Should we be concentrating on taking the "Gospel" to those either fallen, or have yet to hear the Good News?

The Church began at Jerusalem.

And your Jerusalem is right outside your front door. And sometimes.. within your very home.

"The Field of Missions".

Right inside your very home...and right outside your front door.

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Reflect upon this.

And as to "The Beast"?

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And "Hexaphobia".

There is work to be done. Who needs it .

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My personal heartfelt belief, is that the lost are worth the fight. They are worth it, if it be the lost in church, or those that have never known Christ. Maybe perhaps it is YOU dear reader. You count. Your worth

it in my eyes.

Brethren, if any of you do err from the truth, and one convert him; Let him know, that he which converteth the sinner from the error of his way shall save a soul from death, and shall hide a multitude of sins. - James 5:19-20

Not seen as "Only jewels in a crown" of our Lord and Savior, as some see it, but something much much more... a person, a soul created in the image of God...

Saving a soul from death, scripture calls it. Not an empty jewel in a crown. True one day destined to be a jewel... but now a love and fear for those that are lost.

Saving a soul from destruction.

If thou forbear to deliver *them that are drawn* unto death, and *those that are ready to be slain*; If thou sayest, Behold, we knew it not; doth not he that pondereth the heart consider *it* ? and he that keepeth thy soul, doth *not* he know *it* ? and shall *not* he render to *every man according to his works*? - Proverbs 24:11-12

Rescue those who are being taken away to death; hold back those who are stumbling to the slaughter. If you say, "Behold, we did not know this," does not he who weighs the heart perceive it? Does not he who keeps watch over your soul know it, and will he not requite man according to his work? - - Proverbs 24:11-12 RSV

If you falter in the time of trouble, Your strength is small. Rescue those who are being led away to death! Indeed, hold back those who are staggering to the slaughter! If you say, "Behold, we didn't know this;" Doesn't he who weighs the hearts consider it? He who keeps your soul, doesn't he know it? Shall he not render to every man according to his work? - - Proverbs 24:11-12 Web

Reaching into the flames:

And of some have compassion, making a difference: And others save with fear, pulling *them* out of the fire; hating even the garment spotted by the flesh. - Jude 1:22-23

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Imperfection.