**Our Enemy is Defeated**

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**Wednesday Evening**

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12 "And to the angel of the church in Pergamos write, 'These things says He who has the sharp two-edged sword: 13 "I know your works, and where you dwell, where Satan's throne is. And you hold fast to My name, and did not deny My faith even in the days in which Antipas was My faithful martyr, who was killed among you, where Satan dwells.

14 But I have a few things against you, because you have there those who hold the doctrine of Balaam, who taught Balak to put a stumbling block before the children of Israel, to eat things sacrificed to idols, and to commit sexual immorality. 15 Thus you also have those who hold the doctrine of the Nicolaitans, which thing I hate. 16 Repent, or else I will come to you quickly and will fight against them with the sword of My mouth.

17 He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes I will give some of the hidden manna to eat. And I will give him a white stone, and on the stone a new name written which no one knows except him who receives it." '

Saints of God, from the very beginning way back in the Garden of Eden the enemy of God has had an unholy assignment to thwart the plan of God for our lives.

**Genesis 3:1-5**

1 Now the serpent was more cunning than any beast of the field which the LORD God had made. And he said to the woman, "Has God indeed said, 'You shall not eat of every tree of the garden'?" 2 And the woman said to the serpent, "We may eat the fruit of the trees of the garden;

3 but of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden, God has said, 'You shall not eat it, nor shall you touch it, lest you die.' " 4 Then the serpent said to the woman, "You will not surely die. 5 For God knows that in the day you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil."

Saints, there was a war in heaven and Lucifer was cast out of heaven. He forfeited his assignment and rebelled against God because of his pride!

**Isaiah 14:12-17**

12 "How you are fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning! How you are cut down to the ground, You who weakened the nations! 13 For you have said in your heart: 'I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God; I will also sit on the mount of the congregation On the farthest sides of the north;

14 I will ascend above the heights of the clouds, I will be like the Most High.' 15 Yet you shall be brought down to Sheol, To the lowest depths of the Pit. 16 "Those who see you will gaze at you, And consider you, saying: 'Is this the man who made the earth tremble, Who shook kingdoms, 17 Who made the world as a wilderness And destroyed its cities, Who did not open the house of his prisoners?'

**Satan's deep hatred is against God, God's highest creation man, God's covenant people the Jewish Nation and the Born-Again Church that is washed in the Blood of Jesus!**

**When Satan was cast down where was his thrown here on earth?**

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**Slide of Pergamon in Turkey 1>**

**Slide of Pergamon in Turkey 2>**

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**Slide of Pergamon in Turkey 5>**

**Slide of Pergamon in Turkey 6>**

Saints, Daniel the prophet prophesied about Satan's onslaught of the temple and the Jewish nation.

**Daniel 11:31-32**

31 And forces shall be mustered by him, and they shall defile the sanctuary fortress; then they shall take away the daily sacrifices, and place there the abomination of desolation. 32 Those who do wickedly against the covenant he shall corrupt with flattery; but the people who know their God shall be strong, and carry out great exploits.

**Slide of the Gold Altar of Zeus in the temple>**

The Maccabee's came and delivered the temple back to God by the Power of God which is a day of remembrance called Hanukah!

During this same time frame an another altar was erected called the altar of Zeus.

**Slide of the Altar of Zeus in the Pergamon>**

**In 1871 this same temple was dug up and sent to Germany in pieces and the following year anti-Semitism sprung up throughout Germany's country.**

**In 1889 Germany completed the restoration of Altar of Zeus in the same year Adolf Hitler was born! April 20, 1889**

**Startling day in Jewish history. Hitler was born on the Hebrew calendar on Nissan 19, 5649 This day was 4 days after Passover which is always Nissan 15**

**Exodus 14:21-25**

21 Then Moses stretched out his hand over the sea; and the LORD caused the sea to go back by a strong east wind all that night, and made the sea into dry land, and the waters were divided. 22 So the children of Israel went into the midst of the sea on the dry ground, and the waters were a wall to them on their right hand and on their left.

23 And the Egyptians pursued and went after them into the midst of the sea, all Pharaoh's horses, his chariots, and his horsemen. 24 Now it came to pass, in the morning watch, that the LORD looked down upon the army of the Egyptians through the pillar of fire and cloud, and He troubled the army of the Egyptians.

25 And He took off their chariot wheels, so that they drove them with difficulty; and the Egyptians said, "Let us flee from the face of Israel, for the LORD fights for them against the Egyptians."

Berlin Germany became the focal point of the world which catapulted the first World War. After World war 1 the temple is still intact in Berlin, Germany and Nazism begins to rise!

In 1930 the Altar of Zeus becomes opened to the public for the first time. Now the Nazi's in Germany have the throne of Satan the altar of Zeus.

Now Hitler consults with Albert Speers that he wants a platform to speak to his nation and the world. He wanted a replica of the seat of Satan

**Slide of Albert Speers>**

So Albert Speers goes to Berlin copies all the dimensions and takes it back to Hitler for his approval and begins to build the Altar in Nuremberg, Germany where Hitler's headquarters were.

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Saints, the major goal that enemy wants to carryout is to wipeout the Jewish Nation to prove that The God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob doesn't exist! And guess what, that includes us!

Hitler had this Satanic platform to rule and reign like God. Satan always wanted to be like God. Hitler was demonized no different than Judas Iscariot

Saints in Nuremberg is where the laws begin to change and Hitler proclaims to their nation that there is a Final Solution, it was the extermination of the Jews!

Saints, remember this was a replica of an Altar and an Altar requires a blood sacrifice. An altar requires something to be lifted up and worshipped.

**Webster Dictionary defines an Altar as:**

**"an elevated place or structure, as a mound or platform, at which religious rites are performed or on which blood sacrifices are offered to gods, ancestors, etc."**

Saints, the Holocaust was not just a place of death for millions of Jews it was a burnt offering to Satan! The Jews were all thrown into the ovens to be burnt alive!

The Feast of Yom Kippur is the Holiest Day for the Jewish people where in ancient times they would have a scapegoat which they would tie a red ribbon around a goat and lead it off to a high mountain. The high priest would lay hands on the goat with all of Israel's sins and was thrown off that mountain.

**Slide of the scapegoats 1>**

**Slide of the scapegoats 2>**

**Slide of the scapegoats 3>**

**Hitler possessed by Satan gathered all the Jews in cattle trains and red tagged all of their passports to lead them to the ovens for Satan's sacrifice! They were led as lambs for the slaughter.**

**Slide of Cattle Carts 1>**

**Slide of Cattle Carts 2>**

**Slide of Jewish Passports 1>**

**Slide of Jewish Passports 2>**

**Their final destination were the ovens in Auschwitz**

**Slide of the ovens 1>**

**Slide of the ovens 2>**

**It was Hitler's burnt offerings to Satan. Satan perverted the Holiest day for the Jews which was Yom Kippur.**

**Hitler offered up his tithe of 10% to Satan. 6 Million Jews were murdered by him. During World War 2 approx. 60 Million people died.**

**The Altar of Zeus in Greek means: Caustos or Burnt and a complete or whole burnt offering meant Holos. The word in Greek spells out Holos Caustos now known as "Holocaust" it was the Altar of Holocaust!**

**Jeremiah 2:1-3**

1 Moreover the word of the LORD came to me, saying, 2 "Go and cry in the hearing of Jerusalem, saying, 'Thus says the LORD: "I remember you, The kindness of your youth, The love of your betrothal, When you went after Me in the wilderness, In a land not sown. 3 Israel was holiness to the LORD, The firstfruits of His increase. All that devour him will offend; Disaster will come upon them," says the LORD.' "

Saints, the enemy is after us too! The Ayatollahs the Extreme Islamic nations and the Communist Countries like China are also demon possessed and want to exterminate the Jews and the Christians. Thousands of Christians are losing their lives for the cause of Christ in the Middle East and persecution will be here soon!

**John 16:33**

"These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world."

Saints, Soon and Very soon, Jesus is about to appear, we are almost out of here!

**1 Thessalonians 4:13-18**

13 But I do not want you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning those who have fallen asleep, lest you sorrow as others who have no hope. 14 For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so God will bring with Him those who sleep in Jesus.

15 For this we say to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive and remain until the coming of the Lord will by no means precede those who are asleep. 16 For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first.

17 Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And thus we shall always be with the Lord. 18 Therefore comfort one another with these words.

**1 Corinthians 15:50-54**

50 Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God; nor does corruption inherit incorruption. 51 Behold, I tell you a mystery: We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed-- 52 in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.

53 For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality. 54 So when this corruptible has put on incorruption, and this mortal has put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written: "Death is swallowed up in victory."

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**Acts 2:38-39**

38 Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. 39 For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the Lord our God will call."

**Let’s Pray!**

**Benediction**

**"May The LORD bless you and keep you, May The LORD make His face shine upon you, May The LORD be gracious to you, May The LORD lift up His countenance upon you, and give you His (Shalom) peace.” In Jesus Name!**