

THE SHADOW OF EGYPT

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**“Ah, stubborn children ... who carry out a
Plan, but not mine, and who make an
Alliance, but not of my Spirit. Who set
Out to go down to Egypt, without asking
For my direction, to take refuge in the
Protection of Pharaoh and to seek
Shelter in the shadow of Egypt.”**

Ω Isaiah 30:1-2

We are living in tough, challenging times—especially economically. Many families are struggling just to put food on the table as companies continue to downsize and lay off employees. Despite all of the rhetoric coming out of Washington, jobs are scarce and those that exist are increasingly being given to foreigners with work visas, not to Americans. Congress is considering legislation to not only grant more student visas and college loans to foreign students but also guaranteeing them a job so that they can stay here and work!

It's the worst economic condition since the late '20s and decade of the '30s and, unfortunately, it is only going to get

worse because there will be a total financial collapse in less than 3 years. It is the judgment of God upon America and it's all laid out in Isaiah for those who have developed the *Eye of the Eagle*. But the real question you must ask yourself is: "Am I living in the shadow of Egypt?"

Isaiah is sometimes called the Royal Prophet—that's because he was a prophet to several kings and they respected him as a true prophet. As you know, that's not the normal pattern for prophets and this fact is one that should allow you to discern whom today are true prophets. With the exception of the prophets Gad and Nathan who were prophets to King David, most of Israel's prophets were hated and despised by their kings because they were prophesying against the evil in the land that these kings and their government were responsible for. The false prophets in the land—like those 400 that King Ahab always had around—claimed to speak for Adonai but in reality they were simply *political* prophets who sought to tell the king what he wanted to hear.

But Jesus Himself spoke the truth in Luke 4 (*et al.*) when He said: "A prophet is not without honor except in his own family, hometown and his own people." For this saying the people tried to kill Him and this was just at the beginning of His ministry! They were outraged at His examples of Elijah and Elisha who, because they were not accepted at home, were sent to Gentiles where they would be respected and honored.

But Isaiah was honored, at least early on in his ministry because tradition says that they eventually killed him by

placing him in a hollow tree trunk and sawing it in half and many Bible scholars believe that this is referenced in Hebrews 11: 37.

However, with the exception of Daniel and Jeremiah, no other prophet *saw* more into the future than Isaiah and, as I pointed out in my book, *Revelations from God Vol. I*, he knew that the world was round about 2200 years *before* the scientific community which, I think, proves that God knows more and reveals more to His prophets than science will ever know. But you really have to read Isaiah with the Eye of the Eagle because many of his prophecies are couched among the history of his day, e.g., his prophecies of the Messiah but did you know that the current situation in Egypt is recorded in Isaiah? Just read chapter 19 and it will amaze you.

But we must return to the topic of this teaching—the shadow of Egypt—because that is what the Lord wants to emphasize to prepare you for what is coming in these last of the Last Days.

As you know, Egypt is a biblical *type* of the world and Pharaoh is a type of Satan who holds the citizens of this world—including many Christians—in bondage. God sent a deliverer, Moses, a type of Jesus Christ who delivers us from spiritual bondage, to deliver His people from Egyptian bondage and it happened but throughout the history of Israel there was the constant desire to return to Egypt when times get hard or else to depend on Egypt for protection instead of Adonai as the nation did during Isaiah's ministry. I submit that the same is true for much of the Church.

Most Christians are not familiar with Church history nor are they familiar with the early history of the USA, especially since many liberals, atheists and others want to eradicate Christianity in America. But the early colonies were centered around the Church, even in education because the pastors taught the children in the schools. Over the years the center and *seat* of the community moved from the Church to city hall for the solution to everything. Today this has become even more magnified because so much of the world has come into our churches.

But God is shortly going to show the whole world that *Egypt* (the governments of the whole world) cannot solve the problems of the world, particularly the financial ones. Since the last financial crisis of 2008 the debt problem has been postponed by the *creation* of more debt (via the printing of money) to temporarily halt the bankruptcy of most banks and many companies such as General Electric which holds massive consumer debt. But this didn't solve the problem; it merely transferred the debt from the balance sheets of corporations to sovereign nations and we've seen the cracks forming in the system beginning with Greece—which must default eventually—3 years ago.

Now the problem for America as well as others is found in Isaiah 1:

“See how the faithful city has become a harlot! She once was full of justice; righteousness used to dwell in her—but now murders! Your silver has become dross, your choice wine is diluted with water. Your rulers are rebels,

companions of thieves; they all love bribes and chase after gifts. They do not defend the cause of the fatherless; the widow's case does not come before them. Therefore the Lord, the LORD Almighty declares ... 'I will turn my hand against you.'"

Throughout history God's judgments remain constant in the methods that He uses—famine, pestilence, invasion by wild beasts/insects, catastrophic weather, financial collapse and invasion/occupation by foreign armies. There is a time of great *lack* coming to America. I know we would never think of a food shortage but it's coming as well as attacks by foreign armies including a Muslim army (see R.F.G., The vision of 911).

Washington and the Lying Spirit

The Holy Spirit revealed to me while first writing *Mysterious Secrets of the Dark Kingdom* 23 years ago that the dominant spirit over Washington, D.C., is a lying spirit and at that time it was so obvious to me that this is the reason they cannot tell the truth about even things that don't matter. I've written that during my last visit to Washington in 2008 the city was about 40% darker spiritually than it was when I was last there during the Reagan years. This despite more churches and ministries/Christian political groups moving to Washington than ever before in history.

Why aren't we seeing a spiritual transformation? I'm not sure but I believe it's because many if not most of these ministries and groups are there NOT because God sent them! They are there to bask in The Shadow of Egypt and

many are there for political reasons, not because the Holy Spirit sent them. Those that are there because the Lord sent them are often overcome by the Dark Kingdom. There are *great* spiritual forces of wickedness present in Washington—you can feel the darkness in the spirit when you are there, especially on the steps of the Supreme Court and the Capitol building. Now I'm not saying that Christians should not be involved in politics—I knew Jerry Falwell and his political activism did a lot to slow the destruction of Washington but the only way to effect change is through *correct* prayer and spiritual warfare—"God save America" type prayers will not work! But because most of the Church world knows little to nothing about spiritual warfare or the devil the forces of darkness continue to trample the city under and control it. The Powers, especially Mammon, Asmodee and Baal, along with the Principality Abaddon are frequent visitors to Washington. Unfortunately, all genuine ministries that are there will come under their attack and if they're not prepared for it—which most are not—then they will succumb. That's another reason why it's dangerous to be some place that God has not called you to be. When Washington is attacked militarily Christians will be killed.

What do you do about it? Do you need to prepare for the judgments that are coming or do you believe the rapture of the Church will rescue you? I would suggest that you make this a matter of much prayer, especially in the Spirit for your specific situation. After the Great Depression began in 1929 years of plenty were followed by many years of want, even though the price of wheat collapsed leading to the years of the Dust Bowl, world-wide unrest and the rise of the Nazi party followed by World War II. This time will be worse

because it will lead to the rise of the Antichrist to power and World War III.

The Lord wants you to know that He will take care of His own—those who continue to dwell in the shadow of the Almighty and not the shadow of Egypt—those who trust in Egypt will be disappointed and suffer. The gift of working of miracles will be in manifestation during this time to sustain the people of God but it's important that you prepare now, especially spiritually. The Lord says that Psalm 91 is an important one for you to meditate on each day; He will speak to you personally through it at this time!

I always caution Christians concerning Study Bibles; the reason is that normally anywhere from 25-50% of the notes are wrong! They may even be right historically but fail the spiritual interpretation or the methods God is using that those with the Eye of the Eagle perceive. That is why we at CCI are always encouraging you to develop The Eye of the Eagle because God wants you to grow spiritually and know His purposes, plans and ways.

Most study bibles portray Psalm 91 as applying to Christians and, of course, it does to a certain extent just as the entire Scriptures do BUT the promises contained in this Psalm do not apply to all Christians even though study bibles will record notes otherwise!

My wife, Evelyn, began to preach about Intimacy With God many years before it became fashionable—this should be expected since she is an apostle and they are normally first

in an area God has called them to. Many of you have heard her messages and testimonies of Heaven. Ev has sat on the lap of Father God in Heaven and gazed out at the Crystal Sea! I've never been privileged to do this but it's because of intimacy with the Father since she was a small child when she asked God to be her father because her biological father died before she was born. Now notice in Psalm 91 exactly to whom this Psalm is written—to the Jew? The Christian? No, the answer is given in v. 1: it's written for "He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High" and it is only these who "will rest in the shadow of the Almighty."

I pray that this teaching today will inspire and encourage you today, especially to increase your spiritual time with the Lord. The Lord doesn't waste words; He knows their value. Most of the time when He speaks to us it is very profound, yet very simple and easy to understand. Back in 1979 the Lord said to me: "You wouldn't have a very good relationship with your wife if you never spent much time with her." I wrote about this in MSDK—intimacy is time! If you don't spend time with a person then it is certain that you won't be intimate with them. Make a quality decision today to be one of those who "dwells in the shelter of the Most High" so that in the time of trouble you will be resting "in the shadow of the Almighty" and not the Shadow of Egypt.

We always seek to proclaim the truth and although the judgments coming upon America are not pleasant it is the truth and we must deal with it just as Elijah had to deal with what he prophesied during the days of Ahab. Remember, fear is never of the Lord—the Bible says that He does not

give us “the spirit of fear” but that doesn’t mean that fearful things and judgments are not coming.

But our inheritance is not to fear but to trust in the Lord; He will never fail us nor forget us! Praise the Lord!