

THE ANTICHRIST IDENTITY: PART 3

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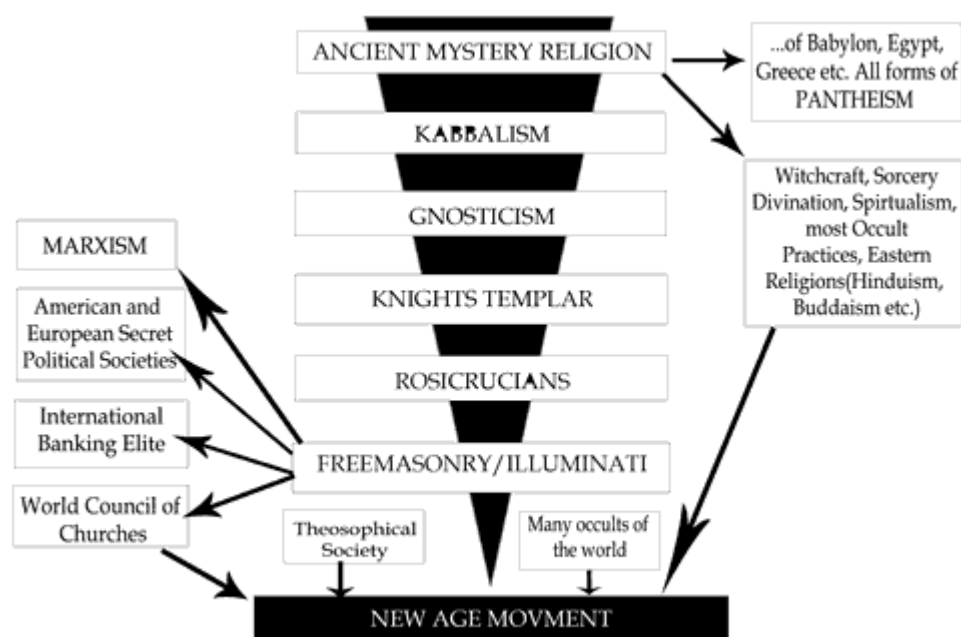
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INTRODUCTION

The understanding of the coming of the Antichrist can only be fully consolidated by understanding the very system that will be prepared for his eventual arrival.

The goals of the New Age movement under which the United Nations operates right now, are the implementation of a New World Messiah. The tools of the new world government which are now in progression are a multi-national international army; an international police force; a World Bank for the economy; a World Government under the United Nations; a World Conservation Bank for wilderness around the world meaning that all green movements will be melded into this new International Bank or will disappear and a new World Religion where all church doctrines will be destroyed at the roots to be replaced by the new religion of the Age of Aquarius.



The New Age Movement consists of an incredibly huge and well organized network consisting of thousands of groups, trusts, foundations, clubs, lodges, and religious groups whose goal and purpose is to prepare the world to enter the coming "Age Of Aquarius." A small sampling of only a few of the organizations involved would include: Amnesty International, Zero Population Growth, California New Age Caucus, New World Alliance, World Goodwill, The Church Universal and Triumphant, The Theosophical Society, the Forum, Planetary Initiative for the World We Choose, the Club of Rome, Church Universal & Triumphant, Christian Science, and the Unity School of Christianity. This list, by no means all inclusive, demonstrates the diversity of organizations operating in economic, political, and religious spheres of influence.

Alongside the New Age Movement is also a political and economical agenda. Based on a principle known as the Hegelian doctrine, the agenda is one in which the process of managed conflict will propel the world forward to a final state where the infrastructure will be in place for world government to fully rise to its prophetic status. In this final report we examine the groups and agenda's which play a major role in facilitating the rise of the final world government.

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1. THE COMING OF THE ANTICHRIST

In part 1 “The Historical Progression of the Antichrist” a significant amount of material was spent on understanding how the debate regarding the Antichrist has evolved since the time of Christ and this then helped to set the context for addressing “Apostles of the New World Order” where you viewed the increasing exposure on Barack Obama, Prince Charles of Wales and Javier Solana and the arguments that justify their specific involvement with contributing to facilitating the coming New World Order. At this stage it is necessary to fall back on a biblical perspective with a strong biblical context to help provide a line of differentiation as to which biblical factors are non negotiable and embedded requirements regarding the identity of the one whom will ultimately take full global control of the coming new world order system.

An appraisal of scriptures that relates to the Antichrist shows that they fall into three categories.

General Application: Firstly there are scriptures which refer to Antichrist in a generic sense where antichrist can be a title attributed to any individual who is seeking to replace Christ or is opposed to 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” I John 2:18

“Who is a liar but he that denieth that Jesus is the Christ? He is antichrist, that denieth the Father and the Son. I John 2:22

In its true sense this could be applied to any individual, religion or system that denies that Jesus is the Christos or the spoken word. This would apply to atheistic, humanistic and heretical groups who believe that Jesus was just a man, or a created being and not the God Man. The world Christ comes from the greek word Christos which means the “spoken word”. The other application of antichrist in this general sense are to those who deny the relationship between the Father and Son and thus could lend itself in its broader sense to religions like Islam which deny biblical relationships of Jesus Christ with God the Father and thus rob the Godhead of one its most intrinsic virtues.

Specific Application: Nature of the Antichrist: Secondly there are those scriptures which refer to the antichrist as a specific individual with colorful imagery and symbolism and as such it is impossible to interpret such scriptures in isolation in reference to the identity of the Antichrist without a process of assumption shaped by ones eschatological position and historical frame of reference. The scriptures do not so much reveal the identity of the Antichrist but rather provide a description of his nature and human characteristics.

“And the beast which I saw was like unto a leopard, and his feet were as the feet of a bear, and his mouth as the mouth of a lion: and the dragon gave him his power, and his seat and great authority” Revelation 13:2

“Then I would know the truth of the fourth beast, which was diverse from all the others, exceedingly dreadful, whose teeth were of iron, and his nails of brass; which devoured, brake in pieces, and stamped the residue with his feet; and of the ten horns that were in his head, and of the other which came up, and before whom three fell; even of that horn that had eyes, and a mouth that spake very great things, whose look was more stout than his fellows. Daniel 7:19-20

“Let no man deceive you by any means; for that day shall not come, except there come a falling way first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition; Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God.” II Thessalonians 2:3-4

“And I saw, and behold a white horse: and he that sat on him had a bow; and a crown was given unto him: and he went forth conquering, and to conquer.” Revelation 6:2

“For the mystery of iniquity doth already work: only he who now letteth will let, until hee be taken out of the way. And then shall that Wicked be revealed, whom the lord shall consume with the spirit of his mouth, and shall destroy with the brightness of his coming. Even him, whose coming is after the working of Satan, with all power and signs and lying wonders” II Thessalonians 2:7-9

It is this category which more than any has led to an abundance of interpretations and conjectures regarding the identity of the antichrist because it is so easy to take the imagery and numbers mentioned in these passages and apply them to specific events of any era depending on whether one believes that prophecy regarding the Antichrist was fulfilled in the past or yet for the future. However the general theme is that these scriptures are entirely focused on his personhood. Any attempt to take these scriptures in isolation and use them as justification to identify an individual as the Antichrist is simply a case of mistaken interpretation and over exaggeration of scripture to fit ones hunch.

Specific Application: Identity of the Antichrist: It is once we evaluate the third category of scriptures that make reference to this coming world leader that we then uncover specific characteristics that help to provide clarity regarding this individual. These category of scriptures can be further categorized as below.

- His lineage
- His empire

If the bible makes specific references which identify the lineage of the Antichrist then this will become a significant factor in understanding the world government agenda. Additional factors of consideration will also include moving below a “surface level” understanding of end time prophecy and delving deep into a full understanding of the historical construct and requirement for global government which the Antichrist will head, which directly ties in with end time prophecy in offering a significant level of additional detail regarding the importance of bloodline and lineage in the antichrist identity debate.

THE LINEAGE OF THE ANTICHRIST: BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVE

In John 5:43 we see a reference to the lineage of the Antichrist where Jesus speaks on his own rejection by the Jewish people.

“I come in my Fathers name, and ye receive me not: if another shall come in his own name, him ye will receive” John 5:43

The reason that this scripture is linked to genus is because in the greek there are four words translated "another" in english. Two of the most popular greek words are "allos" which signifies "another" of the same kind or genus. See Matthew 10:23, 13:24, 26:71 etc. The second, "heteros" means "another" of a totally different kind. See Mark 16:12, Luke 14:31, Acts 7:18, Romans 7:23. In John 5:43 the word "another" used by Jesus was "allos" not "heteros". Christ, the son of David has presented himself to Israel, but they rejected him and so another from the line of David would come to them and they would receive him. If the Antichrist was to be a gentile then Jesus would have used the word "heteros". This initial scripture sets a precedent regarding the lineage debate.

Arthur Pink, one of the most incredible authors on the Antichrist and a giant in his day says

"Study of scripture indicates that the antichrist will be of jewish descent, although his government position and sphere of control will not limit him to Israel or the Jewish people."¹⁵⁹

THE LINEAGE OF THE ANTICHRIST: VIEW OF THE EARLY CHURCH FATHERS

Some of the earliest expounders of the Antichrist, Irenaeus and Hippolytus of the second century, taught that Antichrist would be a Jew. Hippolytus, a disciple of Irenaeus, wrote extensively on the Antichrist. Hippolytus believed that Antichrist would be a Jewish false messiah whose coming is still some time in the future. Additionally Origen, Chrysostom, Jerome, and likely Augustine all continued the early church tradition that the Antichrist was to be of Jewish descent. Hippolytus says,

"[W]e find it written regarding Antichrist . . . 'Dan is a lion's whelp, and he shall leap from Bashan' [Deut. 33:22]. But that no one may err by supposing that this is said of the Savior, let him attend carefully to the matter. Dan, he says, is a lion's whelp. And in naming the tribe of Dan, he declared clearly the tribe from which Antichrist is destined to spring. For as Christ springs from the tribe of Judah, so Antichrist is to spring from the tribe of Dan. And that the case stands thus, we see also from the words of Jacob: 'Let Dan be a serpent, lying upon the ground, biting the horse's heel' [Gen. 49:17]. What then is meant by the serpent but Antichrist, that deceiver who is mentioned in Genesis [Gen. 3:1], who deceived Eve and supplanted Adam?"¹⁶

It is therefore common knowledge that this is a view that has permeated centuries from the time of Christ both amongst believers and non believers; the tradition of a Jewish Antichrist, who would likely be of the tribe of Dan, was reinforced throughout the middle ages.

THE LINEAGE OF THE ANTICHRIST: THE MEROVINGIAN ASPECT

It is important to note that the whole Merovingian debate which we have seen in regards to Charlemagne, Otis and Karl Van Habsburg, King Juan Carlos and Prince Charles of Wales have all been based on the premise that these individuals are descendants of Jesus Christ and are thus of the lineage of King David and descendants from the tribes of Israel. In "The Psychic Bloodline of the Royal Family" by John Dale¹⁰⁷ a special emphasis is made on the tribe of Dan which was prophesied to be the black sheep of the nation of Israel which would bite the other tribes of Israel.

Dale documented the fact that British royals have engaged in occult, "paranormal" practices such as spiritualism (using mediums, through séances, to speak to the dead), faith healing, magic,

homeopathic and other "alternative" medicines, and the like, since the time of Queen Victoria. Through a certain form of genetic transmission, and through the recent influence of such royal family figures as Lord "Dickie" Mountbatten, these "psychic" proclivities were passed on to Prince Charles, who, according to Dale, "must be congratulated for displaying the guts to speak out where others have remained silent."

Dale showed that this practice of the occult by royalty is very much part of the mythos purveyed by the would-be inhabitants of Mount Olympus. He cited the view of one practitioner of spiritualism, the late King Paul of Greece, the uncle of Prince Philip, that spiritualism is a positive practice, in the tradition of "the famed Delphic Oracle of Greece." The ultimate point then becomes that Prince Charles is only the latest, in a long and noble (literally) tradition. According to Dale The tribe of Dan had the snake and the eagle as its two logos and left its calling card all over Europe as it migrated west in the names of many places. The tribe of Dan ruled the Greeks, the Roman Empire, the Austro-Hungarian empire and many others which used the eagle as its logo.

Many Bible prophecy preachers today are quite certain that the Beast of Revelation 13 represents the rising European Union or Mediterranean Union, which is quickly coalescing from an economic partnership into a true political empire of nations, a process that has been greatly facilitated by the events of the September 11th terrorist strikes in New York.

Many see in this union a revitalization of the old Holy Roman Empire, held together in the Middle Ages by the Roman Catholic Church, as well as other Vatican-approved monarchs. Most of these monarchs, as well as their supreme head, the Holy Roman Emperor himself, came from royal houses descending from the family that first held the title "New Constantine", a prototype of the Holy Roman Emperor title. That family was the Frankish line of the Merovingians, a line that most modern European royals, as well as all 44 of the U.S. presidents, are descendants of. As seen previously, the Merovingians, including their modern-day descendants, consider themselves to be inheritors of the blood lineage of Jesus Christ himself, through his consort, Mary Magdalene.

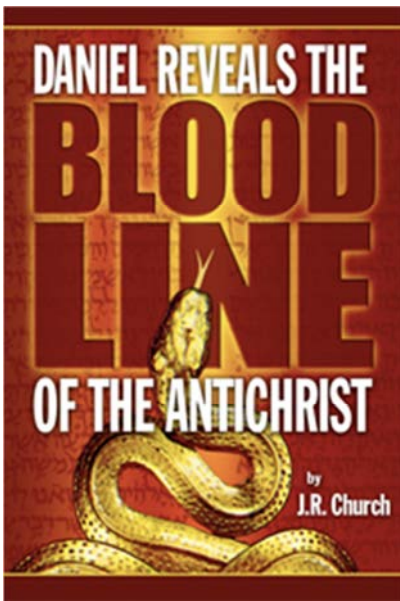
As the story goes, Christ survived the crucifixion, and fled with his pregnant wife to the Jew-friendly area of Southern France, where a substantial number of his kinsmen were already settled. There his descendants intermarried with local Visigothic nobility, giving birth to the royal line that would provide Europe with all of its subsequent monarchs, as well as the heads of the Holy Roman Empire. That makes these people not only descendants of Christ, but also of the Judaic King David. Indeed, the royalty of Europe mimic the royalty of ancient Israel in form, symbol and ceremony very closely, cherishing their Davidic heritage as the source of their "Right" to rule. For the throne of David was installed by God himself, who decreed that the office would be passed down to David's descendants until the end of time. As the Bible states,

"The scepter shall not depart from Judah... until Shiloh come." (Genesis 49:10.)

Perhaps this is why Anglo-European culture, presumed by most to be made up of Gentiles with pagan ancestry, is the world's main proponent and bastion of Judeo-Christian theology. In fact, many, such as Herbert W. Armstrong of the Worldwide Church of God, believed that it is not just our political leaders, but the majority of our population that carries the blood of the Israelites. Armstrong

maintains that the ten “lost tribes of Israel” in fact can be found today scattered across Europe, Britain, and the former colonies like the US, Canada, and Australia. He makes a case by analyzing words and place-names found throughout Europe that appear to be based in Hebrew.^{329,330}

He argues that the word “brit” comes from “berith”, the Hebrew word for “covenant”, and that the word “Saxons” (as in “Anglo-Saxons”) comes from “Isaac’s Son’s.” He also points out a number of locations throughout Europe and especially Ireland could have been named after the tribe of Dan, such as “Dundalk”, “Dundee”, “Donegal”, and of course, “Denmark”, meaning “Dan’s Mark.” He even examines historical Irish legends stating that sometime prior to 700 B.C., a tribe called the “Tuatha de Danaan”(Tribe of Dan) arrived on the coast of Ireland and settled down, driving out other tribes along the way, and later becoming fixed in Irish legend as a fantastical race of giants.



He then recounts a rather significant Irish folk tale regarding a supposed visit by the Prophet Jeremiah in 569 B.C. In that year “an elderly, white-haired patriarch”, whom the locals referred to as a “saint” came to Ireland with a young woman named “Tea-Telphi”, who was the daughter of an Egyptian king, and her husband, “Simon Brach.” Simon was the son of the King of Ireland, and the two had met in Jerusalem shortly before that city was sieged. They then went back to Ireland, along with Jeremiah, bearing a harp, an ark, and something called the “Lia-fail”, which later became known as the “Stone of Destiny”, the stone upon which all British monarchs must sit at their coronation.

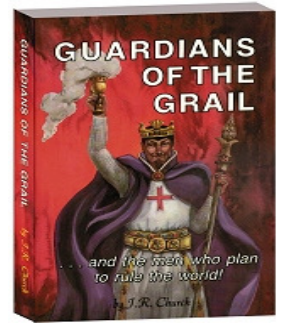
This is the same one that the Brits believe to be synonymous with Jacob’s fabled pillow-stone, upon which he slept as he dreamt about wrestling with an angel. Armstrong finds significance in the fact that the word “lia-fail” reads the same forwards and backwards, perhaps an indication of its Hebraic origin.

It is the tribe of Dan that is named the Church Father, Iraeneus, as being the tribe from which the Antichrist will spring. For one thing, Dan is the only tribe not mentioned in Revelation as having been “sealed” on their foreheads as “Children of God.” One must assume, then, that the Danites are “sealed” with that other mark, the number of the Beast, 666.

Furthermore, as J.R. Church writes in *Guardians of the Grail*”

“Four symbols are used in the Bible regarding the Danites – a serpent, an eagle, a lion, and the bees.”⁴⁸

The first three are symbols now commonly used in European heraldry by Merovingian descendants, the serpent often being depicted as a dragon. The bees, however, are a symbol quite specific to the Merovingian dynasty. Church continues:



“The Merovingians, who plan to rule the world from their future throne at Jerusalem, claim to come from the tribe of Judah through Jesus Christ and Mary Magdalene. However, the weight of evidence indicates that they descended from the tribe of Dan. Although Scripture states that Samson was ‘of the family of the Danites’ [Judges 13:2], Yair Davidiy of Brit-Am Israel claims that his lineage includes the Messianic tribe of Judah: ‘Samson the superman hero came from the Tribe of Dan but his mother was from Judah. Samson, in some respects, was considered a forerunner of the Messiah who will come from Judah but his mother, according to the Midrash will be of the Tribe of Dan.’¹⁰⁸

Again this view shares a common denominator with that of the early church fathers Irenaeus and Hippolytus who also believed that the Antichrist would come from the lineage of Dan. The train of Christians, past and present, who ascribe credibility to the “Tribe of Dan theory” and to the Jewish identity of the future Antichrist, cannot be surpassed by the elaborate renditions of Arthur W. Pink, who, interestingly enough is a bit tepid relative to Dan’s connection to a Jewish Antichrist:

“But if this pseudo Christ succeeds in palming himself off on the Jews as their true Messiah he must be a Jew, for it is unthinkable that they would be deceived by any Gentile . . . it was the common belief among Christians during the first four centuries A.D., that the Antichrist would come from the tribe of Dan. Whether this will be the case or no, we do not know. Gen. 49:17,18 may have ultimate reference to this Son of Perdition. Certainly Dan is the most mysterious of all the twelve tribes.”¹⁰⁹

2. THE EMPIRE OF THE ANTICHRIST

Daniel 2 records that the ancient Babylonian King Nebuchadnezzar had a dream concerning the evolution of world empires. No Babylonian could interpret the dream; however, Daniel, a captive of Judah, was able to interpret Nebuchadnezzar's dream (Daniel 2:25-30), as God had already revealed the dream to him (Daniel 2:19-23).

"You, O king, your thoughts came while you were on your bed about what would happen in the future, and the Revealer of Secrets informed you what will be. As for me, it is not because I possess more wisdom than any other being that this secret was revealed to me, but rather to make the interpretation known to the king, so that you may know what has occupied your thoughts." Daniel 2:25-30

Daniel recounted the dream to Nebuchadnezzar, and interpreted the king's dream of a huge statue by explaining the four major components of the statue.

Most Bible scholars interpret these four components to represent the four major empires that have existed in the world's history. Daniel confirms that the first of these empires was to be the Babylonian empire, ruled by Nebuchadnezzar.

"Thou, O king, art a king of kings; for the God of heaven hath given thee a kingdom, power, and strength, and glory. And wheresoever the children of men dwell, the beasts of the field and the fowls of the heaven hath he given into thine hand, and hath made thee ruler over them all. Thou art this head of Gold." Daniel 2:37-38

"And after you will arise another kingdom inferior to you, and [then] another, a third kingdom, of copper, which will rule the whole earth." Daniel 2:39

Biblical history supports the fact that the head of gold represented as the Babylonian empire would be overcome by the arms of silver represented by the Medes and Persian empire. King Cyrus conquered the Babylonian empire, allowing the Jews to return to Judea and rebuild the temple; the Persians then controlled Judea through approved local leaders (539 - 330's BC). The Medes was a smaller kingdom than Persia which never directly ruled Israel, but helped others defeat the Assyrians and Babylonians; it was then incorporated into the Persian empire, becoming its largest province. The Medes and Persians were then conquered by the Grecian Empire. As for the third empire (represented by bronze),

It was even less desirable from Nebuchadnezzar's standpoint; though Greece was to "rule over the whole earth," its political tradition was more republican than its predecessor. The bronze empire was the Greco-Macedonian Empire established by Alexander the Great, who began his invasion of Persia in 334, crushed its last resistance in 331, and established a realm extending from the border of Yugoslavia to beyond the Indus Valley in India, the largest empire of ancient times.



After Alexander the Great becomes King of Macedonia (332 BC), his armies conquered the East (almost the whole Persian empire), but he then died very young (323 BC). His Hellenistic empire was then divided between four generals. It is important to understand that the empires listed are in reference to which has direct control of the Jews. Therefore one can immediately eliminate the ancient Chinese empire and other world empires at the time.



According to scripture the Jews were in the hands of the Babylonians and then transitioned into the rulership of the Medo Persians. After the Medes and Persians the Jews then came under the rule of Greece and were subject to the Ptolemic and Selucid dynasties. The fourth kingdom which conquered the Greek Empire in 63 B.C. was the Roman Empire. The Roman Empire was characterized by its strength, as iron is stronger than bronze, silver, and gold. The Roman Empire was stronger than any of the previous empires. It crushed all the empires that had preceded it. Rome in its cruel conquest swallowed up the lands and peoples that had been parts of the three previous empires and assimilated those lands and peoples into itself.

Though the empire succeeded in conquering the territories that came under its influence, it never could unite the peoples to form a united empire. In that sense the people were a mixture and were not united. (Other views of this mixture of strength and weakness are suggested 1) the empire was strong organizationally but weak morally 2) imperialism and democracy were united unsuccessfully; 3) government was intruded by the masses, i.e., mob rule 4) the empire was a mixture of numerous races and cultures.

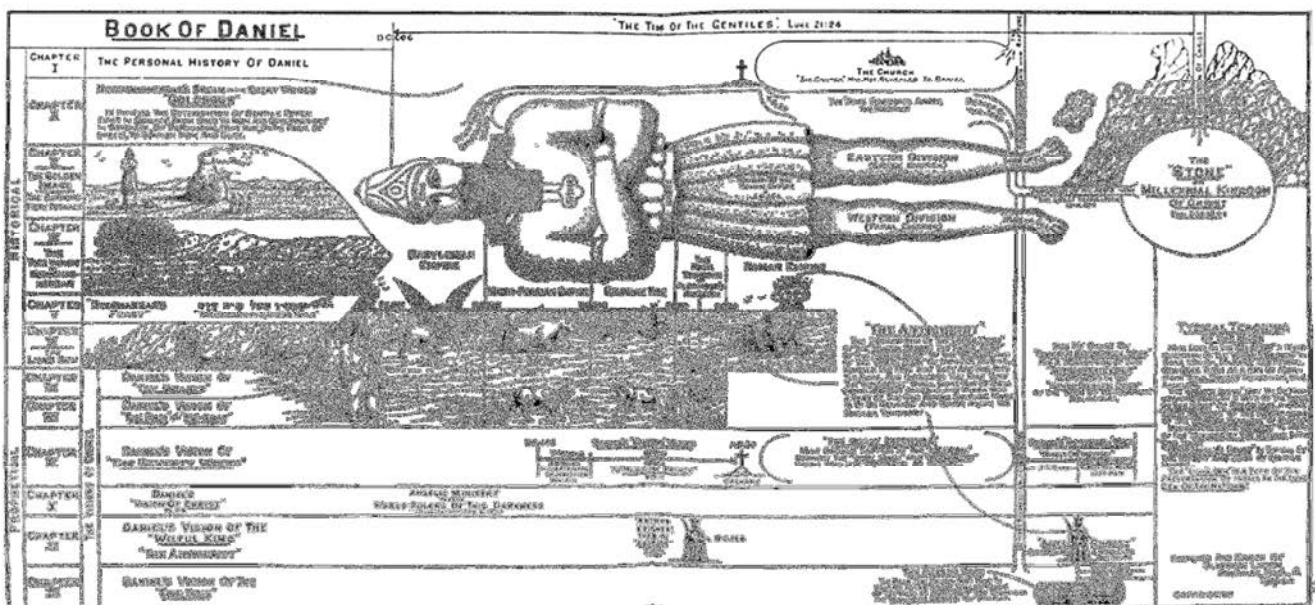
After the destruction of Jerusalem by the Romans in 70 AD the Jews were scattered in the great diaspora amongst different nations and the state of Israel became known as Palestine as it came under the rule of successive empire after the Romans including the Ottoman and the Holy Roman Empire. The Jews would then not return to their homeland until after the Balfour Declaration was issued in 1917 declaring the requirement for the creation of the state of Israel which became an independent nation in 1947.

Daniel 2:43-44 specifies that the ten toes which represent ten kings form a kingdom which will exist at the time that Christ comes to set up his Kingdom. The Kingdom spoken of here is a physical one not a spiritual kingdom (since the spiritual kingdom of God was realized at the time of Christ on earth). The Kingdom of God on earth is not now or previous as the conditions of the Kingdom of God described in the Bible could never have matched anytime in history since throughout history there

has always been violence and death.¹²⁶ The fact that the ten toes are partly iron and partly clay also suggest that the ten nation kingdom shares some similarity with the legs of iron in that the common denominator is iron. However the ten toes also contain clay, a substance that is unique and so differentiates the ten toes as a separate entity to the legs of iron. If one understands that the legs signify the Roman Empire then it offers clues as to the ten toes.

Another view has been more popular among Jewish scholars, at least as far back as Flavius Josephus, and has support from 20th century Biblical scholars such as H. H. Rowley, as well as conservative Christian scholars such as Gurney, Lucas, and Walton. The proposed alternative sequence is that the 4 kingdoms (Babylon, Media, Persia, Greece) is associated with the theory that the book of Daniel is a pseudepigraph dated to the mid-second century BC, concerned primarily with the Maccabean era and the reign of the Seleucid king Antiochus Epiphanes who much is spoken of in Daniel 11. The vision therefore terminates in the Hellenist era, and the "kingdom" represented by the stone could then refer to the Hasmonean dynasty set up by the Maccabees, after their defeat of the Seleucid forces.

However, many Christians do not accept this interpretation, largely because Jesus is said in Matthew 24 to have quoted Daniel as a prophet who foretold future events. The vision is considered to be about the development of Babylon and its successors, from the time of Nebuchadnezzar all the way to the future day when God's eternal Kingdom will be established. The legs could not be Greece because the God of heaven did not set up a kingdom during the destruction of Greece.



At this juncture we can now see that the final confederacy that will be in existence at the second coming of Christ in Daniels Vision will be an empire of ten kingdoms led by ten kings which will have Roman blood which is why many bible prophecy teachers place a special emphasis on the developments taking place within the region of Europe and the Mediterranean as this forms the geographical boundary of the old Roman Empire during the time of Christ and Israel's existence as a nation. We will examine later in this report the significance of recent developments within Europe and the Mediterranean.

3. THE NEW WORLD ORDER: ORCHESTRATED BY THE ORDER OF THE ILLUMINATI

The general principles of the New World Order is that is a worldwide conspiracy being orchestrated by an extremely powerful and influential group of genetically-related individuals (at least at the highest echelons) which include many of the world's wealthiest people, top political leaders, and corporate elite, as well as members of the so-called Black Nobility of Europe (dominated by the British Crown) whose goal is to create a One World (fascist) Government, stripped of nationalistic and regional boundaries, that is obedient to their agenda. Their intention is to effect complete and total control over every human being on the planet and to dramatically reduce the world's population by 5.5 Billion people.

While the name New World Order is a term frequently used today when referring to this group, it's more useful to identify the principal organizations, institutions, and individuals who make up this vast interlocking spiderweb of elite conspirators.

The Illuminati is the oldest term commonly used to refer to the 13 family bloodlines (and their offshoots) that make up a major portion of this controlling elite (also known as the black nobility). The black nobility are wealthy European families that have ruled vast financial empires for the past fifteen hundred years. 'They are called the 'Black' nobility because of their constant use of dirty tricks, terrorism and unethical methods which they never hesitate to use against anyone who would dare to stand in their way. These people are very closely allied to the "German Marshall Fund" which organizes and finances most of the work of the Club of Rome.

Most members of the Illuminati are also members in the highest ranks of numerous secretive and occult societies which in many cases extend straight back into the ancient world. The upper levels of the tightly compartmentalized (need-to-know-basis) Illuminati structural pyramid include planning committees and organizations that the public has little or no knowledge of. The upper levels of the Illuminati pyramid include secretive committees with names such as: the Council of 3, the Council of 5, the Council of 7, the Council of 9, the Council of 13, the Council of 33, the Grand Druid Council, the Committee of 300 (also called the "Olympians") and the Committee of 500 among others.

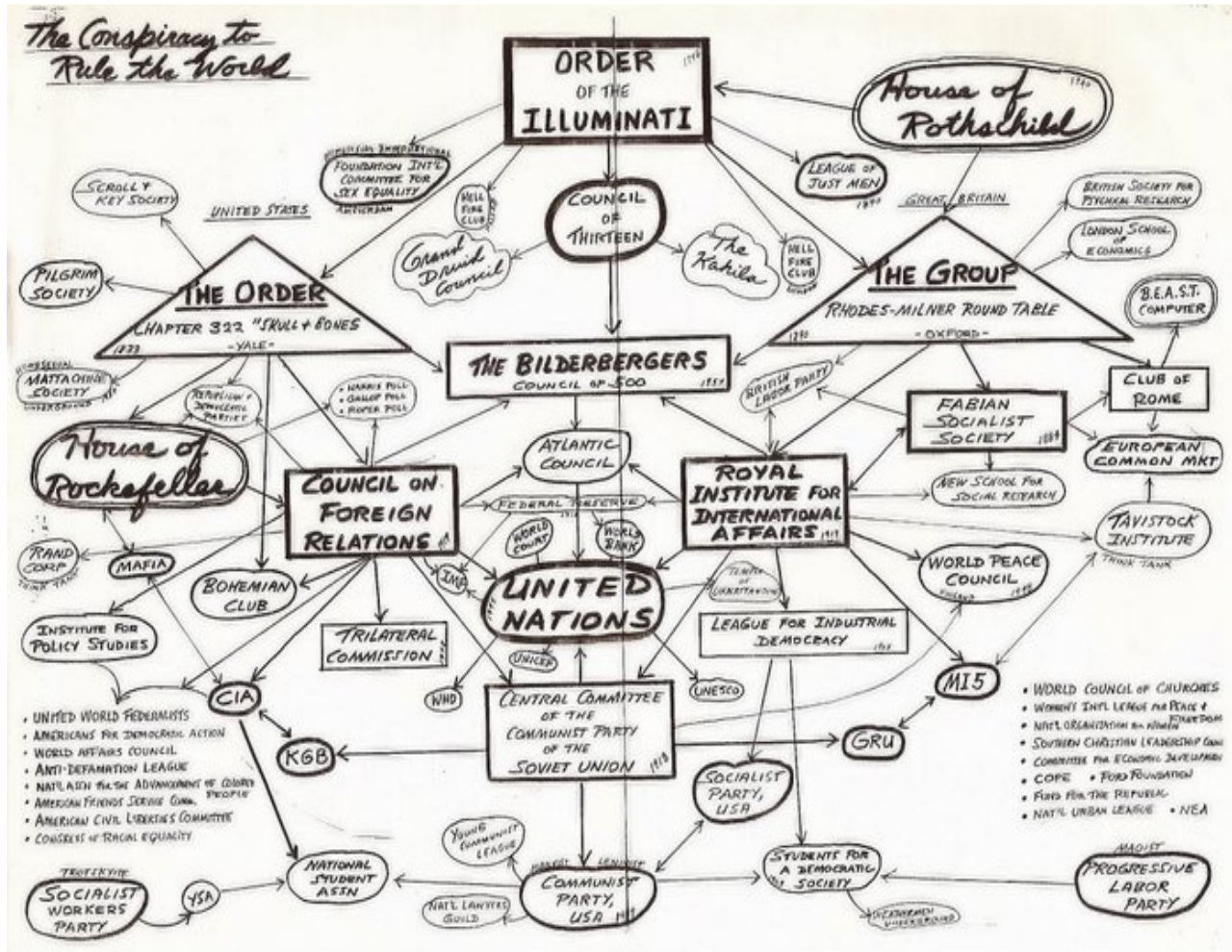
In 1992, Dr John Coleman published *Conspirators' Hierarchy: The Story of the Committee of 300*.

With laudable scholarship and meticulous research, Dr Coleman identifies the players and carefully details the Illuminati agenda of worldwide domination and control. On page 161 of the *Conspirators Hierarchy*, Dr Coleman accurately summarizes the intent and purpose of the Committee of 300 as follows:³²⁸

"A One World Government and one-unit monetary system, under permanent non-elected hereditary oligarchists who self-select from among their numbers in the form of a feudal system as it was in the Middle Ages. In this One World entity, population will be limited by restrictions on the number of children per family, diseases, wars, famines, until 1 billion people who are useful to the ruling class, in areas which will be strictly and clearly defined, remain as the total world population. There will be no middle class, only rulers and the servants. All laws will be uniform under a legal system of world courts practicing the same unified code of laws, backed up by a One World Government police force and

a One World unified military to enforce laws in all former countries where no national boundaries shall exist. The system will be on the basis of a welfare state; those who are obedient and subservient to the One World Government will be rewarded with the means to live; those who are rebellious will simple be starved to death or be declared outlaws, thus a target for anyone who wishes to kill them. Privately owned firearms or weapons of any kind will be prohibited." 328

The image below shows that the power structure of the New World Order is based on an incredible network of masonic groups and secret societies which encompasses banking and finance, politics, education and the environment and religion.

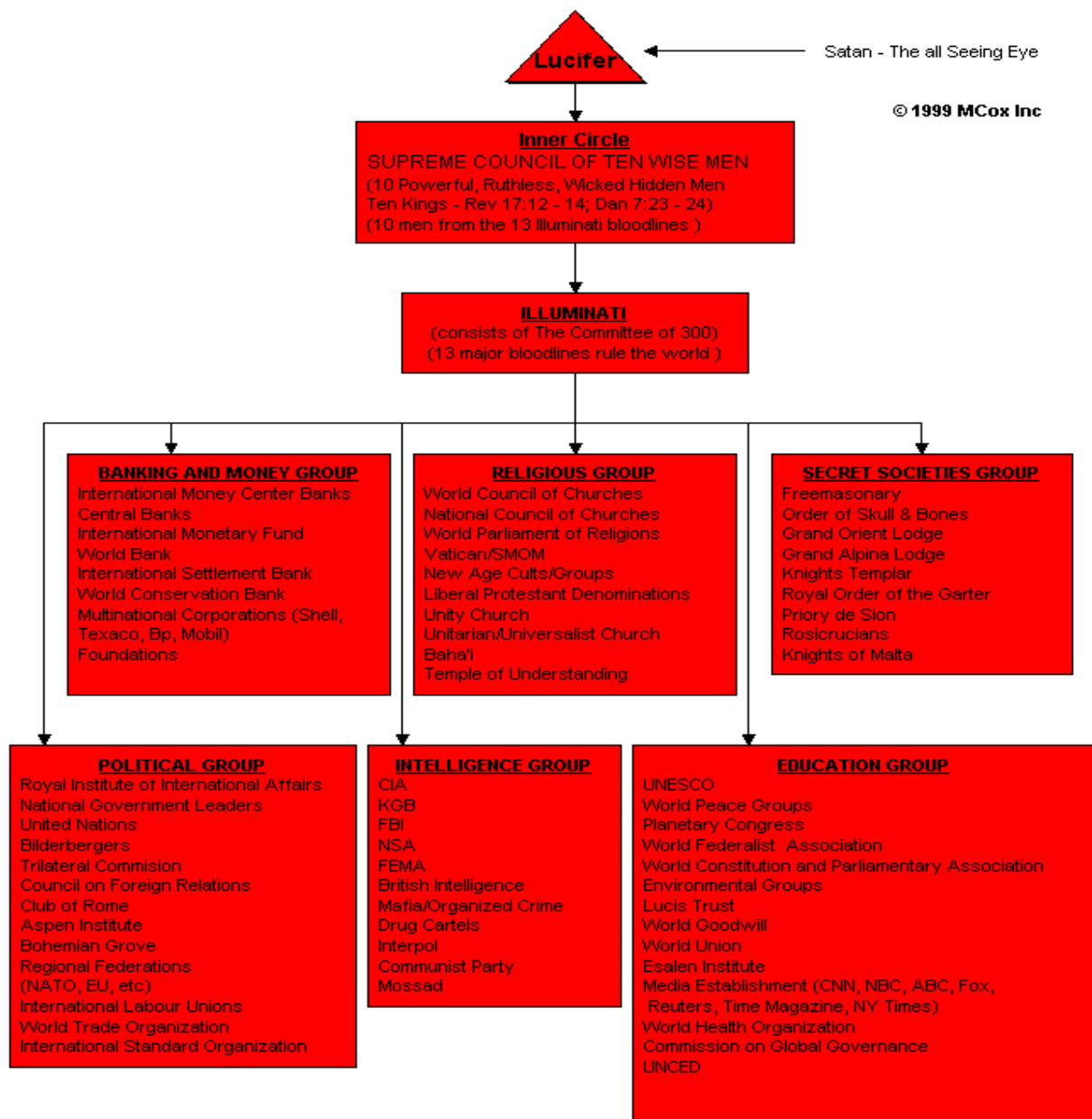


The sheer magnitude and complex web of deceit surrounding the individuals and organizations involved in this conspiracy is mind boggling, even for the most astute among us. Most people react with disbelief and scepticism towards the topic, unaware that they have been conditioned (brainwashed) to react with scepticism by institutional and media influences that were created by the Mother of All mind control organizations: The Tavistock Institute of Human Relations in London.

Author and de-programmer Fritz Springmeier says that most people have built in "slides" that short circuit the mind's critical examination process when it comes to certain sensitive topics. "Slides", Springmeier reports, is a CIA term for a conditioned type of response which dead ends a person's thinking and terminates debate or examination of the topic at hand. For example, the mention of the word "conspiracy" often solicits a slide response with many people. Springmeier has co-authored three books on trauma-based programming which detail how the Illuminati employs highly tuned and

extremely sophisticated Mind Control (MC) training programs that begin the programming process while the intended victim is still within the womb. Mind Control is a much greater problem than most people realize.

What most Americans believe to be "Public Opinion" is in reality carefully crafted and scripted propaganda designed to elicit a desired behavioral response from the public. Public opinion polls are really taken with the intent of gauging the public's acceptance of the Illuminati's planned programs. A strong showing in the polls tells the Illuminati that the programming is "taking", while a poor showing tells the NWO manipulators that they have to recast or "tweak" the programming until the desired response is achieved. While the thrust and content of the propaganda is decided at Tavistock, implementation of the propaganda is executed in the United States by well over 200 'think tanks' such as the Rand Corporation and the Brookings Institute which are overseen and directed by the top NWO mind control organization in the United States, the Stanford Research Institute (SRI) in Menlo Park, California.



4. A MASONIC BLUEPRINT TO LAUNCH THE WORLD ORDER THROUGH WAR

One of the problems facing bible prophecy today is modern surface level bible prophecy research that does not properly distinguish the fact that the Zionism concept has a deep sinister and demonic core to its true essence. Many bible prophecy evangelists such as John Hagee have done much to popularize the belief that by standing for Israel and a Zionist state that this provides you with favor in the eyes of God and fulfils the required obligation to support Israel as prophesied. Many end time prophecy insights make reference to the special relationship between the United States, Britain and Israel and the fact that there is an inherent spiritual obligation of the so called Christian nations to support the Jewish people. Reference is given to the need to help the Jews rebuild their temple as this is a significant requirement not only in the end time calendar but also because such a temple would become a major icon within the Millennial reign of Christ on earth.

However the truth is that by a more in-depth and deeper understanding of global government policies uncovers definitive proof of a Jewish Masonic elitist goal to establish dictatorial Illuministic Communism and to enslave all of mankind under the thumb of a Jewish master race led by a world messiah of Jewish ancestry who is to rule from Jerusalem. This is not an anti-semitic stance but rather one that differentiates between Godly Jews from the line of Abraham and those Jews whose apostasy has caused them to be an integral part of a major demonic plan.

The New World Order plan is historically known to have begun its implementation with Albert Pike in his monumental Freemasonry teaching guide entitled, "Morals And Dogma of the Ancient And Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry".¹¹³ Pike was the Grand Commander of North American Freemasonry from 1859-1891 and was an extremely gifted intellectual.

- He was a certified genius
- He spoke 16 languages fluently
- He graduated from Harvard University
- He achieved rank of Brigadier General of Confederate Army in Civil War
- He was thoroughly familiar with the Jewish occult system known as the Cabala

During his tenure, Pike caught a global vision of what Freemasonry could achieve, and so he turned his immense intellect toward achieving this vision. Consequently, he received a demonic vision, described below. On January 22, 1870, Pike and one of his international co-conspirators, Guiseppe Mazzini, published the Plan which would establish the New World Order. This Plan was kept very secret, only within Freemasonry circles since the time of its inception, known only to fellow occult Illuminist conspirators.³³¹

The secret Pike plan to control the world foresaw the need for three world wars. Note the date of this prediction: January 22, 1870. This date is 44 years before the beginning of World War I. Once you understand the facts we are about to share with you and realize the length of time between this prediction and the beginning of its fulfillment, you can understand how supernatural forces were truly in command.

The Masonic plan to overthrow the Judeo-Christian-Islamic Old World Order, and establish the Satanic New World Order foresaw the need for war. However, this war was not the type of warfare the world had seen historically. This war was to be on a much larger scale than history had ever recorded. This war was to be global, or world-wide.



The details of this Pike Plan {January 22, 1870} for three World Wars to establish the New World Order is as follows: (As you are reading this demonic prophecy, remember the occultic concept of Thesis battling Antithesis to produce the new system, Synthesis. World Wars I & II were fought to establish Antithesis, to set up the Cold War, that "controlled conflict or threat of conflict" that would produce the new system, Synthesis).

I. The First World War was designed to enable the Czarist Government in Russia to be finally and completely overthrown. The new Russian government was foreseen to be atheistic and militaristic. Further, Pike specified that this new Russian Government was to be Communistic. Karl Marx had published his Communist Manifesto in 1848, exactly 22 years before this occultic prophecy through Albert Pike. Isn't it interesting that the occultic number 22 keeps popping up? The multiplier numbers, 44 and 66 also keep appearing, as you will see in a few moments. History records that this First World War did, indeed, occur just as listed, above. The Western powers in Europe, in conjunction with the United States, financed Lenin's expedition into Russia, they financed his government consistently, and we have financed Russian Communism at least once per decade since then.

II. The Second World War was foreseen to originate between Great Britain and Germany. However, one of the planned results of this war was to strengthen the new Communist Russian government, so that it could weaken and destroy other governments and religions. History again records that the Second World War did, indeed, accomplish this objective. The war started when Germany invaded Poland, causing Great Britain to declare war on Germany. Very soon, the troika (3's) of powers were set up to wage this war. The Black Magic occultists allied themselves when Germany linked with Italy and Japan; the White Magic occultists allied themselves together as Great Britain linked with the United States and Russia. Do not be deceived.

This war was fought between two New World Order forces, the "evil" alliance of the Axis Powers or the "good" alliance of the Allied Powers; the war was between the Black Magic forces against the White Magic forces. But, we shall return to this subject in more depth at a later time. Certainly, the Pike vision of the Second World War building Russian Communism into a super power was fulfilled to a startling degree. Historians have always been mystified as to how Churchill and Roosevelt could have given away all of Eastern Europe to the Soviets, when the preponderance of power was clearly against the Soviets. Clearly, when Roosevelt and Churchill ceded all of Eastern Europe to Russia, the Communist Government of Russia, now known as the U.S.S.R. {Union of Soviet Socialist Republics} completed its transition to a super power, exactly as Pike's vision had foretold. And, let us not forget that the Second World War had given Russia capabilities it had not possessed before the War. Not only did we build up the Russian military to a frightful degree, but we had also built entire factories East of Moscow that gave Russia an instant manufacturing base. Even though Russia had paid dearly in human lives during the War, they came out of the conflict a superpower. Thanks to Roosevelt, Russia now had a kingdom to go along with its new military and industrial base.

III. The Third World War was foreseen to be between Judaism and Islam. This prophecy is incredible in many ways, beginning with the understanding that this prophecy of a third world war occurred in 1870, a time when Israel did not exist as a nation, and when no one except Fundamentalist, Bible-believing Christians believed it would ever exist again. The demonic 'guiding spirits' of Freemasonry, and of the leaders of the New World Order Plan, are planning a final, definitive Third World War, which will begin between Israel and her Arab neighbors and spread to the entire world.

Now, here is the most interesting aspect of this demonic plan; it fits with Scripture!! God foretold Last Day's Judgment on the Arabs in several places, listed below!

In Obadiah, God foretells the destruction of the House of Esau, particularly the people of Edom, in the Last Days. God is promising this deliverance for the way in which these Arabs treated His chosen People. While severe judgment did fall upon the nation of Edom in 70 A.D., they were not wiped out as a people, nor was the destruction at the hands of Israel, as Verse 18 foretells, nor was it the fulfillment of the final days' judgment, which the Bible consistently labels the "Day Of The Lord" {Verse 15}

Joel 2:18-3:21, God foretells tremendous judgment of all nations in the world, starting with the Arabs, beginning when God "reverses the captivity" and "restores the fortunes" of Israel, a date we know as May 14, 1948. Read this passage carefully, and you will see the hand of God foretelling judgment swirling all around Israel after she is restored to her land. Joel 2:30-31 seem to foretell nuclear war at this time.

While Israel will escape physical destruction by the miraculous power of God, she will be in so much danger that God Himself will supernaturally protect her. In Daniel 12:1, we see that, in the time of the End, Israel will be in such danger that "Michael shall arise to defend your [Daniel's] people [Israel]."

Therefore, we can place great emphasis and credibility in this demonic vision of the Third World War. Out of the smoke and destruction of this War, Antichrist will stride triumphantly, to put an end to the War, to finally give the embattled world "Peace and Safety". But, as 1 Thessalonians 5:1-4 foretells, when people are saying this, the world will explode in destruction.

The current events in Israel, where she is giving up "land for peace" makes no sense any other way. Israel's leaders, some of whom are former generals in the Army, have lent their support to this idiotic plan. Militarily, this plan is a disaster, for it allows the Arabs a permanent home so deep within Israel that the military might not be able to successfully defend Israel if the attack comes from within the Palestinian State.



The Jewish Orthodox community is overwhelmingly of the opinion that this "Peace Plan" is a recipe for war, not peace. They are right; that is the plan. Why, you ask, are so many Israeli leaders, who should know better, creating and supporting this plan of giving the Palestinians a state, and giving up the Golan Heights? There are three reasons:

1. They are Humanists, and therefore, are capable of being deceived by Satan
2. They have been given "concrete" assurances by the Western Powers that their security will be "guaranteed" if they agree to this plan.
3. Many of them are Freemasons and follow the Talmud and Jewish Cabala

Isaiah alludes to these covenants by the leaders of Israel as covenants with death. In Isaiah 28:18

"And your covenant with death shall be disannulled., and your agreement with hell shall not stand; when the overflowing scourge shall pass through, then ye shall be trodden down by it."

5. CONTROL OF JERUSALEM AND KING SOLOMONS TEMPLE

In the classic treatise of the Masons, "Morals and Dogma", authored by the late Sovereign Grand Commander of the Scottish Rite, Albert Pike,¹¹³ we discover the revelation that the Jewish cabala is the very basis of Masonic practice and ritual and that the cabalistic "Theology of the Sephiroth" is at the root of all Masonic knowledge. This, admits Pike, is "high magic," the "Sacerdotal Art," and the "Royal Art."

In "Morals and Dogma" Albert Pike also details a specific Masonic agenda to blow up and to utterly destroy and remove from the Temple mount both the Islamic Mosque of Omar and the Golden-domed structure known as the "Dome of the Rock" despised by Orthodox Jewish rabbis and the secularist Masonic Illuminists alike. It is planned that these two Islamic religious edifices will be brought down by Israeli defense forces possibly by missiles, sapper bombs, laser bursts, or other means. Naturally, this atrocity will be planned in the chaotic midst of an ongoing war, and the disaster will be scandalously blamed on the Arabs. It will be said that an errant Arab missile or bomb is responsible. The end goal is to clear the Dome of the Rock and make space for the establishment of Solomon's Temple.

"Of all the objects which constitute the Masonic science of symbolism, the most important, the most cherished, by the Mason, and by far the most significant, is the Temple of Jerusalem. The spiritualizing of the Temple is the first, the most prominent and the most pervading, of all symbols of Freemasonry ... Take from Freemasonry its dependence on the Temple; leave out of its ritual all references to that sacred edifice, and to the legends and traditions connected with it, and the system itself would at once decay and die ... " ¹¹⁴

Therefore, the first understanding to grasp is that Freemasonry is absolutely, completely, 100% devoted to the Solomon Temple, without which the entire structure and foundation of Freemasonry would die! Thus does Masonry stand in stark contrast to genuine, Biblical Christianity. In other words, Freemasonry is rooted at its deepest foundation to the First Covenant of the Old Testament, while Biblical Christianity is rooted to the Second Covenant of Jesus Christ as delineated in the New Testament. In the Masonic Bible, the author of the Foreword sheds some further light upon the importance of Solomon's Temple to Freemasonry.

"The traditions and romance of King Solomon's Temple are of great interest to everyone who reads the Bible. They are of transcendent importance to Masons. The Temple is the outstanding symbol in Masonry, and the legendary story of the building of the Temple is the fundamental basis of the Masonic rule and guide for conduct in life ... The cream of Masonic historical and philosophical writing has been drawn upon for his description of the Temple and its relation to Masonic ritual." ¹¹⁵

Then shall come a prophesied Masonic Temple of All Religions to be built on the very spot from where the debris and ashes of the Moslem structures will be bulldozed off and cleared. Through its golden portals shall pass the New Zionist Messiah, King of Planet Earth. Before its evil altar he shall announce to all the world, via television, that their Universal Savior has finally come, a man knowledgeable of "the Holy Kabbalah, the exclusive heritage of the people of Israel."

The pretext for the First Crusade—recovery of the Temple treasures and sacred sites—concealed the real motive of the Merovingians, which was to rebuild the ancient Temple of Solomon. In the Chapter “Knight Kadosh” of *Morals and Dogma*, Albert Pike wrote of the Crusader Knights of the Temple:

"In 1118, nine Knights Crusaders in the East, among whom were Geoffroi de Saint-Omer and Hugues de Payens, consecrated themselves to religion, and took an oath between the hands of the Patriarch of Constantinople, a See always secretly or openly hostile to that of Rome from the time of Photius. The avowed objective of the Templars was to protect the Christians who came to visit the Holy Places: their secret object was the re-building of the Temple of Solomon on the model prophesied by Ezekiel." ¹¹³

"This re-building, formally predicted by the Judaizing Mystics of the earlier ages, had become the secret dream of the Patriarchs of the Orient. The Temple of Solomon, re-built and consecrated to the Catholic worship would become, in effect, the Metropolis of the Universe; the East would prevail over the West, and the Patriarchs of Constantinople would possess themselves of the Papal power." ¹¹³

"The Templars, or Poor Fellow-Soldiery of the Holy House of the Temple intended to be rebuilt, took as their models, in the Bible, the Warrior-Masons of Zorobabel, who worked, holding the sword in one hand and the trowel in the other. Therefore it was that the Sword and the Trowel were the insignia of the Templars, who subsequently, as will be seen, concealed themselves under the name of Brethren Masons. [This name, Freres Macons in the French, adopted by way of secret reference to the Builders of the Second Temple, was corrupted in English into Free-Masons, as Pythagore de Crotona was into Peter Gower of Groton in England. Khairum or Khur-um, (a name mis-rendered into Hiram) from an artificer in brass and other metals, became the Chief Builder of the Haikal Kadosh, the Holy House, of the Temple,... and the words Bonai and Banaim yet appear in the Masonic Degrees, meaning Builder and Builders.)" ¹¹³

"The trowel of the Templars is quadruple, and the triangular plates of it are arranged in the form of a cross, making the Kabalistic pantacle known by the name of the Cross of the East. The Knight of the East, and the Knight of the East and West, have in their titles secret allusions of whom they were at first the successors." ¹¹³

The rise of Masons to political power in Israel dates back to 1948 and to Israel's founding as a modern-day nation. David Ben-Gurion, its first Prime Minister, was both a Mason and an avowed Marxist-Leninist and Communist. Since that time, every single Prime Minister has been a high-level Mason, including Golda Meier, who was a member of the women's organization, the Co-Masons.

In *The Jerusalem Post* (November 1994) was an advertisement placed by "The Grand Lodge of the State of Israel." The display ad was addressed "To the Masons of Peace," and listed: "The Honorable Yitzak Rabin, Prime Minister of Israel," "His Majesty, King Hussein of Jordan," and "The Honorable Bill Clinton, President of the United States." The ad closed with these fascinating words:

"With warm fraternal congratulations on the signing of the peace agreement between Israel and Jordan." Signed - Ephraim Fuchs, President of the Israel Order of Masons."

In 1993 in Jerusalem, a celebration of political Masons was held. According to the respected Italian newspaper *La Repubblica* (October 1993), in an article entitled, "Israel: There is a Pact Between Politicians and Masons," the ceremony was attended by the Mayor of Jerusalem, Teddy Kollek, as well as by the Ashkenazi Chief Rabbi, Israel Meier Lau. Kollek told the gathered Masons, "*You do a great honor to Jerusalem.*" This is natural, considering that King Solomon was the great builder of the temple, which is at the roots of the Masonic idea."

At that same ceremony, sponsored by the "Grand Lodge of the State of Israel," Rabbi Lau stated that, *"The principles of Freemasonry are all contained in the Book of Books of the Jewish people."*

Former Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu has publicly stated (see the Israeli publication Shishi, Spring 1994) that he was initiated into the Masonic Lodge while in the United States. The La Republica newspaper stated that Prime Minister Yitzak Rabin was active in Masonry and estimated there are 4,000 Israeli Freemasons, divided into 76 lodges. Most Israeli judges and religious figures are Masons. Rothschild-supported Hebrew University in Israel has erected an Egyptian obelisk, symbol of Freemasonry, in its courtyard, and inside the new Israeli Supreme Court building is a law library architecturally designed in the shape of an Egyptian pyramid.



Once you understand that Middle Eastern events are being driven by this fervent Masonic desire to rebuild Solomon's Temple on the Temple Mount in Jerusalem, then you will be able to make sense of what is occurring over there today. To finally realize this dream, control of Jerusalem generally, and of the Temple Mount, especially, must pass from Israeli control; but it must not pass to Arab control. Rather, control of Jerusalem must pass to the Illuminized International Community. Once you understand this it then changes your whole perception on understanding who the antichrist is.

The Masonic "preoccupation" with Jerusalem is pulling all the nations of the world together against Jerusalem. Literally, out of the smoke, devastation, and terror of the planned World War III, The apostate Christ shall come striding, just as Peter Lemesurier indicated in his book, "The Armageddon Script".¹¹⁶ Islam and Arabs need to understand that they are targeted for extinction, as their strongly monotheistic religion is not compatible with the coming world government philosophy of governance.

In the masonic hallmark "Morals and Dogma", Grandmaster Free Mason of the Scottish Rite, Albert Pike defines the New World Order as emerging after an apocalyptic World War III which will see a major clash between the forces of Islam and the Zionist West. It is likely that such a war will be triggered or influenced by an attempt whether successful or unsuccessful to remove the Muslim Dome of the Rock and the Al Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem.

It has long been known that the Jesuit Order has been planning to accomplish a feat through a number of secret covert masonic zionist intelligence agencies such as Mossad. The Jesuit Order is closely integrated with the masonic lodges and both are fully aware that Solomon's Temple could never be built without significant hostility from the Muslim world should the Dome of the Rock still exist whilst trying to build the Jewish third temple only a matter of a few hundred yards away.

Unfortunately many bible prophecy scholars have showed tremendous excitement at seeing any evidence of the rebuilding of the Jewish Temple because this is a significant prophetic requirement to fulfil Daniel 9:27 which indicates that the Levitical priesthood and temple sacrifices will commence. However many do not realise that there is a parallel objective here and neither do they distinguish between "Torah" following Jews and "Apostate Jews" who follow the Kabbala, Babylonian Talmud and who fulfil Isaiah 28:18.

The rebuilding of Solomon's Temple ties into the several references that the Bible makes to a future event called the "abomination of desolation" in which it is likely that the conservative Jews (who follow the Torah) will have their role stripped as the masonic apostate Jews and the global elite (who follow the Talmud) will seize full control in which their own world leader dictator and false messiah will be revealed.

"... In all the rich symbolism of Ancient Craft Masonry two symbols, or symbolic themes, predominate. One is the search for light; the other is the labor of building. The source of light is the Holy Bible, and the grand representation of the builder's art is King Solomon's Temple It was natural that imaginative stone Masons, long before the development of anything like our modern fraternity, should have felt a kinship with the great builders of all ages. It was natural also that they should have acknowledge a peculiar attraction for the most famous and glorious of all building enterprises, King Solomon's Temple and Citadel. Interest and attraction for the wonderful structure on Mt. Moriah have increased rather than diminished ... until today the Temple of Solomon is the spiritual home of every Mason." [Masonic Holy Bible, Temple Illustrated Edition, A.J. Holman Co., 1968, p. 11-14]



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6. NOAHIDE WORLD GOVERNMENT REGULATION

The Jews have an oral version of the Torah called the Tenach, or which some call the Talmud, but the Talmud a minority of real Jews are familiar with, is not the Talmud being used today. The Babylonian Talmud has taken precedence since 1905 and is a blasphemous version steeped in idolatry. In fact every Jew today is taught through this particular Talmud. It refers to Jesus as an idol, and His worshippers as idolaters.

The books of the Talmud are based on the teachings of the Pharisees³. To understand why Jesus held such contempt towards this ancient sect of elitists, Christians must have some knowledge of the books of the Talmud—a set of 63 books written by ancient rabbis. These books contain the legal code which is the basis of today's Judaism and Jewish law. In fact, Talmudic Judaism is primarily a legal system in a literal sense. It has little to do with religion. It is more of an ancient political cult group with many followers who are not openly Jewish. This is why so many Jews openly claim to be Jewish and atheist at the same time. The Talmud originated from the ancient Cabal occult and Pharisee sects. Jesus told them they were the Synagogue of Satan.¹²⁵ Every Zionist today clings to what they think are the secret teachings of the Talmud. Today the majority of Jews in Israel are practitioners of Pharisaic law—Talmudic law—which is the enemy of truth, Jesus, and God. There seems to be a great divide amongst the Jews. Those who worship the true God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, and those who completely rebel and have always caused the nation to fall into idolatry and sin.

The Jewish Encyclopedia envisages a Noahide regime as a possible world order immediately preceding the universal reign of the Talmud.¹²² It has to be understood that we are not dealing with the Noah of the Bible when the religion of Judaism refers to "Noahide law," but the Noahide law as understood and interpreted by the absolute system of falsification that constitutes the Talmud. Under the Talmud's counterfeit Noahide Laws, the worship of Jesus is forbidden under penalty of death, since such worship of Christ is condemned by Judaism as idolatry. Meanwhile various forms of incest are permitted under the Talmudic understanding of the Noahide code.¹¹⁸

Peter Lemusier makes it quite clear in his book, *The Armageddon Script*, that the Antichrist will have to fulfill all the Old Testament prophecies concerning the appearance of Messiah if he has any hope of deceiving Orthodox Jews. The main point to be grasped is that this False Messiah will claim to be Jewish, and an orthodox Jew at that. He will uphold the ancient Judaic Law and the Talmud.¹¹⁶

Christian newsletter, "Don Bell Reports", December 27, 1991, reported that, on March 20, 1991 President Bush signed into law a Congressional Joint Resolution entitled, "A Joint Resolution To Designate March 26, 1991, As Education Day, USA". This joint resolution became Public Law 102-14. The title seems so innocuous that no one would think twice about it if they happened to just see it; however, this law is very sinister in its implications. It is typical of the New World Order Planners to devise innocent sounding words, phrases, and titles to mask their true intentions.

Public Law 102-14 states emphatically that all civilization from the beginning has been based upon a set of laws entitled "The Seven Noahide Laws". These seven supposed universal laws, according to

the Encyclopaedia Americana, p. 737, state that they are "a Jewish Talmudic designation for seven biblical laws given to Adam and to Noah before the revelation to Moses on Mt. Sinai and consequently, binding upon all mankind." Don Bell correctly reports that these laws originated from the mystic (and Satanic) Babylonian Talmud, which no Christian has ever accepted as inspired sacred Scripture. In fact, the Talmud is that collection of man-made interpretations of the Pentateuch (Genesis through Deuteronomy) against which Jesus railed so intensely. The Talmud was taught as being equal with God's inspired Word, even though the practical effect of its teachings were so often the exact opposite of what God had intended.



However, the Encyclopaedia Americana continues its explanation of the Noahide Laws,

"Throughout the ages, scholars have viewed the Noahide Laws as a link between Judaism and Christianity, as universal norms of ethical conduct, as a basic concept of international law, or as a guarantee of fundamental human rights for all."

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Public Law 102-14 sets the foundation for American and United Nations Law to be established in such a way as to uphold these Seven Noahide Laws. These seven laws are a counterfeit of the Ten Commandments, and are promoted by the Neo-Pharisee occult group, the Lubavitchers. Don Bell further states that the Lubavitchers are a "Mystic" group, thus signifying that they teach the Cabal as well as the Talmud. This revelation ties them directly into the secret societies of today which are powering the drive into the New World Order, i.e., the Illuminati, the Freemasons, and the Bilderberger Group, just to name a few. Thus, it would seem natural that these secret societies would look favorably upon a mystic Jewish group, which has its active roots in the ancient Cabal, a group which is a soul-mate to today's secret societies.

When the Jew studies the Talmud, he is actually repeating arguments used in the Palestinian academies. In other words, the Talmudic Lubavitchers are reborn Pharisees. Many Pharisees belonged to the Jewish occult group, the Cabal. The Jewish Cabal form a most important foundational building block upon which the entire New World Order movement is based. Once you understand that the Pharisee's of Jesus' day were involved in a satanic secret society, you can understand how they could hate him so much despite the miraculous proof of his ministry. Many viewed his supernatural miracles were accomplished because he was an Adept in the Egyptian Mysteries thinking he could therefore access the power of the occult.

7. THE CLUB OF ROME MODEL

Whilst writing in her book, "The Externalisation of the Hierarchy", in November, 1939 – Alice Bailey's Guiding Spirit supposedly began to address to her the 'Economic Problem'.

"There are adequate resources for the sustenance of human life, and these science can increase and develop... Man is the controller of it all, and they belong to everyone and are the property of no one group, nation, or race. It is solely due to man's selfishness that...thousands are starving whilst food is rotting or destroyed; it is solely due to the grasping schemes and the financial injustices of man's making that the resources of the planet are not universally available under some wise system of distribution." ²³⁰

In 1981, New Age leader Jeremy Rifkin proposed a new level of wealth redistribution in a book entitled, "Entropy: A New World View".²³¹ In this book, Rifkin argues that the world is using too many resources to create too many material things. Even though the New Age believes no energy is ever lost, that it is merely converted from one form of energy into another, Rifkin is proposing that when the energy is used the first time, it is weakened so that its subsequent use is less effective than its original use. Rifkin explains his view. "A human being, a skyscraper, an automobile, and a blade of grass all represent energy ...transformed from one state to another...the energy they embody doesn't disappear. It is merely transferred back somewhere else into the environment."

However, Rifkin says that this transferred energy is weakened each time it is transferred, so that, finally, it is "no longer capable of conversion into work...Energy can only be transferred to a dissipated state." Therefore, Rifkin believes the world is currently producing too many material things that originally use too many resources. If the world is not to soon find itself in a position of running out of usable energy, Rifkin proposes that we must change our lifestyle dramatically. We must move into a State run economy that would regulate the production of all material things so the world will not run out of usable energy. This lifestyle is called "Low Entropy". This change, says Rifkin, will require a radical "new world view", and he urges *draconian measures* to achieve this new thinking. He says,

"The radical change in world view required to make this transition will have to be accomplished overnight. There will be no time for polite debate, subtle compromise, or monetary equivocation. To succeed will require a zealous determination, a militancy, if you will, of Herculean proportions." (Ibid, p.186, Emphasis added) ²³¹

"Avatars [World Teachers, like Antichrist will be] frequently create crises in order to bring an end to the old and the undesirable and make way for new and more suitable forms for the evolving life of God Immanent in Nature." ²³¹

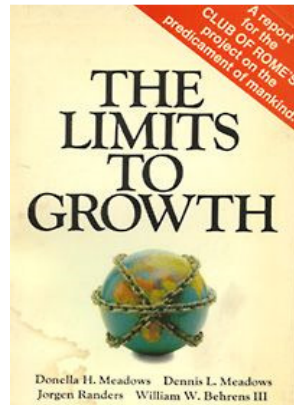
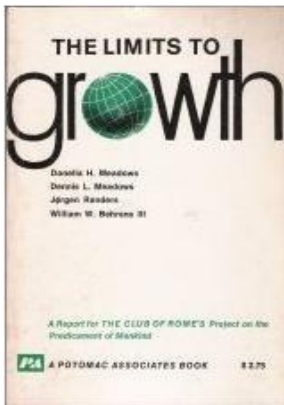
"Today, in the midst of this devastated, chaotic, and unhappy world, mankind has a fresh opportunity to reject selfish, materialistic living and to begin to tread the Lighted Way. The moment that humanity shows its willingness to do this, then the Christ will come ...Before Christ could come with his disciples, **our present civilization had to die.**" ["**Reappearance of the Christ**", by Foster Bailey, p. 21-23] ²³²

The key statement? They "frequently create crises in order to bring an end to the old and the undesirable".

This is the ultimate goal of the Illuminati as they attempt to use "silent weapons" of which we have no idea even exist in order to gradually destroy our entire way of life, paving the way for an agricultural society like that which existed 300 years ago. This thus leads us to the Club of Rome one of the secret deadly weapons being used to bring about this change.

The Club of Rome is a global think tank that deals with a variety of international political issues. It was founded in April 1968 and raised considerable public attention 1972 with its report Limits to Growth.¹²⁷ The Club is composed of "scientists, economists, businessmen, international high civil servants, heads of state and former heads of state from all five continents who are convinced that the future of humankind is not determined once and for all and that each human being can contribute to the improvement of our societies. The Club of Rome consists of members of the so-called Black Nobility of Europe, old families which lived in Venice and Genoa. These people have ruled vast financial empires for the past fifteen hundred years. They are called the 'Black' nobility because of their constant use of dirty tricks, terrorism and unethical methods which they never hesitate to use against anyone who would dare to stand in their way. These people are very closely allied to the "German Marshall Fund" which organizes and finances most of the work of the Club of Rome.

As of August 2008, the Club has two Co-Presidents, Dr. Ashok Khosla of India and Dr. Eberhard von Koerber of Germany, and two Vice-Presidents, Professor Heitor Gurgulino de Souza of Brazil and Dr. Anders Wijkman of Sweden. Other active members include: Benjamin Bassin, Queen Beatrix of the Netherlands, Juan Luis Cebrian, Orio Giarini, Talal Halman, Fernando Henrique Cardoso, Javier Solana,
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Limits to Growth is a 1972 book modeling the consequences of a rapidly growing world population and finite resource supplies, commissioned by the Club of Rome. The book used the World3 model to simulate the consequence of interactions between the Earth's and human systems. Five variables were examined in the original model, on the assumption that exponential growth accurately described their patterns of increase. These variables are: world

population, industrialization, pollution, food production and resource depletion. The authors intended to explore the possibility of a sustainable feedback pattern achieved by altering growth trends.

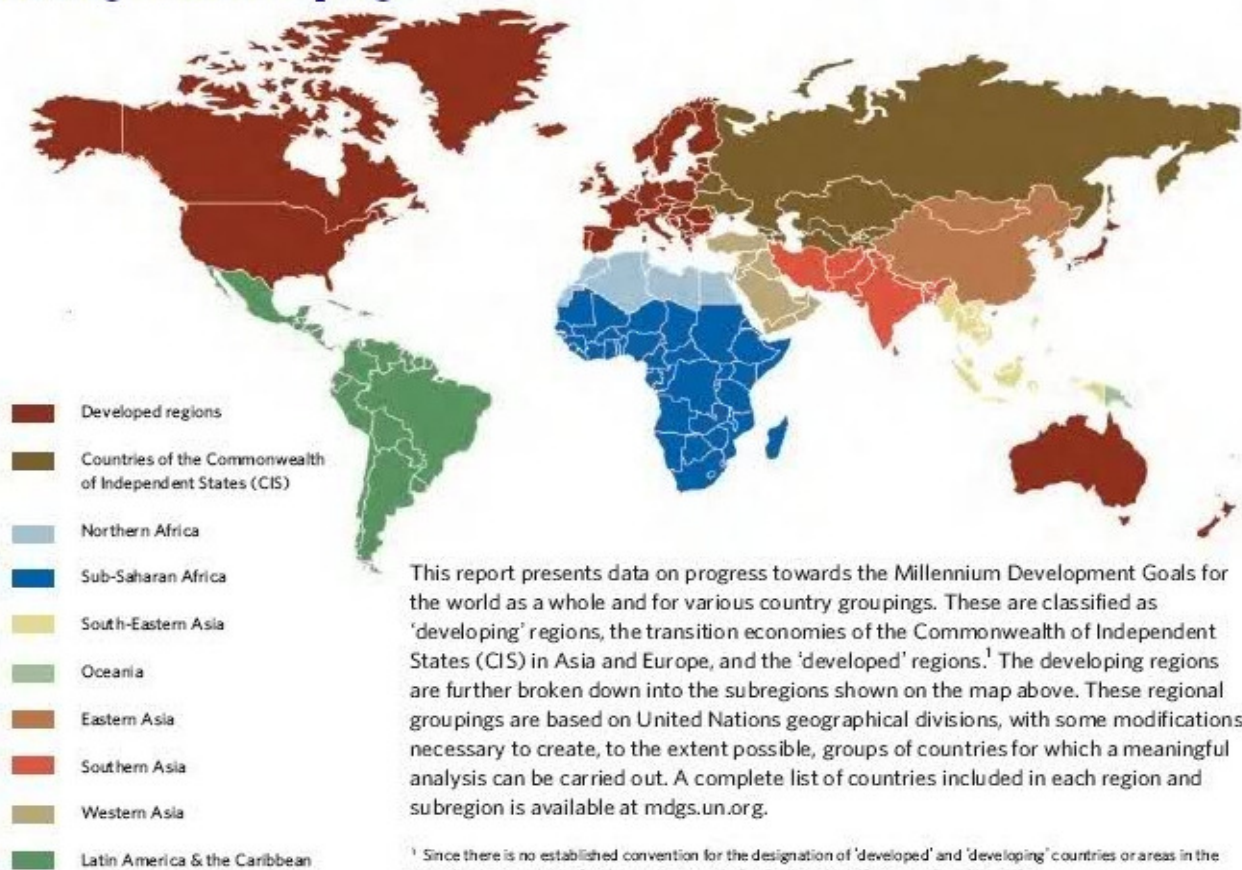
In 2000, Prince Hassan of Jordan was chosen to be the head of the Club of Rome. He was appointed "under the patronage of King Juan Carlos and Queen Sofia of Spain" in 2000, replacing another spaniard, Ricardo Diez-Hochleitner, who remains in a position of leadership with the advocacy think tank organization. Prince Hassan is the member of the House Hashem, an ancient royal family dating back to the early days of Islam's founding. The Hashemite dynasty is a partner of the Black Nobility - an inner circle of ancient royal families having strong connections with globalists such as Maurice Strong, NGOs such as the Lucis Trust, the Trilateral Commission, etc. The late King Hussein was a

Bilderberger Group attendee in the 1990s. The centuries-long strife between the Shia muslims and the Sunni muslims has been the result of a split between the Hashem clan and the Umayyad clan in the 7th and 8th centuries.

The Hashemite dynasty is simply indifferent to Islam, using its religion as a cover to keep themselves in power and ruling Jordan. This is the reason why the Hashemites were selected by the British and French elite and Zionists in the formation of the new Middle East after World War I. The Hashemite dynasty also have strong oil connections with the Rockefeller-owned Standard Oil Trust and the Anglo-Persian Oil Co. that later became BP, so it is reasonable for the Hashem clan to have the sole controls of the oil pipelines coursing through Jordan to Israel, Turkey, Egypt and beyond.

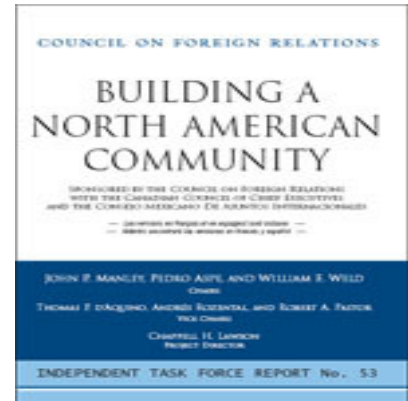
It was purported that the Club of Rome has devised a secret agenda to transition the globe into an aggregation of ten world regions which will be based on the concept of sustainable development and the same concepts referenced in relation to Prince Charles. That is, provisions will be made to investigate any individual country or sub region in the context of regional global development. The model has been developed up to the stage where it can be used for policy analysis related to a number of critical issues such as: energy resources utilization and technology assessment; food demand and production; population growth and the affect of timing of birth control programs; reduction of inequities in regional economic developments; depletion dynamics of certain resources, particularly oil reserves; phosphorus use as fertilizer; regional unemployment; constraints on growth due to labor, energy export limitation.

10 Regional Groupings



According to the Club of Rome model the world is to be divided into ten regions as illustrated above as is a major premise of the report Regionalized and Adaptive Model of the Global World System.¹²⁸ *The idea is now coming to life in the United Nations as regions begin to form economic blocks loosely modeled after the European Union.* Since the time of this map, Mexico has been added to the North American region (1) as part of the coming creation of the controversial American Union and Israel is supposed to be aligned with region number (4).

The North American Union is a proposed international government encompassing the nations of Canada, the United States, and Mexico. It could be considered the North American analogue of the European Union. The blueprint for this governing body was laid out in a 2005 report entitled *"Building a North American Community"* published by the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR), an American foreign policy think tank, with input from the Canadian Council of Chief Executives and the Consejo Mexicano de Asuntos Internacionales.¹⁸³ The projected date for accomplishing this transformation is the year 2010



In addition to the European Union and the North American Union; Other regional blocs in the making are:

- African Union
- South American Community of Nations
- Arab League
- Eastern European Union
- The Asian Blocs

The Arab League or League of Arab States, is an organization of Arab states The League's charter states that the League shall co-ordinate economic affairs, including commercial relations; communications; cultural affairs; nationality, passports, and visas; social affairs; and health affairs. The Charter of the Arab League also forbids member states from resorting to force against each other. Neil Cooper of the Israel Report states,

Founded in March 1945, the League of Arab States (or Arab League) is a loose confederation of twenty-two Arab nations, including Palestine, whose broad mission is to improve coordination among its members on matters of common interest while preserving the sovereignty of its individual states. The League was chartered in response to concerns about postwar colonial divisions of territory as well as strong opposition to the emergence of a Jewish state in Palestine. But it has long been criticized for ineffectiveness, disunity, and poor governance. Critics also say it has traditionally been more representative of its various autocratic regimes than of Arab citizens.

In recent years, some have questioned the efficacy of the Arab League's ability to fulfill its mission and ensure better conditions for Arab countries as political repression and poverty are still rampant throughout the Arab world; some, even within the Arab world, have called for it to be disbanded.

Unrest across the Arab world in 2011 and a push for Palestinian statehood at the UN have presented the Arab League with fresh tests of relevance. Some critics see positive developments in the League's actions in Libya, where it supported a no-fly zone and the ouster of Muammar al-Qaddafi and in Syria, where it called for an end to the crackdown of Bashar al-Assad's regime. Shadi Hamid of the Brookings Institution says the Libya precedent shows the Arab League does have a role to play.

"Before that," he adds, "No one was really sure what its raison d'être was. Now there is a need for a collective body to address the various changes that are going on in the region."

Still others say the League's actions represent little more than a cynical gesture of public appeasement. The map of the Arab League is very telling. You will see it is very nearly identical to the map laid out by the Club of Rome shown above.



Interestingly Egypt is very much in the middle of the "Peace" talks with Israel, and as the regional leader of the Arab League, they are the mouthpiece for the One World Order in the Middle East. This is why Egypt, Jordan and the Palestinian leadership, all seem to get along so well at these "Peace" talks as they have a common agenda. The Arab Peace Initiative which has become better known as The Road Map pushed forward by the Bush Administration was floated by acting Saudi regent Crown Prince Abdullah as a potential solution to both the Israeli-Palestinian conflict and the Arab-Israeli conflict. It was published on March 28, 2002, during the meeting of the Arab League at the Beirut Summit, and achieved the unanimous consent of all members of the Arab League.

Considered a progressive proposal, it calls for the state of Israel to withdraw its forces from all the Occupied Territories, including the Golan Heights, to recognize "an independent Palestinian state with East Jerusalem as its capital" in the West Bank and Gaza Strip, as well as a "just solution" for the

Palestinian refugees. In exchange the Arab states affirmed that they would recognize the state of Israel, consider the Arab-Israeli conflict over and establish "normal relations" with Israel.

If we look at the policies of the Israeli Government, and the initiatives being pushed on Israel by the International Community as a whole, we see that this is exactly the path that is being taken today, regardless of the outcry from the public. The job that must be completed is to bring the Israelis into compliance with the plan through media, politics, and forced evacuations. The bigger and more difficult task is to bring a Muslim population brainwashed into living only to die; in the common goal of destroying Israel, to a place where they can accept Israel's existence and lay down arms against it. The Koran itself makes this a virtual impossibility, so there must be a tremendous cost extracted from the Islamic people in order to bring this change. That cost is to be extracted through war.¹²⁹

Development of the Asia Pacific Union has also begun in earnest. In December 2008, former Australian Prime Minister Kevin Rudd suggested that Asia and Pacific countries, including the region's heavyweights such as China, India and Japan, form a regional bloc similar to the European Union.

"The key thing is to enhance security and regional co-operation, which at present is fragmented,"¹⁸⁴

Rudd said in a radio interview in which he also presented the idea during an address to the Asia Society of Australasia.

He argued that an "Asia-Pacific Community" could be founded by 2020 as a forum for tackling climate change and terrorism, as well as settling territorial conflicts, such as over Kashmir, the Taiwan Straits and the Korean peninsula. Furthermore, it could serve as a trade platform to help exploit the benefits of the looming economic power of the region, which he thinks will be "at the centre of global affairs" throughout this century. He says,

"Put simply, global economic and strategic weight is shifting to Asia,"¹⁸⁴

Commenting on possible comparisons with the 27-strong European Union - which is set to enlarge further - Mr Rudd said that it does not serve as

"an identical model of what we would seek to develop in the Asia-Pacific, but what we can learn from Europe is this: It is necessary to take the first step," according to Radio Australia.¹⁸⁴

His suggestions come shortly after a similar process of regional integration has resulted in the creation of the Union of South American Nations (UNASUR), set up by a founding treaty. The new supranational and intergovernmental body has combined two previously existing customs unions – Mercosur and the Andean Community – with 12 participating countries, including Argentina, Brazil, Venezuela, Bolivia, Peru and Chile. Its institutional structure directly copies the EU model, with UNASUR's headquarters to be located in Quito, Ecuador, a South American parliament seated in Cochabamba, Bolivia, and a 'Bank of the South' to be situated in Bogota, Colombia.

Rudd was a long time supporter of global governance. In early 2009 he urged international leaders to end an era of “extreme capitalism” and reject the notion that “greed is good” by embracing a new world order of global financial regulation.

“We’ve seen the triumph of greed over integrity; the triumph of speculation over value creation; the triumph of the short term over long-term sustainable growth.....It is perhaps time now to admit that we did not learn the full lessons of the greed-is-good ideology. And today we are still cleaning up the mess of the 21st-century children of Gordon Gekko.”²³³

Mr Rudd said such ideologues always argued that the market knew best except when there was a crash and then “the self-same ideologues argue, having privatized their profits, we should socialize their losses - and, by the way, having demanded lower and lower taxes all the way through”.

A continental union is an inter-governmental, supra-national, or a federation of member states located in the same continent, or close to it. Continental unions are a relatively new type of political entity in the history of human government. Throughout most of human history, political organization has been at the local level (i.e. tribal, city state) and in more recent centuries, the sub-regional ("regional")/sub-continental level, however, starting with the advent of better transportation, weapons and communication there was for the first time the ability for a union of member states to organize at the continental level.

After the devastation of the first and second world wars in the middle of the 1900s Europe slowly evolved from its founding as the "Coal and Steel Community" to become a political union covering much of the European Continent (27 member states as of 2011). Seeking to follow in the foot steps of the European Union, in 2002 and 2008 the African Union and Union of South American Nations respectively, set down similar blueprints for integration into political and economic unions at the continental level.

Other unions as we have seen are purely economic unions only or political unions only however the concept of regionalization is something which we see at the heart of the Club of Rome model because through regionalization it is much more easier to pull all countries into a one world government where nations have given up all or parts of their sovereignty allowing the unions collective choice to represent all member nations of the union.

And what if a member nations decides to resist going along with the rest of the union. They then face significant economic disadvantages in terms of free trade and all the commercial benefits that come as part of the economic union with local countries. The new world order economic system is clearly designed to capture all nations through regionalization.

8. 2008 BANKING COLLAPSE ESCALATES WORLD GOVERNMENT FORMATION



Following the 2009 G20 summit, plans were announced for implementing the creation of a new global currency to replace the US dollar's role as the world reserve currency. Point 19 of the communiqué released by the G20 at the end of the Summit stated, "We have agreed to support a general SDR allocation which will inject \$250bn (£170bn) into the world economy and increase global liquidity." SDRs, or Special Drawing Rights, are "a synthetic paper currency issued by the International Monetary Fund." As the Telegraph reported, "the G20 leaders have activated the IMF's power to create money and begin global "quantitative easing". In doing so, they are putting a de facto world currency into play. It is outside the control of any sovereign body. Conspiracy theorists will love it."²⁵¹

The article continued in stating that, "There is now a world currency in waiting. In time, SDRs are likely to evolve into a parking place for the foreign holdings of central banks, led by the People's Bank of China." Further, "The creation of a Financial Stability Board looks like the first step towards a global financial regulator," or, in other words, a global central bank.

It is important to take a closer look at these "solutions" being proposed and implemented in the midst of the current global financial crisis. These are not new suggestions, as they have been in the plans of the global elite for a long time. However, in the midst of the current crisis, the elite have fast-tracked their agenda of forging a New World Order in finance. It is important to address the background to these proposed and imposed "solutions" and what effects they will have on the International Monetary System (IMS) and the global political economy as a whole.

A NEW BRETTON-WOODS

In October of 2008, Gordon Brown, Prime Minister of the UK, said that we "must have a new Bretton Woods - building a new international financial architecture for the years ahead." He continued in saying that, "we must now reform the international financial system around the agreed principles of transparency, integrity, responsibility, good housekeeping and co-operation across borders." An

article in the Telegraph reported that Gordon Brown would want “to see the IMF reformed to become a ‘global central bank’ closely monitoring the international economy and financial system.”²⁵²

On October 17, 2008, Prime Minister Gordon Brown wrote an op-ed in the Washington Post in which he said, “This week, European leaders came together to propose the guiding principles that we believe should underpin this new Bretton Woods: transparency, sound banking, responsibility, integrity *and global governance*. We agreed that urgent decisions implementing these principles should be made to root out the irresponsible and often undisclosed lending at the heart of our problems. To do this, we need cross-border supervision of financial institutions; *shared global standards for accounting and regulation*; a more responsible approach to executive remuneration that rewards hard work, effort and enterprise but not irresponsible risk-taking; and the *renewal of our international institutions* to make them effective early-warning systems for the world economy.”

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In early October 2008, it was reported that, “as the world's central bankers gather this week in Washington DC for an IMF-World Bank conference to discuss the crisis, the big question they face is whether it is time to establish a global economic “policeman” to ensure the crash of 2008 can never be repeated.” Further, “any organization with the power to police the global economy would have to include representatives of every major country – a United Nations of economic regulation.”

A former governor of the Bank of England suggested that, “the answer might already be staring us in the face, in the form of the Bank for International Settlements (BIS),” however, “The problem is that it has no teeth. The IMF tends to couch its warnings about economic problems in very diplomatic language, but the BIS is more independent and much better placed to deal with this if it is given the power to do so.”²⁵⁴

EMERGENCE OF REGIONAL CURRENCIES

On January 1, 1999, the European Union established the Euro as its regional currency. The Euro has grown in prominence over the past several years. However, it is not to be the only regional currency in the world. There are moves and calls for other regional currencies throughout the world.

In 2007, *Foreign Affairs*, the journal of the Council on Foreign Relations, ran an article titled, *The End of National Currency*, in which it began by discussing the volatility of international currency markets, and that very few “real” solutions have been proposed to address successive currency crises. The author poses the question, “will restoring lost sovereignty to governments put an end to financial instability?” He answers by stating that, “This is a dangerous misdiagnosis,” and that, “The right course is not to return to a mythical past of monetary sovereignty, with governments controlling local interest and exchange rates in blissful ignorance of the rest of the world. Governments must let go of the fatal notion that nationhood requires them to make and control the money used in their territory. National currencies and global markets simply do not mix; together they make a deadly brew of currency crises and geopolitical tension and create ready pretexts for damaging protectionism. In order to globalize safely, countries should abandon monetary nationalism and abolish unwanted currencies, the source of much of today's instability.”

The author explains that, “Monetary nationalism is simply incompatible with globalization. It has always been, even if this has only become apparent since the 1970s, when all the world's governments rendered their currencies intrinsically worthless.” The author states that, “Since economic development outside the process of globalization is no longer possible, countries should abandon monetary nationalism. Governments should replace national currencies with the dollar or the euro or, in the case of Asia, collaborate to produce a new multinational currency over a comparably large and economically diversified area.” Essentially, according to the author, the solution lies in regional currencies.²⁵⁵

In October of 2008, “European Central Bank council member Ewald Nowotny said a “tri-polar” global currency system is developing between Asia, Europe and the U.S. and that he's skeptical the U.S. dollar's centrality can be revived.”²⁵⁶

The Union of South American Nations

The Union of South American Nations (UNASUR) was established on May 23, 2008, with the headquarters to be in Ecuador, the South American Parliament to be in Bolivia, and the Bank of the South to be in Venezuela. As the BBC reported, “The leaders of 12 South American nations have formed a regional body aimed at boosting economic and political integration in the region,” and that, “The Unasur members are Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Guyana, Paraguay, Peru, Suriname, Uruguay and Venezuela.”²⁵⁷

The week following the announcement of the Union, it was reported that, “Brazilian President Luiz Inacio Lula da Silva said Monday that South American nations will seek a common currency as part of

the region's integration efforts following the creation of the Union of South American Nations.” He was quoted as saying, “We are proceeding so as, in the future, we have a common central bank and a common currency.”²⁵⁸

The Gulf Cooperation Council and a Regional Currency

In 2005, the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC), a regional trade bloc among Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates (UAE), announced the goal of creating a single common currency by 2010. It was reported that, “An economically united and efficient GCC is clearly a more interesting proposition for larger companies than each individual economy, especially given the impediments to trade evident within the region. This is why trade relations within the GCC have been a core focus of late.” Further, “The natural extension of this trend for increased integration is to introduce a common currency in order to further facilitate trade between the different countries.” It was announced that, “the region's central bankers had agreed to pursue monetary union in a similar fashion to the rules used in Europe.”²⁵⁹

In June of 2008, it was reported that, “Gulf Arab central bankers agreed to create the nucleus of a joint central bank next year in a major step forward for monetary union but signaled that a new common currency would not be in circulation by an agreed 2010 target.”²⁶⁰ In 2002, it was announced that the “Gulf states say they are seeking advice from the European Central Bank on their monetary union programme.” In February of 2008, Oman announced that it would not be joining the monetary union. In November of 2008, it was announced that the “Final monetary union draft says Gulf central bank will be independent from governments of member states.”²⁶¹

In March of 2009, it was reported that, “The GCC should not rush into forming a single currency as member states need to work out the framework for a regional central bank, Saudi Arabia's Central Bank Governor Muhammad Al Jasser.” Jasser was further quoted as saying, “It took the European Union 45 years to put together a single currency. We should not rush.” In 2008, with the global financial crisis, new problems were posed for the GCC initiative, as “Pressure mounted last year on the GCC members to drop their currency pegs as inflation accelerated above 10 per cent in five of the six countries. All of the member states except Kuwait peg their currencies to the dollar and tend to follow the US Federal Reserve when setting interest rates.”²⁶²

An Asian Monetary Union

In 1997, the Brookings Institution, a prominent American think tank, discussed the possibilities of an East Asian Monetary Union, stating that, “the question for the 21st century is whether analogous monetary blocs will form in East Asia (and, for that matter, in the Western Hemisphere). With the dollar, the yen, and the single European currency floating against one another, other small open economies will be tempted to link up to one of the three.” However, “the linkage will be possible only if accompanied by radical changes in institutional arrangements like those contemplated by the European Union. The spread of capital mobility and political democratization will make it

prohibitively difficult to peg exchange rates unilaterally. Pegging will require international cooperation, and effective cooperation will require measures akin to monetary unification.”²⁶³

In 2001, Asia Times Online wrote an article discussing a speech given by economist Robert A. Mundell at Bangkok's Chulalongkorn University, at which he stated that, “[t]he "Asean plus three" (the 10 members of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations plus China, Japan, and Korea) ‘should look to the European Union as a model for closer integration of monetary policy, trade and eventually, currency integration’.”²⁶⁴

On May 6, 2005, the website of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) announced that, “China, Japan, South Korea and the 10 members of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) have agreed to expand their network of bilateral currency swaps into what could become a virtual Asian Monetary Fund,” and that, “[f]inance officials of the 13 nations, who met in the sidelines of the Asian Development Bank (ADB) annual conference in Istanbul, appeared determined to turn their various bilateral agreements into some sort of multilateral accord, although none of the officials would directly call it an Asian Monetary Fund.”²⁶⁵

In August of 2005, the San Francisco Federal Reserve Bank published a report on the prospects of an East Asian Monetary Union, stating that East Asia satisfies the criteria for joining a monetary union, however, it states that compared to the European initiative, “The implication is that achieving any monetary arrangement, including a common currency, is much more difficult in East Asia.” It further states that, “In Europe, a monetary union was achievable primarily because it was part of the larger process of political integration,” however, “There is no apparent desire for political integration in East Asia, partly because of the great differences among those countries in terms of political systems, culture, and shared history. As a result of their own particular histories, East Asian countries remain particularly jealous of their sovereignty.”

Another major problem, as presented by the San Francisco Fed, is that, “East Asian governments appear much more suspicious of strong supranational institutions,” and thus, “in East Asia, sovereignty concerns have left governments reluctant to delegate significant authority to supranational bodies, at least so far.” It explains that as opposed to the steps taken to create a monetary union in Europe, “no broad free trade agreements have been achieved among the largest countries in the region, Japan, Korea, Taiwan, and China.” Another problem is that, “East Asia does not appear to have an obvious candidate for an internal anchor currency for a cooperative exchange rate arrangement. Most successful new currencies have been started on the back of an existing currency, establishing confidence in its convertibility, thus linking the old with the new.”

The report concludes that, “exchange rate stabilization and monetary integration are unlikely in the near term. Nevertheless, East Asia is integrating through trade, even without an emphasis on formal trade liberalization agreements,” and that, “there is evidence of growing financial cooperation in the region, including the development of regional arrangements for providing liquidity during crises through bilateral foreign exchange swaps, regional economic surveillance discussions, and the development of regional bond markets.” Ultimately, “East Asia might also proceed along the same

path [as Europe], first with loose agreements to stabilize currencies, followed later by tighter agreements, and culminating ultimately in adoption of a common anchor—and, after that, maybe an East Asia dollar.”²⁶⁶

In 2007, it was reported that, “Asia may need to establish its own monetary fund if it is to cope with future financial shocks similar to that which rocked the region 10 years ago,” and that, “Further Asian financial integration is the best antidote for Asian future financial crises.”²⁶⁷

In September of 2007, Forbes reported that, “An East Asian monetary union anchored by Japan is feasible but the region lacks the political will to do it, the Asian Development Bank said.” Pradumna Rana, an Asian Development Bank (ADB) economist, said that, “it appears feasible to establish a currency union in East Asia -- particularly among Indonesia, Japan, (South) Korea, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore and Thailand,” and that, “The economic potential for monetary integration in Asia is strong, even though the political underpinnings of such an accord are not yet in place.” Further, “the real integration at the trade levels 'will actually reinforce the economic case for monetary union in Asia, in a similar way that real-sector integration did so in Europe,” and ultimately, “the road to an Asian monetary union could proceed on a 'multi-track, multi-speed' basis with a seamless Asian free trade area the goal on the trade side.”²⁶⁸ In April of 2008, it was reported that, “ASEAN bank deputy governors and financial deputy ministers have met in Vietnam's central Da Nang city, discussing issues on the financial and monetary integration and cooperation in the region.”²⁶⁹

African Monetary Union

Currently, Africa has several different monetary union initiatives, as well as some existing monetary unions within the continent. One initiative is the “monetary union project of the Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS),” which is a “regional group of 15 countries in West Africa.” Among the members are those of an already-existing monetary union in the region, the West African Economic and Monetary Union (WAEMU). The ECOWAS consists of Benin, Burkina Faso, Cote d’Ivoire, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Mali, Niger, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Togo, Cape Verde, Liberia, Ghana, Gambia, and Nigeria.²⁷⁰

The African Union was founded in 2002, and is an intergovernmental organization consisting of 53 African states. In 2003, the Brookings Institution produced a paper on African economic integration. In it, the authors started by stating that, “Africa, like other regions of the world, is fixing its sights on creating a common currency. Already, there are projects for regional monetary unions, and the bidding process for an eventual African central bank is about to begin.” It states that, “A common currency was also an objective of the Organization for African Unity and the African Economic Community, the predecessors of the AU,” and further, that, “The 1991 Abuja Treaty establishing the African Economic Community outlines six stages for achieving a single monetary zone for Africa that were set to be completed by approximately 2028. In the early stages, regional cooperation and integration within Africa would be strengthened, and this could involve regional monetary unions. The final stage involves the establishment of the African Central Bank (ACB) and creation of a single African currency and an African Economic and Monetary Union.”

The paper further states that the African Central Bank (ACB) “would not be created until around 2020, [but] the bidding process for its location is likely to begin soon,” however, “there are plans for creating various regional monetary unions, which would presumably form building blocks for the single African central bank and currency.”²⁷¹

In August of 2008, “Governors of African Central Banks convened in Kigali Serena Hotel to discuss issues concerning the creation of three African Union (AU) financial institutions,” following “the AU resolution to form the African Monetary Fund (AMF), African Central Bank (ACB) and the African Investment Bank (AIB).” The central bank governors “agreed that when established, the ACB would solely issue and manage Africa's single currency and monetary authority of the continent's economy.”²⁷²

On March 2, 2009, it was reported that, “The African Union will sign a memorandum of understanding this month with Nigeria on the establishment of a continental central bank,” and that, “The institution will be based in the Nigerian capital, Abuja, African Union Commissioner for Economic Affairs Maxwell Mkwezalamba told reporters.” Further, “As an intermediate step to the creation of the bank, the pan- African body will establish an African Monetary Institute within the next three years, he said at a meeting of African economists in the city,” and he was quoted as saying, “We have agreed to work with the Association of African Central Bank Governors to set up a joint technical committee to look into the preparation of a joint strategy.”²⁷³

The website for the Kenyan Ministry of Foreign Affairs reported that, “The African Union Commissioner for Economic Affairs Dr. Maxwell Mkwezalamba has expressed optimism for the adoption of a common currency for Africa,” and that the main theme discussed at the AU Commission meeting in Kenya was, “Towards the Creation of a Single African Currency: Review of the Creation of a Single African Currency: Which optimal Approach to be adopted to accelerate the creation of the unique continental currency.”²⁷⁴

A North American Monetary Union and the Amero

In 1999, the Fraser Institute, a prominent and highly influential Canadian think tank, published a report written by Economics professor and former MP, Herbert Grubel, called, *The Case for the Amero: The Economics and Politics of a North American Monetary Union*. He wrote that, “The plan for a North American Monetary Union presented in this study is designed to include Canada, the United States, and Mexico,” and a “North American Central Bank, like the European Central Bank, will have a constitution making it responsible only for the maintenance of price stability and not for full employment.”²⁷⁵ He opined that, “sovereignty is not infinitely valuable. The merit of giving up some aspects of sovereignty should be determined by the gains brought by such a sacrifice,” and that, “It is important to note that in practice Canada has given up its economic sovereignty in many areas, the most important of which involve the World Trade Organization (formerly the GATT), the North American Free Trade Agreement,” as well as the International Monetary Fund and World Bank.²⁷⁶

Also in 1999, the C.D. Howe Institute, another of Canada’s most prominent think tanks, produced a

report titled, *From Fixing to Monetary Union: Options for North American Currency Integration*. In this document, it was written that, “The easiest way to broach the notion of a NAMU [North American Monetary Union] is to view it as the North American equivalent of the European Monetary Union (EMU) and, by extension, the euro.”²⁷⁷ It further stated that the fact that “a NAMU would mean the end of sovereignty in Canadian monetary policy is clear. Most obviously, it would mean abandoning a made-in-Canada inflation rate for a US or NAMU inflation rate.”²⁷⁸

In May of 2007, Canada’s then Governor of the Central Bank of Canada, David Dodge, said that, “North America could one day embrace a euro-style single currency,” and that, “Some proponents have dubbed the single North American currency the ‘amero’.” Answering questions following his speech, Dodge said that, “a single currency was ‘possible’.”²⁷⁹

In November of 2007, one of Canada’s richest billionaires, Stephen Jarislowsky, also a member of the board of the C.D. Howe Institute, told a Canadian Parliamentary committee that, “Canada should replace its dollar with a North American currency, or peg it to the U.S. greenback, to avoid the exchange rate shifts the loonie has experienced,” and that, “I think we have to really seriously start thinking of the model of a continental currency just like Europe.”²⁸⁰



Former Mexican President Vicente Fox, while appearing on *Larry King Live* in 2007, was asked a question regarding the possibility of a common currency for Latin

America, to which he responded by saying, “Long term, very long term. What we propose together, President Bush and myself, it's ALCA, which is a trade union for all of the Americas. And everything was running fluently until Hugo Chavez came. He decided to isolate himself. He decided to combat the idea and destroy the idea.” Larry King then asked, “It's going to be like the euro dollar, you mean?” to which Fox responded, “Well, that would be long, long term. I think the processes to go, first step into is trading agreement. And then further on, a new vision, like we are trying to do with NAFTA.”²⁸¹

In January of 2008, Herbert Grubel, the author who coined the term “amero” for the Fraser Institute report, wrote an article for the *Financial Post*, in which he recommends fixing the Canadian loonie to the US dollar at a fixed exchange rate, but that there are inherent problems with having the US Federal Reserve thus control Canadian interest rates. He then wrote that, “there is a solution to this lack of credibility. In Europe, it came through the creation of the euro and formal end of the ability of national central banks to set interest rates. The analogous creation of the amero is not possible without the unlikely co-operation of the United States. This leaves the credibility issue to be solved by the unilateral adoption of a currency board, which would ensure that international payments imbalances automatically lead to changes in Canada's money supply and interest rates until the

imbalances are ended, all without any actions by the Bank of Canada or influence by politicians. It would be desirable to create simultaneously the currency board and a New Canadian Dollar valued at par with the U.S. dollar. With longer-run competitiveness assured at US90¢ to the U.S. dollar.”²⁸²

In January of 2009, an online publication of the Wall Street Journal, called Market Watch, discussed the possibility of hyperinflation of the United States dollar, and then stated, regarding the possibility of an amero, “On its face, while difficult to imagine, it makes intuitive sense. The ability to combine Canadian natural resources, American ingenuity and cheap Mexican labor would allow North America to compete better on a global stage.” The author further states that, “If forward policy attempts to induce more debt rather than allowing savings and obligations to align, we must respect the potential for a system shock. We may need to let a two-tier currency gain traction if the dollar meaningfully debases from current levels,” and that, “If this dynamic plays out -- and I've got no insight that it will -- the global balance of powers would fragment into four primary regions: North America, Europe, Asia and the Middle East. In such a scenario, ramifications would manifest through social unrest and geopolitical conflict.”²⁸³

A GLOBAL CURRENCY

The Phoenix

In 1988, The Economist ran an article titled, Get Ready for the Phoenix, in which they wrote, “THIRTY years from now, Americans, Japanese, Europeans, and people in many other rich countries and some relatively poor ones will probably be paying for their shopping with the same currency. Prices will be quoted not in dollars, yen or D-marks but in, let's say, the phoenix. The phoenix will be favoured by companies and shoppers because it will be more convenient than today's national currencies, which by then will seem a quaint cause of much disruption to economic life in the late twentieth century.”

The article stated that, “The market crash [of 1987] taught [governments] that the pretence of policy cooperation can be worse than nothing, and that until real co-operation is feasible (ie, until governments surrender some economic sovereignty) further attempts to peg currencies will flounder.” Amazingly the article states that, “Several more big exchange-rate upsets, a few more stockmarket crashes and probably a slump or two will be needed before politicians are willing to face squarely up to that choice. This points to a muddled sequence of emergency followed by patch-up followed by emergency, stretching out far beyond 2018-except for two things. As time passes, the damage caused by currency instability is gradually going to mount; and the very trends that will make it mount are making the utopia of monetary union feasible.”

Further, the article stated that, “The phoenix zone would impose tight constraints on national governments. There would be no such thing, for instance, as a national monetary policy. The world phoenix supply would be fixed by a new central bank, descended perhaps from the IMF. The world inflation rate-and hence, within narrow margins, each national inflation rate-would be in its charge. Each country could use taxes and public spending to offset temporary falls in demand, but it would have to borrow rather than print money to finance its budget deficit.” The author admits that, “This

means a big loss of economic sovereignty, but the trends that make the phoenix so appealing are taking that sovereignty away in any case. Even in a world of more-or-less floating exchange rates, individual governments have seen their policy independence checked by an unfriendly outside world.”

The article concludes in stating that, “The phoenix would probably start as a cocktail of national currencies, just as the Special Drawing Right is today. In time, though, its value against national currencies would cease to matter, because people would choose it for its convenience and the stability of its purchasing power.” The last sentence states, “Pencil in the phoenix for around 2018, and welcome it when it comes.”²⁸⁴



Recommendations for a Global Currency

In 1998, the IMF Survey discussed a speech given by James Tobin, a prominent American economist, in which he argued that, “A single global currency might offer a viable alternative to the floating rate.” He further stated that, “there was still a great need” for “lenders of last resort.”²⁸⁵

In 1999, economist Judy Shelton addressed the US House of Representatives Committee on Banking and Financial Services. In her testimony, she stated that, “The continued expansion of free trade, the increased integration of financial markets and the advent of electronic commerce are all working to bring about the need for an international monetary standard---a global unit of account.” She further explained that, “Regional currency unions seem to be the next step in the evolution toward some kind of global monetary order. Europe has already adopted a single currency. Asia may organize into a regional currency bloc to offer protection against speculative assaults on the individual currencies of weaker nations. Numerous countries in Latin America are considering various monetary arrangements to insulate them from financial contagion and avoid the economic consequences of devaluation. An important question is whether this process of monetary evolution will be intelligently directed or whether it will simply be driven by events. In my opinion, political leadership can play a decisive role in helping to build a more orderly, rational monetary system than the current free-for-all approach to exchange rate relations.”

She further stated that, “As we have seen in Europe, the sequence of development is (1) you build a common market, and (2) you establish a common currency. Indeed, until you have a common currency, you don’t truly have an efficient common market.” She concludes by stating, “Ideally, every nation should stand willing to convert its currency at a fixed rate into a universal reserve asset. That would automatically create a global monetary union based on a common unit of account. The alternative path to a stable monetary order is to forge a common currency anchored to an asset of intrinsic value. While the current momentum for dollarization should be encouraged, especially for Mexico and Canada, in the end the stability of the global monetary order should not rest on any single nation.”²⁸⁶

Paul Volcker, former Governor of the Federal Reserve Board, stated in 2000, that, “If we are to have a truly global economy, a single world currency makes sense.” In a speech delivered by a member of the Executive Board of the European Central Bank, it was stated that Paul Volcker “might be right, and we might one day have a single world currency. Maybe European integration, in the same way as any other regional integration, could be seen as a step towards the ideal situation of a fully integrated world. If and when this world will see the light of day is impossible to say. However, what I can say is that this vision seems as impossible now to most of us as a European monetary union seemed 50 years ago, when the process of European integration started.”²⁸⁷

In 2000, the IMF held an international conference and published a brief report titled, *One World, One Currency: Destination or Delusion?*, in which it was stated that, “As perceptions grow that the world is gradually segmenting into a few regional currency blocs, the logical extension of such a trend also emerges as a theoretical possibility: a single world currency. If so many countries see benefits from currency integration, would a world currency not maximize these benefits?”

It outlines how, “The dollar bloc, already underpinned by the strength of the U.S. economy, has been extended further by dollarization and regional free trade pacts. The euro bloc represents an economic union that is intended to become a full political union likely to expand into Central and Eastern Europe. A yen bloc may emerge from current proposals for Asian monetary cooperation. A currency union may emerge among Mercosur members in Latin America, a geographical currency zone already exists around the South African rand, and a merger of the Australian and New Zealand dollars is a perennial topic in Oceania.”

The summary states that, “The same commercial efficiencies, economies of scale, and physical imperatives that drive regional currencies together also presumably exist on the next level—the global scale.” Further, it reported that, “The smaller and more vulnerable economies of the world—those that the international community is now trying hardest to help—would have most to gain from the certainty and stability that would accompany a single world currency.”²⁸⁸ Keep in mind, this document was produced by the IMF, and so its recommendations for what it says would likely “help” the smaller and more vulnerable countries of the world, should be taken with a grain – or bucket – of salt.

Economist Robert A. Mundell has long called for a global currency. On his website, he states that the creation of a global currency is “a project that would restore a needed coherence to the international monetary system, give the International Monetary Fund a function that would help it to promote stability, and be a catalyst for international harmony.” He states that, “The benefits from a world currency would be enormous. Prices all over the world would be denominated in the same unit and would be kept equal in different parts of the world to the extent that the law of one price was allowed to work itself out. Apart from tariffs and controls, trade between countries would be as easy as it is between states of the United States.”²⁸⁹

Renewed Calls for a Global Currency

On March 16, 2009, Russia suggested that, “the G20 summit in London in April should start establishing a system of managing the process of globalization and consider the possibility of creating a supra-national reserve currency or a ‘super-reserve currency’.” Russia called for “the creation of a supra-national reserve currency that will be issued by international financial institutions,” and that, “It looks expedient to reconsider the role of the IMF in that process and also to determine the possibility and need for taking measures that would allow for the SDRs (Special Drawing Rights) to become a super-reserve currency recognized by the world community.”²⁹⁰

On March 23, 2009, it was reported that China’s central bank “proposed replacing the US dollar as the international reserve currency with a new global system controlled by the International Monetary Fund.” The goal would be for the world reserve currency that is “disconnected from individual nations and is able to remain stable in the long run, thus removing the inherent deficiencies caused by using credit-based national currencies.” The chief China economist for HSBC stated that, “This is a clear sign that China, as the largest holder of US dollar financial assets, is concerned about the potential inflationary risk of the US Federal Reserve printing money.” The Governor of the People’s Bank of China, the central bank, “suggested expanding the role of special drawing rights, which were introduced by the IMF in 1969 to support the Bretton Woods fixed exchange rate regime but became less relevant once that collapsed in the 1970s.” Currently, “the value of SDRs is based on a basket of four currencies – the US dollar, yen, euro and sterling – and they are used largely as a unit of account by the IMF and some other international organizations.”

However, “China’s proposal would expand the basket of currencies forming the basis of SDR valuation to all major economies and set up a settlement system between SDRs and other currencies so they could be used in international trade and financial transactions. Countries would entrust a portion of their SDR reserves to the IMF to manage collectively on their behalf and SDRs would gradually replace existing reserve currencies.”²⁹¹

On March 25, Timothy Geithner, Treasury Secretary and former President of the New York Federal Reserve, spoke at the Council on Foreign Relations, when asked a question about his thoughts on the Chinese proposal for the global reserve currency, Geithner replied that, “I haven't read the governor's proposal. He's a remarkably -- a very thoughtful, very careful, distinguished central banker. Generally find him sensible on every issue. But as I understand his proposal, it's a proposal designed to increase the use of the IMF's special drawing rights. *And we're actually quite open to that suggestion.* But you should think of it as rather evolutionary, building on the current architectures, than -- rather than -- rather than moving us to global monetary union [Emphasis added].”²⁹²

In late March, it was reported that, “A United Nations panel of economists has proposed a new global currency reserve that would take over the US dollar-based system used for decades by international banks,” and that, “An independently administered reserve currency could operate without conflicts posed by the US dollar and keep commodity prices more stable.”²⁹³

A recent article in the Economic Times stated that, “The world is not yet ready for an international reserve currency, but is ready to begin the process of shifting to such a currency. Otherwise, it would remain too vulnerable to the hegemonic nation,” as in, the United States.²⁹⁴ Another article in the Economic Times started by proclaiming that, “the world certainly needs an international currency.” Further, the article stated that, “With an unwillingness to accept dollars and the absence of an alternative, international payments system can go into a freeze beyond the control of monetary authorities leading the world economy into a Great Depression,” and that, “In order to avoid such a calamity, the international community should immediately revive the idea of the Substitution Account mooted in 1971, under which official holders of dollars can deposit their unwanted dollars in a special account in the IMF with the values of deposits denominated in an international currency such as the SDR of the IMF.”²⁹⁵

Amidst fears of a falling dollar as a result of the increased open discussion of a new global currency, it was reported that, “The dollar’s role as a reserve currency won’t be threatened by a nine-fold expansion in the International Monetary Fund’s unit of account, according to UBS AG, ING Groep NV and Citigroup Inc.” This was reported following the recent G20 meeting, at which, “Group of 20 leaders yesterday gave approval for the agency to raise \$250 billion by issuing Special Drawing Rights, or SDRs, the artificial currency that the IMF uses to settle accounts among its member nations. It also agreed to put another \$500 billion into the IMF’s war chest.”²⁹⁶ In other words, the large global financial institutions came to the rhetorical rescue of the dollar, so as not to precipitate a crisis in its current standing, so that they can continue with quietly forming a new global currency.

CREATING A WORLD CENTRAL BANK

In 1998, Jeffrey Garten wrote an article for the New York Times advocating a “global Fed.” Garten was former Dean of the Yale School of Management, former Undersecretary of Commerce for International Trade in the Clinton administration, previously served on the White House Council on International Economic Policy under the Nixon administration and on the policy planning staffs of Secretaries of State Henry Kissinger and Cyrus Vance of the Ford and Carter administrations, former Managing Director at Lehman Brothers, and is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations. In his article written in 1998, he stated that, “over time the United States set up crucial central institutions - - the Securities and Exchange Commission (1933), the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (1934) and, most important, the Federal Reserve (1913). In so doing, America became a managed national economy. These organizations were created to make capitalism work, to prevent destructive business cycles and to moderate the harsh, invisible hand of Adam Smith.”

He then explained that, “This is what now must occur on a global scale. The world needs an institution that has a hand on the economic rudder when the seas become stormy. It needs a global central bank.” He explains that, “Simply trying to coordinate the world’s powerful central banks -- the Fed and the new European Central Bank, for instance -- wouldn’t work,” and that, “Effective collaboration among finance ministries and treasuries is also unlikely to materialize. These agencies

are responsible to elected legislatures, and politics in the industrial countries is more preoccupied with internal events than with international stability.”

He then postulates that, “An independent central bank with responsibility for maintaining global financial stability is the only way out. No one else can do what is needed: inject more money into the system to spur growth, reduce the sky-high debts of emerging markets, and oversee the operations of shaky financial institutions. A global central bank could provide more money to the world economy when it is rapidly losing steam.” Further, “Such a bank would play an oversight role for banks and other financial institutions everywhere, providing some uniform standards for prudent lending in places like China and Mexico. [However, t]he regulation need not be heavy-handed.” Garten continues, “There are two ways a global central bank could be financed. It could have lines of credit from all central banks, drawing on them in bad times and repaying when the markets turn up. Alternately -- and admittedly more difficult to carry out -- it could be financed by a very modest tariff on all trade, collected at the point of importation, or by a tax on certain global financial transactions.”

Interestingly, Garten states that, “One thing that would not be acceptable would be for the bank to be at the mercy of short-term-oriented legislatures.” In essence, it is not to be accountable to the people of the world. So, he asks the question, “To whom would a global central bank be accountable? It would have too much power to be governed only by technocrats, although it must be led by the best of them. One possibility would be to link the new bank to an enlarged Group of Seven -- perhaps a "G-15" [or in today’s context, the G20] that would include the G-7 plus rotating members like Mexico, Brazil, South Africa, Poland, India, China and South Korea.” He further states that, “There would have to be very close collaboration” between the global bank and the Fed, and that, “The global bank would not operate within the United States, and it would not be able to override the decisions of our central bank. But it could supply the missing international ingredient -- emergency financing for cash-starved emerging markets. It wouldn't affect American mortgage rates, but it could help the profitability of American multinational companies by creating a healthier global environment for their businesses.”²⁹⁷

In September of 2008, Jeffrey Garten wrote an article for the Financial Times in which he stated that, “Even if the US’s massive financial rescue operation succeeds, it should be followed by something even more far-reaching – the establishment of a Global Monetary Authority to oversee markets that have become borderless.” He emphasized the “need for a new Global Monetary Authority. It would set the tone for capital markets in a way that would not be viscerally opposed to a strong public oversight function with rules for intervention, and would return to capital formation the goal of economic growth and development rather than trading for its own sake.”

Further, the “GMA would be a reinsurer or discounter for certain obligations held by central banks. It would scrutinize the regulatory activities of national authorities with more teeth than the IMF has and oversee the implementation of a limited number of global regulations. It would monitor global risks and establish an effective early warning system with more clout to sound alarms than the BIS has.” Moreover, “The biggest global financial companies would have to register with the GMA and be subject to its monitoring, or be blacklisted. That includes commercial companies and banks, but also

sovereign wealth funds, gigantic hedge funds and private equity firms.” He recommends that its board “include central bankers not just from the US, UK, the eurozone and Japan, but also China, Saudi Arabia and Brazil. It would be financed by mandatory contributions from every capable country and from insurance-type premiums from global financial companies – publicly listed, government owned, and privately held alike.”²⁹⁸

In October of 2008, it was reported that Morgan Stanley CEO John Mack stated that, “it may take continued international coordination to fully unlock the credit markets and resolve the financial crisis, perhaps even by forming a new global body to oversee the process.”²⁹⁹

In late October of 2008, Jeffrey Garten wrote an article for Newsweek in which he stated that, “leaders should begin laying the groundwork for establishing a global central bank.” He explained that, “There was a time when the U.S. Federal Reserve played this role [as governing financial authority of the world], as the prime financial institution of the world’s most powerful economy, overseeing the one global currency. But with the growth of capital markets, the rise of currencies like the euro and the emergence of powerful players such as China, the shift of wealth to Asia and the Persian Gulf and, of course, the deep-seated problems in the American economy itself, the Fed no longer has the capability to lead single-handedly.”

He explains the criteria and operations of a world central bank, saying that, “It could be the lead regulator of big global financial institutions, such as Citigroup or Deutsche Bank, whose activities spill across borders,” as well as “act as a bankruptcy court when big global banks that operate in multiple countries need to be restructured. It could oversee not just the big commercial banks, such as Mitsubishi UFJ, but also the “alternative” financial system that has developed in recent years, consisting of hedge funds, private-equity groups and sovereign wealth funds—all of which are now substantially unregulated.” Further, it “could have influence over key exchange rates, and might lead a new monetary conference to realign the dollar and the yuan, for example, for one of its first missions would be to deal with the great financial imbalances that hang like a sword over the world economy.”

He further postulates that, “A global central bank would not eliminate the need for the Federal Reserve or other national central banks, which will still have frontline responsibility for sound regulatory policies and monetary stability in their respective countries. But it would have heavy influence over them when it comes to following policies that are compatible with global growth and financial stability. For example, it would work with key countries to better coordinate national stimulus programs when the world enters a recession, as is happening now, so that the cumulative impact of the various national efforts do not so dramatically overshoot that they plant the seeds for a crisis of global inflation. This is a big threat as government spending everywhere goes into overdrive.”

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In January of 2009, it was reported that, “one clear solution to avoid a repeat of the problems would be the establishment of a "global central bank" – with the IMF and World Bank being unable to prevent the financial meltdown.” Dr. William Overholt, senior research fellow at Harvard's Kennedy School, formerly with the Rand Institute, gave a speech in Dubai in which he said that, “To avoid another crisis, we need an ability to manage global liquidity. Theoretically that could be achieved through some kind of global central bank, or through the creation of a global currency, or through global acceptance of a set of rules with sanctions and a dispute settlement mechanism.”³⁰¹

Guillermo Calvo, Professor of Economics, International and Public Affairs at Columbia University wrote an article for VOX in late March of 2009. Calvo is the former Chief Economist of the Inter-American Development Bank, and is currently a Research Associate at the National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER) and President of the International Economic Association and the former Senior Advisor in the Research Department of the IMF.

He wrote that, “Credit availability is not ensured by stricter financial regulation. In fact, it can be counterproductive unless it is accompanied by the establishment of a lender of last resort (LOLR) that radically softens the severity of financial crisis by providing timely credit lines. With that aim in mind, the 20th century saw the creation of national or regional central banks in charge of a subset of the capital market. It has now become apparent that the realm of existing central banks is very limited and the world has no institution that fulfils the necessary global role. The IMF is moving in that direction, but it is still too small and too limited to adequately do so.”

He advocates that, “the first proposal that I would like to make is that the topic of financial regulation should be discussed together with the issue of a global lender of last resort.” Further, he proposed that, “international financial institutions must be quickly endowed with considerably more firepower to help emerging economies through the deleveraging period.”³⁰²

A “NEW WORLD ORDER” IN BANKING

In March of 2008, following the collapse of Bear Stearns, Reuters reported on a document released by research firm CreditSights, which said that, “Financial firms face a ‘new world order’,” and that, “More industry consolidation and acquisitions may follow after JPMorgan Chase & Co.” Further, “In the event of future consolidation, potential acquirers identified by CreditSights include JPMorganChase, Wells Fargo, US Bancorp, Goldman Sachs and Bank of America.”³⁰³

In June of 2008, before he was Treasury Secretary in the Obama administration, Timothy Geithner, as head of the New York Federal Reserve, wrote an article for the Financial Times following his attendance at the 2008 Bilderberg conference, in which he wrote that, “Banks and investment banks whose health is crucial to the global financial system should operate under a unified regulatory framework,” and he said that, “the US Federal Reserve should play a “central role” in the new regulatory framework, working closely with supervisors in the US and around the world.”³⁰⁴

In November of 2008, The National, a prominent United Arab Emirate newspaper, reported on Baron David de Rothschild accompanying Prime Minister Gordon Brown on a visit to the Middle East, although not as a “part of the official party” accompanying Brown. Following an interview with the Baron, it was reported that, “Rothschild shares most people’s view that there is a new world order. In his opinion, banks will deleverage and there will be a new form of global governance.”³⁰⁵

In February of 2009, the Times Online reported that a “New world order in banking [is] necessary,” and that, “It is increasingly evident that the world needs a new banking system and that it should not bear much resemblance to the one that has failed so spectacularly.”³⁰⁶ But of course, the ones that are shaping this new banking system are the champions of the previous banking system. The solutions that will follow are simply the extensions of the current system, only sped up through the necessity posed by the current crisis.

AN EMERGING GLOBAL GOVERNMENT

A recent article in the Financial Post stated that, “The danger in the present course is that if the world moves to a “super sovereign” reserve currency engineered by experts, such as the “UN Commission of Experts” led by Nobel laureate economist Joseph Stiglitz, we would give up the possibility of a spontaneous money order and financial harmony for a centrally planned order and the politicization of money. Such a regime change would endanger not only the future value of money but, more importantly, our freedom and prosperity.”³⁰⁷

Further, “An uncomfortable characteristic of the new world order may well turn out to be that global income gaps will widen because the rising powers, such as China, India and Brazil, regard those below them on the ladder as potential rivals.” The author further states that, “The new world order thus won't necessarily be any better than the old one,” and that, “What is certain, though, is that global affairs are going to be considerably different from now on.”³⁰⁸

In April of 2009, Robert Zoellick, President of the World Bank, said that, “If leaders are serious about creating new global responsibilities or governance, let them start by modernizing multilateralism to empower the WTO, the IMF, and the World Bank Group to monitor national policies.”³⁰⁹

David Rothkopf, a scholar at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, former Deputy Undersecretary of Commerce for International Trade in the Clinton administration, and former managing director of Kissinger and Associates, and a member of the Council on Foreign Relations, recently wrote a book titled, *Superclass: The Global Power Elite and the World They are Making*, of which he is certainly a member. When discussing the role and agenda of the global “superclass”, he states that, “In a world of global movements and threats that don’t present their passports at national borders, it is no longer possible for a nation-state acting alone to fulfill its portion of the social contract.”³¹⁰

He writes that, “even the international organizations and alliances we have today, flawed as they are, would have seemed impossible until recently, notably the success of the European Union – a unitary democratic state the size of India. The evolution and achievements of such entities against all odds suggest not isolated instances but an overall trend in the direction of what Tennyson called “the Parliament of Man,” or ‘universal law’.” He states that he is “optimistic that progress will continue to be made,” but it will be difficult, because it “undercuts many national and local power structures and cultural concepts that have foundations deep in the bedrock of human civilization, namely the notion of sovereignty.”³¹¹

He further writes that, “Mechanisms of global governance are more achievable in today’s environment,” and that these mechanisms “are often creative with temporary solutions to urgent problems that cannot wait for the world to embrace a bigger and more controversial idea like real global government.”³¹²

In December of 2008, the Financial Times ran an article written by Gideon Rachman, a past Bilderberg attendee, who wrote that, “for the first time in my life, I think the formation of some sort of world government is plausible,” and that, “A ‘world government’ would involve much more than co-operation between nations. It would be an entity with state-like characteristics, backed by a body of laws. The European Union has already set up a continental government for 27 countries, which could be a model. The EU has a supreme court, a currency, thousands of pages of law, a large civil service and the ability to deploy military force.”

He then asks if the European model could “go global,” and states that there are three reasons for thinking that may be the case. First, he states, “it is increasingly clear that the most difficult issues facing national governments are international in nature: there is global warming, a global financial crisis and a ‘global war on terror’.” Secondly, he states that, “It could be done,” largely as a result of the transport and communications revolutions having “shrunk the world.” Thirdly, this is made possible through an awakening “change in the political atmosphere,” as “The financial crisis and climate change are pushing national governments towards global solutions, even in countries such as China and the US that are traditionally fierce guardians of national sovereignty.”

He quoted an adviser to former French President Nicolas Sarkozy as saying, “Global governance is just a euphemism for global government,” and that the “core of the international financial crisis is that we have global financial markets and no global rule of law.” However, Rachman states that any push towards a global government “will be a painful, slow process.” He then states that a key problem in this push can be explained with an example from the EU, which “has suffered a series of humiliating defeats in referendums, when plans for “ever closer union” have been referred to the voters. In general, the Union has progressed fastest when far-reaching deals have been agreed by technocrats and politicians – and then pushed through without direct reference to the voters. *International governance tends to be effective, only when it is anti-democratic.*”³¹³

In November of 2008, the United States National Intelligence Council (NIC), the US intelligence community’s “center for midterm and long-term strategic thinking,” released a report that it produced in collaboration with numerous think tanks, consulting firms, academic institutions and hundreds of other experts, among them are the Atlantic Council of the United States, the Wilson Center, RAND Corporation, the Brookings Institution, American Enterprise Institute, Texas A&M University, the Council on Foreign Relations and Chatham House in London.³¹⁴

The report, titled, *Global Trends 2025: A Transformed World*, outlines the current global political and economic trends that the world may be going through by the year 2025. In terms of the financial crisis, it states that solving this “will require long-term efforts to establish a new international system.”³¹⁵ It suggests that as the “China-model” for development becomes increasingly attractive, there may be a “decline in democratization” for emerging economies, authoritarian regimes, and “weak democracies frustrated by years of economic underperformance.” Further, the dollar will cease to be the global reserve currency, as there would likely be a “move away from the dollar.”³¹⁶

It states that the dollar will become “something of a first among equals in a basket of currencies by 2025. This could occur suddenly in the wake of a crisis, or gradually with global rebalancing.”³¹⁷ The report elaborates on the construction of a new international system, stating that, “By 2025, nation-states will no longer be the only – and often not the most important – actors on the world stage and the ‘international system’ will have morphed to accommodate the new reality. But the transformation will be incomplete and uneven.” Further, it would be “unlikely to see an overarching, comprehensive, unitary approach to global governance. Current trends suggest that global governance in 2025 will be a patchwork of overlapping, often ad hoc and fragmented efforts, with shifting coalitions of member nations, international organizations, social movements, NGOs, philanthropic foundations, and companies.” It also notes that, “Most of the pressing transnational problems – including climate change, regulation of globalized financial markets, migration, failing states, crime networks, etc. – are unlikely to be effectively resolved by the actions of individual nation-states. The need for effective global governance will increase faster than existing mechanisms can respond.”³¹⁸

The report discusses the topic of regionalism, stating that, “Greater Asian integration, if it occurs, could fill the vacuum left by a weakening multilaterally based international order but could also further undermine that order. In the aftermath of the 1997 Asian financial crisis, a remarkable series

of pan-Asian ventures—the most significant being ASEAN + 3—began to take root. Although few would argue that an Asian counterpart to the EU is a likely outcome even by 2025, if 1997 is taken as a starting point, Asia arguably has evolved more rapidly over the last decade than the European integration did in its first decade(s).” It further states that, “movement over the next 15 years toward an Asian basket of currencies—if not an Asian currency unit as a third reserve—is more than a theoretical possibility.”

It elaborates that, “Asian regionalism would have global implications, possibly sparking or reinforcing a trend toward three trade and financial clusters that could become quasi-blocs (North America, Europe, and East Asia).” These blocs “would have implications for the ability to achieve future global World Trade Organization agreements and regional clusters could compete in the setting of trans-regional product standards for IT, biotech, nanotech, intellectual property rights, and other ‘new economy’ products.”^{319, 250}

9. THE EUROPEAN REVOLUTION

In June 2009 Germany's Federal Constitutional Court warned that the extraordinary powers contained in the European Union's Lisbon Treaty overrides all national laws in Europe. The German court will shortly call for an 'emergency brake' provision to be included into the German constitution to prevent an EU dictatorship.



The development is all the more shocking because till now, Germany has been one of the most fanatically pro-EU countries in Europe. It also reveals precisely how far Gordon Brown and the Labour Party have dragged Britain into the EU mess without considering its implications and without granting the people of this country a referendum on the topic.

The Federal Constitutional Court, which is Germany's highest court, is to question a European Court of Justice ruling that a new law on data storage does not need to be approved by all member states for it to come into effect. This ruling has important implications for all national European laws, the German court has now said.

The most important is, that it would change the relation of the European states, from an alliance of states into a single federal state, which from that point on, once it's ratified, would be ruled as an oligarchy, without the participation of the national parliaments.

For example, the so-called General Clause means that the European Council and the European Commission would have to decide policies in all areas, except foreign policy and security policy. The European Parliament would be heard, but have no say, and the national parliaments have no say whatsoever. So parliamentarians, rather than fulfilling 80% of the Brussels guidelines, would fill 100% of the guidelines.

Amid further worries that the treaty represents another step to a European superstate, it will make further restrictions on countries' abilities to veto EU proposals. The agreement scraps the national

vetoed in new areas including criminal justice laws – although the Foreign Office claims that Britain can still block any EU criminal justice reforms it does not like.

The lack of democracy, transparency and accountability already inherent in EU political institutions would be intensified by the proposed reforms. The EU Commission — the executive arm of the union — currently has 27 commissioners (one appointed by each member state) and a rotating presidency. The Council of Europe (also known as the Council of Ministers) changes in composition depending on the department, but also comprises 27 appointed member representatives, generally the appropriate minister from each national government. The European Parliament is the only body that is directly elected by the 500 million citizens of the EU, and it has little real power — not even to initiate and draft legislation and binding laws, which lies solely with the unelected commission.

Under the Lisbon Treaty, member states would no longer be automatically entitled to appoint a representative to the EU Commission, reducing the power of smaller nations. The commission's "independence", or lack of accountability, is also strengthened in the treaty, which stipulates that the commission "shall neither seek nor take instructions from any government or other institution, body, office or entity". In 68 policy areas, or competencies, the council would no longer require a unanimous vote to pass, but rather only a qualified majority vote.

Under Lisbon, the European Court of Justice would gain dominant power and jurisdiction over justice, policing and laws. The EU's police force, whose officers are immune from prosecution, would be expanded. The proposed reforms would transfer powers from national governments to the EU in more than 100 competencies, including justice, economic policy, defence and foreign policy — the largest transfer of powers in the EU's history.

However, it is not simply the drive towards the further concentration of power that is worrying the people of Europe. Inherent in the treaty, as it was in the rejected constitution, is the active promotion of neoliberal economic policies that aim to deregulate and privatise Europe's public services, while seriously eroding workers' rights and the power of trade unions.

The Lisbon Treaty has led to the creation of the powerful new post of EU president. The document has been condemned as a blueprint for a European superstate and a thinly disguised version of the European Constitution abandoned just four years ago. It creates the unprecedented situation where a single politician will represent Europe around the world. So far, each member state has taken it in turns to hold the EU presidency on a rotating basis. The Lisbon agreement will also establish a powerful new role of EU foreign 'High Representative' to act for Brussels on foreign policy and security issues. This will trigger fears that Brussels is building its own diplomatic network.

On Thursday 18th November 2009, EU leaders chose the Belgian Prime Minister, Herman van Rompuy, to be the first permanent European Council President. The other top job created by the Lisbon Treaty - foreign affairs supremo - went to the EU Trade Commissioner, Baroness Catherine Ashton from the United Kingdom. Both had unanimous backing from the required 27 EU leaders.



The new EU president and foreign minister posts are designed to make the EU more effective and give it more clout on the world stage. Herman van Rompuy, will preside over EU summits and run the work of the major ministerial gatherings at EU level, as well as representing the 27-nation bloc at global summits. Baroness Catherine Ashton Representative will "conduct the Union's common foreign and security policy", says the Lisbon Treaty. They will also preside over meetings of EU foreign ministers.

Just to confuse matters between the two posts, the Treaty also says that the President "shall, at his level and in that capacity, ensure the external representation of the Union on issues concerning its common foreign and security policy, without prejudice to the powers of the High Representative". Many argue that the High Representative role is the more powerful job, even though the holder of the office will be a Vice-President of the European Commission, answerable to the Commission President.

The High Representative will effectively run the EU's "embassies" around the world, with a personal staff, grace and favour home and all the trappings. He or she will reign over the newly created EU "External Action Service", effectively a diplomatic corps co-ordinating the European Commission's existing collection of more than 120 delegations around the world, overseeing Europe's global humanitarian aid budget and the EU's international relations.

The presidency decision - nominating a person from a small country with no international profile - confirms the speculation of recent weeks that the majority of member states wanted to choose a person whose main role will be that of an internal fixer, rather than someone who can open doors in Washington and Moscow. Mr Van Rompuy underlined his low-key approach by saying he intended to be "discreet" and that his personal opinions were "subordinate" to the council.

What is more interesting is that Van Rompuy is a Jesuit which calls into question the relationship that will develop between the Vatican and Europe with the Lisbon Treaty now providing greater

European integration. The Jesuits have long been known to be another cog in the wheel of progression towards European Integration.

REVIVING THE BOUNDARIES OF ROME

On July 13 2008, leaders of 43 countries surrounding the Mediterranean (from Europe, North Africa and the Middle East) joined together in Paris, France, to launch a new regional union—the Mediterranean Union or, as it's now officially called, the Union for the Mediterranean. "It brought together around one table for the first time dignitaries of such rival nations as Israel and Syria, Algeria and Morocco, Turkey and Greece"¹³²³

This was a dream come true for French President Nicolas Sarkozy, who championed the creation of the bloc upon assuming office just a little over a year before. Sarkozy chaired the meeting jointly with Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak—the two serving as interim copresidents, as the union is to operate under a copresidency of north and south.

This was a stunning development, not only for the speed of the union's formation—coming just over a year after it was proposed—but for its plausible ties to end-time events foretold in the Bible.

REVITALIZING AN EARLIER PROCESS

The union goes beyond the stalled 1995 Barcelona Process facilitated by Javier Solana (named after Barcelona, Spain, where the conference was held), in which the European Union (EU) and many of its neighbors to the south and southeast formed the Euro-Mediterranean Partnership to promote regional stability and prosperity.

That partnership failed to achieve much of anything due to political apathy and lack of agreement on major issues. Sarkozy proposed his union with grander aims—as "a means to end all hatreds, to make way for a great dream of peace and a great dream of civilization" (quoted in International Herald Tribune, July 6, 2008). And he initially limited it to nations bordering the Mediterranean. This, in his opinion, would have given it a greater chance of success than the Barcelona Process—there being fewer parties who would have to agree on issues and more in common regionally among the partners.

The union was also meant as a way to shore up relations with Turkey, an important bridge state between Europe and the Muslim states of North Africa and the Middle East. Sarkozy had fiercely opposed Turkish membership in the EU, so this was offered as a consolation. Turkey, however, was late in coming to the party—not agreeing to the Mediterranean Union until it had assurances that this would not hamper its efforts to join the EU.

No doubt the proposed union was also meant to elevate France's status in the European Union and in the world. It would revive France's old colonial ties to North Africa and the Middle East. And the absence of Germany and other EU states not bordering the Mediterranean would have put France in the driver's seat.

PRESSURED TO COMPROMISE

Germany and other northern European Union states, however, were outraged at being cut out of this bloc that would take on a European character and use European funds. After a meeting with German Chancellor Angela Merkel, Sarkozy agreed to inscribe the new union within the EU framework of the Barcelona Process and include all European Union member states.

He dismissed criticism, however, that he had planned the union as an exclusively French project. And he particularly thanked Merkel for her support of the project:

"It made me happy to see how she defended the Union for the Mediterranean...That was really the German-French axis"³²⁴

To achieve wider acceptance, the initiative has been scaled back, so touchy issues like immigration have given way to projects on solar energy, marine pollution and antiterrorism coordination. But it's a start, and major issues will likely follow. Some consider Sarkozy's plan to have faltered. But if that's so, we must wonder why so many heads of state gathered to launch the union, including Arab leaders sitting down at the same table with Israel's prime minister. This was certainly a diplomatic coup.

Notably absent from the meeting was Libyan leader Col. Muammar Gaddafi, although he sent a representative. Angry that original plans for only a few southern European and North African states were changed to include the whole European Union and the Middle East, including Israel (making it, in his words, "very dangerous" for him to support), Gaddafi boycotted the meeting, saying,

"We shall have another Roman Empire and imperialist design. These are imperialist maps and designs that we have already rolled up. We should not have them again".³²⁵

Bible prophecy reveals that the Roman Empire—the fourth in a succession of ancient empires—will be resurrected in the last days (see Daniel 2; 7; Revelation 13; 17). We have long seen this coming together in the increasing political integration of the European Union, which began with the Treaty of Rome in 1957. But in the past few years, integration has greatly picked up speed. And now we have a larger union encompassing the breadth of the ancient Roman Empire by including the nations of Eastern Europe as well as extending its influence into North Africa and the Middle East.

Worth considering in this regard is Gaddafi's warning that the EU blueprint for the Mediterranean will be a pretext for a new generation of terrorists.

"I believe this project of the Union for the Mediterranean would increase illegal migration and terrorism and give a justification to Islamist extremists to step up jihad attacks. These extremists would explain it [the Mediterranean Union] as a crusade against Islam and European colonisation,"

"They will talk about jihad in Europe. This project is frightening. This project is dangerous. They will interpret it as a new crusade to contain Muslim forces. They will see it as a new colonialism and they will accuse the Arabs [i.e., the Arab leaders] that they are traitors, who have abandoned principles and sold out their countries".³²⁶

That could lead to further European incursions into Muslim areas to deal with terrorism. Thus, a bloc meant to promote cooperation and peaceful exchange could end up causing greater division and even outright war.

The attempt by the European Union to create and strengthen a union with the nations of the Middle East and North Africa is at its core an attempt to protect the interests of Europe in the Middle East. David Breese, a prophetic scholar comments on Europe's plans to protect her interests.

"Europe will immediately realize the necessity of developing a strong military establishment, an all European army to guard their overflowing coffers.....The second mission of a European military establishment must also be to protect the energy routes from the Middle East. A high percentage..nearly 100%..of the oil that heats and energises Europe comes from the oil rich lands of the countries surrounding the Persian Gulf. Should these supplies be threatened, all other considerations would need to be set aside in favor of guaranteeing the uninterrupted flow of Mid East oil. Without this, homes would become cold, automobiles would be parked by the curb, and the airplanes would no longer fly. The pipeline from the Middle East must always be held as a major consideration by the planners of Europe's future."³²⁷

THE CREATION OF A EUROPEAN ARMY

Italy is now pushing for the creation of a European Army following the adoption of the Lisbon Treaty by all EU member states in November 2009.

Franco Frattini, the Italian Foreign Minister, said that the Lisbon Treaty had established "that if some countries want to enter into reinforced co-operation between themselves they can do so". This was already the case with the euro and the Schengen accords on frontier-free travel, and could now be applied to "common European defence".

In an interview with The Times on November 17th 2009, Frattini said:

"We have finally concluded a never-ending story". The Lisbon Treaty, which comes into force in December, will be sealed on Thursday with an EU summit to choose an EU President and Foreign Minister."³²²

He warned that

"if we do not find a common foreign policy, there is the risk that Europe will become irrelevant. We will be bypassed by the G2 of America and China, which is to say the Pacific axis, and the Atlantic axis will be forgotten. We need political will and commitment, otherwise the people of Europe will be disillusioned and disappointed. People expect a great deal of us. After Lisbon we have no more alibis". It was a "necessary objective to have a European army", Mr Frattini said.³²²

"Take Afghanistan: at present President Obama asks Poland, or Italy, or Great Britain for more troops. If there were a European army, he would have a 'toolbox' to draw from. He might need 30 aeroplanes: he would be able to ask if the European army was in a position to provide them."³²²

Mr Frattini said that at present

"every country duplicates its forces, each of us puts armoured cars, men, tanks, planes, into Afghanistan. If there were a European army, Italy could send planes, France could send tanks, Britain could send armoured cars, and in this way we would optimise the use of our resources. Perhaps we won't get there immediately, but that is the idea of a European army".

Asked how differing national equipment and systems could be integrated, Mr Frattini said Afghanistan had already shown the way.³²²

"There are no problems in current crisis areas. We work well together in Afghanistan. In the province of Herat, we Italians work with the Spanish. Why not form a common force? This would also bring economic benefits, because the countries involved would share the costs of military engagement overseas."³²²

Mr Frattini suggested that "some European countries" such as France were not pulling their weight in Afghanistan. "Italy is already doing quite a lot: we have 3,200 men deployed, plus a contingent of 400 men for the elections who should now be able to return home. We send most officers after the United States to train the Afghan police and army, and we have abolished the caveats limiting the deployment of our troops, in return for more intelligence sharing."

There was also a case for joint naval patrols in the Mediterranean, Mr Frattini said.

"Europe could deploy a joint naval fleet or air force in the Mediterranean: why not? We could say, look, one group of nations is ready at once, and leave the door open for others to join, as with the euro."



The Western European Union (WEU) is a partially dormant European defense and security organization, established on the basis of the Treaty of Brussels of 1948 with the accession of West Germany and Italy in 1954.¹³⁰ The Treaty of Brussels was signed by the United Kingdom, France, Belgium, Luxembourg, and the Netherlands on 17 March 1948. It was a mutual intergovernmental self defense treaty which also promoted economic, cultural and social collaboration. As a result of the failure of the European Defense Community on 23 October 1954 the WEU was established by the Paris Agreements with the incorporation of the then West Germany and Italy. The signatories of the Paris Agreements clearly stated their three main objectives in the preamble to the modified Brussels Treaty:

- To create in Western Europe a firm basis for European economic recovery
- To afford assistance to each other in resisting any policy of aggression
- To promote the unity and encourage the progressive integration of Europe
- The defense efforts resulting from the Brussels Treaty took form as the Western Union Defense Organization

The Brussels Pact had cultural and social clauses, concepts for the setting up of a 'Consultative Council'. The basis for this was that a cooperation between Western nations would help stop the spread of Communism. The Treaty of Brussels was amended by the Protocol signed in Paris at the conclusion of the London and Paris Conferences on 23 October 1954, which added West Germany and Italy to the Western Union. On this occasion it was renamed the Western European Union.

Originally, under the Amsterdam Treaty, the WEU was given an integral role in giving the EU an independent defense capability, playing a major role in the Petersberg tasks; however that situation is changing. On 13 November 2000, WEU Ministers met in Marseille and agreed to begin transferring the organization’s capabilities and functions to the European Union, under its developing Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP) and European Security and Defense Policy (ESDP).



Beginning in 2001, the European Union absorbed almost all of the WEU’s functions. However, because the modified Brussels Treaty remains in effect, so does the treaty’s mutual defense clause that gave rise to the 10-state military alliance. The WEU’s Council exists only as a formality. It hasn’t convened as a body since November 2000, but the same people now sit within the structure of the EU as its Political and Security Committee, where it exercises ‘political control and strategic direction’ of EU crisis management operations. The WEU’s arms procurement body has been absorbed into the European Defense Agency, an agency of the EU headed by Javier Solana. ⁵⁶

In June 2001, Javier Solana, acting in his role as the WEU’s Secretary General, announced that the WEU Ten had capped the number of permanent members at ten, which some believe is fulfillment of what the prophet Daniel predicted (Daniel 7:24). After all, why continue expanding the WEU when the EU was beginning efforts to replace it internally?. In 2004, on the eve of the draft constitution’s signing, the Dutch tried and failed to get the WEU Ten to terminate the treaty. Other WEU Ten members said no: The modified Brussels Treaty had to stay in place to maintain the binding commitment of mutual defense, given that such a commitment was not contained in the draft constitution. The following articles show the significant development of a European military power hub.

EUFOR: “A TEST OF CREDIBILITY FOR THE EU”

Paris, 4 June 2008 – The Assembly said that the deployment of the European Union military force – EUFOR – in Chad and the Central African Republic to protect the refugees fleeing from the Darfur conflict was both “a big step forward and a test of credibility for the ESDP and the EU”Submitting a report on behalf of the Defence Committee, René Rouquet (France, Socialist Group) felt that it was still “too soon to draw any conclusions” on this operation which was the fifth

and largest in terms of troop numbers to be conducted by the EU in the ESDP framework. He recalled that 2 380 men had already been deployed at the end of April with a view to reaching an overall strength of 3 700. 14 member states have provided forces on the ground, with the main contributors being France (2 000 troops), Poland (400) and Ireland (400), and 22 countries are represented in the Operation Headquarters in Paris. According to General Patrick Nash of Ireland, EUFOR Operation Commander at strategic level, this mission “will take place in a complex environment, on hostile military terrain and will be a huge logistical challenge”.

STRATEGIC CHOICES FOR EUROPEAN SECURITY AND DEFENCE

At a preparatory meeting on 3 October 2007, Mr François FILLON, Prime Minister of France, told Mr Jean-Pierre MASSERET, President of the Assembly, that the European security and defence policy (ESDP) was one of France’s main priorities. Mr MASSERET assured the French Prime Minister that the Assembly supported France in its desire to promote European security and defence. At the Assembly’s plenary session in December 2007, which marked the beginning of the French Presidency of Western European Union (January to December 2008), Mr FILLON paid tribute to the role of the Assembly in spreading a common European security and defence culture. On the eve of the French Presidency of the European Union and at Mr FILLON’s express request, the Assembly, in cooperation with the French National Assembly, held a conference on 5 May in the Palais Bourbon in Paris on the topic of “Strategic choices for European security and defence”. The aim of this conference was to support the incoming French Presidency in its efforts to strengthen the ESDP. Mr Javier SOLANA, EU Secretary General and High Representative for the Common Foreign and Security Policy (CFSP), said he eagerly awaited the outcome of this conference, particularly in view of the work with which the EU Council had entrusted him in the framework of implementing the European Security Strategy, adopted in December 2003.¹³¹

The Conference was opened by Jean-Claude MIGNON, Chairman of the French Delegation to the WEU Assembly, and Jean-Pierre MASSERET, President of the Assembly. Mr MIGNON said that defence was a key area for European progress. He considered that “beneath the blanket term ‘permanent structured cooperation’”, there lay hidden “great opportunities in the area of defence” that would allow a certain number of states that so wished to move forward. Mr MASSERET felt that there were gaps in the European Security Strategy that needed to be filled without delay, in particular by addressing nuclear and space questions. The EU’s political objectives also had to be clarified and the “common general interest” of all EU member states defined. The new provisions in the Lisbon Treaty concerning the ESDP formed a “complex patchwork”, the practical workings of which were yet to be defined.¹³¹

As we saw with our analysis of the early Church Fathers, the majority believed that the coming Antichrist would be some how connected with the destiny of the Roman Empire and there has been a historical trend to associate a revival of a last days roman empire as being fulfilled with the rise of the European Union, previously known as the European Community or some form of European/Mediterranean alliance.

This view was especially strong when this European confederacy was growing to reach ten nations. However since the freedom of central and eastern Europe from the yoke of communism, the European Union has begun an accelerated growth curve where it is now a political and economic union of 27 member states, located primarily in Europe. It was established by the Treaty of Maastricht in 1993 upon the foundations of the pre-existing European Economic Community and has now been further affirmed with the Lisbon Treaty. With almost 500 million citizens, the EU combined generates an estimated 30% share of the world's nominal gross domestic product (US\$16.8 trillion in 2007).¹³¹ Fifteen member states have adopted a common currency, the euro. It has developed a role in foreign policy, representing its members in the World Trade Organization, at G8 summits and at the United Nations.

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John Phillips in "Exploring The Future" states

"There will ultimately emerge a ten-nation confederation of European powers, a revived Roman Empire as some have called it. Attempts have been made by such men as Charlemagne, Napoleon, and Mussolini to revive the Roman Empire...The European Common Market today foreshadows the impending revival of this empire."¹⁷²

The great prophetic scholar Dwight Pentecost in his work "Things to Come" regarding the ten toes of Daniels vision states

"It would seem best to view this Roman Empire as a continuous development from its form at the time of the first coming of Christ until its form at the second coming of Christ"¹⁷³

Regardless, whether it is the European Union in its present form or the Western European Union or a coming dual membership within the European Union which creates a power base of ten European nations and an outer core of the rest of the European countries, there is a significant political vein running through the bloodline nobility of Europe which is changing the landscape of Europe in a subtle but progressive way into a European Super State and a model of where control is transferred from a national level to a centralized level in accordance with European super state supporter wishes such as Karl Von Habsburg.

10. THE COPENHAGEN TREATY: A GLOBAL SOCIALIST AGENDA

Much of the environmental movement has gotten back to its pagan roots as it subtly fosters rejection of the Bible and Christianity. So called Spiritual Greens tell us that Earth can save herself - she has the wisdom and power - humans don't. But we can help her by becoming conscious of the oneness and sacredness of all her parts.

To the extent the environmental movement embraces the philosophies of the New Age movement - it joins in that part of a conspiracy to control the American People, to derail and disempower traditional Christianity, and to deceive the world into adopting Anti-Christian views. The New Age movement generally advocates a synthesis or recovery of ideas and practices which celebrates our relationship with the Earth. (There are sub-currents in the New Age movement which include overt Satanic practices and those are definitely in conflict with Christian beliefs.)

In December 2009, world leaders descended upon Copenhagen to sign a United Nations climate change treaty that would succeed the 1997 Kyoto Protocol, which was aimed at reducing greenhouse gases. The goal of the Copenhagen treaty was to erect an international cap-and-trade regime to curb carbon dioxide (CO₂) emissions, said to be responsible for man-made global warming. Leading up to this event then British Prime Minister Gordon Brown had warned of a "climate catastrophe" - a rising wave of floods, droughts and shrinking food crops - unless the treaty is signed. Brown even said global warming would inflict more damage than both world wars and the Great Depression combined; the world has only several weeks to save itself from impending doom. He says,

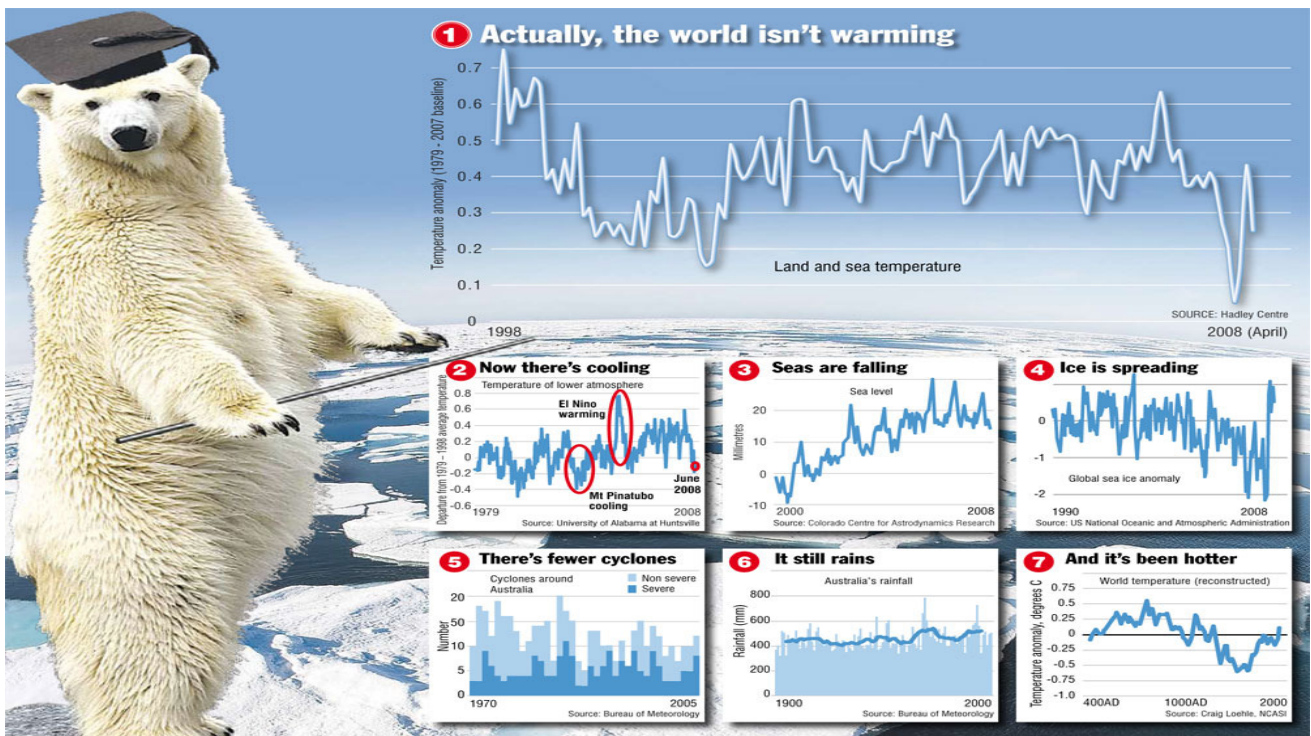
"If we do not reach a deal at this time, let us be in no doubt: once the damage from unchecked emissions growth is done, no retrospective global agreement, in some future period, can undo that choice,"²⁴⁶

Many new world order researchers believed that Brown's statement was a continuation of former Vice President Al Gore in terms of fear-mongering and inciting public hysteria, one in which Global-warming alarmists are using climate change to impose an embryonic socialist world government. Following the collapse of communism, the West's progressive elites desperately searched for a viable ideological alternative and have found it in environmentalism.

Although the Green movement wraps itself in the flag of empirical science, it represents the very opposite: a dogma that provides meaning and purpose to its rabid followers. The ideology justifies massive tax increases and government control of the economy; it seeks to cripple free enterprise and curtail market-driven growth. Many of today's Greens are yesterday's Reds.

Some believe that the global warming is the greatest fraud of our time. The overwhelming scientific evidence shows that, rather than getting hotter, the Earth's temperatures are cooling. Increasing numbers of leading scientists are challenging the flawed computer models used by eco-alarmists.

For instance, if the Earth's temperatures are no longer rising, then how can CO₂ emissions be responsible for global warming? How could previous dramatic increases in global temperatures - such as the end of the Ice Age - have taken place without concentrations of CO₂? The answer is obvious say those who disagree with the environmentalist agenda: Carbon emissions are not connected to fluctuations in global temperatures.



Lord Christopher Monckton. The former adviser to Margaret Thatcher gave an address during the Minnesota Freemarket Institute Conference at Bethel University in St. Paul, Minnesota, in early November 2009. For the first time, the public heard about the 181 pages, dated Sept. 15, that comprise the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change—a rough draft of what could be signed come December under the Copenhagen Treaty.²⁴⁵

Lord Monckton himself only became aware of the extraordinary powers to be vested in this new world government when a friend found an obscure U.N. Web site and searched through several layers of hyperlinks before discovering a document labelled as a "Note by the Secretariat."

Here are some excerpts of Lord Monckton's closing speech, as transcribed by Fightin' Words Blog, from the audio recording of the conference:

At [the 2009 United Nations Climate Change Conference in] Copenhagen, this December, weeks away, a treaty will be signed. Your president will sign it. Most of the third world countries will sign it, because they think they're going to get money out of it. Most of the left-wing regime from the European Union will rubber stamp it. Virtually nobody won't sign it.

I read that treaty. And what it says is this, that a world government is going to be created. The word "government" actually appears as the first of three purposes of the new entity. The second purpose is the transfer of wealth from the countries of the West to third world countries, in satisfaction of what is called, coyly, "climate debt" – because we've been burning CO2 and they haven't. We've been screwing up the climate and they haven't. And the third purpose of this new entity, this government, is enforcement.

How many of you think that the word "election" or "democracy" or "vote" or "ballot" occurs anywhere in the 200 pages of that treaty? Quite right, it doesn't appear once. So, at last, the communists who piled out of the Berlin Wall and into the environmental movement, who took over Greenpeace so that my friends who funded it left within a year, because [the communists] captured it – Now the apotheosis is at hand. They are about to impose a communist world government on the world. You have a president who has very strong sympathies with that point of view. He's going to sign it. He'll sign anything. He's a Nobel Peace Prize [winner]; of course he'll sign it."²⁴⁷

Interviewed by Sydney radio, Lord Monckton said

"this is the first time I've ever seen any transnational treaty referring to a new body to be set up under that treaty as a 'government.' But it's the powers that are going to be given to this entirely unelected government that are so frightening." ²⁴⁸

He added:

"The sheer ambition of this new world government is enormous right from the start—that's even before it starts accreting powers to itself in the way that these entities inevitably always do." ²⁴⁸

The mad drive for an international cap-and-trade system is really geared toward achieving the left's long-sought goal: the destruction of democratic capitalism and national sovereignty. The Copenhagen treaty must still be negotiated. Final agreement is far from certain, especially from emerging industrial powers like China, India and Brazil. Yet the draft version is clear about the treaty's essential elements.

It calls for a massive transfer of wealth from the developed world to the developing world. The United States would be forced to spend billions of dollars a year in foreign aid to pay for a so-called "climate debt" - a provision to punish wealthy countries for having historically emitted large amounts of CO₂, while compensating poor ones for not contributing to greenhouse gases.

Moreover, Mr. Monckton points out that, in paragraph 38, Annex 1, the Copenhagen draft calls for a U.N.-created "government" responsible for taxation, enforcement and redistribution. In other words, the draft treaty explicitly demands that the world body erect an international mechanism with the power to impose emission-reduction targets for each country, determine acceptable levels of CO₂ and levy global taxes.

The United States would lose control over its environmental policy. Also, it would sign its death warrant as a functioning democracy, enabling the United Nations to administer a fledgling world government possessing the authority to regulate and tax the American economy. The treaty is a sword aimed at the heart of national sovereignty and shares the same socialist/Marxist ideals that find favour with Obama.

Yet the U.S. Senate can avoid this disastrous course. A supermajority of 67 votes is required to ratify the treaty. In 1997, the Senate in a 95-0 vote rejected the Kyoto Protocol, thereby preventing the United States from joining. Mr. Monckton believes that, in order to avoid defeat, Mr. Obama will try to circumvent the ratification process. If he does, he will spark a political revolt.

Obama has vowed to create a "green economy" based on "green-collar jobs" and "a green New Deal." The Copenhagen treaty would enable him to accomplish his revolutionary ambitions. It would mark his Cultural Revolution - the permanent transformation of America.

11. FINAL SUMMARY

The purpose of this series has been to address the following

- Understanding the historical context behind the development of the Antichrist as a prophetic individual that will emerge on the world scene in the future.
- Examining the role of Barack Obama, Prince Charles and Javier Solana as Apostles of the New World Order. Whilst they are not the only individuals they were chosen for examination because of their significant contributions in unique ways to the cause for greater global integration.
- And in the third and final report we see the coming together of global government by reviewing the agenda's of key groups and power structures.

This report has not attempted to cover every single aspect of the New World Order however we hope that we have at the very least provided information that will help you in your pursuit for truth.

As said by conspiracy researcher, Dr John Coleman, the sheer magnitude and complex web of deceit surrounding the individuals and organizations involved in this conspiracy is mind boggling, even for the most astute among us. Most people react with disbelief and scepticism towards the topic, unaware that they have been conditioned (brainwashed) to react with scepticism by institutional and media influences.

However the good news is that you are well informed because of your ongoing search for truth and so will be able to better discern the events that are impacting us with greater frequency.

The further good news is that despite the attempt of the global elite to establish their own world order we know that the Biblical account of the last days is that this New World Order will fail. Due to competing ideologies, the kingdom of the Antichrist will fragment as the Earth comes under significant plagues which God will use to Judge this earth for their rebellion against him. This fragmentation will lead to Armageddon a global doomsday war that will threaten to destroy the earth, however it will be at this very time that the Son of David, the Messiah, Jesus Christ, will appear to prevent the extinction of man, and establish his messianic rule on this earth.

FOOTNOTES

1. This view is known as the pre-millennial view of the end times. One in which Jesus Christ will return to earth and establish a millennial reign of 1000 years in a literal interpretation of Revelation 20:6.

Postmillennialists generally see the millennial kingdom as a "golden age" ushered in by the church through the triumph of the gospel, not only in bringing individuals to salvation, but also in dominating culture. In this view, Christ's return is at the culmination (conclusion) of this millennial age, hence the name post-millennial.

Amillennialists believe that the "thousand years" of Revelation 20 is a figurative number indicating the whole period between Jesus' resurrection and his return (i.e. the current church age). In this view Christ now reigns and rules from heaven in and through the church bringing people into the kingdom of God through the preaching of the gospel.

2. Crooked Serpent (Isaiah 27:1), The proud man who enlargeth his desires as hell, and is as death, and cannot be satisfied, but gathereth unto him all nations, and heapeth unto him all peoples (Habbakuk 2:5), The Mighty Man (Psalms 52:1), The Adversary who shall break Israel's strength and spoil her palaces (Amos 3:11), The head over Many Countries (Psalms 110:6), Destroyer of the Gentiles (Jeremiah 4:7), The King of Babylon (Isaiah 30:31-33), The profane wicked Prince of Israel (Ezekiel 21:25), The one who would come in his own name (John 5:43), The Man of Sin and The Son of Perdition (II Thessalonians 2:7)

3. Orthodox Judaism views itself as the continuation of the beliefs and practices of normative Judaism, as accepted by the Jewish nation at Mt. Sinai and codified in successive generations in an ongoing process that continues to this day. Orthodox Judaism believes that both the Written and Oral Torah are of divine origin, and represent the word of G-d. This is similar to the view of the Conservative movement, but the Orthodox movement holds that such information (except for scribal errors) is the exact word of God and does not represent any human creativity or influence. For the Orthodox, the term "Torah" refers to the "Written Law" as interpreted by the "Oral Law," interpreted in turn by the Rishonim (Medieval commentators), and eventually codified in the Codice.

The Talmud in contrast is a collection of man-made interpretations of the Pentateuch (Genesis through Deuteronomy) against which Jesus railed so intensely. The Talmud was taught as being equal with God's inspired Word, even though the practical effect of its teachings were so often the exact opposite of what God had intended. The teachings within the Talmud are saturated with Babylonian and Masonic belief systems and are today wrongly interpreted and confused as being sacred Jewish scripture equivalent to the Torah.

4. Joseph Chambers is a Bible prophecy scholar who supported the view that Babylon would be rebuilt and become the capital of the coming antichrist Kingdom. However Chambers did not infer that Hussein would be the antichrist but rather a pawn orchestrating the rebuilding of Babylon. Many of the books and literature regarding Saddam Hussein being the antichrist are no longer in existence as many ministries withdrew such content when it became obviously clear that Saddam was not the antichrist and especially after his overthrow in 2003.

5. In Jack Van Impe's 11:59 and Counting on Page 57-60 he quotes from the Epistle of Barnabas, the Jewish Talmud and Archbishop James Ussher regarding the year 1997 – 2000 AD as the climax of the ages.

The late Barry Smith in his book "I Spy With My Little Eye" writes on page 8, "By the 1st January 2000, the economy as we know it today, will cease to exist!" Then again on page 2, "The author is racing to finish this book and get it out to the public before 31st December 1999. Why? Because within a period of two months (Nov/December 1999), nobody will be buying books as the Old World (sic) Order comes to a close and the New World Order commences on the 1st January 2000." On pages 103, 107 and 116 we read, "The New World Order, announced by Skull and Bones member, ex-U.S. President George Bush, commences at 12:01 a.m., 1st January 2000", "Welcome to the New World Order" and "The bubble will burst at the end of 1999. Smith also had believed that Henry Kissinger was the antichrist.

6. The early church fathers fall into three basic categories, Apostolic Fathers, Ante-Nicene Church Fathers and Post-Nicene Church Fathers. The Apostolic Church Fathers were the ones like Clement of Rome who were contemporary with the

Apostles and were probably taught by them, carrying on the tradition and teaching of the Apostles themselves. Linus, mentioned in 2 Timothy 4:21, became the bishop of Rome after Peter was martyred, and Clement took over from Linus. Both Linus and Clement of Rome, therefore, are considered Apostolic Fathers. However, there appear to be no writings of Linus that have survived, while many of the writings of Clement of Rome survived. The actual Apostolic Fathers who were taught by the apostles would have largely all passed from the scene by the beginnings of the second century, except for those few that might have been disciples of John the Apostle, such as Polycarp. John died in Ephesus around 99 A. D.

The Ante-Nicene Fathers were those who were after the Apostolic Fathers and before the Council of Nicea in 325 A. D. Such luminaries as Irenaeus, Ignatius, and Justin Martyr are Ante-Nicene Fathers. After the Council of Nicea in 325 A. D. arose the Church Fathers who are considered Post-Nicene. Here, there are such noted men as Augustine, bishop of Hippo, who is often called the father of the Church (Roman Catholic Church) because of his great work in Church doctrine; Chrysostom, the golden-mouthed, for his excellent oratorical skills; and Eusebius, who wrote a history of the Church from the birth of Jesus to 324 A. D., one year before the Council of Nicea. He is included in the Post-Nicene era since he did not write his history until after the Council of Nicea was held. Other Post-Nicene Fathers were

Jerome, who translated the Greek New Testament into the Latin Vulgate, and Ambrose, who was largely responsible for the emperor Constantine being converted to Christianity

The Apostolic Fathers were very concerned about the proclamation of the Gospel being just as the Apostles themselves proclaimed it. They were not interested in formulating theological doctrine, for the Gospel they had learned from the Apostles was quite sufficient for them as far as orthodoxy was concerned. The Apostolic Fathers were as zealous as the Apostles themselves in rooting out and exposing any false doctrine that began to crop up here and there. The orthodoxy of the message was preserved by the Apostolic Fathers' desire to stay as true to the Gospel taught to them by the Apostles as they possibly could.

The Ante-Nicene Fathers also tried to stay as true to the Gospel they had been taught as possible, but they had an additional worry not present with the Apostolic Fathers. Now there were several spurious writings claiming to have the same weight as established writings from the likes of Paul, Peter, and Luke. The reason for these spurious documents was quite evident, for if the Body of Christ could be persuaded that a false document was the same as a document that was seen as genuine, then the false document would be seen as genuine also. So the Ante-Nicene Fathers begin to spend a lot of their time defending the Christian faith from false doctrine, and this led to the beginnings of the formation of accepted church doctrine.

The Post-Nicene Fathers carried out the mission of the defense of the Gospel against all kinds of heresies and false doctrines, so more and more the Post-Nicene Fathers began to be more interested in the defense of the Gospel and less interested in the transmitting of the Gospel in a true and pure form, which was the hallmark of the Apostolic Fathers. By the time of Augustine, the need to defend against heresies and false doctrines had reached the point that the true doctrine of the Body of Christ was pretty much settled on. This was the age of the theologian who would discuss arcane topics to death, such as "how many angels can dance on the head of a pin."

7. A very good overview of the importance of the early church fathers can be seen at the following website which provides a clear overview of some the early Christian heresies which they battled.

http://www.religionfacts.com/christianity/history/church_fathers.htm

8. Origen taught that God would save everyone and that Mary was a perpetual virgin; Irenaeus believed that the bread and wine became the body and blood of Jesus when consecrated, as did John Chrysostom and Cyril of Jerusalem; Athanasius taught salvation through baptism; Tertullian became a supporter of the Montanist heresies, and a promoter of a New Testament clergy class, as did his disciple Cyprian; Augustine was the principal architect of Catholic dogma that included his support of purgatory, baptismal regeneration, and infant baptism, mortal and venial sins, prayers to the dead, penance for sins, absolution from a priest, the sinlessness of Mary, the Apocrypha as Scripture, etc. It's not that these men got everything wrong; some on certain doctrines, upheld Scripture against the developing unbiblical dogmas of the Roman Catholic Church.

9. The phrase sola scriptura is from the Latin: sola having the idea of "alone," "ground," "base," and the word scriptura meaning "writings" - referring to the Scriptures. Sola scriptura means that Scripture alone is authoritative for the faith and practice of the Christian. The Bible is complete, authoritative, and true. "All Scripture is 'God breathed' (given of inspiration of God) and is profitable for teaching, reproof, correction, instruction in righteousness..." (2 Timothy 3:16).

Sola scriptura was the rallying cry of the Protestant Reformation. For centuries the Roman Catholic Church had made its traditions superior in authority to the Bible. This resulted in many practices that were in fact contradictory to the Bible. Some examples are prayer to saints and/or Mary, the immaculate conception, transubstantiation, infant baptism, indulgences, and papal authority. Martin Luther, the founder of the Lutheran Church and father of the Protestant Reformation, was publicly rebuking the Catholic Church for its unbiblical teachings. The Catholic Church threatened Martin Luther with excommunication (and death) if he did not recant. Martin Luther's reply was, "Unless therefore I am convinced by the testimony of Scripture, or by the clearest reasoning, - unless I am persuaded by means of the passages I have quoted, - and unless they thus render my conscience bound by the Word of God, I cannot and will not retract, for it is unsafe for a Christian to speak against his conscience. Here I stand, I can do no other; may God help me! Amen!"

The primary Catholic argument against sola scriptura is that the Bible does not explicitly teach sola scriptura. Catholics argue, "the Bible nowhere states that it is the ONLY authoritative guide for faith and practice." While this is true, it fails to recognize a crucially important issue. We know that the Bible is the Word of God. The Bible declares itself to be God-breathed, inerrant, and authoritative. We also know that God does not change His mind or contradict Himself. So, while the Bible itself may not explicitly argue for "sola scriptura," it most definitely does not allow for traditions that contradict its message. Sola scriptura is not as much of an argument against tradition as it is an argument against unbiblical, extra-biblical and/or anti-biblical doctrines. The only way to know for sure what God expects of us is to stay true to what we know He has revealed – the Bible. We can know, beyond the shadow of any doubt, that Scripture is true, authoritative, and reliable. The same cannot be said of tradition.

The Word of God is the only authority for the Christian faith. Traditions are valid only when they are based on Scripture and are in full agreement with Scripture. Traditions that contradict the Bible are not of God and are not a valid aspect of the Christian faith. Sola scriptura is the only way to avoid subjectivity and personal opinion from taking priority over the teachings of the Bible. The essence of sola scriptura is basing your spiritual life on the Bible alone, and rejecting any tradition or teaching that is not in full agreement with the Bible. Second Timothy 2:15 declares, "Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a workman who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the Word of truth."

10. The writings of the early church fathers can be viewed here <http://www.newadvent.org/fathers>

11. Letter to the Philadelphians 7:1 [A.D. 135].

12. Dialogue with Trypho, Chapter 110.

13. Against Marcion 5:16 [A.D. 210]

14. Against Heresies 5:25:1-2 [A.D. 189]].

15. Catechetical Lectures 15:12 [A.D. 350].

16. The Antichrist 6 [A.D. 200].

17. Divine Institutes 7:17 [A.D. 307]].

18. The mainstream evangelic view is that "the he that letteth" in II Thessalonians 2:7 is the Holy Spirit or the Bride of Christ whom the Spirit indwells.

19. Arianism is the core of the Jehovah Witness teachings on the nature of God. Sabellianism is the core of the Apostolic Church and United Pentecostal teachings on the nature of God which is known as modalism.

20. Hippolytus: (AD. 170-236) states

"As these things, then, are in the future, and as the ten toes of the image are equivalent to (so many) democracies, and the ten horns of the fourth beast are distributed over ten kingdoms, let us look at the subject a little more closely, and consider these matters as in the clear light of a personal survey. The golden head of the image and the lioness denoted the Babylonians; the shoulders and arms of silver, and the bear, represented the Persians and Medes; the belly and thighs of brass, and the leopard, meant the Greeks, who held the sovereignty from Alexander's time; the legs of iron, and the beast dreadful and terrible, expressed the Romans, who hold the sovereignty at present; the toes of the feet which were part clay and part iron, and the ten horns, were emblems of the kingdoms that are yet to rise; the other little horn that grows up among them meant the Antichrist in their midst; the stone that smites the earth and brings judgment upon the world was Christ." [Treatise on Christ and Antichrist, 27,28].

21. While not as consistently developed as modern futurism, the early church would have to be classified as inconsistent futurists, more than any of the other three possibilities. With a few exceptions, the early church believed that events of the tribulation, millennium, and second coming were to take place in the future.

22. Robert L. Wilkin, "The Piety of the Persecutors." Christian History, Issue 27 (Vol. IX, No. 3), p. 18.

23. Robert L. Wilkin, *ibid.*

24. Tacitus, *Annals*.

25. Tacit. *Annals* XV.

26. History of the Origins of Christianity. Book IV. The Antichrist <http://www.ccel.org/ccel/renan/antichrist.viii.html>

27. Tacitus' *Annals* XV.

28. For an understanding of the development and history of Gematria see <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Gematria>

29. Tacitus II.

30. The International Preterist Association can be accessed here. <http://www.preterist.org/>

31. See here for further insight into Partial Preterism http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Partial_preterism

32. The sources of Commodianus's information were the Bible — principally the Apocalypse, the Prophets, and the Fourth Book of Esdras — the Sibylline oracles, Tertullian, Minucius Felix, Cyprian, and Lactantius. From Terence, Lucretius, Horace, Cicero, and most of all from Virgil, he borrows modes of expression. His theology is not reliable; besides Millenarianism, he seems to profess Monarchianism and Patripassianism, two heresies in regard to the Trinity. His language is not only crude, but incorrect, and it would be a mistake to seek in Commodianus the origin of versification based on accent. His works are a collection of "Instructions" and a "Carmen apologeticum"

33. Irenaeus: *Against Heresies*, Book V, XXX.

34. A detailed history of the Waldneses can be seen here <http://www.reformedreader.org/history/wylie/toc.htm>

35. Thomas Armitage, *A History of the Baptists*, I, 1890, pp. 311,12.

36. Smalcald Articles 2:4:10, 14.

37. The Westminster Confession of Faith is a Reformed confession of faith, in the Calvinist theological tradition. Although drawn up by the 1646 Westminster Assembly, largely of the Church of England, it became and remains the 'subordinate standard' of doctrine in the Church of Scotland, and has been influential within Presbyterian churches worldwide. The *Creeks of Christendom*, vol. 3, at the Christian Classics Ethereal Library.

38. This Historicist interpretation was favoured by many of the great writers, thinkers and preachers of the historic Christian church since the Reformation of the 16th century. While the earliest Reformers, like Martin Luther and John Calvin, did interpret prophecy according to a historicist framework, they retained the interpretation of "the thousand years" of Revelation 20, known today as, "Amillennialism," that was promoted at that time by the Roman Catholic Church. From the late 16th century until the 20th century, the historicist interpretation of prophecy, coupled with a "Premillennial" view of Revelation 20, was common among Bible-believing Protestants around the globe. That particular brand of end-times beliefs, called, "Premillennial Historicism," was accompanied by a great surge in world missions, the founding of many mission-minded Bible institutes and colleges, and a wealth of creative and doctrinally sound literature engaging the issues of the times. Some of the most influential men who shared the premillennial historicist interpretation, and lived during this period, included Henry Grattan Guinness, A. J. Gordon, Charles H. Spurgeon and A. B. Simpson. A full insight into the Historicist school of interpretation can be found at <http://www.historicism.com>

39. *The Great Controversy, chapter on "The Waldenses",*

40. <http://www.seventh-day.org/sda-papacy.htm> provides significant detail on a major internal debate within the Seventh Day Adventist Movement as some of its top leaders have made significant attempts to rebuild bridges with the Roman Catholic Church. In 2000 a major release was published by the Seventh Day Adventist global headquarters in Warsaw Poland regarding Catholicism's revised view of the movement. Recognizing each other's autonomy and independence, the document was issued following 15 years of dialogue aimed at better understanding of the teachings and practice of the Catholic and the Adventist Churches, as well as improving relations without compromising each other's identity.

41. *A Woman Rides The Beast, Dave Hunt.*

42. While not as consistently developed as modern futurism, the early church would have to be classified as inconsistent futurists, more than any of the other three possibilities. With a few exceptions, the early church believed that events of the tribulation, millennium, and second coming were to take place in the future. As anti-millennial views begin to arise in the third century, and the Christianization of the Roman Empire through Constantine spread in the fourth century, futurism began to be displaced. As the fourth century turned into the fifth, Jerome and Augustine's influence against futurism drove it underground during the thousand-year era of medievalism. But there remained during this time pockets of futurist interpretation scattered throughout a number of the groups who refused to come under Roman Catholic authority. Further, there have been discoveries of medieval apocalypticism during this time which wrote from varying degrees of futurism.

The Reformation brought a return to a study of the sources. In Northern Europe those sources included the early church writers and aided in a renewal of the study of prophecy from a futurist perspective within the Roman Catholic and then the Protestant churches. The Jesuit, Francisco Ribera (1537-1591) was one of the first to revive an undeveloped form of futurism around 1580. Because of the dominance of historicism, futurism made virtually no headway in Protestantism until the 1820's through Church of England scholar S. R. Maitland in 1826. In the late 1820s, futurism began to gain converts and grow in the British Isles, often motivated by a revived interest in God's plan for Israel, during which time it gained one of its most influential converts in John Nelson Darby. Through Darby and other Brethren expositors, futurism spread to America and throughout the evangelical world. The last one hundred years have seen for the first time, the full development of consistent futurism. This has led in turn to the formulation of dispensationalism and a clearer understanding of the pretribulational rapture of the church.

43. *A History Of The Franks, by Gregory Tours, Translated by Lewis Thorpe.*

44. *Charlemagne, Derek Wilson.*

45. *A History Of Medieval Political Thought, 300-1450, Joseph Canning.*

46. *The Second Messiah (96:79-83), Knight and Robert Lomas.*

47. Searching for the Real Jesus in an Age of Controversy (Harvest House) by Dr. Douglas Groothuis is an excellent introduction to radical, feminist, and New Age attempts to rewrite Church history and undermine the Christian understanding of Jesus Christ. Written for a popular audience, it contains helpful information about Gnosticism and the "Gnostic Jesus." It is currently out of print, but used copies can be found on abebooks.com. Also, several of Dr. Groothuis's articles on Gnosticism and its modern "rebirth" are available online:

48. JR Church Church, whose ministry is national and world wide through the Internet, has authored many books. Among those books are, Hidden Prophecies in the Psalms, published first in 1986, and then revised in 1990; Guardians of the Grail: And the Men Who Plan to Rule the World, 1989; They Pierced The Veil, 1993; Hidden Prophecies in the Song Of Moses, 1999; The Mystery Of The Menorah written with Gary Stearman, 1999; On the Eve of Adam: God's Ancient Plan for Lucifer's Defeat, 2001; Guardians of the Grail: And the Men Who Plan to Rule the World. Guardians of the Grail explores the legend of the Holy Grail and the kings who claim to be connected with it. It links the Knights Templar, Priory of Sion, the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, House of Theosophy, and modern Mormonism. The book also discusses the way that mankind will be deceived into accepting worldwide enslavement under the guise of "peace and prosperity" in the person of the Antichrist and his establishment.

49. Godfrey, Duke of Lower Lorraine, was one of the leaders of the First Crusade. When the Pope issued his summons to the Crusade, Godfrey joined the French knights leaving for the Holy Land, together with his brother Baldwin. In order to finance his expenses, he mortgaged his entire property. His army was made up of Walloons, Flemings, and Germans. On July 15, 1099, his soldiers were the first to break through to Jerusalem, and took part in the subsequent massacre of the Jewish and Muslim residents of the city. On July 22, he was named ruler of Jerusalem. This choice, in which Godfrey de Bouillon was preferred to Raymond de Saint-Giles, was the best solution to the problem faced by the conquerors of Jerusalem, who had to decide the status of Jerusalem's ruler, and to whom he would be subject. Thus, Godfrey was awarded the title of "Defender of the Holy Sepulchre." For the rest of the single year in which he held this title, Godfrey managed to extend the boundaries of the Crusader state and to lay the foundations of its organization. After his one year of rule, he died and was buried in the Church of the Holy Sepulchre.

50. The Paneuropa, currently headed by Otto Habsburg, was founded in 1923 by Richard Nikolaus Count Coudenhove-Kalergi. It is credited with some influence over the creation of what is now the European Union. Paneuropa is, unsurprisingly, more active in Austria and the former Austro-Hungarian states. It is very anti-Communist and Christian Democratic in political orientation, with a strong Catholic influence. The flag of the Paneuropa Movement, as seen on the main square in Zagreb, in the house of Croatian Council of European Movement, an organization that is promoting the European idea, is similar to the flag of the European Union with a yellow disc with a red cross on it placed inside the ring of stars. The cross is the symbol of Christendom and the sun symbolizes the European civilization enlightening the world. After the Second World War, the flag was used by the European Parliamentary Union.

51. http://80.78.71.243/cedi/Eng_Main.aspx

52. See the book called Uncrowned Emperor, The Life and Times of Otto Van Habsburg for greater detail of his role throughout the 20th century.

53. Institute For The Study of Globalization and Covert Politics <http://www.isgp.eu/intro.htm>

54. The Social Order of Tomorrow, Karl Von Habsburg, Newman Press, 1959.

55. The Antichrist King Juan Carlos, Charles Taylor, 1994.

56. The belief that Javier Solana is the antichrist is a view supported by Constance E Cumbeys and Herb Peters. Cumbeys is author of the # 1 Best Seller The Hidden Dangers of the Rainbow.

57. The award sponsors assert that the list of Charlemagne Prize winners reflects the history of the European process of unification. They continue that it has been awarded to the founding fathers of the United Europe such as de Gasperi, Schuman, Monnet and Adenauer, and to those who have embodied hope for integration such as Edward Heath, Konstantin

Karamanlis, and His Majesty Juan Carlos I. Previous winners of the prize include Winston Churchill, Paul Henri Spaak, Henry Kissinger, King Juan Carlos, Jacques Delors, Queen Beatrix of Netherlands, Bill Clinton and Pope John Paul II.

58. http://www.aachen.de/EN/sb/pr_az/karls_pr/laureates/declaration_07/declaration07.html

59. http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/historic_figures/bonaparte_napoleon.shtml

60. Carroll, Bob. Napoleon Bonaparte (The Importance Of). San Diego: Lucent Books, 1994.

61. Hitler's Pope: The Secret History of Pius XII, John Cornwell. The full details of the concordat between Hitler and the Vatican can be viewed at <http://www.concordatwatch.eu>. In October 2008 The Vatican rejected requests to immediately open its secret archives on wartime Pope Pius XII, who critics say did not speak out enough to save Jews during Hitler's extermination campaign. But a Jewish leader said Pope Benedict XVI told a Jewish group he would give "serious consideration" to their request to freeze the sainthood process for Pius XII until the archives on Pius' papacy were opened. The Vatican says Benedict has been reflecting on documentation gathered by Church officials about Pius XII's virtues as part of the process toward possible beatification, the last formal step before possible sainthood.

62. Dr. Ben Weider, When the Ghetto walls came tumbling down. Further information on Napoleon and his treatment of the Jews can be found at <http://www.napoleonicociety.com> an organization formed by Dr Ben Weider.

63. Binchy, D.A. Church and State in Fascist Italy. London: Oxford University Press, 1941.

64. David Pack, Worldwide Church of God

65. The Theosophical Society, founded in 1875, is a worldwide body whose primary object is Universal Brotherhood based on the realization that life, and all its diverse forms, human and non-human, is indivisibly One.

66. The activities of the Lucis Trust promote the education of the human mind towards recognition and practice of the spiritual principles and values upon which a stable and interdependent world society may be based. The Lucis Trust is non-political and non-sectarian. It sponsors no special creed or dogma. www.lucistrust.org

67. Creme, Benjamin. The Reappearance of the Christ and the Masters of Wisdom. Tara Press, 1980.

68. Creme, Benjamin. Maitreya's Mission. 3 vols. Share International Foundation, 1986, 1993, 1997.

69. http://www.lucistrust.org/en/service_activities/world_goodwill_1/purposes_objectives

70. The 1893 Parliament, which ran from September 11 to September 27, had marked the first formal gathering of representatives of Eastern and Western spiritual traditions. Today it is recognized as the occasion of the birth of formal interreligious dialogue worldwide. Absent from this event were Native American religious figures, Sikhs and other Indigenous and Earth centered religionists. (It would not be until the 1993 Parliament that these religions and spiritual traditions would be represented. The conference did include new religious movements of the time, such as Spiritualism and Christian Science. The latter was represented by its founder Mary Baker Eddy. Rev. Henry Jessup addressing the World Parliament of Religions was the first to mention the Bahá'í Faith in the United States (it had previously been known in Europe.[1]) Since then Bahá'ís have become active participants. The Buddhist preacher Anagarika Dharmapala was invited there as a representative of "Southern Buddhism" - which was the term applied at that time to the Theravada.

71. Taken from <http://www.parliamentofreligions.org/index.cfm?n=1&sn=1>

72. http://www.christianresearchservice.com/Benny_Hinn.htm

73. Paul Henri Spaak, Council of Europe, 1949

74. A hallmark research and one of the most respected publications ever into the area of a quest for a one world religion is the book, False Dawn authored by Lee Pen published by Sophia.

75. David Ickes materials can be viewed at <http://www.davidicke.com> . Icke argues that he has developed a moral and political worldview that combines New Age spiritualism with a passionate denunciation of what he sees as totalitarian and Orwellian trends in the modern world, a position that has been described as "New Age conspiracism." At the heart of Icke's theories is the view that the world is ruled by a secret group referred to as the "Global Elite" or "Illuminati," which he has linked to The Protocols of the Elders of Zion, an anti-Semitic hoax. In 1999, he published The Biggest Secret, in which he wrote that the Illuminati are a race of reptilian humanoids known as the Babylonian Brotherhood, and that many prominent figures are reptilian, including George W. Bush, Queen Elizabeth II, Kris Kristofferson.

William Cooper is the author of Behold A Pale Horse. The book has become the best selling underground book of all time. It is read and promoted by word of mouth by People of all races, religions, and nationalities.

76. The Cosmic Conspiracy, Stan Deyo, West Australian Texas Trading, 1992.

77. In February, 2006, Pastor John Hagee decided the time had come to create a national grassroots movement focused on the support of Israel. He called upon Christian leaders from across America to join him in launching this new initiative. Over 400 Christian leaders answered the call and Christians United for Israel was born. Since that date, CUFI has quickly grown to be the largest Christian grassroots movement in America. We now have state directors in every state in the union, and we have city directors in over 90 of America's leading cities. In July 2008, 4,500 Christians from all 50 states came to Washington, D.C. to participate in the second annual CUFI Washington-Israel Summit. And CUFI has only just begun.

78. A biography of Barack Obama from <http://www.biography.com/featured-biography/barack-obama/bio-print.html>

79. In February 2008 Republican presidential candidate John McCain moved to distance himself Friday from the views of a San Antonio televangelist who Democrats say peddles anti-Catholic and other intolerant speech. But Mr. McCain refused to renounce the endorsement of John Hagee, a leading figure in the Christian Zionist movement. "In no way did I intend for his endorsement to suggest that I in turn agree with all of Pastor Hagee's views, which I obviously do not," he said in a prepared statement. The campaign issued the statement after two days of criticism from the Democratic National Committee, the Catholic League and Catholics United, who say Mr. Hagee has written negative things about the Catholic Church.

80. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mopkn0IPzM8>

81. The Matthew 25 Network is a community of Christians – Catholic, Protestant, Orthodox, Pentecostal, and Evangelical – inspired by the Gospel mandate to put our faith into action to care for their community. <http://www.matthew25.org>

82. Time Magazine. Election 08, August 2008.

83. <http://transcripts.cnn.com/TRANSCRIPTS/080814/ec.01.html>

84. Barack Obama through Muslim Eyes, FrontpageMagazine.com, August 25th, 2008-11-03.

85. <http://edition.cnn.com/2008/POLITICS/07/24/obama.words>

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"A lot of prophecy books cross my desk, but this one--this one--you have to get.... [The] premise is provocative and...[the] book is historically fascinating, and it's far more illuminating than many.... [Moreover, it] exhaustively documents a possible identity of the coming world leader, and we find the book...an absolute jewel.... I am profoundly impressed...." -- Chuck Missler, Author, Alien Encounters

"Challenging, informative, and timely, Tim Cohen's material is must reading!" -- Gary Kah, Author, En Route to Global Occupation

"Essentially, the entire book presents a fairly solid case for...a possible candidate for [the role of the] Anti-christ. It is definitely worth a read!" -- William Schnoebelen, Author, Wicca, Satan's Little White Lie and Masonry, Beyond The Light

"For the first time, the average person can understand the organizations that are already in place that will allow one man to control the world. This book is must reading for those who desire to understand the real power brokers behind the New World Order." -- Sid Roth, Author and President, Messianic Vision

"Provocatively titled, this book should become the object of the fascination of many...." "Any reader will...absorb more knowledge than would be the case from nearly every prophetic manuscript which he has read...." -- Dr. David Breese, Author, Seven Men Who Rule the World from the Grave

"Rarely has a book been so thoroughly researched! The uniqueness of Tim Cohen's work is the way he brings so many facts together that point to a possible candidate for the...'Antichrist.'.... The historical 'connections' are worth the price of the book alone." -- Dr. David Hocking, Author and President, Hope for Today

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Illuminati go back to people who at one time lived in Babylon and Egypt. The Merovingian cult is steeped with Occult symbols with those possessing it believing themselves to be true and rightful heirs of Jerusalem, they being the true Kingdom of [their] God on earth and gods of a Divine Monarchy whose right it is to rule the world. Heresy at best as some might attribute, yet it is their own elitist belief and prophecy in a soon revealed King from the lineage of King David, of Anglo-Messianic descent which arises to preside over all the world at a time he's needed most, that is most intriguing.

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This book is a fascinating, frightening comparative analysis of Islamic and Christian eschatology. The author is a Christian (Protestant) who has studied Islam during the course of his long-term involvement in interfaith dialogues. Drawing from the Koran and the Sunna--the two principle sources of Islamic doctrines--he has identified the prophesied Islamic Messiah, Muhammed al Mahdi, as a figure quite similar to the Christian "Antichrist," as described in the book of Revelations, and in the Judaic prophecies of Ezekial and Daniel. He then demonstrates that the returning "Jesus" (Isa) of Islamic eschatology is quite similar to the Christian "false prophet," who will, in fact serve the Antichrist in the conquest and destruction of Israel, presenting himself to the world as a non-divine "Jesus" who is subservient to Allah and his Mahdi. The author's interpretation of the two prophetic traditions is that the Mahdi will re-establish the Islamic Ottoman Empire, which was essentially built on the foundation of the Orthodox Christian Byzantine Empire. This book is particularly frightening in light of the current turmoil in the Persian Gulf. For example, the militias of the Shi'a leader of Iraq, Mohktada al Sadr, is now called the "Mahdi" army. Muhammed al Mahdi is supposed to return to earth, presumably reuniting the Sunna and Shi'a factions of Islam by his presence. The prophesied destruction of Israel in the end times is supposed to originate in Khorasan, modern day Iran. Skeptics will scoff at the whole concept of prophesy, and the perrenial concerns about the "end times," but, after reading this book, I certainly wonder if we are witnessing the beginning of a pan-Islamic reign of terror in the Middle East, and around the world. (Amazon Review)

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- The Southern Kingdom of Judah which included the tribes of Benjamin and Levi, and
- The Northern Kingdom of Israel which included the remaining ten tribes.

About 721 BCE, the latter was captured by the Assyrians. According to historians and archaeologists, its population was taken into captivity, and assimilated. Non-Hebrews were imported in the region and the Northern Kingdom ceased to exist. However, British Israel writers developed the belief that these "ten tribes" were able to retain their identity and cohesiveness, became lost to history, and wandered far from the Middle East. They concluded that the stone used in the coronation of King David was transported to the British Isles where it exists today as the Stone of Scone. The latter stone is still used for the coronation of British queens and kings. The writers promoted the belief that divine authority was transferred from ancient Israel to England along with the stone. In reality, the origin of the Stone of Scone has been traced to rock outcroppings in Scotland using standard geological analysis methods.

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329. The Anglo Saxon concept is found in movements such as British-Israelism (Anglo-Israelism) which is the belief and teaching of a number of religious groups, that the 10 "lost" tribes of Israel are actually the Anglo-Saxon race and are specifically the people of Great Britain. By definition, then, the Anglo-Saxon (or white) people are the true Israelites, being the descendants of Abraham and are the only chosen people of God and heirs to the covenant of God. The movement sees the people who are living in Israel today, calling themselves Jews, as impostors who mistakenly identify themselves with the Israelites, but are, in fact, descendants of Judah and are not the chosen people of God and are not part of the covenant of God. This belief and teaching is popular in many circles, religious and otherwise. It provides a convenient foundation for the justification of attacks on the current Jewish people and the anti-Semitism that is found in the world today. By joining themselves to the teaching and belief, people claim that they are not anti-Semitic because the real Jews are Anglo-Saxons and therefore they, themselves, are the true Semites.

330. The principal belief of Anglo/British Israelism is that the British (and by extension Americans, Canadians, Australians, and others) are the spiritual and literal descendants of the ancient Israelites.

Anglo-Israelism has a long history. The Puritan colonists in America also viewed themselves as spiritual descendants of the ancient Israelites. However, it was not until 1840 that John Wilson published "Lectures on our Israelitish Origin" and first proclaimed that the British people were the actual genetic descendants of God's chosen people.

The Hebrew Scriptures (Old Testament) records how a schism occurred among the ancient Hebrews, separating the land into:

- The Southern Kingdom of Judah which included the tribes of Benjamin and Levi, and
- The Northern Kingdom of Israel which included the remaining ten tribes.

About 721 BCE, the latter was captured by the Assyrians. According to historians and archaeologists, its population was taken into captivity, and assimilated. Non-Hebrews were imported in the region and the Northern Kingdom ceased to exist. However, British Israel writers developed the belief that these "ten tribes" were able to retain their identity and cohesiveness, became lost to history, and wandered far from the Middle East. They concluded that the stone used in the coronation of King David was transported to the British Isles where it exists today as the Stone of Scone. The latter stone is still used for the coronation of British queens and kings. The writers promoted the belief that divine authority was transferred from ancient Israel to England along with the stone. In reality, the origin of the Stone of Scone has been traced to rock outcroppings in Scotland using standard geological analysis methods.

British Israelism was quite popular during the ascent of the British Empire, but quickly lost favor as the Empire was converted into a Commonwealth of Nations. In the early years of the 20th century, Charles Parham and John Allen were the main teachers of British-Israelism in the United States. Parham later went on to be a major influence in the Pentecostal movement. Allen's book "Judah's Scepter and Joseph's Birthright" spread the concept through the Adventist and other churches. British Israelism formed a main part of the foundation of Herbert W. Armstrong's Worldwide Church of God.

331. This information is taken from a book from a former Luciferian Illuminist, Doc Marquis. His book is "Secrets of the Illuminati" and reveals much formerly hidden detail known only to Illuminists

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