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Promoting a Christian Agenda for the End Times

To the glory of the Lord Jesus Christ, this is the **100th issue** of Church Arise! 18 years and still going strong and deeper by His grace. Please note the slight change in the ID label on the mast above.

PM David Cameron Attends Festival of Life, Re-affirms that UK is unapologetically a Christian Nation

The status and influence of the bi-annual Festival of Life organized in London by the Redeemed Christian Church of God (RCCG) continues to grow in leaps and bounds with each edition. Among the 45,000 people that thronged the Royal Victoria Dock venue of the latest edition held overnight, 17-18 April was UK's Prime Minister, Mr David Cameron. Prior to his appearance at the gathering, the Prime Minister had had a private audience with Pastor Enoch Adeboye, the General Overseer of the RCCG and main minister at the meeting.

Started 19 years ago, the Festival of Life is the equivalent of the Holy Ghost Service that holds monthly at the Redemption Camp and periodically at other venues in and outside Nigeria. In England, it holds every April and October.

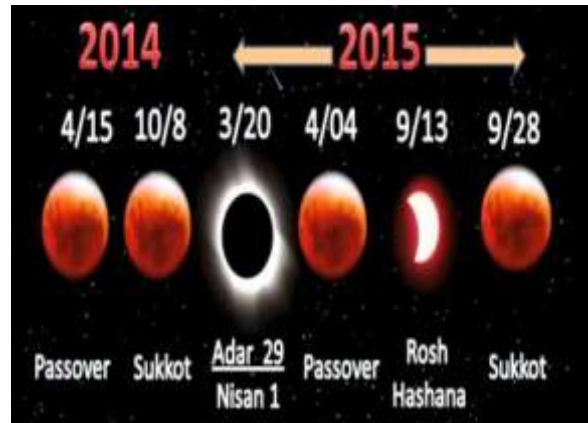
At the recent meeting in London, David Cameron re-emphasised (see CA! Vol 17 Qtr 2) that the UK is a Christian nation and it has no apology for so being. "Let us be proud that this is a Christian country where we stand for the freedom to practice your faith and where we stand up for Christians and all those who are persecuted anywhere in our world" Cameron publicly declared.

This is a sharp contrast to the situation in the United States where President Obama continues to pander to the Moslem world. (Read the rest of this article on our blog at <http://churcharise.blogspot.com/2015/05/pm-david-cameron-attends-festival-of.html>)

Imminent tumultuous changes in the Catholic Church, point to coming new One World Religion

Pope Francis seems to be giving credence to such prophecies as that of [St Malachy](#), proclaiming that a tough future awaits the catholic church and that he (Pope Francis) would be the last to hold that office. Not only is the Pontiff predicting that his tenure is [about to end](#), he actually expects to be assassinated!

Now, who could want to do that? → pg 3



Blood Moon tetrad rounding off

In [Volume 16 Quarter 4](#) (2013), we wrote extensively on the 2014-2015 blood moon tetrad. We noted that this tetrad is only the eighth such tetrads since the Lord's first coming that would coincide with Jewish Feasts; and that the next one meeting the bill would not come up for the next 567 years, which in the opinion of many of us, is way too far to be of eschatological relevance. All blood-moon tetrads coinciding with Jewish feasts have always, historically, portended significant challenges for the Jews.

Now, three of the four blood-moon phenomena have come to pass, exactly as predicted. The third one happening on Jewish Passover of April 4. The last one is expected on September 28, at Succoth (the Feast of Tabernacles). Again, within this tetrad, on March 20, there was the ominous [total solar eclipse](#), observed in the [North Pole region](#) (and partially across Europe). Traditionally a solar eclipse falling on the first day of the Jewish New year (Nissan 1) is taken as a sign of coming judgement in Israel

Are we expecting the heavens to fall between now and September 28? Seriously, we would not be surprised if it did! Any one of the → pg 2

Witchdoctors outlawed in Tanzania to stop relentless ritual killings of albinos

Tanzania has officially proscribed witchdoctors from practicing in the country and so far, apologists for traditional religions have not found their voice to criticize the action. The drastic decision followed the unrelenting abductions and killing of albinos for rituals in that country.

[According to](#) Tanzania's Home Affairs Minister Mathias Chikawe: "We have identified that witch doctors are the ones who ask people to bring albino body parts to create magical charms which they claim can get them rich. We will leave no stone unturned until we end these evil acts."

However the proscription has not done much to bring succor to the estimated 17,000 albinos ([1 in 1429 births](#) in Tanzania give an albino) in that country. Cases of abductions of albinos, even from their [homes](#) especially in rural settings continue to be reported and police have started arresting and detaining witchdoctors. In March, some 32 were reportedly detained in the North-Western Geita region, while another 200 traditional healers/witchdoctors were hauled into detention a week later.

Apparently, the battle is still just beginning. Government was actually forced to pronounce the proscription of traditional witchdoctors based on the realization that the evil market-demand for albinos was bound to soar in view of the country's coming general elections - when candidates are expected to flood to witchdoctors seeking "traditional protections and goodluck charms".

According to the [Red Cross](#), witchdoctors are prepared to pay \$75,000 for a complete set of albino body parts.

Josephat Torner, an activist fighting for the rights and safety of albinos in Tanzania averred that even family members, tempted by the huge price, have been known to sell their own kiths and kins to witch doctors for money. "I have found many parents who have been convicted for this," said Josephat, who himself is an albino. "They sold their children to the killers."

This statement has been corroborated on many occasions. For instance, the husband of Zawadi Mangidu was among the four people sentenced for her killing in 2008 in Geita at the age of 22. Similarly the biological father of 4-year old Pendo Emmanuelle Nundi snatched from home in Kwimba district was among the 15 suspects initially [arrested](#) in connection with her disappearance.

According to UN statistics, nearly 80 albino-related murders have been reported in Tanzania in the past 15 years, averaging one every other month.

At Church Arise! we have always argued ([CA! VOL 16 NO 3](#)) that while the religious preference of individuals should be respected, those whose religion overtly demand the sacrifices of fellow humans certainly need to have some explanations to make to the rest of society.

For more, read: [Fueled by superstition, people are violently attacking albinos in Tanzania.](#)

Blood Moon Tetrad closes September (from p. 1) several events mentioned in recent editions of CA! – from drums of World War III being rehearsed by Russia, to the recent Nuclear negotiations with Iran, or any of the several other events bearing the imprimaturs of Messrs Barack Obama and Bill Gates - any of these is certainly capable, if ignited, of causing sufficient conflagration to literally shake the entire planet.

And true to Bible Prophecies, the Middle East, particularly Jerusalem, remains the "cup of trembling for the nations" and the eye of the forthcoming storm.

[Mark Biltz](#) (the Pastor who first highlighted the 2014-2015 blood-moon tetrad phenomenon) has again brought out to the world's attention that the date (April 1, 2015 = Nissan 13) when Obama's nuclear "framework" deal with the Persian kingdom of Iran was announced actually [coincided](#) with the date a Persian king signed an extermination decree on all Jews in the Bible (Esther 3:10-12).

Even as the world under the leadership of Obama gives Iran the much needed reprieve to continue with her nuclear programme (which even the official UN agency, the IAEA has confirmed to be opaque and capable of being weaponised), Iranian henchmen [continue to swear](#) that the annihilation of Israel from the planet remains their ultimate goal in life, (see [Iranian General: 'Erasing Israel Off the Map' Is 'Nonnegotiable'](#)). The late Ayatollah Khomeini actually created an annual event, [Al-Quds Day](#), serving as reminder that Israel is to be annihilated so that Jerusalem (Al-Quds) can become free of Jewish presence! This year's edition is scheduled for [Friday July 17th](#).

Many Shi'ite Iranians actually expect their messianic figure, the Mahdi to appear [this or next year](#) ahead of the Islamic Jesus who is expected 7 years later in 2022.. As we reported earlier (see Vol 13 No 5, 2010), Shiites believe that the world must be approaching the boiling point before these two end-time figures would appear with their peculiar solution and usher in world-wide peace and government. The Iranians are apparently desperate to precipitate whatever is needed to speed up the coming of their Messiahs, just like evangelical Christians seek to speed up the return of the Lord Jesus Christ by upping their missionary activities in the spirit of Mathew 24:14.

Of course, no one expects Israel to lie down quietly like a lamb to be slaughtered in the face of all these developments. Like Netanyahu gently but firmly told the world in his address to the US Congress, Israel is able and willing to defend itself from any aggression – even if she has to do that alone.

His exact words: "But I can guarantee you this, the days when the Jewish people remained

passive in the face of genocidal enemies, those days are over.

“We are no longer scattered among the nations, powerless to defend ourselves. We restored our sovereignty in our ancient home. And the soldiers who defend our home have boundless courage. For the first time in 100 generations, we, the Jewish people, can defend ourselves.

“This is why — this is why, as a prime minister of Israel, I can promise you one more thing: Even if Israel has to stand alone, Israel will stand.” <http://www.jpost.com/Israel-News/Politics-And-Diplomacy/Full-transcript-of-Netanyahus-Speech-to-Congress-392803>.

These words are certainly clear enough.

And one more point: since the Jewish resistance of the Sicarii committed mass suicide at Massada to prevent being captured by the Romans in 73 AD, Israel’s attitude to genocidal aggressors has reportedly changed to what is called “Samson’s Complex”. Meaning: “if we go down, the whole world comes down with us.” No reasonable person will think the Israelis are merely boasting.

In the light of all these realities, therefore, it certainly makes good sense to pay closer attention to the words of the Lord in Mark 13:33 “Take ye heed, watch and pray: for ye know not when the time is.”

[Holy Altar constructed for 3rd Jewish Temple](#)

Thick excitement is building up within the observant Jewish community as the Temple Institute announced in March the completion of the Altar of the Lord. The altar which the Institute fervently believes will be used in actual sacrifices in a re-built Jewish Temple in the not-too-distant future is essentially “ready for use” after several years of construction. The Lord Jesus categorically stated that at the end-times, the Temple would be rebuilt and sacrifices made on the Altar (Mathew 13:14). He further reinforced the prophesy of Daniel (Daniel 9:27) that the antichrist will defile the Altar (presumably), probably by sacrificing a pig on it, as did by one of his fore-runners, Antiochus Epiphanes (<http://biblehub.com/matthew/24-15.htm>) in 2nd Century BC.

But some Jews can’t seem to wait for Temple to be re-built or the Holy Altar commissioned before sacrificing their Pesach lambs on Mount Moriah, the ancient Temple site. On Friday April 3 the Noam Federman and his son were arrested as they attempted bringing a lamb onto the Temple Mount to sacrifice as a Passover offering (see [Arrested for a Pesach Sacrifice](#)).

It took 46 years building the Temple of Herod’s time (John 2:21). Don’t expect anything that long for the rebuilding of the forthcoming Temple when the

time comes. A Chinese company is currently basking in the euphoria of putting up a 57 storey skyscraper in 19 days, from start to finish (www.theguardian.com/world/2015/apr/30/chinese-construction-firm-erects-57-storey-skyscraper-in-19-days)!

Changes in Catholic Church (from page 1)

Unfortunately, there seems to be no shortage of candidates itching to do something that dastard. Within the catholic church itself, there is a growing number of die-hard catholics who consider the Pope’s liberal moves total anathema. Literally being more catholic than the Pope! Especially touchy is the Pope’s new attitude towards divorce, and re-marriage. Where he seems set to reform the old catholic rule that bars divorced people in a new relationships from taking the Holy Communion. Similarly the Pope is said to consider the law on priestly celibacy to be ‘archaic’ and ‘not part of the doctrine of the Church’.

The Pope created much stirring among conservative catholics when he [received in audience](#) a transsexual – seeing as a tacit endorsement. The local priest had denounced the 48 year old woman-turned-man as ‘the devil’s daughter’ after the sex-swap. According to the Pope’s childhood friend, Oscar Crespo, the Pope is very determined not to back out of these reforms he is set on. The opposition both from [mainstream catholics](#) and [ultra-traditionalists](#) (as in Brazil, France and elsewhere) are also not relenting, and the big clash is expected to occur at a Synod on the Family set for October this year.

Then also are the external forces. Chief of this is probably Islam, which has a long nurtured the dream of having Rome become the fourth holiest city of Islam (after Mecca, Medina and Jerusalem) and the base from which Islam will conquer the Western world. Your regular moslem in the neighborhood may not think much of such aspiration, but groups such as ISIS certainly do! In fact, the Pope [expects his assassination](#) to come from some ISIS-like organization..

{Read the rest on our Blog at <http://churcharise.blogspot.com/2015/05/imminent-tumultuous-changes-in-catholic.html>.

Gays attack on Christian businesses unrelenting

Homosexuals are cashing in on the laws criminalizing “discrimination” against homosexuality in Western countries and using it to target outspoken Christians and their businesses. The plot is simple and straightforward: homosexuals walk into a well-known Christian bakery and ask for special cake for homosexual marriage ceremony (as in the story of

[Randy and Trish McGath](#)) or a Christian florist (such as [Barronelle Stutzman](#) to ask for flower for the “wedding” or they may require the services of a Christian photographer (such as [Elaine Huguenin](#)) for the coverage of the ceremony, and so on, and so forth.. Hawkish lawyers are usually somewhere not far away to document evidences that would be used to prosecute the case later, in anticipation that the business would decline to provide the required services. That of course, according to warped Western thinking is discrimination!

But Christians have insisted that refusing to participate in a ceremony directly forbidden by one’s religious believe cannot be taken as discrimination. After all it is not as if homosexuals are not welcome to come do business on location! .

[Read the rest of this article on our Blog at <http://churcharise.blogspot.com/2015/05/gays-attack-on-christian-businesses.html>]

“Pleasure Activism” – taking lust and immorality to newer depths

A new field of activism is emerging! The setting is a California school district which has posted online a defense of its use of Planned Parenthood personnel for public school sex-education courses. One of the instructors allegedly describes herself as a “pleasure activist” and another leads demonstrations at a nearby “sex toy porn shop” called Good Vibrations. “Pleasure activism” apparently involves helping society to cast off old-fashioned moral restraints, and enjoy the “good hedonistic life”. It certainly also includes learning to preface sexual encounters with correct etiquette at all times. For instance the sex-education class for 13 year olds includes learning to obtain “clear consent” by asking questions such as, “Is it OK if I take off my pants?” (read more at <http://themostimportantnews.com/archives/ok-take-off-pants-pleasure-activist-teaches-sex-ed-13-year-olds-california-high-school>)

Shocking survey finds a THIRD of US male university students would rape a woman if they could get away with it

A third of male University students questioned in a survey in the United States admitted they would rape a woman if they could get away with it. The study found that 32 per cent of the mostly white American participants questioned at the University of North Dakota and at the North Dakota State University admitted they would force a woman to have sex in a ‘consequence-free situation’. However when the question was repeated, pointedly asking if the respondents would rape a woman if they

knew there would be absolutely no consequence, only 14% responded in the affirmative.

One straight deduction from this study is how selfish and depraved our world has become: how many of these men would want their own sisters/mothers/daughters/wives raped? The other deduction is a bit more subtle. As pointed out by the investigators of the study, the discrepancy in the responses to the two questions show that many people will commit evil if only they could find another name for it!

In discussing the findings, the researchers pointed to figures from the US National Center for Injury Prevention and Control in 2012 indicating that about one in five women become the victim of sexual assault while in college in the United States. Most of the attacks were carried out by people known to the victim.

<http://themostimportantnews.com/archives/shocking-survey-finds-third-us-male-university-students-rape-woman-get-away>

Microchip implants + Internet surveillance portend end to individual privacy: An update

As we have reported over the years, the computer microchip implanted within the human body will play a major, central role in the reign of the antichrist. We here present an update confirming that behind-the-scene forces are still steadily channeling developments in society towards improvement of these concepts, as well as their widening applications in society.

First is a [Report](#) that the US government is implanting trackable microchips into Guantanamo Bay detainees prior to their release. Saudi Arabia’s King Abdullah was supposed to have made the request to President Obama in 2010. Military sources say that the implants, based on nano technology was first tested on U.S. troops (see also CA! Vol 10 No 4)

Of course the hype of the absolute desirability of having a chip implant continues on several fronts in civil society as well. Latest is a [report from Sweden](#) describing a “high-tech office” in Stockholm which requires its employees to receive microchip implants that would enable them access the building, among other functions. (An employee [who refused to sign](#) on to such a device in West Virginia, US in 2012 was forced to retire from the Consol Energy/Consolidation Coal Co after 35 years of service. A court has ruled this January that he should be compensated, but the case is expected to still drag on to appellate courts and so on.)

While proponents of microchip implants stridently laud its many benefits, the other side of the coin is glibly brushed aside. We have extensively discussed some of these downsides in past editions of

CA! (e.g. see [Vol 10 No 4](#)). These include the fact that not only can the mind of the implanted person be monitored, it can actually be controlled and taken over remotely. Watch a recent youtube video on the subject matter [here](#)

As the journey to these barely-hidden end-time agenda continue, even basic household items are now being equipped with monitoring facilities. Basic items like the **SmartTV** could now be used to monitor its environment and send audio and video images, over the internet to remote locations, thus spying against its owner. A few years ago, we **reported** the true story in the US where Laptops given to pupils for use at home during a holiday period were remotely switched on and used to monitor the homes of the pupils.

A recent article by Michael Snyder addresses the issue closely. Titled, *[The Internet Of Things: A Dystopian Nightmare Where Everyone And Everything Will Be Monitored On The Internet](#)*, the article first describes the current state of things where vehicles, “smart homes”, refrigerators, televisions, etc are being used to spy on the owners. It then goes ahead to ask the very important question: “What if we rapidly reach a point where one must be connected to the Internet in order to function in society? Will there come a day when we can’t even do basic things such as buy, sell, get a job or open a bank account without it?” It describes such a situation as a dystopian nightmare!

Meanwhile various situations kept cropping up, making it appear only reasonable (in the absence of other response to the situations) to demand that people mandatorily carry monitoring devices on their own bodies. Two of the more well-known recent cases are cited below.

First is the video of the shooting of a black man in the back, as he tried to escape a white law officer in the US in April. In what took inter-racial relations to a new ugly low in that country, Walter L Scott was shot 8 times while trying to escape after being stopped for traffic check. Before the video of the shooting surfaced, the case had virtually settled, along the line that Officer Michael Slager shot in self-defence! The case has now ended up strengthening the call that police officers in that country must wear body cameras to record all their actions while on duty. It will be only a short gap thereafter, extending the calls that policemen and military personnel be mandatorily implanted with microchips which will not only monitor them, but will also protect them and offer several other functions. Of course, such calls have been made in the past. See [Behold I come Quickly, Book 1](#)

Similarly, the world was stunned as information emerged piece-by-piece, of how co-pilot

of GermanwingsFlight 9525 airline sought opportunity and locked the pilot out of the cockpit, before deliberately [crashing](#) the plane killing 150 people, including many children in the French Alps. What many did not realize is that pilots deliberately crashing planes is, unfortunately, not quite a novel act. A general list of suicide pilots incidences, some quite similar to the Germanwings incident are tabulated at http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Suicide_by_pilot. (Several cases are disputed as being suicidal, including [Egyptian air Flight 990](#) of 31st October 1999 where the first officer crashed the aircraft into the ocean soon after the Captain left the cockpit. He was heard repeatedly saying in Arabic, "I rely on God". 217 people died in the incident which the official bodies recorded as due to mechanical failure.) And so, again, we have another clear example where a microchip implant would be very helpful in not only monitoring such personnel in high-risk, high-stakes security situations, but also in bringing them under control of the central command, if necessary. Hmm!

New World Order Agenda compels tinkering with Scientific Data

The drive to flow along with the New World Order agenda of the so-called global elites, is making ordinarily reasonable and hardworking scientists to begin to do the unimaginable: they are tinkering with data.

Promoting silly theories such as the evolution theory - which insists that matter and energy came from absolute nothingness, that life was spontaneously generated from non-living things by mere chance, and that living things achieve higher order spontaneously without any input from any pre-existing intelligence, etc – might go against all known facts of science and common sense; but nevertheless, it is still scientific to promote whatsoever theories one wishes.

What is ugly, sad, and indefensible is manipulating data to make them support those silly theories. Dubbing it “the biggest science scandal ever”, Christopher Booker of the UK’s Telegraph is among the people exposing massive manipulation of temperature data by formidable organizations including NASA and NOAA, all so that they may support the notion that there is global warming. [Breitbart](#) describes it as “a crime against the scientific method unparalleled in history” and concludes that “it makes Enron look like a paragon of integrity.” Alarmed by the revealed scope of the practice and its implications, the US Congress has promised to set up an investigation to examine the facts.

But what could possibly drive highly respected scientific organizations and personalities to

such desperate actions? A hint is provided by the call by top UN Climate Change officials linking “climate change” (a more respectable and more imprecise term than “global warming”) with overpopulation of the planet by humans. For years, Christiana Figueres, the Executive Secretary of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) has advocated that [“We Should Make Every Effort” To Depopulate The Planet](#) in order to effectively combat climate change. Voila!

[In the words](#) of MIT Emeritus Professor of meteorology, Richard Lindzen, global-warming alarmists are nothing but a discredited “cult” whose members are becoming more hysterical as emerging evidence continues to contradict their essentially religious beliefs. So well said!

For related recent news, read: [The climate con goes on](#), [Green Slander](#), [Antarctic Sea Ice Did The Exact Opposite Of What Models Predicted](#), [Ancient Leviathan Fossils Found in Arava Valley](#), , Incredible pictures emerge of extremely rare goblin shark, also known as a ‘living dinosaur’, pulled from the water by stunned fishermen

Water Palaver in California and Sao Paulo

The [state of California was forced](#), for the first time in history on Wednesday April 1, to announce sweeping statewide restrictions on water use. Residents and businesses were ordered to cut their water use by one quarter. This was in view of the unprecedented devastating drought, now on for a number of years, facing the state. Opinions are divided on the cause of this historic drought. While some felt California was simply reverting to its [barren desert status](#), which only changed in the 20th century; [others blamed](#) the geoengineering efforts at government-run HAARP facilities, as being (deliberately or inadvertently) behind the drought in one of America’s food basket state (Watch video at: [The HAARP Report YouTube channel](#)).

. In a related event, the city of Sao Paulo in Brazil has decided to cut water service to just 2 days per week. Residents in the city of 20 million will therefore have water supply from their tap [only about eight times monthly](#). All this is a desperate effort by the government to prevent a total collapse of one of the city’s primary water sources.

Mandatory National Identification Number (NIN) commences in Nigeria Sept 1

As from Tuesday 1st of September 2015, the use of the National Identification Number (NIN) is set to become operational in Nigeria. As from that date, according to an advertorial (The Guardian, April 27, pg 50): “any government agency/institution, bank, insurance company and all other Institutions

offering services and or are involved in transactions requiring the identity of an individual... and who so transacts without demanding or using the NIN has committed an offence” For emphasis, the advertorial repeated “The NIN shall be used by every party involved in transactions requiring the authentication and verification of identity to confirm identity.”

Transactions involved include application for, and issuance of international passport, opening of bank accounts, purchase, transfer or registration of land, even registration of voters, payment of taxes, etc. All encompassing!

Individuals who flout the provision of the Act on national Identity management would be liable to a fine of not less than fifty thousand naira and/or imprisonment of not less than 6 months. Corporate bodies’ fine will not be less than a million naira each for the organization, and the officer directly responsible for the flouting.

But the new emphasis on personalized life-long unique identification number is also going on elsewhere. For instance, quietly but steadily, the issuance of the BVN is going on at the banks, and some sort of deadline on its mandatory use seemed imminent.

The summary of all of these? No hiding place for criminals!

The only snag is that in our post-modern world, anybody could become a criminal overnight, depending on who is setting the definition. Already in many western nations, criticizing homosexuality is already a criminal act

. But apparently there is much more in the offing. For instance, one of the top campaign points of the Labour Party in the coming UK elections, is the promise to clamp down more forcefully on “non-violent extremism.” In other words, extremism is extremism, whether it involves beheading children and burning people alive in iron cages or it manifests simply as a Court Registrar refusing to join same-sex couples in marriage based on religious conviction! Such interpretations are already in wide effect in the United States. “Extremism” has been defined even for non-faith issues. For instance, some are already [calling](#) for the heads of those who hesitate to vaccinate their children due to [well-justified health concerns](#). In the US, such babies could be [taken away](#) from the biological parent, while in other parts of the world, guns have been known to be produced to compel people get their government-imposed vaccine. Famous examples include [Pakistan](#) and [Malawi](#).

Of course, as seen in the days of Daniel, refusing to worship in some specified manner (Dan. 3) or insistence on praying in your preferred manner (Daniel 6) could both be treasonable crimes!

So we say to Nigerians, go for your unique identification number; but remember that the ground is rapidly being prepared for the antichrist who would certainly require such a system for the implementation of his certain-to-come policy described 2,000 years ahead in Rev 13:17 “And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name”

You could however be in a much better place by the time the antichrist is full-blown (2 Thess. 2:3-7). The time to secure your reservation on the Rapture flight is NOW!

Drumbeats of World War III: Russia ruffles Europe, America prevaricates

Has World War III actually taken off with the amassing of forces against the ISIS, [as claimed by Jordanian King](#)? Reports from the [Baltic States](#), and rumours from the [EU](#) and even [America](#) are that these entities positively consider Russia as an implacable adventurist, and that her actions in Crimea (see <http://churcharise.blogspot.com/2014/12/ukraine-russia-and-third-world-war.html>) and elsewhere are ultimately heading for the World War III. Reports have it that all the nations principally concerned consider themselves already in pre-war mode! See some of our news compilation on this issue on our Blog at <http://churcharise.blogspot.com/2015/05/drumbeats-of-world-war-iii-russia.html>

GM FOODS (from back page)

to use them year in year out without recourse back to the developer.

But the whole point of the seed concept, as magnanimously given to Man by the almighty God, is that the wise individual can be self-sufficient with the correct use of the seed! Genetically-modified seeds created in the lab have to be deliberately emasculated, so they cannot reproduce indefinitely, so as to protect the financial investment of the developers. In any case, due to inevitable inherent errors in the fiddling process, the seeds often cannot reproduce themselves for several generations in the first place.

All these have come to a head right now in Ghana, where the national Parliament, no doubts under tremendous external pressure, has given its support to the Plant Breeders Bill and many citizens have risen up in arms against the proposals. (see www.modernghana.com/news/596702/1/ghana-government-confronted-over-plant-breeders-bi.html)

Claiming to want to “incentivize the development of new seed varieties” and protect the intellectual property rights of biotech companies, the

new legislation seeks to restrict farmers from freely saving, swapping, and breeding seeds, as people have done from time immemorial, and which is the whole point about the seed concept anyway. Hefty fines await any farmer that grows any crop which seed has not been freshly procured in that year of planting. Sounds absolutely crazy? But that is how the New world Order compels Society to follow unsustainable paths, guaranteed to produce the terrifying end-time conditions predicted in the book of Revelation.

In Ghana, many activists and trade groups are kicking vehemently against what has been dubbed the “Monsanto Law,” so-named after the multinational Biotech company Monsanto, that is behind most GM foods globally. (<http://www.wdm.org.uk/blog/2014/nov/6/fight-seed-sovereignty-ghana>)

The Ghana National Association of Farmers and Fishermen hit the nail directly in the head, stating: “*This system aims to compel farmers to purchase seeds for every planting season.*”

Drawing from experiences of farmers in other parts of the world, Duke Tagoe of Food Sovereignty Ghana surmised:

“The economic impact on the lives of farmers will be disastrous. . . The origin of food is seed. Whoever controls the seed control the entire food chain.”

According to *Natural Society*, the situation playing out in Ghana “is no different than the “Monsanto Protection Act” (H.R. 933) that President Obama signed into law not long ago in the US, even as hordes of Americans urged him not to do so,” and “is also linked to the [UK support of the biotech take-over planned in Africa.](#)”

Yet the worst impact of the foods is not just health or control issues, but the loss of the natural God-given varieties of seed, thus setting up mankind for a shaky future. It will take only a few years of circulating modified “improved” seeds, procured each planting season from the “Central Control,” before the original varieties soon disappear from general use. In [our 2008 article](#), we reported on one man who is dutifully storing up the natural varieties of seeds in a high-tech seed vault in remote location on the Arctic. Yes, it is the same guy behind flooding the world with the GM varieties, Mr Bill Gates. (see <http://www.globalresearch.ca/doomsday-seed-vault-in-the-arctic-2/23503>)

Some of the famines and plagues predicted in the book of Revelations during the reign of the antichrist might as well be consequences of replacing natural seeds with genetically-modified ones. Rev 6:6, 11:18 talk about God’s righteous judgement on those who destroy the earth.

See also: <http://naturalsociety.com/russians-prove-small-scale-organic-can-feed-world/>

TOPICAL ISSUE: Genetically Modified Foods: Replacing God with Man as Ultimate Source

“ And the earth brought forth grass, *and* herb yielding seed after his kind, and the tree yielding fruit, whose seed *was* in itself, after his kind: and God saw that *it was* good.” **Gen 1:12**

Many continue to doubt the serious health hazards of GM foods especially as there are always smooth-talking experts coming up to contradict other experts – all depending on who is sponsoring the research. But really facts are facts, and no new research indicating ‘safety’ can actually nullify a previous one that demonstrated ‘hazard’, unless they are done in exactly replicable settings. This is most of the time impracticable. At best, if both sides were truly honest (and can one really trust the multinationals?), then two conflicting results might help elucidate various susceptibility and other factors that are relevant to the generation of adverse health outcomes.

In any case, evidences continue to mount indicating genetically modified foods are not the magic wand for feeding the world, as many keep touting. For instance, recent research from the US has implicated genetically modified soy as toxic to the kidneys, liver, and more. Whereas in that country, approximately 75 to 89% of the soy beans grown are genetically modified (GM).

<http://naturalsociety.com/new-study-finds-gmo-soy-toxic-kidneys-liver-reproduction/>

What is beyond argument however is the obvious fact that GM foods will take ownership of foods from the hands of the masses into the hands of a few elites. It is elementary to appreciate the fact that if a multinational company has spent years and billions of dollars developing a supposedly improved seedling, they shouldn't be expected to give it out for a pittance to farmers who could then continue →p7

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EXHORTATION: Even so, come, Lord Jesus

“He who testifieth these things saith, Surely, I come quickly. Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. Amen” (Rev. 22:20-21)

In the passage above Jesus promised, “Surely, I come quickly.” The Apostle Paul said that when Jesus returns it will be an instantaneous event. (1 Cor. 15:52)

Jesus will first return for the Church, His bride, and it will happen quickly, “in the twinkling of an eye.” We call this the Rapture, taken from 1 Thess. 4:17, “caught up.” This eagerly anticipated event will then trigger Daniel’s 70th week, popularly known as the Tribulation. Seven years later, at the end of the Tribulation, Jesus will return with the Church to settle an old score and jump start the Millennium.

Folks Jesus is definitely going to return, and He is first going to remove His Church before He administers judgment all across this globe we call earth. The very next event on His agenda is to remove His people. I do not know when, and would not dare to venture a guess. Only God knows the date.

However, let us not overlook the obvious. God in His mercy has given us many, many signs that will accompany the Tribulation. Now remember, there are no signs for the Rapture, and keep in mind that the Rapture *precedes* the Tribulation. So, since many of these signs for the Tribulation have already formed and are increasing in quantity and intensity, just as Jesus said they would, His return could be at the door.

Also think about this, the Tribulation is actually what the Bible calls Daniel’s 70th week. This is explained in Daniel 9:20-27. This period serves two purposes; (1) it fulfills the 70 weeks God allotted Israel and draws her back to Him, and (2) brings judgment upon an unbelieving world.

Now, nothing can happen unless Israel is a nation. Guess what? Israel has been a nation since May 14, 1948, but had been scattered all over the globe for nearly 2,000 years. No nation of people has ever, in the history of the world, been brought back as a nation after so long a time. They have even been brought back with their original Hebrew language, and they’re ready for temple worship as soon as one is built, and it will be built probably during Daniel’s 70th week.

Folks, the fig tree (Israel) is in bloom, and our Lord is coming back. Will He return in my lifetime? I think He will, but even if He doesn’t, I’ll meet you in the air when He does return.

Keep looking up. This may be the day.

Grant Phillips

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