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EDITORIAL

We welcome all our friends and readers to a new year, and our 7th year of publishing CA! One word that has been frequently used to describe 2004, from men of God to New Agers, to international terrorists has been the word "CRUCIAL". We pray this year brings you much blessings and joy. From local and international events briefly reported in this edition, every "wise virgin" knows the year might as well usher in the second coming our Lord and God, Jesus Christ of Nazareth! May you not be the son who sleeps during Harvest! (Pro.10:5). Maranatha! **J.O.**

NEWS

Bishop shuts down "anti-gay marriage" church

In further fallouts from the "homosexual battle" in the Anglican Church, the local Anglican bishop of New Westminster, Canada, Most Rev. Michael Ingham, just before Christmas, closed down the Holy Cross parish at Vancouver over its opposition to the church's approval of homosexual "marriages" reports Julia Duin of the Washington Times. Earlier in October, the Parish funding of about \$48,000 per year had been zeroed out. Nine other churches, representing 30,000 members of the 80-parish diocese, have protested the bishop's blessing of homosexual unions; but it was the Holy Cross Parish, the smallest of the 'dissidents', that has been chosen out obviously as a warning signal to the others.

"We are reluctant dissidents," says the Rev. David Short, rector of St. John's Anglican Church, Shaughnessy, a large evangelical congregation in an affluent Vancouver suburb that is one of the Bible-affirming churches. *"We have become increasingly convinced the umbrella of the Anglican Church is over two different religions: We put the blessing of same-sex unions in the same category as idolatry. It's saying that what the Scriptures and the church have condemned for centuries is positive and blessed by God."*

Nigeria warms up to end-time global roles

As the leading black nation on earth, Nigeria's strategic placement in the scheme of things is already guaranteed and obvious. However after years of life-and-death struggle in the hands of military voodoo-directed leadership, Nigeria is now becoming alive to her destiny these end-times. The crucial role the Lord is using the Church of Nigeria to play in making a clear stand for the Word of God within the Anglican Communion [with other denominations in rapt attention!] with respect to the issue of

homosexuality is very clear and heart-warming. At the last Holy Ghost Congress, several men of God from different countries affirm their belief that God is using the RCCG and her General Overseer, Pastor Enoch Adeboye, to lead the last global revival that would usher in the second coming of the Lord Jesus. One of them from the United States went back home with Nigerian soil! And now, in most nations of the world, among the biggest and most-thriving Churches are those pastored by Nigerians. PTL!

Meanwhile President Obasanjo's former "one-man army" against corruption (*read his frank confessions during a 3 hour night vigil with Christian leaders in Punch Nov 9, pg 41*) seems to be gathering more followership with the gradual emergence of the El-Rufais, and Akunyilis. Most prophecies for the new year 2004 from several quarters indicate this will be a bad year for corrupt officials. Indeed the Christian Association of Nigeria has announced it would stage a "one-million man march", against corruption on Jan 11. (Tribune Jan 5, back page). → cont'd on pg 2

Muslim Rioters Burn 13 Churches in Jigawa

Islamic militants on Tuesday 18th November, burned to the ground thirteen churches and several houses and shops belonging to Christians in Kazaure, Jigawa State. Their grouse, according to police sources, was that a Christian student of the FG Girl's College in the town, allegedly insulted the Prophet Mohammad in a discussion with another colleague; and the response of the school authorities was adjudged inadequate. (Reuters, Nov. 20, 2003) → pg 2

New Nigerian Passport is now ready

The new Nigerian national passport that will sport an embedded microchip is ready, and may start rolling out any moment from now. By November 6 last year, test run on the new passport had already completed, and copies produced were undergoing security checks. In addition to the embedded microchip, the passport will also use the latest encryption technology, biometrics, and holographic foil technology. (Punch Nov 6, pg 3). Nigeria is by no means immuned from all the developments currently ushering in the New World Order.

Bishop Okonkwo marks 30 years in ministry

Simple, consistent but outspoken and highly respected Bishop Mike Okonkwo of The Redeemed Evangelical Mission (TREM) marked the 30th anniversary of his call into ministry on 22nd November. A week-long Kingdom Life World

Conference 2003 (17-23 November) was convened to coincide with the celebrations with noted national and international ministers of the Gospel participating. Bishop Okonkwo is the National President of the Pentecostal Fellowship of Nigeria and has also recently become the Vice President of the Christian Association of Nigeria. We wish him more fruitful years of service in the Lord's vineyard in Jesus name.

Holy Ghost Congress: A New Song

The annual Holy Ghost Congress hosted by the Redeemed Christian Church of God continued its steady metamorphosis into a truly global event when participants from over 30 nations of the world joined millions of Nigerians including President Obasanjo, in the 6th edition 15-20th December last year.

The event themed "A New Song" not only witnessed the usual harvest of unusual and outstanding miracles, but also featured seminars on practical sides of life such as opportunities in small-scale business/farming in Nigeria, how to excel in the corporate sector, marriage and courtship issues, etc. The noticeable exceptionally high quality of ministration at virtually every event can not be adduced to the galaxy of highly anointed ministers from all over the globe alone. In fact, Host Minister, Pastor E.A. Adeboye confessed that a new level of anointing has been placed on the Ministry. This was tangibly evidenced on the third day of the Congress, when the "G.O" was not able to minister as "the anointing was so high" on that day, reminiscent of 1 Kings 8:11.

PS. Pastor E.A. Adeboye has asked all graduates of the School of Disciples to have a meeting with him at the Redemption Camp on February 6, after the Feb. Holy Ghost Service.

Churches burnt in Jigawa (continued from pg 1)

Abubakar Sale, police commissioner in Jigawa state, told Reuters that the rioters attempted to invade the school but were repelled by the police. "The hoodlums then mobilized and went into town where they started looting and burning people's property." Punch specifically reported that the properties destroyed, estimated at millions of naira, were those "belonging to non-moslems and non-natives" (Punch Nov 20, 2003, pg 6).

Nigerian Talibans contained

The Talibans is the name adopted by a group of young but highly fanatical Moslem fundamentalists that have been fomenting troubles in Yobe state in recent times. According to a NAN report, the group was largely composed of students of tertiary institutions from across the country who abandoned their studies in the belief that it was un-islamic to

acquire western education. Claiming that Yobe government was not being run according to Islamic tenets, the group "had raided 4 police stations, killed and wounded some policemen, and carted away guns and ammunition. A combined team of soldiers and police has now finally flushed out the menace, according to Governor Bukar Ibrahim of Yobe state. (Tribune, 5th Jan. 2004, pg 7).

Nigeria warms up....(continued from pg 1)

On whether a new regime after him will not reverse all the hard-won successes of his government, President Obasanjo confidently declared: "The God of Nigeria, the God of Obasanjo, will not let them (profligate individuals aspiring to the country's leadership in 2007) get there. ... I regard what I am doing as a calling. I don't believe that God is a God of abandoned projects.." (Punch Dec. 12, pg 44). At the Holy Ghost Congress, President Obasanjo sang: "I see a new Nigeria, in the hands of the LORD". It is our Christian duty to keep on praying for our country and leaders (1Tim 2:1-2).

Nigerians, happiest of all people

For a change, something favourable on Nigeria is coming out of the international polls! It is now official that Nigerians are the happiest people in the world, on the average. The World Values Survey, an inter-university study established since 1945 also reported that "happiness" has not increased in Europe despite increase in wealth. Americans were 16th on the list, British came 24th while the Russians were at the very bottom of the "happiness ladder".

Fight against homosexuality: world looks to Nigeria for leadership

The Church of Nigeria has severed links with the US counterpart over the ordination of a gay bishop on 2nd November, right after the event. (Punch Nov 6, 2003). Moreover the Church plans to establish a branch in the United States to cater for Nigerians worshipping in the church of the gay bishop. According to Rev Peter Adebisi, Bishop of the Lagos West Diocese of the communion, "we have told our people to leave the US Church [of gay bishop Gene Robinson] and give us time to set up our own because our members are spread across the states in the US. The proposed church is to be called, "Church of Nigeria in the US" (Punch 26/11/03, pg 4).

In his reaction, the Methodist Archbishop of Abuja, Most Rev Sunday Ola-Makinde said his Church was in full support of the Anglican communion's action, affirming that homosexuality was not Christian-like. He went further to declare that the African Church in general would boycott the World Council of Churches anytime it found a gay bishop or even a gay priest in attendance. "A time has

come when Africans should go to re-Christianize America and Europe", he said. (Punch Nov 6, 2003, pg 7)

Meanwhile, another demonic side of homosexuality was reported in the general cases of "male genital snatching" currently being recorded in Abuja. Usually victims claim that they discovered that their genitals were missing after some "body contact with the snatcher". There was however a "bizarre twist" to the phenomenon when a staff of one of the GSM service providers said he discovered that his genitals had gone after receiving a call from a self-confessed homosexual demanding sexual favours from him." (Punch Dec 14, 2003, pg 42).

In Britain, trans-sexuals get yet more concessions

The Gender Recognition Bill which is currently being considered in Britain will allow that country's estimated 5,000 transsexuals to marry, adopt children and change their gender on their birth certificates. This is another mark of growing acceptance in the UK of transsexuals – people who change their sex. The desire to change sex (usually male to female) is regarded as a medical condition, and a court ruled in 1999 that the State should provide the \$13,000 sex-change operation free of charge, using tax payers money. (see more stories in Nigerian Guardian Dec 13, 2003, pg B9 and CA! vol 2 No 5, 1999).

FAMILY AND SOCIETY

Breakups of Long Marriages becoming more common

Citing several cases of marriages as old as 37 years, recently ending up in divorce, TodayNews (TodayNews@aol.com, Nov 27, 2003) reports that though "no firm statistics are available, ... experts say there is no doubt that breakups among couples married upward of 25 years are becoming more common". Sadly many of the cases cited involved people who at least attend Church.

The article tries to suggest that "ever-lengthening life expectancies" might be giving "unhappy spouses (even) in their 60s or 70s" the motivation to want to start their social life over again; but it is really quite clear that people are only becoming more intolerant and falling under the pressure of the prevailing social circumstances. For instance 60 years old Jane Harkleroad having divorced her husband and father of their two grown up children (in their 30s), is learning to find new dates. According to her own statement, being brought up in a Baptist background "..... when I married I married for better for worse.....I had no intention of leaving." 37 years later however, she claimed she and her husband have realized they were not "happy" and so they divorced – as if that is the way to secure "happiness!"

55 year old Mia McNerney was more honest with herself. On the reason for breaking up her 32 year

old marriage in 2001, she said "I matured.. Women's independence..".

Despite highlighting the trauma and distresses both divorcing couples and especially the children go through, the article surprisingly still managed to paint a somewhat rosy picture of divorce of long-term marriages. Referring to the "challenges" and "opportunities" of such divorces, the article ended by quoting McNerney:

"Am I lonely? Sometimes, sure. Do I feel like a total failure in the wife department? Sometimes, sure. But the nice thing is to feel I'm really happy that I did it." That elusive "happiness" again!

Beloved Christian, the Devil is desperately after YOUR marriage! Happiness is nothing more than a state of mind, depending on one's perspective to life. Submit all to God, resist the Devil and continue to make your marital life a living testimony to the glory and praise of the LORD.

Meanwhile, a very influential coalition of Christian leaders in the United States is pushing for a Constitutional amendment which will clearly define marriage as valid only between a man and a woman; but there is deep division on the suggestion to extend the amendment to actually outlaw such practices as "domestic partnership". It is clear that the issue in the coming US general elections will be what constitutes marriage!

HIV/AIDS Statistics Growing Worse

New global estimates show that about 40 million people worldwide are living with HIV/AIDS including an estimated 2.5 million children under 15 years. Last year's statistics were the worst so far: 5 million new infections and more than 3 million deaths recorded. According to Dr Peter Piot, head of the Joint UN Programme on HIV/AIDS, the really bad news is that "we haven't reached the limit yet" meaning that grimmer statistics are expected this year. May we not be numbered among these. Amen! (Punch Nov 26, pg 5).

LASU, UNILAG Go Tough On Indecent Dressing

Lecturers at Lagos State University, Ojo, have been empowered to send out students who dress immodestly from lecture rooms. The decision taken by the University Senate was a fallout of the disturbing wave of indecent dressing among students in the institution, said Dr. Amodu Sani, Dean of Students' Affairs. Explaining that "half nude" students will no longer be allowed into classrooms, the DSA said the senate was dissatisfied with the 'scanty and seductive dressing code which was spreading among the students' and that there was need to promote social values, modesty and discipline among the youths". The authorities at the University of Lagos had reportedly taken a similar

decision some months previously. (Punch Dec 14, pg 46). See also Vol 6 No 6 for other campuses.

50,000 perished in Earthquake in Bam

The year 2003 ended on a sad note for the town of Bam in Iran when a pre-dawn powerful quake struck, leaving 70% of the city destroyed and an incredible nearly 50,000 dead. (RaptureReady.com, 30/12/2003) Iranian authorities solicited help from nations all over the world but specifically asked the "Zionist regime" in Israel not to bother!

Also in neighbouring Benin republic, about 130 lives were lost when a Boeing 727 plunged into the Gulf of Guinea after botching its take-off. 21 people miraculously survived, while 10 others were still unaccounted for at Press time. (Punch Dec 29, pg 3). Similarly in Egypt, all 148 lives on board were lost when another plane headed for Paris suffered the same fate early January.

UPDATES ON THE ON-GOING MICROCHIP GLOBAL TAKE-OVER

Microchip for "buying and selling" now for human implantation

The climax seems to be in sight as finally, microchips are now to be implanted in people solely for the purpose of buying and selling – straight out of Rev. 13:17! On November 21 at the ID World 2003 in Paris, Scott R. Silverman, the CEO of the Applied Digital Solutions Inc. (ADS) announced that the company's newest subdermal Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) solution, called VeriPay to be used for secure electronic payment is now ready. (Business Wire, Nov 21, 2003)

Previously, the chip – about the size of a grain of rice – had been located on cards; with groups like Church Arise! warning that the ultimate location would be under the skin of people in what would end up as, at the very least, the precursor to the Mark of the Beast. Apparently in preparing for the big declaration, an article in USA Today (Nov 17, 2003) had discussed the various potential formats and advantages of RFID payment system. The article stated: "Still, experts note that one big hurdle remains for RFID systems: security. Lose your RFID-enabled card or earring, and someone else could easily use it to run up charges ...".

VeriPay specifically addresses the security issue. Said Mr Silverman, "VeriPays unique under-the-skin format offers a much more secure, tamper-proof, and loss-proof solution. VeriPay brings to consumers the benefits of fast and reliable RFID technology along with the security of a subdermal format". He then made a formal call on banks and related institutions to collaborate by designing particular packages based on VeriPay. Previously (see past editions of CA!), chips from ADS have

been used in a variety of applications including security (VeriGuard), personal identification (VeriChip), health (VeriMed) etc; and are already available as commercial products in several countries including the United States, Mexico, Russia, Switzerland, Spain, Columbia, Venezuela and Brazil. For more information see ADS website (www.adsx.com). Of course with time, several of these applications will soon become available on just one chip which will become virtually "irresistible" Making the chip mandatory for all will be the final step after majority of the world's population would have already willingly submitted themselves for implantation.

RFID Tagging Planned for All Products on Earth

Plans are already at advanced stages to have every manufactured product on earth carry a unique identification tag that will allow it to be monitored, right from the factory and ultimately to the final consumer.

Each RFID tag will be an electronic product code (EPC) which is able to identify more than 268 million manufacturers, each with more than 1 million unique products. Literally, every single item that is produced on earth – from a particular tube of toothpaste to a particular pair of socks, or a particular packet of tooth picks – could be uniquely labelled! Steven Van Fleet, an executive at International Paper, enthused way back in 2001: "We'll put a radio frequency ID tag on everything that moves in the North American supply chain," (<http://www.csmonitor.com/durable/2001/03/29/fp13s1-csm.shtml>)

The EPC will replace the current UPC "bar code" which actually identifies a product brand, rather than a particular product item. Not only will this give marketers valuable information about the use of their products as well as help shops automate their stocking procedures, theft will be virtually eliminated because items could now "report when they are stolen with their smart tags also serving as homing device toward their exact location". Eventually, shoppers will bypass checkout counters altogether, as their tagged purchases are automatically debited to their accounts on their way out of the door – especially if they already have products like VeriPay implanted in their bodies! (see previous article).

These tiny tags, predicted by some to cost less than 1 cent each by 2004, are "somewhere between the size of a grain of sand and a speck of dust." They are to be built directly into food, clothes, drugs, or auto-parts during the manufacturing process. Several big stores are already giving deadlines to manufacturers for incorporating the EPC if they still want to retain their patronage. For instance, the world's largest retail outlet, Wal-Mart (which stands

to gain about \$1.5 billion in immediate cost savings with the RFID tags) has asked its top 100 suppliers to incorporate the tags latest 2005. (<http://news.com.com/2100-1022-1013767.html?tag=nl>)

Other sponsors of the RFID device include Proctor and Gamble, Phillip Morris, CocaCola, Tesco, Target, Gillete, ...in short, who is who in the art of buying and selling! Software giant Microsoft has also recently announced it will be collaborating with Auto ID, the establishment coordinating research into the technology.

With all these, is it difficult to envision a time, not so long from now, when anybody who fails to have a chip implant will simply not be able to participate in commerce as predicted 2000 years ago in the Bible? (Rev 13:17). It has been noted that one of the greatest challenges facing the creators of the RFID tagging is how to find ways to allow consumers to opt in or out of the system as it becomes more pervasive. According to Prof Sharma of Auto ID, "It's not clear how that's going to happen,".

(For a detailed writeup, see *Albrecht, Katherine. "Supermarket Cards: The Tip of the Retail Surveillance Iceberg." Denver University Law Review, Summer 2002, Volume 79, Issue 4, pp. 534-539 and 558-565* Katherine Albrecht is the founder of CASPIAN (Consumer Against Supermarket Privacy Invasion and Numbering)

Even Cash is to be embedded with microchip!

There is no escaping the microchip in the unfolding new world order. Already ubiquitous, (for example in Nigeria via SIM card in your GSM handset, Valucard, and forthcoming National ID card and new national Passport), clandestine plans are on-going to implant even cash with microchips! The main efforts being championed by the European Central Bank is to embed RFID tags in the fibers of Euro banknotes by 2005, apparently to prevent counterfeiting what is expected to be the world's strongest currency by that time. The tag would allow money to carry its own history by recording information about where it has been, thus giving governments and law enforcement agencies a means to literally "follow the money" in every transaction. Demands for "unmarked" money by villains such as kidnappers, corrupt officials etc will become suddenly obsolete. In fact money can not even be stolen again, because it can easily be traced.

But are these the reasons why the euro (and other currencies are expected to surely follow suit after a while) is to be implanted? No one can be too sure, afterall the days of paper money itself are already numbered!. It has been strongly suggested that embedding euros with chips will provide the needed opportunity to produce chips in billions thus bringing their cost to a few cents which will make projects

like the autotagging of all products (and people) more feasible, seamless and extremely irresistible. There are some 14.5 billion notes of Euro in circulation/reserve. (www.eetimes.com/story/OEG2001121950016)

The End of Death: 'Soul Catcher' Computer Chip Coming Soon...

A computer chip implanted behind the eye that could record a person's every lifetime thought and sensation is to be developed by British scientists.

"This is the end of death," said Dr. Chris Winter, of British Telecom's artificial life team. He predicted that within three decades it would be possible to relive other people's lives by playing back their experiences on a computer. "By combining this information with a record of the person's genes, we could recreate a person physically, emotionally and spiritually."

The only obstacle preventing the immediate realization of this project is memory storage. Ian Pearson, BT's official futurologist, has measured the flow of impulses from the optical nerve and nerves in the skin, tongue, ear, and nose and found out that over an eighty year life, some 10 terrabytes of data are processed. This is equivalent to the storage capacity of 7,142,857,142,860,000 floppy disks! The challenge is to put this much memory literally on a pin-head.

Dr. Pearson reckons that if the current trends in the miniaturization of computer memory continues at the rate of the past 20 years - a factor of 100 every decade - today's 8-megabyte memory chip norm will be able to store 10 terrabytes in 30 years. This expectation is quite conservative considering reports coming from the nanotech industry! For instance, Dr James Ellenbogen of the Mitre Corporation, Virginia, has recently announced a memory device that is the size of a human cell - making it the most compact electronic chip ever. (Telegraph, 15/02/2003)

The memory chip is created from a lattice of minute wires upon which are placed individual molecules capable of storing digital information. Dr Ellenbogen said that by stacking the chips on top of each other it should be possible to store a gigabyte of information on a device the size of a grain of salt. The Pentagon's Defence Advanced Research Projects Agency is funding the project. The team are also developing a nano-sized computer processor to use with the memory (Telegraph, 13 June, 2002)

UPDATES ON GLOBAL GOVERNANCE

It's Fight to Standstill in the International Terrorism battle

One of the major "world problems" which form the basis for strident calls for global governance is "international terrorism". In fact "international

terrorism" is usually rated second only to "environmental issues" as one of the problems that can only be solved/contained when nations jettison their national sovereignties and start thinking alike, under one common government, for the "common good". Of course the government that would emerge from this kind of arrangement, in the first instance, will be that of the antichrist; since it will be based on the principles of secular humanism.

As we have consistently maintained, the Sept 11 2001 Al Qaeda attacks have irreversibly ushered in a new world order. And more than 2 years after, with billions of dollars expended, innumerable and fundamental mass surveillance methods successfully introduced, and at least 2 sovereign national governments removed, it does not seem there is any improvement in the terror situation.

Close to the end of last year, Osama bin Laden issued on the Arab network instructions to his network to go for the big kill (www.worldnetdaily.com/news/article.asp?ARTICLE_id=36366). "The final blows in the crucial battles are at hand," the statement read. "We are now living in crucial days and we are seeing how the government of the idol of this age [i.e. the U.S.] is filled with fear and dread, dreaming of obtaining security and calm, and spending a billion dollars every week in order to protect itself from the imminent unknown danger coming from the direction [of the enemy] that they claimed to have completely destroyed years ago ..."

Obviously, this was not some mere threat, as events since have shown. Despite official denials, several (up to 10!) flights involving British Airways, Air France and AeroMexico airlines have had to be cancelled recently within that many days, while at least an additional three flights were escorted into American airports by US fighter jets. (www.newsmax.com/archives/articles/2004/1/4/173501.shtml)

How long can the leading Western nations afford to remain on Code Orange alert with the immense disruption of the economy? The grounds are indeed being prepared for a charismatic personality to lead a global world government in resolving (for a while) all the problems. That chap is none else but the antichrist himself; and you can bet on it, he already waits in the wings!

Pope wants New International Order

Meanwhile, the Pope has renewed his call for a UN-based New World Order in order to solve the world's conflicts and ensure peace. (Reuters, Jan 1, 2004) In his New Year's Day address, Pope John Paul said "More than ever we need a new international order which draws on the experience and results of the United Nations.....An order which is capable of finding adequate solutions to today's problems, based

on the dignity of human beings, on integrating all society, on solidarity between rich and poor countries, on the sharing of resources and the extraordinary results of scientific and technological progress." Hmm...!

Europe Wants to Rival US as Military Superpower, Says EU Parliamentarian

European Union support for the Palestinian Authority against Israel is part of Europe's "hidden war" against the United States to become a world superpower, a European parliamentarian has claimed.

Washington has often backed Israel's position against the Palestinians, particularly in its war on terrorism over the last three years. The United States is also perceived by the Arab world to be pro-Israel. On the other hand, the EU has backed the Palestinian Authority since the beginning of the Oslo process in 1992, becoming one of its main financial supporters and giving the PA hundreds of millions of euros (dollars) since then.

EU parliamentarian Ilka Schroeder charged that EU backing for the PA goes beyond support for the Palestinian cause and is actually part of a secret agenda to gain power in the world.

"For me it is obvious that the Middle East has become one of the most important fields of European military superpower ambitions,... The primary goal of the EU is the internationalization of the [Israeli-Palestinian] conflict in order to underline the need for its own mediating role. ... The longer the conflict continues and the deeper it gets, the more evident is the incapability of the U.S. to moderate the peace process,"

Schroeder told diplomats and journalists at the Institute for Contemporary Affairs in Jerusalem.

"The need for a solution only exists as long as war continues. This is why the EU does not want the conflict to end before it gains [a] major role. And this is why the EU does not wish the PA to give up too early and why the EU is strengthening the PA," Schroeder charged. (Julie Stahl, CNSNews.com)

At Church Arise!, we expect a one-world government based on the UN to gradually eclipse the US in determining world events. Europe is of course the arrow head of the UN; and the eventual human head of that one world government will be no one but the antichrist himself.

**AND, BEHOLD, I COME QUICKLY;
AND MY REWARD IS WITH ME, TO
GIVE EVERY MAN ACCORDING AS
HIS WORK SHALL BE. – Rev 22:12**

Your Mails and Comments

Greetings of love to you in Jesus name.... I am so interested in receiving [Church Arise!]. Keep on keeping on.

Oniyelu Martins, Osogbo

Sir, I want to be an on line subscriber. I'm of B S F R G POLY Owo.

Ehuwa Esan, Owo

This electronic piece (Vol 6 No 6 electronic version of CA!) is God's master piece, the Lord will continue to fill you with wisdom.

Mrs O.A. Opapeju, Ile-Ife

I wish to say more power to your elbow. I came across, for the first time, one of your newsletters and I was highly moved in my spirit....For the sake of the gospel, please, send me as many as you can..

Itunu Akande, Ibadan

I greet you well done for the efforts you have been making to keep the Christians of this generation awoken in this end time. I pray God will keep on giving you every backing that you need in the name of Jesus.

Oluwalolope Anthony, Oka Akoko

I want to commend you for what God is doing through your ministry. This type of newsletter will make us keep a watchful eye on what is happening on the local as well as the international scene as it relates to the predictions of the Endtimes in the Scriptures. I wait patiently for every edition of your newsletter...

Emmanuel Bamidele Bada, Akure

I find [CA!] not only educative but [it] also refocuses our attention to the wiles of the devil at this end time and the enormous challenges before believers during this period as well. I must say that I was immensely blessed reading the materials.

Oluwatosin Okufuwa, Lagos

Mind Control.... Cont'd from back page

Such a technique was among a number tested in the Iraq war, according to Dr. Carl Sanders, who invented the intelligence-manned interface (IMI) biotic, which is injected into people. (Earlier during the Vietnam War, soldiers were injected with the Rambo chip, designed to increase adrenaline flow into the bloodstream.) The 20-billion-bit/second super-computers at the U.S. National Security Agency could now "see and hear" what soldiers experience in the battlefield with a remote monitoring system (RMS). Today, the microchip does not have to be implanted in the brain to achieve all these results. Prof Kevin Warwick of University of Reading, has shown that a chip implant in the arm will also do.

Apart from using implanted microchips to monitor and enhance the performance of own troops, the same chips, if implanted in the enemy soldiers can be used to effect "electronic warfare" against them

producing hallucinations or torturous muscular cramps!

The article also highlighted other possible impact upon the general public:

"The mass media has not reported that an implanted person's privacy vanishes for the rest of his or her life. S/he can be manipulated in many ways. Using different frequencies, the secret controller of this equipment can even change a person's emotional life. S/he can be made aggressive or lethargic. Sexuality can be artificially influenced. Thought signals and subconscious thinking can be read, dreams affected and even induced, all without the knowledge or consent of the implanted person.

"Mind control techniques can be used for political purposes (*and of course, religious purposes too!*). The goal of mind controllers today is to induce the targeted persons or groups to act against his or her own convictions and best interests. Zombified individuals can even be programmed to murder and remember nothing of their crime afterward..."

Above are the kind of considerations that made us conclude at Church Arise! that anyone who receives such an implant is virtually beyond salvation (as actually affirmed, for the mark of the beast, for example, in Rev.14:9-11)

The article concludes on an urgent concerned note: "The latest supercomputers are powerful enough to monitor the whole world's population. *What will happen when people are tempted by false premises to allow microchips into their bodies?* One lure will be a microchip identity card. Compulsory legislation has even been secretly proposed in the U.S. to criminalize removal of an ID implant.

"When our brain functions are already connected to supercomputers by means of radio implants and microchips, it will be too late for protest. This threat can be defeated only by educating the public, using available literature on biotelemetry and information exchanged at international congresses.

Humanised Organs can now be grown in animals

In another scientific breakthrough that is pushing ethics to its very limit, scientists are now able to inject human stem cells into sheep fetuses where they develop into organs that are partially human. While some see this as a possible source of matched transplants for humans, others fear that retroviruses lurking in animal DNA could mutate into forms that infest people. The bigger question however is that of ethics. Is a sheep with brain made of half human cells and half sheep cells a sheep or a man? (NewScientist.Com, 18th December, 2003)

THE TIME IS FULFILLED, AND THE KINGDOM OF GOD IS AT HAND; REPENT AND BELIEVE THE GOSPEL - Mark 1:15

EXHORTATION: The Shaking has started

A fact that will not alter is that the shaking is not coming from Satan, so there will be no use at all in binding his power to prevent it. Read our basis Scripture (Heb. 12:25-26) once more and see Who is speaking and Who He said would shake not only the earth but also heaven. This is not something that is being loosed by Satan upon the world. This shaking is a spiritual shaking that is coming from God.

Why does God want to shake everything? For this simple reason: So that which cannot be shaken will emerge (Heb. 12:27). We are going to have to find out what it is that cannot be shaken, and learn step by step how we can tie into that which cannot be shaken.

Through that which cannot be shaken is going to emerge the revelation of God to the entire world. Through His church which has tied into the unshakable, God will reveal His miracle working, providing, healing, keeping ability in the midst of the greatest upheaval and shaking you can imagine. God will prove Himself to the world through His people, to the ones who tie their faith to that which is infallible and to that which is impregnable.

There are people by the tens of thousands right now who are riding the middle of the fence. They have one foot here and one foot there, and God is letting them straddle the fence. They will not be able to straddle it much longer. A clear line is going to be drawn, but that line no longer will be between various denominations or organizations. It is going to separate the real, the genuine, from the fuzzy and uncommitted, the gray area.

Under the stress of persecution, the separation will be between the real Body of Christ and that other camp, the super church which eventually will be headed by the false prophet. The reason that many so-called Christians and denominations will defect to that one-world church will be to escape persecution because that church will receive exemption from some of the testings and persecutions. Those who want to escape the trials will have to compromise or there will be no escape.

So if you want to compromise there is a way out for you. But if you do not want to be compromised, if you want to stand true to Jesus Christ, if you want to be a part of the REAL Body of Christ... then you are going to be tested. You are going to face the fire. I believe with all my heart there will be many martyrs for the cause of Christ in the not too distant future in foreign lands. We must have an infallible, impregnable faith in order to stand the things that are just ahead and to come forth as gold to show God's might.

There is no time to put off preparation. There is no time to delay choosing which camp we are in. These things are upon us.

Morris Cerullo

(From his book of same title. MCWE, San Diego, 1986)

Topical Issue: Microchip Implants, Mind Control, and Cybernetics

Above is the title of an enlightening article written by Rauni-Leena Luukanen-Kilde, MD, former Chief Medical Officer of Finland in 2000 and published in the 36th year edition of the Finnish-language journal SPEKULA. The journal is published by the Northern Finland medical students and doctors of the Oulu University (OLK) and mailed to all medical students of Finland and all medical doctors in Northern Finland. We highly recommend that our readers check out this article (www.naturoidoc.com/library/public_health/microchip_implants.htm) which essentially confirms, with facts and figures, several points Church Arise! has been making over the years, on the absolute need for every human being to reject a microchip implant no matter the guise.

The article described several cases of brain implants being inserted into either unsuspecting humans, such as babies, nursing home patients, and prisoners; or duty-bound ones, such as military personnel. Actual cases of use of the technology in Sweden were reportedly actually documented in the 1972:47 Swedish state report, *Statens Officiella Utredningar* (SOU). Other well-known cases cited included the chipping of Prince William of Great Britain at the age of 12, as reported in the Washington Post of May 1995, and of U.S. astronauts who "were implanted before they were sent into space so their thoughts could be followed and all their emotions could be registered 24 hours a day."

The technology (as at year 2000) was described: "Implanted human beings can be followed anywhere. Their brain functions can be remotely monitored by supercomputers and even altered through the changing of frequencies..." → continued on pg 7

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