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Exit of Shimon Peres Ushers in Messianic Era of David in Israel



Barack Obama at the funeral ceremony of Shimon Peres in Jerusalem, Sept 30. (Miriam Alster/Flash90)

The last of the founding fathers of modern Israel, [Shimon Peres](#) fell asleep on Tuesday Sept 27, having spent 2 weeks in a state of induced coma, following a severe stroke he suffered on September 13. Aged 93, he was buried with [great honour](#) on September 30 with at least 90 world leaders from over 70 nations physically present at his funeral in Jerusalem. Peres was one of Israel's longest-serving and most-distinguished politicians. He was at different times Defence Minister, [Prime Minister](#) (2 non-consecutive terms), and [President](#) of the Jewish nation.

There is no doubt that the departure of Shimon Peres, a few days to the close of the [iconic year 5776](#), is of immense prophetic significance. Just like the death of Methuselah coincided with the Noahic rain that ushered in a new world order, as it were, there is considerable excitement at what the death of Shimon Peres might mean for the world. → cont'd on [pg 3](#)

Intercessors for Nigeria Sept Conference at Abuja: I will do a New Thing

The annual Abuja Conference of [the IFN](#) held Sept 7 – 9 at the Royal Tropicana Hotel, Abuja to the glory of God. Interspersed with sessions of intensive intercessory prayers, anointed men of God taught from several prophetic angles, on the theme: I will do a new thing (Isa. 43:18-19). The list of seasoned speakers included Barr. Emeka Nwankpa, Engr. Steve Olumuyiwa, Engr. Ntiense Ubon-Israel, Dr. Kole Akinboboye and, Dr. Steve Ogan → [pg 2](#)

“Hast thou not known? hast thou not heard, that the everlasting God, the LORD, the Creator of the ends of the earth, fainteth not, neither is weary? there is no searching of his understanding.” - Isaiah 40:28

Islamists plod on with arrogant agenda, oblivious of the God of Heaven, the God of Nigeria

In the past few editions, we have had to point attention to the pure arrogance with which Islamists deeply entrenched within the Nigerian Presidency are manipulating appointments into key sectors within the country. We pointed out the virtual total take-over of the Security and Education sectors together with the Civil Service.

Further appointments since made in the various parastatals have only seen the same pattern being repeated; and there is probably no point rehashing them here again. There is also the curious coincidence that current war against corruption within the Judiciary should begin at the commencement of the process for the selection of a new Chief Justice of the Federation. As [pointed out](#) by notable government critic, Chief Fani-Kayode, one of the Supreme Court Justices arrested gestapo-style and simultaneously tried and condemned on the news media by the Department of State Security, was actually “next in line” to be the Chief Justice of the Federation! He happens to be a Southern non-moslem. Of course this is not to make case for corrupt public officials to be spared their just recompenses, only that not only must due process be followed, the entire operations must not be sectional. [Happily the issue of the appointment of the CJ seems now to have been resolved – most likely, thanks to the intense [national furore](#) the DSS operations generated.]

It suffices to note at this juncture that even within Islamic circles, increasingly louder murmurings are emerging that not only are the appointments sectional, they are actually revolving around a particular clique. (<http://punchng.com/buharis-parochial-appointments/>). Clearly, the supposed powers behind the throne of Nigeria are being inspired towards turning Nigeria into one of the Gulf States such as Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, etc, where certain closely-connected Islamic families call ALL the shots. As we were going to press with this article, there came yet another interesting angle to the issue of appointments in the Buhari administration. This time around, it was the wife of the President herself lamenting the calibre of people in her husband's government! According to Mrs Aisha Buhari in the now famous BBC interview, contrary to the impression that the President was only choosing → 2

[News from LivingScience Foundation \(LSF\)](#) **LSF Creation Science Club member tops graduating class at RUN**

Opeoluwa Adewale Fasoro, one of the founding members of LSF Creation Science Club at the Redeemer's University emerged the overall best graduating student at the 8th Convocation Ceremony of the University. With a Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of 4.97, Opeoluwa actually became the overall best graduating student for all times at the University. Read more at <http://blog.lsfnigeria.org/2016/10/lsf-creation-science-club-member-tops-graduating-list-at-run/>

2nd National Conference on Environment and Health now scheduled. The second edition of the Environment-Health Conference sponsored by the LSF and bringing together top stakeholders across different national sectors has been scheduled for Tuesday 4th and Wednesday 5th April, 2017. For the Call for Abstracts and other details, visit the Conference website: <http://conferences.lsfnigeria.org>

Loss of a Patriot – Bashir Kanoma

We are saddened to hear the demise of our professional friend and core supporter, Dr Mohammed Bashir Kanoma from Zamfara State Ministry of Health, Gusau. A mutual friend, Dr Callistus Akinleye passed on the sad news on 15th October, months after the event. A patriot and professional to the core, we met Dr Kanoma during a research visit to Zamfara in the height of the Lead poisoning incident that resulted in the loss of hundreds of children in 2010. Bashir was at that time the Chief Medical Director of the State Hospital, Gusau. Please read the rest of this article at <http://blog.lsfnigeria.org/2016/10/loss-of-a-patriot-bashir-kanoma/>

For more news from the LivingScience Foundation, kindly visit <http://churcharise.blogspot.com.ng/2016/10/latest-news-from-livingscience.html>

You may also download a free copy of the **Half-Year Report** of the LivingScience Foundation, at <http://lsfnigeria.org>

IFN Conference – I will do a new thing (from pg 1)

All the messages converged in the declaration that the new thing God would do is dual in nature: the execution of God's vengeance in all the nations on earth, prior to the coming of the Lord (Isa. 61:2), and simultaneously the recompensing of faithful children of God. The dual action would permanently settle all "controversies of Zion" as it would be clear Who exactly is in charge in the affairs of the nations. Scriptures that aptly capture these expositions include Isa 34:8, Isa. 63:4, Psa. 94:1-7, Rom. 12:19, etc. Bringing the theme down to personal levels, Barrister

Nwakpa explained that the new thing needs individuals who would catch the vision, be available for God, and would be ready to do all that is in God's heart (like David – Acts 13:22). Mrs Bade Nwakpa also took time to teach on good nutrition and offered invaluable cooking tips, with demonstration via her newly released DVD on the subject matter. CA! enjoyed every moment spent at this awesome, refreshing, and edifying meeting. Please check IFN's website for more reports and pictures from the 37th National Prayer Conference at <http://intercessorsforigeria.org/?p=2314>

Islamists in Nigeria (from front page)

for appointment those people he knew very well and is comfortable with, as many of 90% of the appointees so far, were actually "forced" on the President by his Islamist handlers. <http://dailypost.ng/2016/10/12/buhari-surrounded-opportunists-aisha/>

As we have pointed out before, while Christians must certainly be much more alert and discerning than we currently are, there is really no cause for alarm. The Almighty God is fully in control of affairs in Nigeria, and He can be trusted in His doings. As an Israeli police officer confided in [Mosab Hassan Yousef](#), (the son of Hamas leader who actively spied for Israel for several years as related in the book Son of Hamas) "the Palestinians are their own worst enemies." The same is certainly true of Islamists, not only in Nigeria, but all over the world. They simply have no sense of moderation, and will not stop until they go over the precipice. Mrs Aisha Buhari apparently shares this same opinion with us. However she was specific that trouble might come more from the people who actually fought and voted to get the President into office, as they are feeling the marginalization far more than the regular Nigerian. [According](#) to Mrs Buhari: "What I am afraid for is the rebellion of 15 million people."

Take the situations at Egypt for example. After finding itself in the seat of power in 2012, the [Moslem Brotherhood](#) went ahead to arrogantly push ahead with blatantly Islamist's agenda, such that even in a predominantly moslem country, the people were forced to revolt and compel a re-structuring. Not only is ex-President Morsi currently languishing in jail, the head of the Islamist's Moslem Brotherhood, Mohammed Badie was [sentenced](#) for execution. The fallouts are still ongoing. Just at press time, one of the top shots of the MB was [killed](#) in a shoot-out with Egyptian police in Cairo on October 3.

We have previously [reported](#) on similar backlashes to Islamism in United States, Europe, and even Asia. The backlashes intensified this September, as "right-wingers" in the United States burned down a [Mosque in Florida](#) on the anniversary

of the 9-11 bombings. Furthermore, for the first time ever in his eight-year tenure, President Obama's veto of a decision of the Congress was [roundly overturned](#) by the Congress, across Party lines. It had to do with angry Americans demanding the right to sue the government of Saudi Arabia for roles played in the 9-11 bombing, fifteen years ago. The point we make is that if the Islamists think they can just continue to ride roughshod on people, perhaps encouraged by some Islamic marabouts who guarantee they could perpetually keep the people under some spell, they should think again.

In Nigeria, as we pointed out in Vol 19 Qtr 1, the major public face of Islamism is Mallam Nasir El Rufai, governor of Kaduna state. Not only is he pushing the altogether unreasonable Anti-Religious Preaching Bill in his home state, he is also at the forefront of the idea for the forceful acquisition of lands from indigenous people for Fulani herdsmen for their ranches all across the country. But his nemesis, which is only just beginning, might as well be neither Christians nor secularists as he apparently has been preparing for; but his fellow co-religionists, the absolutely implacable [Shiites moslems](#). We will see how far he is able to "ruthlessly" deal with these as [he is threatening](#) to do. Of course he also has to contend with the earthquakes and tremors (this time, [physical](#)) in his state, in addition to the larger national issues he is totally embroiled with, in pursuant of his touted aspiration to be the next President of Nigeria after the current incumbent.

But, even without any external foe or revolt, left to himself, the Islamist has full capability to self-destruct. Consider the policy summersaults associated with Islamists' trying to prove who exactly is in charge, and playing-out of their barely-hidden brazen Sharia scripts. As we mentioned before, there was the directive, in the early days of PMB's presidency, that all military check-points designed to check the incursions of Boko Haram be summarily dismantled. The directive was to be hurriedly reversed days later. There have also been mild issues as to what days to pronounce as public holidays for celebration of moslem festivals; to the more serious economic issues such as whether or not to devalue the national currency. But far more serious are issues such as the Presidential "[directive](#)" that crude oil must be found in the Nigerian side of the Chad-basin – thus diverting enormous resources to a *will-o-the-wisp* at a time the nation is battling with a recession and the government itself is talking of diversifying the economy away from Oil. Or the non-abating menace of the Fulani herdsmen as they continue to ravage farmlands nationwide with impunity – at a time government is talking of encouraging more farming! Or even of more dire consequences: the

issue of how exactly to engage the Niger Delta Militants or Biafra agitators, etc, etc. The apparently sacrosanct and infrangible directives of the Islamists on these issues constitute absolute nightmares for the average public officer struggling to do his/her job professionally and patriotically.

If only Islamists in Nigeria were a little more discerning, they would understand that the incident of Islamists unwittingly burning their kinsmen to death in Zamfara state in lieu of a young Christian man (see page 4) is actually an omen, of the Mordecai-Haman sort (see Esther 6:13)

Exit Shimon Peres (from Page 1)

In particular, the entire world of Bible Prophecy, both Jewish and Christian, is agog with the expectation that the arrival of the Messiah is imminent. As we have shown extensively in past articles (e.g. Vol 9 No 1), the expectation for a Messiah is in fact shared by virtually all religions – from Islam, Hinduism, etc to the New Age movements. Virtually all those expecting the Messiah also readily aver that he is due to show up any moment from now. The only difference, and it is a big one, is that while Christians expect the Messiah to come from heaven, He having been around earlier and having left a promise to return in the same way He exited the planet (Lk 1:11, Jhn 14:1ff, etc), every other look-out is expecting a messiah coming from the earth. In this respect, they are some 2,000 years behind schedule, and are doomed to fall for the anti-christ who they would presume to be the *bona fide* Messiah.

Now according to mainstream Judaism teachings, as recently expounded, for instance, by prominent Jewish educator and bestselling author, Rabbi Shimon Apisdorf, the coming of Israel's Messiah would involve [two distinct eras](#). First the era of [Moshiach Ben Yosef](#) (Messiah from the house of Joseph) and, subsequently that of [Moshiach Ben David](#) (Messiah from the House of David). Messiah from the house of Joseph supposedly speaks of a deliverer in the material sense. Just like God sent Joseph ahead into Egypt to preserve life and lay the foundation for the formation of the nation of Israel (Gen. 45:7), the Era of the *Moshiach Ben Yosef* was to involve the establishment of the materials side of the modern state of Israel. With that done, the era of the *Moshiach Ben David*, which would establish the spiritual side of Israel was to be ushered in. These same two phases are clearly seen in the vision of the Prophet Ezekiel: first a materials Israel being revived from her hopeless dry bones, to be followed by a spirit-filled living Army thereafter (Ezk 37:10)

In his discussion with [BreakingIsraelNews](#), Rabbi Apisdorf identifies the modern period of *Moshiach Ben Yosef* as taking off on the 28th day of the Hebrew month of Iyar in 1904 (*May 13, 1904*) with the

stepping on Israel's soil of the highly renowned and respected Zionistic rabbi, [Avraham Isaac Kook](#), the first Ashkenazi chief rabbi of Israel. Upon his arrival, Rabbi Kook had [eulogized](#) Theodore Herzl, the founder of modern Zionism (and a secular Jew), referring to him as the "beginnings of the *Moshiach Ben Yosef*." In the opinion of Rabbi Apisdorf, the burial of Shimon Peres in Jerusalem on September 30 represented "an unmistakable historic shift." According to the rabbi, "I sense that the period of *Moshiach Ben Yosef* ended with the burial of Shimon Peres, the last of the founding fathers of the state that embodied that process [of creating the state]....If this is true, then beginning this past Shabbat, and then as the New Year began, the transition period ended, and we are now solely in the period of *Moshiach Ben David*."

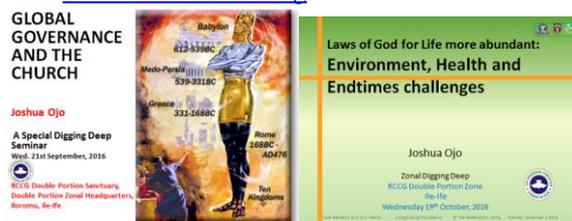
Now Bible students would understand that the partial "blindness" that keeps Israel from realizing that Jesus Christ of Nazareth was and is the Messiah, will persist "until the fullness of the gentiles" are come into the kingdom of God (Rom 11:25). Another verse which clearly defines limits of gentile activities in divine end-time schedule is Luke 21:22 and 24 describing how the trampling of Jerusalem (the Temple Mount, in reality) by non-Jewish actors would come to an end someday. Without any doubt, this will be simultaneously followed by the building of the [3rd Jewish Temple](#) on the site, symbolizing the commencement of spiritual Israel. The titanic resistance to this development is encapsulated in the recent declaration by the [UNESCO](#) that Mount Moriah (the Temple Mount) has no spiritual value to Judaism, ascribing all its sacredness to Moslems!

It is clearly understood that neither of the events described in the two Scriptures cited above will happen whilst the Church is still around on the Planet. Call it Rapture (from the perspectives of Christ's saints) or Riddance (as [New Agers](#) firmly believe would happen), it is only at the exit of the Church that the antichrist would be released to fully manifest and implement his morality- and godliness-blind global governance agenda. (2 Thess. 2:7) Decay of godly values, currently being strenuously threatened, would only enter into a free-fall after the Restrainer, the Church is taken away from the scene.

The long and short of all these is that, clearly the exit of that iconic leader of modern day Israel, Shimon Peres, marks the end of building of material Israel. The next step, the building of spiritual Israel, is about to begin. And the Church (from whichever perspective the issue is considered) is NOT listed as a participant! If you are a Christian and you still are not preparing for the Rapture, you cannot claim you have not been warned. Remember the five foolish virgins! (Read our related article [Exit of Sharon end-of-generation.html](http://churcharise.blogspot.com.ng/2014/01/exit-sharon-end-of-generation.html))

Church Arise! – RCCG Monthly Outreach

In-depth analyses of relevant End-time issues from Christian perspective holds at the RCCG Double Portion Zone, Iloromu (behind NTA) Ile-Ife every 3rd Wednesday (5-7pm). Featured Speaker is Joshua Ojo. All are cordially invited to attend. Admission is Free. Next edition: (19-10-16) Interfaithism at the End Times. Download Powerpoints of previous editions from www.ChurchArise.org.



[In Zamfara, irate Islamists burned 8 Moslems to death in bid to kill Christian accused of blasphemy](#)

On Monday August 22, at the Abdu Gusau Polytechnic, Talata Mafara, Zamfara state, a moslem mob pounced on one of the Christian students, and set about the not-unusual business of gruesomely terminating his life. He had been accused of blaspheming the Prophet of Islam.

In his statement in the later national fall-out to the incident, Governor Abdulazeez Yari of Zamfara provided some details: "From the intelligence report I got from the security agencies, there was a fight between two students and I think one of them injured the other and started shouting that his assailant had abused Prophet Muhammad and other students came and beat the other boy who is Yoruba and from Kogi State.....Some people said he was a Muslim and some said the boy was a Christian, so they beat the student until he collapsed and thought he was dead." (www.thisdaylive.com/index.php/2016/08/25/blasphemy-yari-explains-how-eight-people-were-killed-in-zamfara/)

One can only imagine the kind of mauling meted out to the young man – such that he actually collapsed and appeared dead in every way! The governor's pretended ambiguity on the religious affiliation of the assaulted student was based on the fact that the unnamed student had actually converted from Islam to Christianity. According to Christian students on the campus, the Islamists had long been looking for an opportunity to KILL the convert, based on the charge of apostasy, which is punishable by death in Sharia law which still operates in Zamfara state! (see <http://christianresponse.org/news/student-counters-official-version-of-eight-christians-killed-in-zamfara-state-nigeria/>). To the Islamists, once a moslem, for ever a moslem!

Anyway, back to the story. Just as in the case of the Apostle Paul, (Acts 14:19-20) the young man, after being picked up by God-sent friends, did revive and he was carted off to the hospital. The irate

Islamists, as they have done on numerous occasions in diverse locations in Northern Nigeria, simply re-mobilized and violently charged the hospital to finish the job. Again frustrated in this objective by Divine providence, the mob reverted to the house of one of the good Samaritans who reportedly had assisted in moving the supposedly-dead Christian convert to the hospital. They burned down the house, and with it, eight innocent souls.

From the settings, it was presumed that all the eight students roasted to death in the off-campus residential building were Christian. But the Christian body, Northern-CAN (not the one affiliated with the Christian Association of Nigeria) later issued an authoritative statement correcting that presumption. According to Rev John Hayab, the Public Relations Officer of Northern-CAN, "Our people on ground confirmed to us that none of our people were killed. We don't need to mention those that were killed."

www.vanguardngr.com/2016/08/blasphemy-no-christian-killed-talata-marafa-northern-can/

Governor Yari however provided the identity of those who were killed by the Islamic mob. In his account to ThisDay, he continues: "Then the students went back to the polytechnic and burnt the shop of the person who gave his car to rescue the boy and ... threw tyres on the man's house and burnt the house down. That was how everyone in the house was killed and everyone killed in the house was Muslim."

The Northern-CAN however expressed sorrow that innocent lives, whether Christian, Moslem, or whosoever, were needlessly terminated just because government is refusing to decisively address a nagging national issue or provide adequate security for the citizenry. Even the Jama'atu Nasril Islam (JNI), an Islamic body led by the Sultan of Sokoto, this time around, lent its voice in condemning what it termed a "recurring" and "tediously monotonous" issue. The JNI went on to describe the incident as "most unfortunate."

www.thisdaylive.com/index.php/2016/08/25/blasphemy-yari-explains-how-eight-people-were-killed-in-zamfara/

In what might be the first clear official pronouncement by the JNI on the issues of blasphemy or apostasy, (both punishable in the Sharia code by death, in sharp contrast to the provisions of the Nigerian constitution), the body in its written statement, declares: "The unfortunate attacks that ensued thereafter the alleged blasphemy of the Prophet ... are **criminal** and also stand **condemned**." According to the report in the [Morning Star News](#), the JNI Secretary-General Dr. Khalid Abubakar Aliyu further added that **individual Muslims do not have the authority to define heresy or label someone as an apostate**. See

<http://christianresponse.org/news/student-counters-official-version-of-eight-christians-killed-in-zamfara-state-nigeria/>

[Nigerians arise against militant Herdsmen](#)

The apparently "we're-above-the-law" rampages of the Fulani herdsmen across the Nation have begun to generate irate reactions from Nigerians. Not only are there no serious pronouncements or actions coming from the Federal Government on the activities of these herdsmen-compatriots of the President, government media houses (e.g. the NTA news on 19th October) are beginning to ascribe their totally repugnant atrocities to "unknown gunmen!"

On our [Blog](#), we compile a few demonstration of the stout resistance building up in the country to the menace of the Fulani herdsmen and their clamour for special grazing routes and grazing lands all across the nation. Read more [here](#).

[Germany Planning to spearhead European Army](#)

In the last edition, we drew attention to Brexit as a direct consequence of the floodgates of events unleashed at the commencement of the long-awaited Jewish-calendar year 5776, in September 2015. (see September [2015](#), and also [Brexit](#)). We further wrote that nobody can predict exactly the aftermaths to Brexit, and that those aftermaths "will have significant implications on the timing of the return of the Lord Jesus, and the preceding Rapture."

One of the scenarios we painted, indeed the one with the most serious implications for the planet, was that "the globalists would throw away all camouflage, and push to have their one world government here and now!" That would occur with a rapid unfolding of a Europe-based superstate, the ultimate goal the EU had been trying all along to achieve via stealth, caution and coercions.

Now that scenario is fast turning to reality with the news that Germany is spearheading the creation of its own "EU Army", without waiting for the consent of either Brussels (the official headquarter of the EU) or NATO (the strong military alliance that had bonded the Western nations together for decades). This implies both defiance and a sense of urgency on the part of Germany, which is evidently licking the wounds to her prestige in the wake of Brexit and the general failure of her policy on moslem (and possibly Islamist) migrants. The idea Germany is working hard at, is to position itself as the military leader "of a coalition of EU countries which would no longer take orders from NATO" and might even "not necessarily even be part of an official EU army."

Read the rest of this article on our blog at <http://churcharise.blogspot.com.ng/2016/10/germany-planning-to-spearhead-european.html>

Mother of All Elections on November 8 (from p.8)

The implication of being an establishment candidate is that the globalist agenda would be followed to the hilt. America must continue to lose

its sovereignty and liberal moral-neutral values, unreasonable deferments to Islamism and global terror, anti-semitism, etc must intensify. Other issues weighing strongly against Hillary's candidacy include issues with her [health](#), and the ruthlessness that has seen a steady stream of people who threaten to expose her dirty linens, mysteriously ending up [assassinated](#).. The stakes are truly unprecedented.

Mr Trump's strength is predicated on being the opposite of Hillary Clinton. First, very clearly, he is a candidate not anticipated by the globalist establishment. As a matter of fact, there was intense campaign by globalists all over the world to ensure he did not emerge the candidate for his Party; but the nerves he stirs up are too deep for a vast number of Americans to ignore. He won the Republican nomination and is doing fairly well in the national polls as at the present time.

But again, just as Hillary Clinton is desperate to please her masters back-stage, Trump also has to continually stoke the rage in his anti-establishment right-wingers supporters. At a point, Trump declared he would restrict all [moslems](#) from entering the US. (He later back-pedalled somewhat). It is evident that just like in Christianity (unfortunately), most moslems are only so in name! It would therefore be quite an extreme measure placing a blanket ban on all who go by that label. Of course Islamist stealth aggression is a tremendous problem for the US, and the current gloves-in-hand treatment being used in handling it by the current US administration has provoked an outrage that could make such an extreme suggestion by a major presidential candidate quite welcome among a significant fraction of America's citizenry! Other factors standing against Mr Trump, who would be the oldest president to be elected, (if he wins), include history of aggressive business deal (possibly even with Russian partners – conflicting personal and national interests), and a history of shameful sleaze dealings with women, not too different from Bill Clinton's. As the D-day to elections approaches, Russia is demonstrating a near-desperation to see to it that Trump wins – to the point of [declaring](#) that nuclear exchange is inevitable in the event that Clinton wins! That sounded like Obama's threatening the UK in his desperation to prevent a Brexit.

In our opinion, the worst side of this story for America is that the two polarized segments of the American society have convinced themselves that the other party is bent on [rigging the election](#), and that whatever it takes, including violence, the other party must be stopped. Readers in Africa know exactly what the rallying cry to “protect your votes” means! It is the perfect recipe for calamity of monumental proportions. This is one of the reasons some informed commentators are expressing doubts the election might be allowed to hold at all. Perhaps the

incumbent President would instigate some major trouble somewhere in the world – such as ongoing [face-off](#) with [Russia](#), which would necessitate some emergency measures, (including postponement of the elections) being clamped on the country. Whatever be the case, it's only a matter of weeks before the bubbles burst. It is amazing that in this one of the most definitive moments in the history of the planet, a vast majority of the inhabitants have gone lethargic and are entirely occupied with the pursuit of some personal parochial agenda.

[Following Islamists' concerns, UK University is considering banning National Anthem from graduation ceremony](#)

The King's College University (KCU) in the UK [has confirmed](#) it is “in discussion” over a request by an outspoken Students' Union officer, Mahamed Abdullahi, that the iconic National Anthem, God save the Queen, should be banned from the University's graduation ceremonies. Mr Abdullahi ranted on his facebook page: “I want to get rid of the national anthem at graduation because it's outdated and not reflective of the ‘global’ values the college espouses.”

As we have repeatedly affirmed, Islamists have no sense of decency or self-restraints. They only stop when the system caves in on them. We mentioned in Vol 18 No 4 how some immigrant Islamists were asking that the emblematic White Cross should be removed from the Swiss national flag because it is a Christian symbol and no longer appropriate for “today's multicultural Switzerland.” The development at KCU has led to a furious backlash in the country; and a petition berating the very idea has opened. Robert Spencer of JihadWatch [comments](#): “That the university would even be considering this is a sign of a cultural confusion and capitulation of catastrophic proportions. Britain is finished.”

[Oregon Bakery That Wouldn't Bake for Gay Couple Closes](#)

In Vol 18 No 1, we reported the story of Aaron and Melissa Klein owners of the bakery business, Sweet Cakes by Melissa. The Kleins were slapped with a hefty \$130,000 fine for their refusal to bake a cake to celebrate a “wedding” by two lesbians, Rachel Cryer and Laurel Bowman. The fine was quickly paid off in full, thanks to concerned citizens sending in donations to assist. However efforts by the Kleins to re-establish Sweet Cakes continued to be strenuously resisted by the Homosexual lobby, whose major passion, as we wrote previously, is to ruin businesses that refuse to sell-out on their Christian conviction. On October 5, the Kleins [announced](#) in a Facebook posting that they were closing down Sweet Cakes. See the videos in [this post](#) to watch several homosexual bakeries refuse to bake cakes with traditional marriage theme on it. And no one is talking! Read more at <http://pdx.eater.com/2016/10/7/13204446/bakery-cake-gay-couple-closes>

[Christian Teacher Fired for Not Divorcing Husband Wins in British Court](#)

Sarah Pendleton was devastated when Mathew, her husband of 13 years was accused, arrested, and convicted for voyeurism and downloading of indecent pictures of children. She took a leave off her work to spend time with her parents and get over the trauma. However, convinced of her husband's genuine repentance, she re-united with Mathew, as they both try to rebuild their home in line with Biblical principles.

However, Sarah's employers at the elementary school in Derbyshire, England where was a well-respected teacher took serious exception to Sarah's decision not to divorce Mathew, who is a *de facto* child abuser. She was relieved of her job! Head teacher, Jan Seymour tries to justify this bizarre decision: "By making a choice to continue a relationship with her husband in full knowledge of the offenses he has admitted to, [Sarah's] actions do not uphold the trust in the profession,"

The school's human resources director further buttressed this position, declaring in an email: "As long as she stands by her husband, the LA [Local Authority] has a clear view that she is not suitable to be a teacher."

Thankfully, the Courts think otherwise, and after a protracted proceedings, Sarah has been restored to her position – with a yet to be decided amount of financial compensation. See details at [Christianity Today's](#) site

[In Sudan, Christian Workers arrested for tarnishing Islamist Regime's image](#)

Two pastors of the Sudan Church of Christ (SSOC) arrested in December last year have finally been arraigned in Court this September. The Rev. Kwa Shamaal and the Rev. Hassan Abdelrahim Tawor, are charged with trying to tarnish the image of Sudan's government by collecting information on persecution of Christians and on genocide in the Nuba Mountains. Charged together with them is Petr Jasek, a Czech aid worker who is interested in details of Christian persecution in Nuba. The government is currently fighting an insurgency in the region, and the additional charges of collecting information for "other parties hostile to Sudan." carries a death sentence. According to the [Morning Star News](#), the evidences presented by the state security is so paltry and frivolous; and it is clear to all observers that the arrests only "serve the Sudanese government as a warning to others against criticizing the Islamist regime"

[Nine Years on, Islamist Killers in Malatya still walk around freely in society](#)

In Vol 10 No 3 (2007) we reported the dastard killing of three Christians in Malatya, Turkey. As we reported then, in the morning of Wednesday April 18, 2007, Ugur Yüksel, 32, and Necati Aydin, 36, both Turkish converts from Islam, and Tilmann Geske, 45, a German national, had left home to attend a Bible

study in the office of the Zirve Publishing House in Malatya in southeastern Turkey,. It was there that they were joined by men who pretended to be interested in the Bible Study. The men later identified as Islamists with strong organizational support, subsequently attacked, bound and tortured the Christians for three hours before slitting their throats. The murderers were arrested almost immediately, but nine years and 115 court-hearings later, the case only just passed through the first Court. On 28th Sept. this year, The Malatya First Heavy Penal Court Sentenced Salih Gurler, Cuma Ozdemir, Abuzer Yildirim, Hamit Ceker and Emre Gunaydin to life imprisonment without the possibility of parole. As expected, the Islamists duly appealed the judgement. It is understood that it will still take many more years before the case would finally get to the Supreme court – as it is expected to. In the meantime, the well-connected Islamist killers, out on bail, could continue to walk the streets freely and go about their normal businesses, celebrated as heroes of Islam.. Read details at

<http://christianresponse.org/news/after-nine-years-killers-in-malatya-turkey-slayings-are-convicted-sentenced/>

[SMART DUSTS: From Planetary Surveillance To Personal Neural Implantation](#)

So-called "smart dusts" are now being implanted in people's brains, in the United States and probably elsewhere clandestinely, for a number of reasons; some supposedly useful and benign and some outrightly malicious.

First let's go straight to the heart of the matter. As we have described in several articles in the past, if the signal sent by the brain to cause a certain action in a particular tissue somewhere in the body is monitored and recorded; and that recorded signal is subsequently re-sent (i.e. "played back") to that tissue from the recording device, the tissue will respond in exactly the same way as it did when the signal came from the brain of the subject. In other words, the body has no way of distinguishing between signals coming from the brain/mind of its owner, or similar cloned signals sent remotely from some lab, possibly thousands of kilometres away!

As demonstrated by Kevin Warwick and his wife across the Atlantic (Vol 4 No 6, 2001), by sending appropriate signals to an appropriate device that is linked to the nervous system, not just "actions" but even "emotions" can be provoked in people. Apparently, with advances in neuroscience identifying specific sites for critical actions, it is now becoming possible to remotely induce in people "thoughts," "inner voices," "desires," "pleasure," "pain," etc by sending appropriate signals to stimulate such specific sites.

The major challenge and limitation to all these is the size of the bio-implants. (Read the rest of this article at <http://churcharise.blogspot.com.ng/2016/10/smart-dusts-from-planetary-surveillance.html>)

TOPICAL ISSUE: SKIRTING THE LIMITS OF DEMOCRACY: USA IN THE MOTHER OF ALL ELECTIONS

One of the fastest ways to make an enemy in the US today would be to indicate support for one candidate or the other in the Presidential [elections](#) scheduled for 8th November. Things are so bad that quite a number of people are actually [predicting](#) the elections would not be allowed to hold!

Hillary Clinton is trying to make history as the first woman to hold the highest political office in the US (and the entire planet). She narrowly lost to incumbent President Obama 8 years ago, and served as his Secretary of State in the first term before resigning to prepare for her campaign for the Presidency this time around. A liberal to the core, Hillary has a history of supporting policies that the common folks tend to (rightly or wrongly) applaud. She however gained tremendous respect and affection of people all over the world in her handling the notorious affairs between her husband, then President Bill Clinton and a White House intern, Monica Lewinsky in 1998. Ordinarily, it would have been a great pleasure supporting such a candidate.

The flip side of her candidacy is however rooted in the fact that she is obviously an “Establishment” candidate. It is very clear that all the US Presidential candidates from the two major political parties have been those pushed forward by the globalist New World Order establishment. Indeed, as we pointed out before, but for the 8 year-interregnum that President Obama represents, the Presidency of the US in the last 32 years has shifted to-and-fro been between two families - the Bush and the Clintons. That would probably extend another 8 years if Hillary wins this November. After that some Bush should be ready to take over. So much for democracy! → p 7

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EXHORTATION: 5 Things You Should Know About Contemplative Prayer – Ray Yungen

There is a practice that is becoming more and more popular within the evangelical church. It is called contemplative prayer or centering prayer [CP]. Youth organizations and seminaries are particularly drawn to this. Furthermore, there is a snowballing effect wherein contemplative prayer is being accepted and endorsed by more and more evangelical leaders, often based not on their own experience and understanding but rather on the word of other respected leaders who in turn may not have fully researched this subject. In order to truly understand the nature of contemplative prayer, I believe there are 5 things you should know.

I. A Distinct Connection Between New Age, Eastern Religion, and the Occult, and Contemplative Prayer: New Agers, occultists, and those practicing Eastern religion regard CP as part of their own movement.

II. Main Proponents of CP Have Been Aligned With Eastern Religion: Major proponents of the CP movement have been or are aligned with Eastern religion. H. Nouwen and Thomas Merton, considered by many to be devout Christians, have intermingled their form of Christianity with Zen, Buddhism and Sufism.

III. Methods in CP Are Same As In Eastern Religion: According to *The New Age Movement and The Biblical Worldview*, meditation, chanting mantras, body disciplines, guided imagery, religious mysticism, self-realization and at-one-ment are all part of New Age and Eastern practices.

IV. Authors in the Evangelical Church Have Latched Onto Contemplative Prayer: Some very popular authors in the evangelical church have latched on to contemplative prayer as a way to go deeper with God

V. Finding the “God” Within vs. What the Bible Says About the Heart of Man: It is important to note here that the purpose of contemplative prayer is to enter an altered state of consciousness in order to find one’s true self, thus finding God. This true self relates to the belief that man is basically good. Christian proponents of CP teach that all human beings have a divine center and that all, not just born-again believers, should practice contemplative prayer. The belief is that in the heart of man we find God (i.e., that we are God).

It is ironic that in the last century more Christians have died for their faith than have died in past centuries combined. Many of these Christians have departed from Islam, Hinduism, or Buddhism to meet their executioners. What would these martyrs of the faith say to us if they could speak of our current western practice of intermingling Christianity with Eastern religion and the occult? The Bible warns against such mixture: (1 Cor. 10: 21, 22)

[Ray Yungen departed to be with the LORD on Sunday 16-10-16](#) For quotes and references extensively buttressing each point in the culled article above, visit <http://www.lighthouse trailsresearch.com/blog/?p=10780>