

INVADING BABYLON – PT 2

2 Cor 5:16-21

'So then, from now on, we have a new perspective that refuses to evaluate people merely by their outward appearances. For that's how we once viewed the Anointed One, but no longer do we see him with limited human insight. Now, if anyone is enfolded into Christ, he has become an entirely new person. All that is related to the old order has vanished.

Behold, everything is fresh and new. And God has made all things new, and reconciled us to himself, and given us the ministry of reconciling others to God. In other words, it was through the Anointed One that God was shepherding the world, not even keeping records of their transgressions, and he has entrusted to us the ministry of opening the door of reconciliation to God.

We are ambassadors of the Anointed One who carry the message of Christ to the world, as though God were tenderly pleading with them directly through our lips. So we tenderly plead with you on Christ's behalf, "Turn back to God and be reconciled to him." For God made the only one who did not know sin to become sin for us, so that we who did not know righteousness might become the righteousness of God through our union with him.'

Isaiah 60:1

- 60** Arise, shine; For your light has come! And the glory of the LORD is risen upon you. ²For behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, And deep darkness the people; But the LORD will arise over you, And His glory will be seen upon you. ³The Gentiles shall come to your light, And kings to the brightness of your rising.
- ⁴ "Lift up your eyes all around, and see: They all gather together, they come to you; Your sons shall come from afar, And your daughters shall be nursed at *your* side. ⁵Then you shall see and become radiant, And your heart shall swell with joy; Because the abundance of the sea shall be turned to you, The wealth of the Gentiles shall come to you. ⁶The multitude of camels shall cover your *land*, They shall bring gold and incense, And they shall proclaim the praises of the LORD.

Matt 24:36

³⁶ “But of that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, but My Father only. ³⁷ But as the days of Noah were, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be.

2 Peter 3:8

'So, dear friends, don't let this one thing escape your notice: a single day counts like a thousand years to the Lord Yahweh, and a thousand years counts as one day. This means that, contrary to man's perspective, the Lord is not late with his promise to return, as some measure lateness.

But rather, his “delay” simply reveals his loving patience toward you, because he does not want any to perish but all to come to repentance.

The day of the Lord will come and take everyone by surprise—as unexpected as a home invasion. The atmosphere will be set on fire and vanish with a horrific roar, and the heavenly bodies will melt away as in a tremendous blaze. The earth and every activity of man will be laid bare. Since all these things are on the verge of being dismantled, don't you see how vital it is to live a holy life? We must be consumed with godliness while we anticipate **and help to speed up** the coming of the day of God, when the atmosphere will be set on fire and the heavenly bodies consumed in a blaze.

- **Bottom Line (One Thing)**

//--→ The ENTIRE PURPOSE & MEANING of LIFE is for GOD to be a FATHER with a FAMILY – and once we are IN that Family, it becomes our MANDATE to see this ONE THING become a REALITY!

1. We MUST *FULLY* RESTORE the *BIBLICAL* 5-FOLD MINISTRY MODEL !!!!!

Eph 4:11

¹¹ And He Himself gave some *to be* apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, and some pastors and teachers, ¹² for the equipping of the saints for the work of ministry,

for the edifying of the body of Christ, ¹³ till we all come to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God,

2. We must RE-TAKE the 7 Mountains of CULTURE! (The 7-Mountain Mandate)

1. Church
2. Family
3. Education
4. Government and Law
5. Media (Tv, News, Internet, Fb, Social Media)
6. Arts, Entertainment & Sports
7. Commerce, Science & Technology

//→ There are **seven realms** of **society** that **must** come under the **influence** of the **King** and His **Kingdom**.

//→ **Every believer** is in **full-time ministry**—only a **few** have **pulpits** in **sanctuaries**!

**** **WE** CAN CHANGE **HISTORY**!!!

*** **WE** WERE **BORN** TO **CHANGE** **HIS-STORY**!!!!

*THIS IS **NOT** THE TIME TO **HIDE** – **THIS** IS THE TIME TO **ARISE** and **SHINE***