

“R2BR – Suffering Doing Right”

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- 2 Timothy 3:1 (NKJV) But know this, that in the last days perilous times will come:
 - Know - *to know something definitely, emphatically, and with absolute certainty*
 - Last days – *the last of the last days*
 - Perilous times – *hard to bear, dangerous, troublesome*
 - the Holy Spirit prophetically declares that those who live in this last season will feel as if they are positioned in the very midst of — surrounded and encumbered on every side by — inescapable developments.
- 2 Timothy 3:1 (*Renner Interpreted Version*) You emphatically and categorically need to know with unquestionable certainty that in the very end of days — when time has sailed to its last port and no more time remains for the journey — that last season will stand in the midst of uncontrollable, unpredictable, hurtful, treacherous, and menacing times that will be emotionally difficult for people to bear.
- Not to be scared but to prepared
- 1 Peter 1:13 – prepare your minds for action
- Matthew 24:9 – you will be hated by the world
- 1 Peter 2:21-23 (NLT2) 21 For God called you to do good, even if it means suffering, just as Christ suffered for you. He is your example, and you must follow in his steps. 22 He never sinned, nor ever deceived anyone. 23 He did not retaliate when he was insulted, nor threaten revenge when he suffered. He left his case in the hands of God, who always judges fairly.
- Discrimination of Churches
- The Double Standard of Funerals
- Matthew 21:12-13
- 1 Peter 2:21-23
- Who’s masterminding this whole thing?
 - John 10:10 – the thief comes to kill, steal, destroy
 - 1 Timothy 2:2 – pray for those in authority
 - Don’t retaliate, Don’t threaten revenge, Leave your case in the hands of the just judge
 - Live an uncompromised life