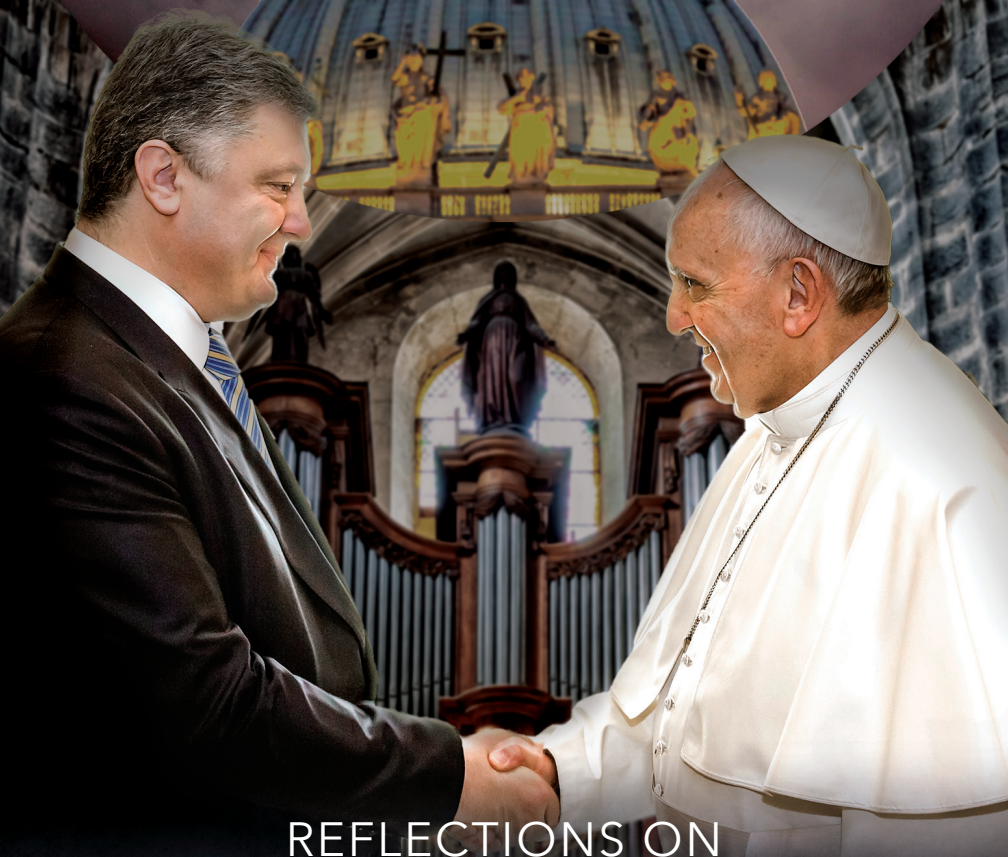


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Dear *friend* of Secrets Unsealed,

I want to take this opportunity to share some of the things that have been happening at Secrets Unsealed in the last few months.

The coronavirus has led us to make some adjustments in the way we take the message for this time to the world. Satan's plan was to shut down the preaching of Present Truth by shutting down churches, but his strategy has backfired. The pandemic has made it possible, through television and social media, to reach multitudes of people we could never have reached before. The present crisis has led people to reflect upon their lives, to search for answers to their deepest questions, and to realize that we are on the verge of a 'stupendous crisis'. There is a remarkable openness to the truth for this time.

In the last five months, I have had to suspend all my speaking commitments around the world, but the Lord has provided the technology to reach many more souls by zoom than I could have reached in person. True, we cannot hold our yearly Summit in person but we can still broadcast it on our SUMtv channel. Recently I did two weeklong evangelistic series by zoom and social media in Colombia and Chile. Thousands tuned in. In the Chile series, a Pentecostal minister and an Evangelical minister accepted the Sabbath and vowed to preach it to their churches.

During the pandemic, we have kept very busy at Secrets Unsealed. The State of California classified our ministry as essential so we have been able to function full power during the crisis. Because of the fact that churches are not able to meet, we have been broadcasting a Sabbath School and Worship service program for the past five months on our SUMtv channel. Thousands have tuned in from every corner of the globe. During the pandemic, we have been able to finish several projects among which are a new DVD series on Matthew 24 (the original series had 14 presentations and the new one has 24), new study notes on Daniel 11, Matthew 24 and the State of the Dead. In the next few weeks, we will be redoing the state of the dead series in 18 DVD presentations rather than the original 12. In October, we will be producing a series of 18 presentations from various speakers on 'The Final Generation'. We are keeping busy!

We praise the Lord that He has kept the door open for us to proclaim Present Truth in a time when the final events are rapid ones. We deeply appreciate the prayers and financial support of all those who believe in our mission and message. As we grow, we will need even more resources to reach precious souls with the last message for a dying world.

May God bless you all and be assured that you are constantly in our prayers.

In Christ,

Pastor Stephen P. Bohr

President/Speaker, *Secrets Unsealed* & SUMTV

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TESTIMONY TIME

Hello! God bless! Thank you so much for the pdfs, and the thrilling sermons/lectures on YouTube! Got me back into the Church.

Kathy, MO

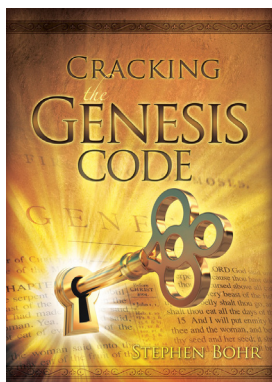
I love listening to Pastor Bohr speaking even though I'm thousands

of miles away!
God bless your Ministry.

**Much Love,
Trymore, Zimbabwe**

Pastor Bohr blows the lid off the fabrications of the Futurists and Pre-tribulationists, who torture Scripture to make them fit their narrative. He just lets the Bible interpret itself, I was in the Pentecostal church for 20 years being told fairy tales, and now I can see it plain as day. Thank you Pastor Bohr for making this resource freely available.

Michael on our website



Julie H.



EXCELLENT SERIES CRACKING THE GENESIS CODE

This is a magnificent study! Not much housework getting done in my home, but I am certainly studying and gaining biblical knowledge that one just doesn't hear from the pulpit anymore! My husband is so gracious, and he studies many times with me and has never seen me so excited about the beautiful

poetic illustration of Christ's love throughout the Bible. This 70yr old grandma can't stop talking about Christ and his abundant love as portrayed in this series! We praise the Lord for such a powerful presenter as Pastor Bohr.. May God continue to bless this wonderful ministry, and may the remnant wake up and embrace the Lords book with new eyes, seeing that Jesus is indeed coming soon! Praise the Lord!



I'm 16 and I'm from Fulton, Missouri right in the middle of Kansas City and St. Louis. I'll be a junior next year. I love Secrets Unsealed! I ordered a shirt from you guys a few weeks ago and it's my favorite shirt. I watch you guys almost every day on YouTube and greatly appreciate all of the in-depth series. I'm not sure where I'll go yet but I hope to be a preacher (or to possibly work with Secrets Unsealed if you guys need anyone :) Wherever the Lord wants me to be. Thanks again and know that each of you are appreciated greatly!

I have the SUMTV app and I must say I am blessed by the services on Sabbath morning. I also enjoy watching the many many sermons of Pastor Bohr as well as the Anchor School lessons. Pastor Bohr goes in-depth into every subject he covers. He is a wealth of knowledge and he shares it simply and kindly. He is truly blessed by the Holy Spirit. I live in Trinidad and hope that someday I can make it to an Anchor School seminar. May God continue to bless you all at Secrets Unsealed.

God bless,
Beverley, Trinidad & Tobago

Isaac





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My sister **Lauretta Ramsey**,
from Ann Jo Clithero

Fleur Morris,
from Jim & Judy Culpepper

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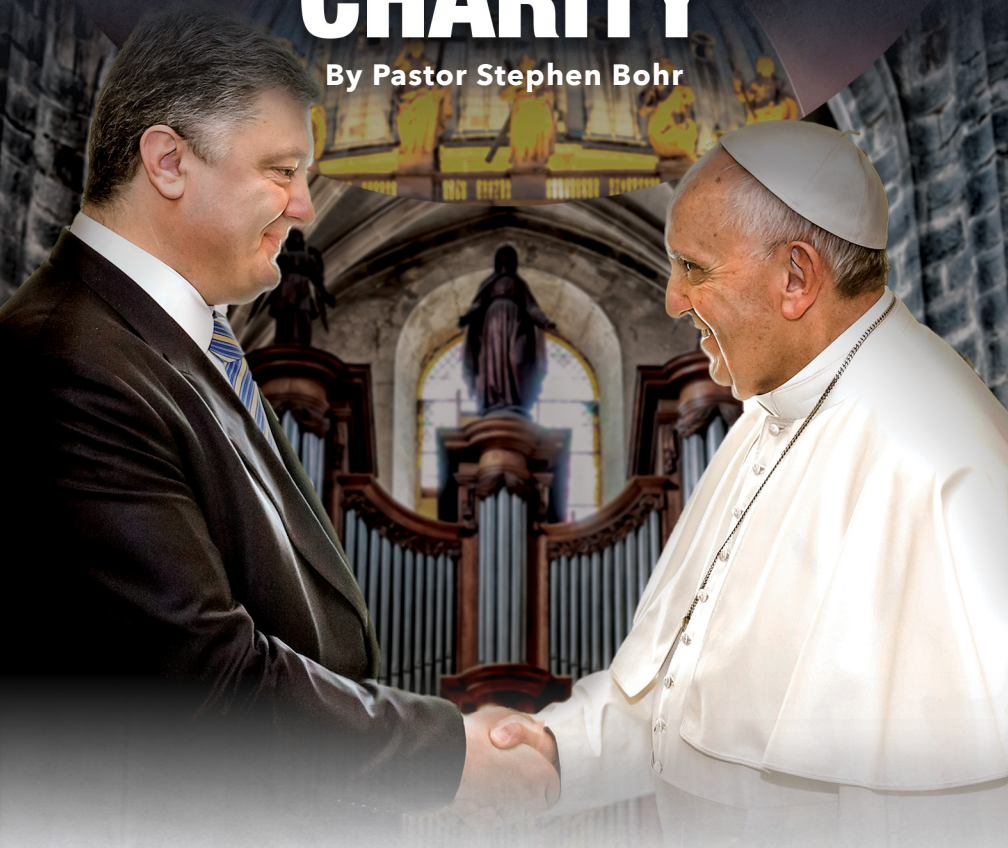
I have learned so much from Pastor Bohr and Secrets Unsealed that I converted to being a Sabbath keeper after taking notes and reading my Bible and looking up information in my Strong's Concordance Dictionary and Googling a lot of information on 3-3-2018. I started keeping the Sabbath and also honoring God's ten commandments when I found out by using my concordance that Sunday isn't the Day that God created for us to worship him, and after not seeing in the scriptures of the change being made by God or by Jesus Christ. I googled a Seventh-day Adventist Church. I been keeping the Sabbath ever since, there is nothing like learning Bible truth explained so simply that a 1st grader can understand it and I watch Secrets Unsealed on 3ABN every day. I've also learned so much about the book of Revelation.

Terry K.

Pastor Bohr, I really like listening to your sermons. They are filled with truth, inspiring, to the point, and have helped me learn very much. I was raised Seventh-day Adventist, but grew up on the "legalism" side and so hated God and thought He was a tyrannical jerk. Over the years, I've learned loads and am a firm believer in Ellen White (was terrified of her as a kid!) and although I've been back and forth, I'm prayerfully hoping that my relationship and faith in God will very soon become as God wants it to be. Thank you so much for what you do sir.

ECUMENICAL CHARITY

By Pastor Stephen Bohr



In the first article in this series, we considered the papal strategy to win the support of the Socialist/Globalist powers of the world. In the present article, we will consider the papal strategy to overcome Protestantism.

In order to recuperate the power that it lost, the papacy needs to do more than gain the support of the secular powers of the world. On

the second front, she needs to gain the support of Protestants because the United States is a country built on Protestant principles that stand in stark contrast to papal principles. Once the Papacy fells Protestantism, it will have the support of both Protestants and the secular powers to implement its agenda.

Ellen White warned about the

compromises and concessions that Protestants have made the papacy:

“Protestants have tampered with and patronized popery; they have made compromises and concessions which papists themselves are surprised to see and fail to understand. Men are closing their eyes to the real character of Romanism and the dangers to be apprehended from her supremacy. The people need to be aroused to resist the advances of this most dangerous foe to civil and religious liberty.” GC, p. 566

If Protestantism stood on the firm platform of Bible truth, it could never merge with the papacy. The freedoms that we enjoy today in American society are due to the spirit of Protestantism. These freedoms include individualism, a strong work ethic, freedom of speech, freedom of the press, freedom enterprise, freedom of assembly, freedom to ask the civil power for a redress of grievances and freedom of conscience and religion. All of these blessings and freedoms stand in stark contrast to papal principles.

SEVEN ECUMENICAL FACTORS

In this article, I would like to bring to view seven factors that have led to the growing love affair

between Protestants and the papacy:

- The election of John F. Kennedy
- Vatican Council II
- Liberal ideas
- False charity
- Common Points of Doctrine
- A common subjective charismatic experience
- A change in prophetic hermeneutics

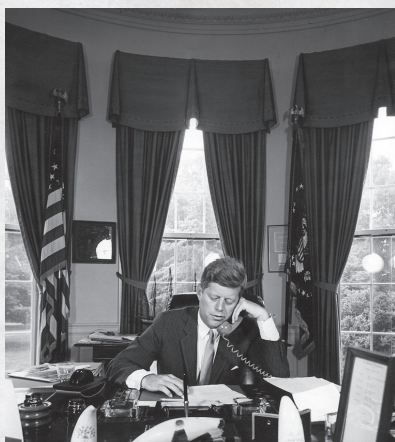
THE ELECTION OF JOHN F. KENNEDY

Although a Roman Catholic, President John F. Kennedy upheld the foundational principles of the United States Constitution. In the presidential campaign of 1960, the Protestant pastors in Houston, Texas wondered whether Kennedy would follow the directives of the Constitution rather than the instructions of the Pope should he become President. On September 12, 1960, he addressed the Greater Houston Ministerial Association regarding their concerns. In his eloquent and inimitable style, Kennedy told the pastors:

“I believe in an America where the separation of church and state is absolute; where no Catholic prelate would tell the President—should he be Catholic—how to

act, and no Protestant minister would tell his parishioners for whom to vote; where no church or church school is granted any public funds or political preference, and where no man is denied public office merely because his religion differs from the President who might appoint him, or the people who might elect him.

I believe in an America that is officially neither Catholic, Protestant nor Jewish; where no public official either requests or accepts instructions on public



policy from the Pope, the National Council of Churches or any other ecclesiastical source; where no religious body seeks to impose its will directly or indirectly upon the general populace or the public acts of its officials, and where religious liberty is so indivisible that an act against one church is treated as an act against all.”

VATICAN COUNCIL II

Clearly, in 1960, Protestants still feared the intentions of the Roman Catholic Papacy. However, the election of John F. Kennedy went a long way toward melting the ice. Vatican Council II from 1962 to 1965 also played a role in dissolving the ambience of suspicion and fear.

At the beginning of the Council, Pope John XXIII invited various Protestant representatives as observers and referred to them as separated brethren. The conciliar documents even went so far as to accept the validity of Protestant baptism. Vatican II gave the Catholic Church a seemingly benevolent facelift under the catchword *aggiornamento*, renewal. In the course of time, this new ‘look’ led Protestants to lower their guard and to lose their fear of the Papacy.

We find an example of this shift of Protestants toward the Papacy in an interview that Larry King had with Billy Graham on January 21, 1997, on his program “Larry King Live”. At the time, Pope John Paul II was visiting Salt Lake City.

King: “Do you feel comfortable with Salt Lake City? Do you feel comfortable with the Vatican?”

Graham: “Oh, I’m very comfortable with the Vatican. I have been to see the Pope several

times, and, in fact, the day that he was inaugurated, made Pope, I was preaching in his Cathedral in Krakow. I was his guest.”

King: “You were preaching in his church the day he was made Pope?”

Graham: “That is correct, in Krakow.” (Graham chuckled)

King: “You must have been shocked.”

Graham: “Of course I was. There was shouting on the streets, you know, the next day: ‘Polish Pope, Polish Pope.’”

King: “Do you like this Pope?”

Graham: “I like him very much. He’s very conservative . . . He and I agree on almost everything.”

Most people probably do not know how deeply Billy Graham was involved in the ecumenical movement. Just to give one example, in 1967 he received an honorary doctorate degree from Belmont Abbey College, a Jesuit institution. (please do a search on ‘Billy Graham and Belmont Abbey’ for all the multiple contacts that Billy Graham had with Roman Catholic leaders and institutions).

In the decades of the 80’s and 90’s, Protestants and Catholics joined forces to fight against what they perceived to be the common

enemy, secular humanism. Ralph Reed, the first President of Pat Robertson’s Christian Coalition, explained the alliance:

“The future of American politics lies in the growing strength of Evangelicals and their Roman Catholic allies. . . John F. Kennedy’s election in 1960 buried the Catholic bogeyman forever. No longer burdened by the past, Roman Catholics, Evangelicals, Greek Orthodox and many religious conservatives from the mainline denominations are forging a new alliance that promises to be among the most powerful and important in the modern political era.” Ralph Reed, *Politically Incorrect*, p. 16

In the war against secular humanism, Evangelicals and Catholics signed the document, “Evangelicals and Catholics Together.” The signatories were 40 of the most influential Evangelical and Roman Catholic leaders in the United States. Protestant Chuck Colson and Lutheran turned Catholic, John Richard Niehaus, developed the 25-page document.

An article in USA Today described the ecumenical nature of the document:

“The leaders in a statement are urging the nation’s fifty-two million Catholics and thirteen

million evangelicals to no longer hold each other at theological arm's length and stop aggressive proselytizing of each other's flocks, in short, to turn their theological swords into a recognition of a common faith." USA Today, March 30, 1994:

In 1995, Keith Fournier, one of the signers of the document wrote a book titled, *House United* where he described the document's incredible ecumenical implications:

"Catholics, Protestants and Orthodox can come together, must come together, and are coming together. The wall of separation is cracking; portions of the wall are beginning to fall away. Christians are waking up and starting to see each other as Family." Keith Fournier, *House United*, p. 336.

Ralph Reed, speaking to Catholics at the Catholic Campaign for America, described the ecumenical mood of the time:

"The truth is, you and I are uniting . . . We are coming together because whatever theological differences there are, there is far more that unites us and brings us together than divides us and separates us . . . The good news is the chasm is being bridged and that those walls are crumbling . . . The truth my friends is this.

Catholicism never has been, is not today, and never will be a threat to American democracy. It was and remains the most colorful and the most vibrant thread running through the tapestry of American democracy.

"Cardinal Gibbons said this: he said, No constitution is more in harmony with Catholic principles than the American constitution and no religion is more in accord with that constitution than the Catholic religion."

In 1999, Roman Catholic and Lutheran scholars signed the Joint Declaration of Justification by Faith where they agreed, after years of study, that the Catholic and Lutheran churches share a common view of righteousness by faith.

LIBERAL IDEAS

Some may wonder how Protestants could ever unite with the Papacy when their principles and doctrines stand in stark contrast to papal principles and doctrines. Ellen White provided a clue:

"And this [Catholicism] is the religion that Protestants are beginning to look upon with so much favor, and which will eventually be united with Protestantism. This union will not take place, however, by a change in Catholicism; for Rome never

changes. She claims infallibility. Protestantism will change. The adoption of liberal ideas on its part will bring it where it can clasp the hand of Catholicism.” RH, June 1, 1886

Of special note in this quotation is the phrase, ‘the adoption of liberal ideas’. What did Ellen White mean when she wrote that ‘liberal ideas’ would make it possible for Protestantism to ‘clasp the hand of Catholicism’? We must go to other places in her writings to determine her meaning.

Ellen White used the word ‘liberal’ in different ways. Most of the time she used it to describe generosity in giving. In this sense, her use of the word ‘liberal’ was positive. To Seventh-day Adventist ministers she wrote:

“A responsibility rests upon the ministers of Christ to educate the churches to be liberal.” *The Seventh-day Adventist Bible Commentary, volume 6*, p. 1103

If taken out of context, one might think that Ellen White was admonishing ministers to be theologically liberal. However, the context reveals that she was discussing the need for faithful and generous stewardship.

Ellen White also used the word ‘liberal’ in a positive sense to describe the broad and free

principles upon which the United States was built. Referring to the rise of the United States and its originating principles, she wrote:

“The lamblike horns and dragon voice of the symbol point to a striking contradiction between the professions and the practice of the nation thus represented. The “speaking” of the nation is the action of its legislative and judicial authorities. By such action it will give the lie to those liberal and peaceful principles which it has put forth as the foundation of its policy.” GC, p. 442

The context of this quotation indicates that by ‘liberal and peaceful principles’ she was referring to the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution and the Bill of Rights (see GC, p. 441).

However, Ellen White also used the word ‘liberal’ and ‘liberalism’ in a negative sense. According to her, a counterfeit conversion experience can be of two shapes:

“The purity and holiness of God is the great subject that must awaken the senses to the necessity of true conversion. While on one hand danger lurks in a narrow philosophy and a hard, cold rule of orthodoxy, on the other hand, there is great danger in a careless, impure liberalism.”

In the previous context to this

statement, Ellen White described liberalism as a 'lax, loose course of action'. Ellen White here warns against two extremes. One extreme is a lax and loose Christian experience and the other is a narrow adherence to truth without a conversion experience. Ellen White wrote that true conversion involves both faith and practice:

“Religion comprises practice as well as faith; the regulations of the life as well as the rectification of the heart. No man can be a correct citizen without true piety—the strictest integrity combined with the purest devotion.

Sinners are continually crying, ‘You are narrow, so narrow.’ ‘Liberalism,’ cry the lawless; ‘bring not your claims of law upon us.’ ‘The religion of Christ,’ says another, ‘is too hard. I cannot be a Christian; it involves too much.’ 20MR, p. 71

‘Liberal’, in this sense, leads to a de-emphasis on the importance of lifestyle and an over emphasis on faith. This leads to a theological ‘flexibility’ that allows Christians to accommodate the Bible to the whims of culture in the name of diversity, inclusiveness and theological pluralism, without regard to Bible principles and doctrines. In some liberal Protestant churches, it has led to

accommodating the biblical story of creation and the worldwide flood to the discoveries of science, so called. In many liberal Protestant churches, the rejection of biblical authority has also led to the ordination of women and gay clergy, the approval of gay marriage and support for gender confusion.

FALSE CHARITY

Another factor that has led to the love affair between Protestants and the Papacy is what Ellen White referred to as ‘false charity’.

Ellen White used the expression ‘false charity’ to describe the demise of Protestantism’s protest against evils that the word of God openly condemns. She referred to Protestantism’s liberality as ‘false charity’ or what we today call ‘political correctness’. False charity means ‘turning a blind eye’ to those who practice open sin for fear of offending them. Ellen White wrote about how false charity will prepare the way for the union of Protestants with Catholics:

“It is not without reason that the claim has been put forth in Protestant countries that Catholicism differs less widely from Protestantism than in former times. There has been a change; but the change is not in the Papacy. Catholicism indeed resembles

much of the Protestantism that now exists, because Protestantism has so greatly degenerated since the days of the Reformers.

As the Protestant churches have been seeking the favor of the world, false charity has blinded their eyes. They do not see but that it is right to believe good of all evil, and as the inevitable result they will finally believe evil of all good.” GC, pp. 570, 571

The prophet Isaiah warned that there could be no compromise between good and evil:

“Woe to those who call evil good, and good evil; who put darkness for light, and light for darkness; who put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter!”

In other places, Ellen White explained what she meant by the expression ‘false charity’.

“Bible charity is not sentimentalism, but love in active exercise. To heal the hurt of the daughter of my people slightly, saying, “Peace, peace,” when there is no peace is called charity. To confederate together, to call sin holiness and truth, is called charity; but it is the counterfeit article.

“Those who would cover evil under false charity, say to the sinner, ‘It shall be well with thee.’ Charity hates the sin, but loves

the sinner, and will warn him faithfully of his danger, pointing him to the Lamb of God who taketh away the sin of the world.”

An Appeal to our Ministers and Conference Committees (1892)

“In the work of reform to be carried forward today, there is need of men who like Ezra and Nehemiah, will not palliate or excuse sin, nor shrink from vindicating the honor of God. Those upon whom rests the burden of this work will not hold their peace when wrong is done neither will they cover evil with a cloak of false charity.” PK, p. 675.

“You must have charity,” is the cry heard everywhere, especially from those who profess sanctification. However, true charity is too pure to cover an unconfessed sin. While we are to love the souls for whom Christ died, we are to make no compromise with evil. We are not to unite with the rebellious and call this charity. God requires His people in this age of the world to stand for the right as unflinchingly as did John [the apostle] in opposition to soul-destroying errors.” AA, p. 554

Where is the voice of Protestantism today when it comes to open sin in society and in the church, such as gay marriage, gay clergy, abortion,

LGBTQ, materialistic greed, and entertainment? Political correctness has muted the ‘voice crying in the wilderness’.

COMMON POINTS OF DOCTRINE

Another factor that has brought Protestants and Catholics together is the de-emphasis on the importance of sound doctrine. Ellen White warned:

“The wide diversity of belief in the Protestant churches is regarded by many as decisive proof that no effort to secure a forced uniformity can ever be made. However, there has been for years, in churches of the Protestant faith, a strong and growing sentiment in favor of a union based upon common points of doctrine. To secure such a union, the discussion of subjects upon which all were not agreed—however important they might be from a Bible standpoint—must necessarily be waived.” GC, p. 444

“When the leading churches of the United States, uniting upon such points of doctrine as are held by them in common, shall influence the State to enforce their decrees and to sustain their institutions, then Protestant America will have formed an image of the Roman hierarchy, and the infliction of civil penalties upon dissenters will inevitably result.” GC, p. 445

Catholics and Protestants have many doctrines in common. Both believe in basic Christian doctrines such as the virgin birth, the perfect life of Christ, His death, His resurrection and His second coming. However, two doctrines upon which virtually all Catholics and Protestants agree is Sunday sacredness and the immortality of the soul. Ellen White wrote that these two doctrines will glue Catholics and Protestants together:

“Through the two great errors, the immortality of the soul and Sunday sacredness, Satan will bring the people under his deceptions. While the former lays the foundation of spiritualism, the latter creates a bond of sympathy with Rome. The Protestants of the United States will be foremost in stretching their hands across the gulf to grasp the hand of spiritualism; they will reach over the abyss to clasp hands with the Roman power; and under the influence of this threefold union, this country will follow in the steps of Rome in trampling on the rights of conscience.” GC, p. 588

In a speech to the Catholic Campaign for America, Ralph Reed, the first president of Pat Robertson’s Christian Coalition, explained that the alliance of Protestants with Catholics would be based on ‘essential points’:

“[The union of Catholics with Evangelicals] is the emerging force in the electorate today. The Pope does use the term hierarchy of doctrine. Father Robertson said: ‘Obviously some teachings are more important than others and there has to be an agreement on those essential points while leaving considerable latitude on other points that are less essential to the faith.’”

Keith Fournier, who referred to himself as an evangelical Catholic, wrote:

“We Christians have differences—important, critical differences. But we have far more in common both in beliefs and in mission. These believers have built on their commonalities without denying their differences.” Keith Fournier, *Evangelical Catholics*, p. 12

In November of 2014, Pastor Rick Warren attended the ‘Complementarity of Man and Woman’ interfaith meeting at the Vatican. Heather Clark reported Warren’s remarks:

“We have far more in common than what divides us. . . They would say: ‘We believe in the Trinity; we believe in the Bible; we believe in the resurrection; we believe in salvation through Jesus Christ, these are the big issues. . . Sometimes Protestants think that Catholics worship Mary, like she’s

another god, but that’s not exactly Catholic doctrine. . . People say, ‘what are the saints all about? Why are you praying to the saints?’ And when you understand what they mean by what they are saying, there is a whole lot more commonality [that we have with Roman Catholics. . . There are still real differences—no doubt about that, but the most important thing is, if you love Jesus we are on the same team. . . When it comes to family, we are co-workers in the field in this for the protection of the sanctity of life, the sanctity of sex and the sanctity of marriage, so there is a great commonality and there is no division on any of those three.” (“Warren’s Call for Christians to Unite with Catholics, ‘Holy Father’ Raising Concerns”, December 2, 2014 filed under ‘Apostasy, Top Stories, World’)

Is it true that there is ‘more that unites us than divides us’? The answer is a robust, no! Contrary to what many believe, the main contribution of Luther to the Protestant Reformation was not justification by faith but rather *Sola Scriptura*. Luther discovered righteousness by faith because he first discovered the Scriptures. Let us formulate a series of questions to see how much Catholics and Protestants really have in common:

Are Protestants willing to accept the idea that the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross was insufficient and therefore He must be sacrificed in every mass?

Are Protestants willing to accept the idea that some persons will go to purgatory to purge sins that Jesus already forgave when they received Him as their Savior?

Are Protestants willing to accept the idea that it is all right to make images and bow before them in violation of the Second Commandment?

Are Protestants willing to accept the primacy of the Pope as the visible sovereign of the Christian World?

Are Protestants willing to accept the idea that Mary is the Mother of God, that her mother conceived her without original sin, that she never sinned, that she ascended bodily to heaven and that she now intercedes for us in heaven as our mediatrix?

Are Protestants willing to accept the practice of canonizing the saints?

Are Protestants willing to accept the idea that the Bible is not our only rule of faith and practice and that the Bible and tradition have the same level of authority?

Are Protestants willing to accept the idea that the Church can give

individuals indulgences for sin for doing penance?

Are Protestants willing to accept the idea that it is all right to confess your sins to a human priest instead of directly to God?

The matters that divide Protestants and Catholics are important. Will these doctrinal differences be resolved when we get to heaven as some have suggested? Is it true that there is more that unites us than divides us?

The change in attitude of Protestants was exemplified several years ago by the late Paul Crouch, founder of TBN, the largest Christian television network in the world, when he said, "I'm not protesting anything; I am deleting the word Protestant from my vocabulary".

The late Robert Schuler, founder of the Crystal Cathedral, once stated that he hoped the day would come when the entire Christian world would accept Pope John Paul II as its leader.

A COMMON CHARISMATIC EXPERIENCE

Probably most readers of this article have heard of the late Tony Palmer. Palmer was an Anglican clergyman of the Celtic tradition whose denomination has fragmented into multiple

offshoots. For this reason, he yearned for unity based, not on doctrine, but on a common charismatic experience.

Television evangelist Kenneth Copland invited Palmer to speak at his Southwest Leader's Convention on February 25, 2014. To the hundreds of enthusiastic leaders Palmer claimed to have come 'in the spirit of Elijah' to bring the hearts of the sons to the fathers and the fathers to the sons'. By this, he meant that God called him to unite all Christians.

In his talk, Palmer lamented that after Martin Luther, Protestantism had splintered into 33,000 denominations. This fact led him to conclude that 'diversity is divine' and division is 'diabolic'.

Palmer affirmed that God gave charismatics the glory so that they could be one. Downplaying the importance of doctrine, Palmer said to the enthusiastic crowd:

"It is the glory that glues us together, not the doctrine. It is the glory. If you accept that the glory of God is living in me and the presence of God is in you, that's all we need because God will sort out all our doctrine later upstairs."

He continued:

"Christian unity is the basis of our credibility because Jesus said that until we are one the world will not believe."

In 1999, Lutherans and Catholics signed a joint declaration on righteousness by faith where they claimed to agree on the doctrine of righteousness by faith. Five years later the Methodists signed the declaration as well. This led Palmer to say that Luther's protest was over. Therefore he asked the audience:

"Brothers and sisters, Luther's protest is over, is yours?"

Palmer lamented that until 2014 no evangelical church had yet signed the Joint Declaration. He told the delegates, that 'this must be fixed.'

He continued:

"The protest has been over for 15 years. If there is no longer any protest, how can there be a protestant church? Maybe now we are all Catholics again."

Palmer was a close friend of Pope Francis I and visited him shortly before the convention. During the visit with the Pope, Palmer recorded a video message from the Pope to the hundreds of leaders at the convention. The Pope expressed his innermost feelings:

"I am yearning that this separation comes to an end and gives us communion. I am yearning for that embrace."

At the end of his message, the Pope said:

‘Please pray for me, I need your prayers. And I will pray for you, but I need your prayers. And let us pray to the Lord that He unites us all. Come on, we are brothers. Let us give each other a spiritual hug and let God complete the work that He has begun. And this is a miracle; the miracle of unity has begun. I ask you to bless me; I bless you. From brother to brother I embrace you.’

After playing the Pope’s message to the convention delegates, Kenneth Copland moved slowly to the stage repeating several times: “Glory, glory, glory!”

As Copland moved onto the stage, the delegates stood, applauded and raised their hands. Copland then said, “We do not know how to pray for him as we ought” and began praying in tongues.

Copland then invited Palmer to bring his cell phone to the stage where he sent a glowing message back to the Pope:

“These leaders represent literally tens of thousands that love you, that believe that God is with you, and in answer to your request we have just prayed for you and with you, and we did so in the spirit. We do bless you; we receive your blessing. It is very, very important to us. And we bless you with all of our hearts, we

bless you with all of our souls, we bless you with all of our might, and we thank you sir, we thank God for you, and so, all of us declare together: “Be blessed.”

Several months later, Pope Francis invited a group of influential Evangelical leaders to meet with him at the Vatican on June 23, 2014.

An interesting article appeared in the online edition of Christianity Today on March 10, 2014. The title read:

“Sweden’s Pentecostal Megapastor Converts to Catholicism”

The subtitle of the article read:

“He stuns his Word of Life mega-church in Sunday sermon: He’s crossing the Tiber.”

The article explained:

“Just who is Ulf Eckman? He founded the 3,300-member mega-church in one of Sweden’s largest cities. He operated the largest Bible school in Scandinavia. It has educated more than 9,500 students in the period of its existence. On Sunday, March 9, he announced to his stunned congregation that he was leaving his congregation to join the Roman Catholic Church.”

What reason did Eckman give for his reunion with Rome?

“I have come to realize that the

movement I, for the last 30 years have represented, despite some successes and much good that has occurred on various mission fields, is part of the ongoing Protestant fragmentation of Christendom”.

He stated that he would now dedicate his time to pursue unity among Christian movements and denominations.

He explained that as he became acquainted with Roman Catholics over a decade he grew closer and closer to them. In his own words:

“It really challenged our protestant prejudices, and we realized that we in many cases did not have any basis for our criticism of them.” “We needed to know the Catholic faith better. This led us to realize that it was actually Jesus Christ who led us to unite with the Catholic Church.”

He also said:

“We have seen a great love for Jesus and a sound theology founded on the Bible and classic dogma [in other words, ‘tradition’]. We have experienced the richness of sacramental life. We have seen the logic in having a solid structure for priesthood that keeps the faith of the church and passes it on from one generation to the next. We have met an ethical and moral strength and consistency that dare to face up to the general opinion [social

factors], and a kindness towards the poor and weak. And, last but not least, we have come in contact with representatives for millions of charismatic Catholics and we have seen their living faith.”

On May 5, 2014, Tony Palmer was Robison’s special guest on his television program “Life Today”. Tony Palmer stated:

“Diversity is divine; it is division that is diabolic. . . Jesus’ theology is that if God is in you, and you are in God and God is in me and I am in God, we are one together in God. . . Our sin is that we do not make our unity visible because we allow our diversities to divide us and if we elevate anything to divide us, we are elevating it above the cross. So, whether it is a doctrine or a dogma or an expression, if you use that to divide our unity you have elevated that doctrine or whatever it may be above the cross. Now we are not saying ‘put doctrine aside, certainly not!’ Pope Francis recognizes only two fundamental doctrines—love for God and love for your neighbor, end of doctrine!”

Another television personality that visited the Pope was James Robison. He met with Pope Francis in June of 2014 with Kenneth Copland. Upon meeting Francis, Robison said:

“Pope Francis, let me just say to you that I see Jesus in you; and in Christ we are brothers, we are family. Thank you for speaking the language of love that all may come to know him and love him and love one another.”

After Robison spoke these words, Robison gave Pope Francis the first high five in Papal history!

Pope Francis also invited megachurch Pastor Joel Osteen to the Vatican. After the meeting, Osteen told local television station Click 2 Houston:

“I just felt very honored and very humbled”.

Osteen then gushed about the tour the Pope gave him of the Vatican:

“It was amazing; and even to go back into that part of the Vatican—there’s so much history there, the place that they took us through. You feel that deep respect and reverence for God.”

Osteen also met with other Vatican staff during his visit, including Secretary of State, Cardinal Pietro Parolli, and had dinner with an unspecified staff member.

Prior to meeting with the Pope, Osteen attended mass in St. Peters and stood in the midst of a crowd of 100,000 people. He then described what the Pope did after mass:

“Afterward, [the Pope] spent an hour and a half going through the crowd with the Pope mobile, greeting people; it was very heartwarming to see him caring for people.”

Osteen went on:

“I love the fact that’s he’s made the Church more inclusive; not trying to make it smaller, but to try to make it larger—to take everybody in. So, that just resonates with me.”

APOSTASY IN GENEVA

On February 29, 2020, for the first time in close to 500 years, the Roman Catholic Church celebrated Mass in John Calvin’s Cathedral of Saint-Pierre de Genève. After the beginning of the Protestant Reformation in 1517, John Calvin’s Reformed Church destroyed the statues and paintings and banned Catholic worship in Saint-Pierre. The last Mass took place there in 1535. An article in the Christian Post described the ecumenical Mass in the planning stages:

“In a first since the Reformation era, Protestants are set to receive communion during a Catholic mass at a historic Cathedral in Geneva, Switzerland, John Calvin’s adopted home.”

“Emmanuel Fuchs, President of the Protestant Church in Geneva

and a Pastor in Saint-Pierre, added that the invitation indicates that ‘the climate in Geneva is extremely favorable and fruitful with the Roman Catholic Church. We have made notable progress in terms of ecumenism, especially with the Joint Declaration, signed in 2017, which recognizes our respective ministries.’”

“As Pope Francis said, ecumenism is achieved by walking. We are trying to walk together in the hope that when we have made enough progress, the obstacles that seem to us today insurmountable will no longer be,” he said.”

“In addition to Castle Church in Wittenberg, Germany, where it is said that Martin Luther posted his 95 theses to the door in 1517, Saint-Pierre Reformed Protestant Church in Geneva is considered one of the most iconic sites of the Protestant Reformation.”<https://www.christianpost.com/news/protestants-to-take-catholic-communion-at-calvins-cathedral-in-geneva-on-leap-year-day.html>

So to speak, Luther and Calvin must be rolling in their graves. If they resurrected today, they would be unable to recognize the churches that they founded. Not only have the churches that they sacrificed so much to establish failed to progress but they

have actually regressed to pre-reformation times.

Space will not allow me to describe multiple other concessions and compromises that Protestants have made to the papacy. Perhaps one more will suffice.

On June 22, 2015, Pope Francis met with the Waldensians in their temple in Torre Pellice. This was the first visit ever by a Pope. Philip Pullella, of the Reuters News Agency described the encounter that took place on June 28, 2015:

“Pope Francis asked forgiveness on Monday for the Roman Catholic Church’s ‘non-Christian and inhumane’ treatment in the past of the Waldensians, a tiny Protestant movement the Vatican tried to exterminate in the 15th century.” “The movement, an early precursor of the Reformation in the 16th century, was branded as heretical and in 1487 Pope Innocent VIII ordered its extermination. Some 1,700 Waldensians were killed in 1655 by Catholic forces commanded by the Duke of Savoy.” (Philip Pullella, “Pope Francis Asks Forgiveness for the Catholic Church’s Persecution of Waldensians”)

CHANGE IN PROPHETIC HERMENEUTICS

It is a well-known fact that the Protestant Reformers believed that the Papacy was the predicted antichrist of Bible prophecy. They reached this conclusion based on their study of the prophecies. They unanimously taught that the Papacy was the Man of Sin, the Abomination of Desolation and the Harlot.

However, two Roman Catholic Jesuit scholars of the Counterreformation changed the prophetic hermeneutics from historicism to preterism and futurism.

The Jesuit scholar, Luis de Alcazar, affirmed that the little horn of Daniel 7 and 8 represented Antiochus Epiphanes and the beast of Revelation 13 symbolized Nero. Of course, if this were true, the little horn and the beast have nothing to do with the Papacy.

On the other hand, the Jesuit Francisco Ribera predicted that the little horn and the beast represented a nasty individual who would rise to power in the Middle East at the very end of human history. If this were true, then the Papacy does not fulfill the antichrist prophecies either.

Church history of the 19th century proves that liberal

Protestant churches imbibed Alcazar's hermeneutic and conservative Protestants imbibed Ribera's. For this reason, present day Protestantism is unable to discern the role that the Papacy has played and apostate Protestantism will play in end time events. If Protestants do not believe that the Papacy is the antichrist, then they will not fear the system and will be more prone to merge with it. Do you think that if these Protestant leaders understood the prophecies of Daniel and Revelation concerning the identity of the antichrist they would be making ecumenical overtures toward the Papacy?

For a full development of the counterfeit prophetic hermeneutic of liberal and conservative Protestants, see my book *Futurism's Incredible Journey* available from Secrets Unsealed.

SATAN'S TWO-FOLD ATTACK ON SCRIPTURE

The reason why Protestantism will end up in the arms of the Papacy is that it has forsaken the Bible as the absolute standard of truth and has become 'liberal' and politically correct, redefining the distinction between truth and error based on tradition, culture and personal experience. Liberal Protestants condone and even support open sins such as gay marriage, gender confusion and

gay clergy. Post-modern thinking has infiltrated Protestantism like an infectious disease and the consequences have been disastrous.

What Satan did by influencing the Papacy to forbid the Bible in the past he now accomplishes by undermining its authority! Regarding the Papacy's concealment and suppression of the Scriptures during the 1260 years, Ellen White wrote:

“Satan well knew that the Holy Scriptures would enable men to discern his deceptions and withstand his power. It was by the word that even the Savior of the world had resisted his attacks. At every assault, Christ presented the shield of eternal truth, saying, “It is written.” To every suggestion of the adversary, He opposed the wisdom and power of the word. In order for Satan to maintain his sway over men, and establish the authority of the papal usurper, he must keep them in ignorance of the Scriptures. The Bible would exalt God and place finite men in their true position; therefore, its sacred truths must be concealed and suppressed. The Roman Church adopted this logic. For hundreds of years the circulation of the Bible was prohibited. The people were forbidden to read it or to have it in their houses, and unprincipled priests and prelates

interpreted its teachings to sustain their pretensions. Thus, the pope came to be almost universally acknowledged as the vicegerent of God on earth, endowed with authority over church and state. The detector of error having been removed, Satan worked according to his will.” GC, p. 51

However, in this age of great intellectual light, Satan has changed his strategy. He knows that he is not able to forbid the Bible or keep it in an unknown tongue, so his strategy is to undermine the authority and trustworthiness of the Bible:

“A day of great intellectual darkness has been shown to be favorable to the success of the papacy. It will yet be demonstrated that a day of great intellectual light is equally favorable for its success. In past ages, when men were without God's word and without the knowledge of the truth, their eyes were blindfolded, and thousands were ensnared, not seeing the net spread for their feet. In this generation there are many whose eyes become dazzled by the glare of human speculations, “science falsely so called;” they discern not the net, and walk into it as readily as if blindfolded. God designed that man's intellectual powers should be held as a gift from his Maker and should be employed in the service of truth

and righteousness; but when pride and ambition are cherished, and men exalt their own theories above the word of God, then intelligence can accomplish greater harm than ignorance. Thus the false science of the present day, which undermines faith in the Bible, will prove as successful in preparing the way for the acceptance of the papacy, with its pleasing forms, as did the withholding of knowledge in opening the way for its aggrandizement in the Dark Ages.” GC, p. 572

A FIERCE AND DETERMINED CONFLICT

Ellen White described the Papacy’s plan to undo what Protestantism has done:

“The Protestant churches are in great darkness, or they would discern the signs of the times. The Roman Church is far-reaching in her plans and modes of operation. She is employing every device to extend her influence and increase her power in preparation for a fierce and determined conflict to regain control of the world, to re-establish persecution, and to undo all that Protestantism has done. Catholicism is gaining ground upon every side. See the increasing number of her churches and chapels in Protestant countries. Look at the popularity of her colleges and seminaries in

America, so widely patronized by Protestants. Look at the growth of ritualism in England and the frequent defections to the ranks of the Catholics. These things should awaken the anxiety of all who prize the pure principles of the gospel.” GC, pp. 565, 566

What does Ellen White mean by ‘a fierce and determined conflict’? She is not speaking of a military conflict but rather a spiritual one. The Papacy has conquered its first rival, socialism or communism without firing a single bullet! The Papacy has done this by adopting a socialist agenda to earn the trust of Socialists/Globalists. To Protestants today, the Papacy appears harmless. However, God has given a warning:

“It is a part of her policy to assume the character which will best accomplish her purpose; but beneath the variable appearance of the chameleon she conceals the invariable venom of the serpent.” GC, p. 571

Stay tuned for Part 3 under the title, ‘Francis the Socialist’.



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THE DEADLY COVID CYTOKINE STORM

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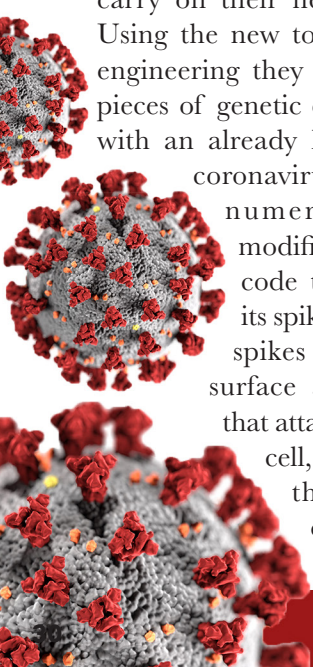


Evil minds, inspired by the Architect of all suffering and death, have created a bioweapon now let loose upon the earth. In tightly sealed suits and helmets, looking more like space aliens from another world, breathing highly filtered air and with only a thin membrane separating their skin from the microbes they cannot see, they carry on their nefarious work. Using the new tools of genetic engineering they cut and paste pieces of genetic code. Working with an already known deadly coronavirus they make numerous small modifications to the code that will build its spike protein. The spikes on the virus surface are structures that attach to a human cell, break through the protective cell membrane

and then inject the viral RNA code into the cell. By taking some pieces of code from an HIV virus and inserting them where they will alter the distal surface of the new protein spike they are building for the coronavirus, they have now transformed the virus into an extremely contagious highly infective pathogen. You might remember the SARS epidemic a few years ago that although deadly, died out and disappeared after infecting a few thousand. But now that same virus with the new modified spike protein is already infecting millions around the world with hundreds of thousands of deaths – and it is still spreading.

UNLIKE ANY OTHER MICROBE ON THIS PLANET

CoVID can attack anything in the body with devastating effects. The transition from mild flu-like symptoms to severe hypoxia, fever, tachycardia and hypotension can be quite rapid. The mechanisms



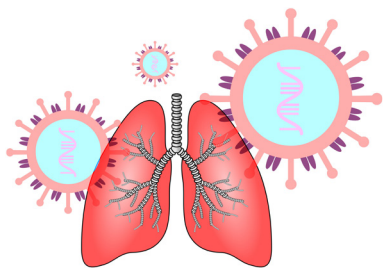
of this rapid deterioration are still a mystery. This virus behaves like no other virus ever encountered by human beings. It appears that the body's immune system, designed by the Creator to protect us from microbial threats, can become dysregulated. This dysregulated immune system, pushed over the edge by the CoVID virus and other factors, spirals out of control releasing a flood of cytokines. These cytokines are messenger molecules communicating the complex orders for the deadly warfare intended to save your life. These messengers come in many different forms: interferons, interleukins, tumor-necrosis factors, chemokines, and others. But the consequences of these orders can be deadly; much like the military commander being overrun by a large enemy force who calls in an artillery barrage or an airstrike on his own coordinates.

Once a CoVID virus attacks a cell and injects its RNA into the cytoplasm, that cell is doomed and becomes transformed into a virus factory producing thousands of viruses. The wall of this doomed cell will then be dismantled releasing a swarm of new highly infective viruses. And through the ruptured cell wall also pours out the cytoplasm of the cell along with all its essential

organelles. The life of the cell is over, it is now just cellular debris scattered on the battlefield. The only effective strategy is for the body to immediately destroy an infected cell before viral replication can proceed. There are in our blood, cells called Killer-Ts which are very capable of doing just this. And it is the complex cytokine messages that activates these Killer-T cells that can become dysregulated into the cytokine storm that causes such severe destruction. While we do not understand the mystery of how CoVID does this, the effects of it are very obvious.

LUNG DESTRUCTION

In the lungs this over-active immune attack can inflict very heavy damage, destroying the respiratory epithelium quite rapidly. The little airs sacs in the lungs fill up with a soup made of cellular cytoplasm along with the fragments of cell walls and other



parts of the cell remaining from their destruction by the attacking Killer-Ts. These battlefield debris filling the lungs appear

as white patches on a CT scan of the lungs (called ground glass by radiologists). As the damage becomes more widespread the lungs can no longer fill with air resulting in shortness of breath or air hunger along with severe hypoxia. The cytokines also produce fever, chest pain and body aches as well as rapid heart rate and rapid breathing.

This acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS) can rapidly become fatal. About half of those who get CoVID ARDS will die.

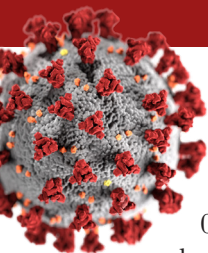
...if you get CoVID your likelihood of NOT dying is 99.74%!

Doctors in the ICU will use high flow oxygen and if needed will place patients on a ventilator to try to maintain enough oxygen to save their lives. They will also use high dose steroids, monoclonal antibodies or other biologicals all in attempts to block the over-reacting immune system. They will also use convalescent serum (serum full of antibodies against CoVID donated by patients who have recovered) to kill the viruses directly.

VASCULAR EPITHELIAL DAMAGE

The cells lining the blood vessels are also a target of this destructive attack. They have a special protective coating called a glycocalyx which prevents blood clots from forming on the vessel walls. With the destruction of this protecting layer the blood starts forming small blood clots in the arteries. In the lungs these small clots form pulmonary emboli blocking blood flow resulting even more hypoxia. This is one of the reasons that ventilator settings need to be different for CoVID patients compared to other pneumonia patients. It is also the reason that so many patients placed on ventilators eventually die.

About half of those who die from CoVID, die from heart failure. As blood clots form in the coronary arteries they cause heart attacks. Lack of blood flow in the brain can cause headaches and confusion and can progress to strokes with permanent loss of function or death. Legs or arms can clot off and die resulting in amputations. The kidneys as well as the liver can also be destroyed by this mechanism as well as the direct damage from the virus. Even the rash known as CoVID toes is due to micro clots in the skin (these are non-life-threatening and will resolve).



MORTALITY AND RISK FACTORS

The mortality rate for CoVID is about 0.26%. That is twice as deadly as the influenza. But to look at it another way – that means that if you get CoVID your likelihood of NOT dying is 99.74%!

So, who dies? We know that certain underlying conditions are major risk factors. Diabetes, high blood pressure, atherosclerosis are the main ones. Interestingly, they are all conditions with damaged artery walls leaving them very susceptible to the clot formation and micro emboli that is seen on most all autopsies of CoVID deaths. Although it was initially assumed that asthma would be a major risk factor for severe CoVID pneumonia it has not turned out that way – they are at no higher risk than the general population.

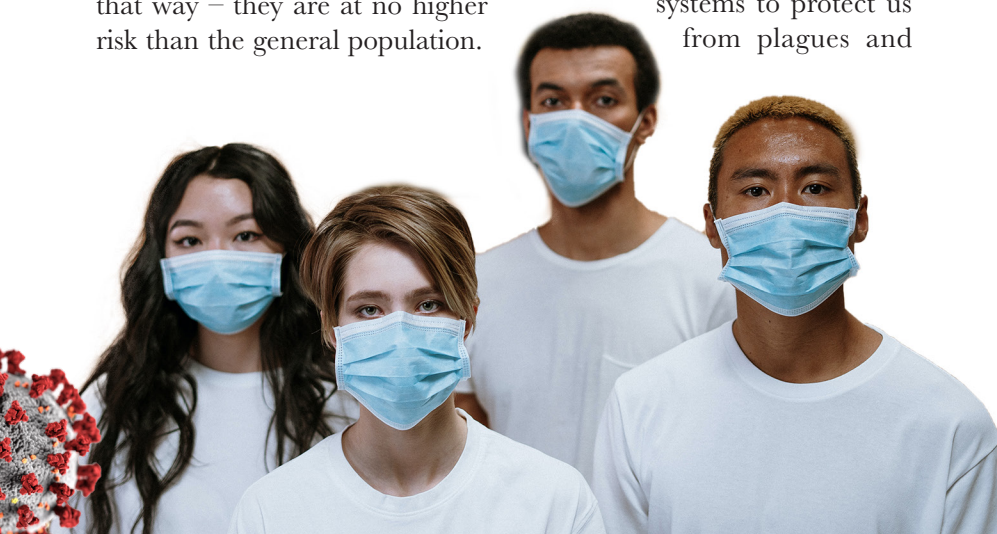
Asthma does not affect the artery walls.

RISK REDUCTION

We know that those who follow God's original plan, a simple plant-based diet without added refined factory processed foods can completely restore a badly damaged glycocalyx in about 30 days. So, not only can you become heart attack proof in 30 days, you could also become very unlikely to develop the clots or micro emboli from a CoVID infection. This same diet has also been shown to be excellent at stabilizing the immune system, making progression to a cytokine storm very unlikely.

"A thousand shall fall at your side and ten thousand at your right hand, but it shall not come near you." Psalm 91:7

God has designed our immune systems to protect us from plagues and



pestilences until the end of this world. If we trust Him and walk in obedience to his directions, we have no need to fear whatever microbes Satan may create and release upon this world.

with all its small businesses and independence is being eliminated while massive government cash handouts are making dependent slaves of multitudes. Churches and schools are closed while

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FEAR

Beyond the death and misery this virus has brought upon the world, the greatest damage is beginning to be seen as the massive destruction of liberty and freedom, as the various political forces use this pandemic as a means to further their grasp for power and control. The wealth and economic freedom given to the world and especially to the

United States by the protestant reformation and its economic system of capitalism is being swept away by lockdown orders. The middle class

violent protesting and looting and crimes of all kinds go unpunished. Is wearing a mask a symbol of submission to a power poised to move ahead with forced vaccinations and mass surveillance of all private citizens? Certain viewpoints are being censored on social media and in the news. Freedom of speech is being replaced by political correctness. Fear makes many willing to trade liberties for security. Massive political and social changes are coming to our way of life in this world.

But we know that God is in control.

"Above the distractions of the earth He sits enthroned; all things are open to His divine survey; and from His great and calm eternity He orders that which His providence sees best." 8T, p.272

We have nothing to fear from this virus of Satan's creation. We



have no need to fear illness or death from this microbe as long as we walk in obedience to His commands though faith in His mercy and love and divine power and gifts to us. Neither have we any reason to be fearful of all the plotting and conspiracies as they appear to triumph in crushing out the liberties of the people.

Jesus said: “My kingdom is not of this world”. We have no stake in either side of the current political divide. We are citizens of another heavenly world and we have a mission to accomplish while here amid the scenes of strife increasing around us. Our only fear should be in failing to be fully persuaded that He loves us and will give us His Spirit as He promised. To abide in Christ and to have Him abide in us must be the all-consuming motive of our lives. When we truly know His power and His intense personal love for us, we will be enabled to walk by faith, and with full confidence and assurance we will be able to say, “Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death I will fear no evil.”



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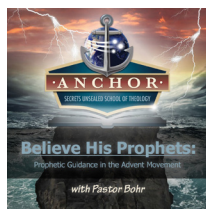
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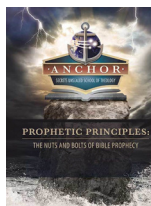
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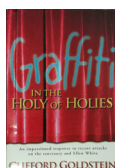
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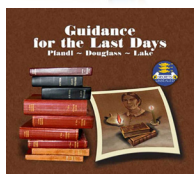
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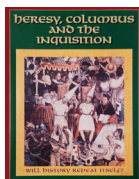
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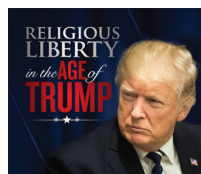
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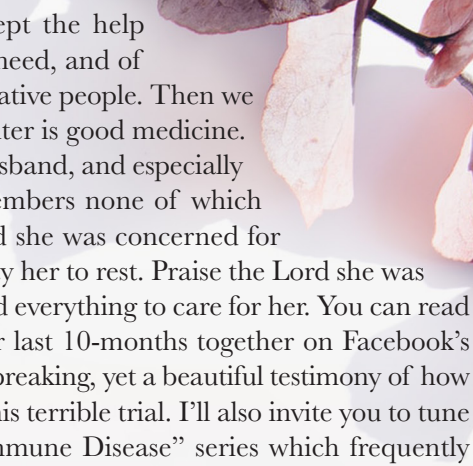
A Tribute to Jennifer

By Aileen Pyburn

It's September 1, 2020, and in the midst of my day, my heart is instantly broken, my tears are uncontrollable, so much so that I had to get inside my car and just cry and pray. Now, at this moment, everything that my heart wants to say nothing seems adequate enough to describe the awesome woman of God in the picture. She helped grow God's kingdom with her gift of graphic design.

I first met Jennifer over the phone, when someone I trust referred me to her. Her voice was calm, yet full of joy, and eager to help. As we began working together on various projects, and quickly we realized that God had given her a special gift. With literally one or two sentences of describing what we needed, she would design study note covers, DVD packaging artwork, newsletters, our catalogs, and more, all with what I call the WOW factor. It wasn't long before she was more than an outsource designer, she was part of our ministry, assisting marketing, production, and we even produced a series with Gabe and Jen. We tried to hire her several times, but she cared so much about all the ministries she assisted with her talents, and was especially committed to helping her husband in evangelism, that we never convinced them to move to Fresno. Can't say I blame them. After all they lived near a beautiful lake most of the year, and traveled from church to church.

I'll never forget the day she called me to give me the unbelievable news of her Stage 4 Cancer diagnosis. It was October 2019. She said she called to say goodbye as her voice began to crack. We cried together, encouraged each other, prayed together, said our good byes, and she shared her fear of dying doubting God's love for her. She well knew that Satan would try to cause her to doubt her trust in God should He decide it would be best for her to go to sleep, and she just didn't want that to happen. Of course I quickly went into "say something encouraging" mode, counseled with her, and even told her it was ok to put pride



aside and be willing to accept the help she and Gabe were going to need, and of course, to stay away from negative people. Then we even laughed together. Laughter is good medicine. She was concerned for her husband, and especially for her immediate family members none of which believe how she believed, and she was concerned for them should God choose to lay her to rest. Praise the Lord she was married to Gabe who dropped everything to care for her. You can read his weekly journaling of their last 10-months together on Facebook's Go-Fund-Me. It is both heartbreaking, yet a beautiful testimony of how God brought them through this terrible trial. I'll also invite you to tune into their "Reversing Autoimmune Disease" series which frequently airs on SUMTV.org.

She was a woman whom truly had all the gifts of the spirit as described in Galatians 5:22-26: love, joy, peace, longsuffering, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control, maintained a good sense of humor, and she oozed with the love of Christ, even in every day conversation.

On September 1st Jennifer fell asleep in Jesus, at the age of 40.

"Then I heard a voice from heaven saying to me, 'Write: 'Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on'.'" "Yes, says the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors, and their works follow them. Rev. 14:13 NJKV

We made a great team, and I miss her every single day. We will continue praying for Gabe, and her family, and I'll be looking for her on that special resurrection morning. The Bible says that death is just a sleep, and a sweet sleep it is. So sleep well my friend until God raises you from your dusty grave to take you home. You ran your race (Heb. 12:1) and remained faithful until the end. No doubt your crown is now secure.



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We Have Grown by Two Feet



After 35-years as the co-founder, co-director and vice-president of Light Bearers Ministry, Pastor James Rafferty has accepted the call to join our Secrets Unsealed and SUMTV team.

He has also been an academic teacher and instructor teaching classes on Adventist fundamental doctrines including Daniel and Revelation in the U.S. and in Australia at various Bible schools like AFCOE and ARISE. He has been a participant on Table Talk, a successful interactive Bible talk show airing on Christian television channels and is presently a co-host of Salvation in Symbols and Signs, which airs daily on 3ABN. He has produced audio commentary on the Sabbath School Quarterly and conducted evangelistic meetings and seminars all over the world, baptizing many souls into Christ and God's remnant church. God called James over 35 years ago and gave him a passion to preach the "everlasting gospel" emphasizing the truth as it is in Jesus. James has more recently followed the leading of the Holy Spirit into discipleship ministry, making disciples who make disciples who make more disciples for Jesus Christ. James loves God, trusts in the righteousness of Jesus and seeks to lean more heavily on the Holy Spirit. His wife Risë is a registered dietician nutritionist and together they have a passion for uniting the gospel with the health message in the local community outreach.



Recently Pastor Rafferty accepted the call to become part of the Secrets Unsealed staff as Associate Speaker. Already he's proven to be a natural fit when he joined Pastor Bohr and Pastor CA Murray on our "I'd Like To Know" program. He is also one of our speakers for this year's summit, and gearing up to record his first series on the 28 Fundamental Beliefs in the first quarter of 2021. He's ready to hit the ground running, and we're looking forward to his contributions that will help grow God's kingdom here at Secrets Unsealed. We also look forward to recording programs with his wife Risë.



Please join us in welcoming Pastor Rafferty to our ministry.



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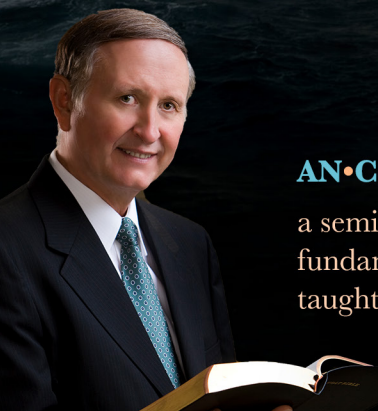
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