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#### THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

## THE FALSE PROPHET OF THE LAST DAYS

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**INTRODUCTION** 

to the text

Revelation 13:11-18

## The Prophetic Word of God

#### Isaiah 46:9-10

Remember the former things of old, For I am God, and there is no other; I am God, and there is none like Me, :10 Declaring the end from the beginning, And from ancient times things that are not yet done, Saying, "My counsel shall stand, And I will do all My pleasure,"

### Jesus Echoed This Powerful Truth as God Incarnate;

#### John 13:19

Now I tell you before it comes, that when it does come to pass, you may believe that I am *He*.

God Requires of Us, Faith in Salvation, To Trust the Lord for Salvation is to Trust His Word. And of His Word has said,

#### Psalm 138:2

I will worship toward Your holy temple, And praise Your name For Your lovingkindness and Your truth; For You have magnified **Your word** above all Your name.

So, If the LORD is God there Should be Evidence of Existence

And There is:

#1 - There's The Observable Universe

#2 - There is the Historical Record
#3 - There is the Internal Witness
#4 - There is the Biblical Revelation

And if the Biblical Revelation is true, then we should be able to Judge it Against what we Know to be True, and that is done by placing History and the What the Bible has to Say, Side by Side...

#### 2 Peter 1:19

For we have **the prophetic word** confirmed, by which you do well to heed as a light that shines in a dark place...

If You Have Studied the Prophetic Books and Chapters of the Bible, You well know that there is not one requirement, not one event that keeps Jesus Christ from appearing in the Atmosphere and Removing His Church

Now The Events Listed Here of Revelation Chapter 13
Are events that we the church will not be involved in when they Happen.

#### 1 Thessalonians 1:10

and to wait for His Son from heaven, whom He raised from the dead, *even* Jesus who delivers us from the wrath to come.

#### 1 Thessalonians 2:19

For what *is* our hope, or joy, or crown of rejoicing? *Is it* not even you in the presence of our Lord Jesus Christ at His coming?

#### 1 Thessalonians 3:13

so that He may establish your hearts blameless in holiness before our God and Father at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ with all His saints.

#### 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17

For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first. :17 Then we who are alive *and* remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And thus we shall always be with the Lord.

#### 1 Thessalonians 5:9

For God did not appoint us to wrath, but to obtain salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ,

So Then, The Events that we now Study, they are yet future. They are events that will Mature toward Fulfillment, meaning that as time draws closer to the what's revealed in this chapter, there should be indicators and evidence that matches the Biblical Revelation before, and that is exactly what we see.

The Apostle John Now

Introduces us to **another** key figure in the Prophetic Scene That Ultimately Usher in The Second Coming of Jesus Christ..

#### Revelation 13:11-18

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## THE FALSE PROPHET OF THE LAST DAYS

## I.) The Description of the False Prophet (2<sup>nd</sup> Beast) V. 11-12

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The Description of the False Prophet

## 1<sup>st</sup> He'll be "The Deceiver" of religion

v.11

Then I saw **another beast** coming up out of the earth, (not the sea) and he had **two** horns like a lamb and spoke like a dragon.

## What kind of Lamb Sounds like a Dragon?

He's going to speak like a Dragon – That's Satan Himself Smooth, slick, convincing, knowing, comforting, caring...

#### Matthew 7:15

"Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravenous wolves.

## There is No mistaking Who This Second Beast Is;

#### Revelation 19:20

Then the beast was captured, and with him **the false prophet** who worked signs in his presence, by which he deceived those who received the mark of the beast and those who worshiped his image. These two were cast alive into the lake of fire burning with brimstone

## But Look at His Religious Garb, He Has "two horns like a lamb"

The Two Horn Representing the Authority of Politics, Antichrist, and the Authority of Religion

#### Look back at verse 1

#### **Revelation 13:1**

Then I stood on the sand of the sea (humanity).

And I saw **a beast** rising up out of the sea,

(The Anitchrist = The Satanically Possessed, Political Genius that will Come upon the Global Scene = Europe's Man, Their President So to Speak.

But This Antichrist Politician, Beast will Have a Partner, this "another" beast is a man also, he is the second beast and his expertise is the unification of the world's religions. He is an ecumenical globalist that engineers a design to melt all faiths into one.

Another

grk a**‡lloß** allos, al´-los; another beast of the same kind. A beast yes, different from the first mentioned. But united in a common goal

## The Bible says That in the Future

At the Same Time - There will be Two Great World Leaders in Stereo.

#### 1 Timothy 4:1-2

Now the Spirit expressly says that in latter times some will depart from the faith, giving heed to deceiving spirits and doctrines of demons, :2 speaking lies in hypocrisy, having their own conscience seared with a hot iron,

#### Matthew 24:23-24

"Then if anyone says to you, "Look, here *is* the Christ!" or 'There!" do not believe *it.* **:24** For false christs and false prophets will rise and show great signs and wonders to deceive, if possible, even the elect.

#### Mark 13:22-23

For false christs and false prophets will rise and show signs and wonders to deceive, if possible, even the elect. **:23** But take heed; see, I have told you all things beforehand.

## this false prophet

will glue together the political realm with the religious realm politics and organized religion are never far apart.

# -make no mistake about it! Godless, Political Movements are Often Draped in Religion Christianity is not a Religion

The Description of the False Prophet

## 2<sup>nd</sup> He'll be "The Impostor" of worship

v.12

And **he exercises** <u>all the authority of the first beast in his presence</u>, and causes the earth and those who dwell in it to worship the first beast, whose deadly wound was healed.

## <u>in his presence</u>

What a Deep and Strong Bond Between Politics and Religion These Two Leaders Create

(whoever these players are, they are from long existing powers.)

## **Notice an Unholy Trinity**

This Demonic Representation of the Holy Trinity
Notice the Impostorship of Satan
Satan is attempting to be in the role of God the Father
The Antichrist is in the place of Jesus Christ the Son
The False Prophets is in the Place of The Holy Spirit

#### 2 Corinthians 11:3

But I fear, lest somehow, as the serpent deceived Eve by his craftiness, so your minds may be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ.

#### 2 Corinthians 11:13-15

For such *are* false apostles, deceitful workers, transforming themselves into apostles of Christ. :14 And no wonder! For Satan himself transforms himself into an angel of light. :15 Therefore *it is* no great thing if his ministers also transform themselves into ministers of righteousness, whose end will be according to their works.

## 3<sup>rd</sup> He'll be "The Agent" of evil

v. 12-13

#### **Daniel 8:25**

And through his policy also he shall cause craft to prosper in his hand; and he shall magnify himself in his heart, and by peace shall destroy many:

## In New York, at the U.N. out Front

#### Isaiah 2:4

...They shall beat their swords into plowshares, And their spears into pruning hooks; Nation shall not lift up sword against nation, Neither shall they learn war anymore.

THE VERSE BEGINS WITH "He shall judge between the nations, And rebuke many people;

## Remember This;

When Jesus Sent the Disciples out and away to preach and to heal and to cast out demons, judas was one of those ministers!

#### These Agents of Evil

#### 1 John 4:6

We are of God. He who knows God hears us; he who is not of God does not hear us. By this we know the spirit of truth and the spirit of error.

#### 1 John 4:1

Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits, whether they are of God; because many false prophets have gone out into the world.

#### 1 John 2:18-19

Little children, it is the last hour; and as you have heard that the Antichrist is coming, even now many antichrists have come, by which we know that it is the last hour. :19 They went out from us, but they were not of us; for if they had been of us, they would have continued with us

## What We Must Do as Christians

#### Acts 17:10-11

Then the brethren immediately sent Paul and Silas away by night to Berea. When they arrived, they went into the synagogue of the Jews. :11 These were more fair-minded than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness, and searched the Scriptures daily *to find out* whether these things were so.

## THE FALSE PROPHET OF THE LAST DAYS

### II.) The Deception of the False Prophet (2<sup>nd</sup> Beast) vv. 13-15

### 1<sup>st</sup> Will be irresistible to the world

v.13

**He performs** great signs (wonders), so that he even makes **fire come down** from heaven on the earth in the sight of men.

## Miracles are not always of God!

A Real Christian is one who judges all things against the Bible.
What is said and what is done.

#### Matthew 7:21-23

"Not everyone who says to Me, 'Lord, Lord,' shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of My Father in heaven. :22 Many will say to Me in that day, "Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in Your name, cast out demons in Your name, and done many wonders in Your name?' :23 And then I will declare to them, "I never knew you; depart from Me, you who practice lawlessness!"

Why is "Fire Coming Down from the Sky" singled out? It seems like this is the miracle of "maximum deception"

"It's The Big One That's in The Back of Any Guilty Mind"

Deception: Because it's The Miracle that is in Direct Association with the Authority of God

Mimic the Ministry of Elijah?
Calling fire down

## When the Samaritans Rejected Jesus

#### Luke 9:54-56

And when His disciples James and John saw *this*, they said, <u>"Lord, do You want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them, just as Elijah did?"</u>:55 ¶ But He turned and rebuked them, and said, "You do not know what manner of spirit you are of. :56 For the Son of Man did not come to destroy men's lives but to save *them*." And they went to another village.

And What About Sodom and Gomorrah? Fire came down from the sky and incinerated the cities

The False Prophet is Going to be GIVEN this Ability, To shock the world into thinking – "this man and what he says is truth itself."

## The Deception of the False Prophet

### 2<sup>nd</sup> It will be undeniable

v.14

And **he deceives** those who dwell on the earth by those signs which he was granted to do in the sight of the beast, telling those who dwell on the earth **to make an image** to the beast who was wounded by the sword and lived.

All those who dwell on the earth – literally = "The Earth-Dwellers" this earth, this world is their home

## An Undeniable Force

They Will Believe Their Eyes!

#### to make an image

statues have always been created by man to commemorate or to honor events or heroes in history Statues, Images, Idols, Icons are Abominations to God

## The Deception of the False Prophet

## 3<sup>rd</sup> It will be inescapable

v.15

He was granted *power* to give **breath** (not zo-ea, but pneuma, pneumatic) - not actual life but **virtual life = superhuman**) to the image of the beast, that the image of the beast should both speak and cause as many as would not worship the image of the beast to be killed.

## High-Tech!

We can track the movement of a human being thru satellite technology. We can now see a match strike from 180 miles out in space.

# An image, a statue of idolatry This is a high-tech, virtual reality idol

This age of technology has been born in our life time the mating between computer technology

## This Image Somehow Promotes the Antichrist I Believe that this is what is spoken of in Matthew 24 and Daniel 9

#### **Matthew 24:15**

Therefore when you see the 'abomination of desolation,' spoken of by Daniel the prophet, standing in the holy place" (whoever reads, let him understand),

### Verse 15

...the image of the beast should both speak and cause as many as would not worship the image of the beast to be killed.

#### Revelation 20:4b

...Then I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded for their witness to Jesus and for the word of God, who had not worshiped the beast or his image, and had not received his mark on their foreheads or on their hands...

## ALL IN THE NAME OF A PAGAN GOD, THESE THINGS WILL HAPPEN

Who will encourage this Religious Murder? – Who will authorize this Religious Cleansing? // This Man, The False Prophet

## THE FALSE PROPHET OF THE LAST DAYS

### III.) The Domain of the False Prophet (2<sup>nd</sup> Beast) vv. 16-18

His Domain = Is His Realm, His Influence And it Is Global, with Global Technology

The Domain of the False Prophet

## 1<sup>st</sup> It will be universal v.16

**He causes** <u>all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and slave,</u> to receive a mark on their right hand or on their foreheads

#### I MUST CONFESS

This is a great idea! - why? = One Number for Me, That is Me!

## It is no longer valid for me to say that I am me. i've got to prove that claim.

I have Before me - My Number(s)
These Numbers represent the real me,
when it comes to my identification.

I have My California Drivers Lic. #
I have my Social Security #
I have my FastTrack # for the Toll Road
here is my U.S. Passport #
I Have FAA Pilots Lic. #

Mark grk ca¿ragma charagma, khar´-ag-mah; an etching, embossing, a stamp or an engraved mark.

## **Emperor Worship was Expected;**

Thus "Caesar is Lord" was Replaced with "Jesus is Lord"

In Much of the Roman Empire the "CAR-RIG-MA" was Tattooed upon "The Citizen of Allegiance" and it would be the etching of the mark or image of the emperor or ...and guess what? Without the mark, you couldn't buy or sell within the United Roman Empire

The Mark -- I've Had the Image of "Dumbo" on my Right Hand Before!

## to stop terrorists and terrorism

we need a cashless society to dry up the illegal challenging of funds to the worlds terrorist organizations.

It's a Security Driven Issue

It has Global Coverage = Satellite

It's Biocompatible = It's an Add On

(Check Out Applied Digital Solutions Online and Digital Angel)
(adsx)

## The Domain of the False Prophet

### 2<sup>nd</sup> It will be economical

v.17

...and that no one may buy or sell except one who has #1 - the mark or #2 - the name of the beast, or #3 - the number of his name.

It Abolishes Fraud
It eliminates Counterfeiting
Unifies the World and World Security

### The Domain of the False Prophet

3<sup>rd</sup> It will be diabolical

v.18

Here is wisdom.

Let him who has understanding calculate the number of the beast, for it is the number of ## man: His number is 666.

## Why the Number 666

In What is Called Biblical Numerology, The number is the Number of Man.

- 3 THE NUMBER OF GOD IN TOTALITY
- 4 THE NUMBER OF CREATION
- 5 THE NUMBER OF GRACE.
- 6 THE NUMBER OF MAN:
- 7 THE NUMBER OF GOD SPIRITUAL PERFECTION.
- 8 THE NUMBER OF NEW BEGINNINGS
- 9 THE NUMBER OF JUDGMENT.
- 10 THE NUMBER OF DIVINE PERFECTION.
- 12 THE NUMBER OF GOVERNMENTAL PERFECTION.
- 40 THE NUMBER OF PROBATION OR TRIAL.

The Number of Man is 6 The Number of God is 7

## #6 Man #3 The Triune GodHead 666 = Man, Declaring Himself to be God

In Biblical Numerology 777 is the number of The Perfect God

6 is man, 66 is a man governing, 666 is man claiming to be divinity

## The inventor of the Bar-Code / UPC barcode is **George J. Laurer**. In 1971, while Mr. Laurer was an employee with IBM,

George Laurer was asked a question - - It appears on his website as Question #8 – "Rumor has it that the lines (left, middle, and right) that protrude below the U.P.C. code are the numbers 6,6,6... What's up with that?"

The answer is Yes, it is true that the bars equal six and together are 666. I assure you there is nothing sinister about this nor does it have anything to do with the Bible's "mark of the beast" it is simply a coincidence (From George J. Laurer website, creator of the Universal Bar Code, IBM 1971)

## Why The Number 666? Worldwide via the Bar-Code???

Another Interesting Thing is This;

Just Like Roman Numerals, Alphabets Have Numerical Meaning... i.e.

The Next Time You Log on to a Website You'll Use Vev, Vev, Vev / WWW. / 666

## How will this Work? When will this Happen?

**Deuteronomy 29:29** 

"The secret things belong to the LORD our God, but those things which are revealed belong to us and to our children forever,

## Am I, as a Christian, Doing Everything I can to spread the Gospel?

What is God doing with this life of mine right now for His glory?

## Are You About to Retire from Boeing or is Your Last Child About to Move Out?

What is Your Hope Today?

This Same Bible that Foretells

the Coming of the Antichrist and the False Prophet,

Also Tells Us that Jesus Christ came to earth to show mankind the Love of God, and that the Almighty God desires nothing more than to have you join Him in Heaven forever!

## Office of the HRH Prince El Hassan Bin Talal President/World Conference for Religion and Peace

WCRP first convened in Kyoto, Japan, from16-21 October 1970. The Conference was the culmination of 9 years of preparation which began in 1961 when a handful of senior religious leaders from the world's major religious traditions initiated a number of international exploratory missions to concretely promote the idea of sponsoring a "global religious summit" to address the need for actions that would bring about a world peace through religion.

Thus came forth a vision of a world congress of religious leaders who's goal would be for peace. Building on that great hope, over 1000 religious leaders, from every continent on earth, in the company of a number of their civil / political counterparts, convened themselves in the first such multi-religious summit. Religious communities that gave early support to the Conference include the Baha'i; Buddhism; Orthodox, Protestant, the Roman Catholic, Christian; Confucianism; Hinduism, Janism; Judaism; Shintoism; Zoroastrianism and Islam.

The first World Conference on Religion and Peace concluded with the resolution that: "the work initiated by Kyoto agreement should be continued in **the form of a global, inter-religious body called the 'World Conference for Religion and Peace**.'