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Understanding the Early Church Doctrine of APOKATASTATSIS

There is a resurfacing of a *hugely* growing *but little known controversy*, within traditional Christianity over the doctrine of APOKATASTATIS (*the restoration of all things*). Like myself, many may not of heard this term until now and I find myself deeply involved in restoring this truth to God's people. This is the reason for this newsletter and for my current WATCHMAN REPORT that is offered FREE of charge in this edition. The doctrine of APOKATASTASIS was a well known foundational doctrine of the Apostles in the early church & was an accepted doctrine of Christianity for the first 500 years. Now its pretty much been relegated to the heresy heap within the traditional church, even though the truth of this doctrine totally magnifies the TOTAL VICTORY by Jesus Christ's death and resurrection. Without this doctrine we don't have the true Gospel. I pray you give serious consideration to this report!



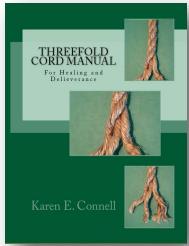
^{*}All Scripture is from the KJV or NKJV unless otherwise specified—all numbers are from the Strong's Concordance.

The above verse from (Lamentations 3:31-33) has recently turned my Christian theology upside down and inside out, as I will be explaining in this article! God in His infinite wisdom waited until now to make real to me a truth He had given me glimpses of around 1997, a year or so after we were directed by the Lord to start our **EXTENDED LIFE Christian Training Ministry**. However, when I shared this truth with a body member in our ministry, I



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was vehemently accused of believing heresy. Thus, being intimidated by a Jezebel spirit operating in this person's life (which I knew far less about at that time); I backed away from continuing to research what the Lord had begun revealing to me, but still knowing there was much more to find out concerning what I had been shown.



As many of you know, for the past two years or so, I have been trying to complete the revising of my THREEFOLD CORD **HEALING AND DELIVERANCE MANUAL,** in preparation for its publication. I have been teaching different aspects of the revelations and spiritual principles for healing and deliverance that are contained in this manual since 1985. Several years ago, the Lord instructed me to get the manual ready for publication. So, I began compiling my additions and revisions for it. However, God seemed to keep putting a stalling upon the project at various junctures and it wasn't until I recently started revising the last chapter of the manual that He brought me back to the awesome truth of what He began revealing to me in 1997. This was

concerning the doctrine of **apokatastasis**, (known as the "restoration of all things"—also called "Universal Restoration").

This was the needed revelation the Lord wanted me to include in the last chapter of my manual. Now, I understand why I couldn't proceed beyond the point I was at, because God wanted this awesome truth included in my final chapter, to help establish the reality of His love and the magnitude of His great mercy and grace that was demonstrated by Jesus Christ obtaining the **TOTAL VICTORY** for **ALL OF HUMANITY** by His death—burial and resurrection.

The THREEFOLD CORD HEALING AND DELIVERANCE MANUAL contains the unfolding revelation I have received during my past 34 years of ministry (beginning in 1985). What is contained in this material clearly defines not only the dilemma of being a slave to the sinful carnal nature that every human being possesses, but the manual also reveals God's answers to finding freedom by becoming a NEW CREATION through the sanctifying power of God's Word. Without which, followers of Christ as children¹ of God can't become mature and eligible inheritors as sanctified saints who rule and reign with Jesus Christ in His coming earthly kingdom. What the Lord has given to me in this material, lays the foundation for the perfecting and spiritual maturing as **legitimate sons**². I won't go into detail here regarding the eligibility and sonship issue, because it is covered in detail in the *Threefold Cord manual*, through Greek and Hebrew word studies on these important subjects. But for now, suffice it to say, the Bible is very clear concerning our need for maturing ...

^{1. (}I Jn. 3:2) "Beloved, now are we the <u>sons</u> (NT:5043 *tekna* i.e. born from seed) of God".
2. (Gal. 4:6-7) "And because you are sons (NT:5207 *huios*)... and if a son (*huios*), then

an heir of God through Christ".

AND GOD SHALL

wine away

ALL TEARS

FROM THEIR EYES:

and there shall be

NO MORE DEATH,

NEITHER SORROW,

NOR CRYING,

ANY MORE PAIN:

(the healing, deliverance and sanctifying process) required for being eligible to inherit our positions as kings and priests, in our rule and reign with Christ. This is why we are admonished over and over again as believers to be found "blameless" and "sanctified" when Jesus returns, sadly many will not qualify when He returns, because they remained under developed spiritually and will need further refining:

(1 Thessalonians 5:23-24) May the God of peace <u>himself</u> sanctify you completely. May your whole spirit, soul, and body be <u>preserved</u> (Gr. guarded, watched over, maintained as) <u>blameless at the coming of our Lord</u> Jesus Christ... Faithful is he who calls you (to this), <u>He will also do it</u>. WEB³

What an awesome God we serve! Although He requires us to have a blameless purified, spirit—soul—body, HE is the one who promises to do this for us! We cannot make ourselves pure and mature, any more than we can save ourselves from our canal human sin nature, which is our "thorn in the flesh," until we get born again and grow into the transformed image of our God—Jesus Christ. On that day, at His appearing, if we are blameless, we will be rid of our earth born carnal being and be *instantly changed* in the twinkling

of an eye and become the glorified being promised as part of our inheritance and truly become like Christ! O How I long for that day... Come quickly Lord Jesus!!

(1 Corinthians 15:52-53, 57) ...and we will be changed... For this corruptible must put on incorruption, and this mortal must put on immortality... But thanks be to God, who GIVES US THE VICTORY through our Lord Jesus Christ, WEB

The above text speaks about the "victory" that is for ALL of mankind that has come through our Lord Jesus Christ by His death on Calvary's cross. As Biblically revealed in this report, this VICTORY happens in TWO time frames. The FIRST time frame is at the first resurrection when the true saints (those who are alive and those who previously died) are resurrected (raised up) to meet Jesus in the air at the time of His second coming. As the above text states, this company of believers become immortal beings...

(Revelation 20:6) Blessed and holy is he that hath part in the first resurrection: on such the second death hath no power, but they shall be priests of God and of Christ and shall reign with him a thousand years. KJV

The second time frame, as the doctrine of APOKATASTASIS teaches and is also Biblically revealed in this report, is when unrepentant sinners in hell, awaiting the Great White Throne judgment, take part in the second resurrection

³ **WEB** ...World English Bible—Parenthesis are mine for literal clarity. A good accurate translation from the original Greek and Hebrew texts.

and are sentenced to the second death in Lake of Fire: (Revelation 20:14) And that which is deadly and the ones in hell were cast into the Lake of Fire and Brimstone and this is the second death. ALT

That this second time frame, according to the doctrine of APOKATASTA-SIS is a time of purging and restoration, but as the ready shall see from



detailed original word studies, The Lake of fire and Brimstone is not eternal damnation or annihilation, which many erroneously teach. Again, this proven to be false by understanding the originally inspired Hebrew and Greek Scriptures. God's Word is very clear about the fact that at some time during their sentence in the Lake of Fire... They will come to a

realization of the truth so..."That at the name of Jesus every knee will bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth ...

(Philippians 2:10-11) And every tongue honestly <u>openly</u> <u>will confess and acknowledge</u> Jesus Christ as Lord, to the glory of God the Father." ALT (Underlined phrase is from: *Marvin Vincent, Word studies,* originally published By Charles Scribner's Sons, 1887).

Apokatastasis— the Doctrine of Universal Restoration and Hope for ALL Creation — Including and Especially Mankind

The final "restoration of ALL things" falls into a theological category called Universal Reconciliation, or Universal Restoration also referred to by others as simply "Universalism." The term universalism is not one I like to use, as it is associated with unbiblical forms of universalism such as Unitarian Universalism³ and others, which are associated with the New Age and the occult. However, in Christian Universalism (universal restoration) there was an aspect of this doctrine that has been hidden from me, until my attention was drawn to a video entitled, "Hell is a Myth." It seemed lately every time I turned around, my attention was being drawn more and more to the subject matter of Christians trying to do away with the belief in eternal punishment in hell. Finally, I could bear it no longer and decided to dispel this "heretical notion," so I set out to research and write on this subject; because I saw it as a deception being promoted by those under the influence of a deceiving demonic doctrine! I felt the Holy Spirit prompting me to research this subject, even though I was sure, not many sincere Christians like myself, would fall for the lie that says, "there is no such thing as hell or eternal punishment" because these things plainly exist in my collection of Bibles!

My main concern for researching and writing was for new born again

³ **Unitarian Universalism** is a liberal religion characterized by a "free and responsible search for truth and meaning"--but does not recognize the Bible as the standard for all truth. Unitarian Universalists are unified by their quest for spiritual growth apart from the Bible.

believers being taught this heresy. Being true to my calling as God's Watchman, I began a word study on the subjects of *hell and eternal punishment*, to prove these were *Biblical realities*. The first word study I was being urged by the Lord to start with was on the subject *of the Lake of fire and brimstone*. I wanted to prove to my readers from the originally *inspired Greek and Hebrew Scriptures* that this truly is a place of eternal punishment, for **ALL** who do not repent of their sins and make Jesus Christ their Lord and Savior **before they die!**

But, to my great surprise, as I studied the words "lake of fire and



brimstone" in the original Greek text, I suddenly realized I had done this study before! I also realized the Holy Spirit wanted me to complete this original word study on the subject of hell and the Lake of Fire and Brimstone, which I had begun to dig

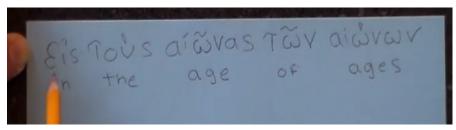
into way back in 1997. Because of the amount of space required to share the results of this study I will not include it in this newsletter, but it is included in this month's Watchmen Report being offered FREE of charge. In it I cover the full subject of *Apokatastasis*, which is the doctrine of Universal Restoration. As I said, I have always believed in **all things being restored** (i.e. mainly applying this to the heavens and earth) back to the state of perfection as was in the Garden of Eden. But what I never *fully realized*, was that **ALL THINGS** really meant **ALL THINGS**—including **ALL** human beings that have ever lived upon this earth! What this means is no human being will ever have to suffer *eternal punishment!*

From the word study on this subject in the Watchman Report, it becomes incredibly clear that the *Lake of Fire* is a refining fire lasting for a specific time frame (determined by God's judgment of the person). Thus, the Lake of fire - being the second death prove to serve as God's purifying process to bring <u>clarity</u> and <u>purity</u> to all who end up in the Lake of Fire and Brimstone time of judgment. As the Bible says, at some point **ALL will ultimately be converted and restored** and willingly bow their knee, to pledge and confess their allegiance unto Jesus Christ. Think of it...all creation on the same page!!

(Rev 5:13). 'EVERY CREATED BEING that is in heaven and on the earth and under the earth and on the sea, and all things in them, (will be) heard saying, "To Him who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb, be blessing and honor and glory and dominion and power FOREVER AND EVER" (the phrase "forever and ever" in Greek is: ... correctly translated to mean: in the age of ages i.e. not ... eternal (see the image on the following page).

⁴ <u>AGE</u> Greek: *aion*: meaning: <u>a period of time with a beginning and an end</u>. This phrase in (Rev 5:13) in the Greek and does not indicate "how many" ages or periods of time are involved. In classical Greek, in which the New Testament was written, *aion* was never used by intellectual writers like Plato or Alexander the Great's teacher Polymath and others, to mean eternal but only as a period of time.

- (Romans 14:11) For it is written, "'As I live,' says the Lord, 'to me <u>EVERY</u> knee will bow. <u>EVERY</u> tongue will confess to God." WEB
- ♦ (Philippians 2:10-11) That at the name of Jesus <u>EVERY</u> knee should bow, of those <u>in heaven</u>, those <u>on earth</u>, and those <u>under the earth</u>... and that <u>EVERY</u> tongue shall confess (acknowledge) that Jesus Christ as Lord, to the glory of God the Father. WEB

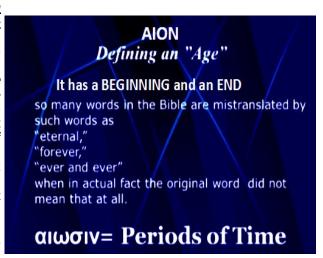


I finally realized the word **EVERY** literally means just that! **EVERY** or **ALL** who have ever lived, whether they are <u>in heaven</u>, <u>on the earth</u> or <u>under the earth</u>... <u>ALL</u> will be restored and come to the point where they are willing to confess Jesus Christ as LORD. Now, don't get me wrong...I am NOT saying there will be *no judgment or punishment*.

For the Bible definitely teaches there WILL BE A TIME OF JUDGMENT and levels of (corrective) punishment for those who had not repented of their sins and chose to live the new spiritual life and die to the carnal life through faith in Christ, while living on earth before their physical death. A close study of the GREEK New Testament texts PROVE there will not be

eternal nor be a never ending tormenting punishment. Yes, there will be God' justice through His corrective (painful) punishment, during a time of judgement that involves the Lake of Fire and Brimstone, but it will NOT last for ever and ever!

In the current Watchman Report I share in full my word study from the Greek texts for the words

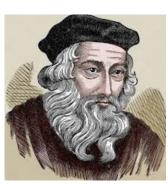


hell fire, brimstone, (i.e. Sulphur), which clearly reveals the Lake of Fire

is a place of <u>correction</u>, <u>restoration</u> and <u>purifying</u> as I was shown in 1997. However, what I have recently discovered regarding the fallacy of eternal punishment has helped me to better understand many eschatology mysteries more accurately.

In my research, I was so astonished to discover that the English words forever and ever or eternal, have been incorrectly translated from the original Greek word AION. A CORRECT translation of aion is the key to correctly understanding the full and wonderful truth concerning the doctrine of APOKASTATASIS (the ultimate restoration of all things). I give a more detailed historical background on how and why the word aion was knowingly and incorrectly translated from the original Greek texts. Latin translators used the Latin word "aeternus" meaning: eternal, everlasting in the Latin translation of the Bible, rather than using the Latin word "aetas" that means: age, period of time, time of life, or era—which is what aion means in the original Greek text.

This was also incorrectly translated by the original English translators in the first English Bible translation. Thus, the doctrine of eternal punishment rests upon the meaning of the Greek word: aion ($\alpha \text{i}\omega v$), which is a noun and its adjective aionios ($\alpha \text{i}\omega v$). So, you may ask, how can anyone know for certain what any ancient Greek or Hebrew word means, now that all the people who spoke those languages are gone? The answer is a good researcher will look into all the places in the Bible, and other available literature from that time period, such as the writings of Historian Josephus, to find where these words are used. You can then find a meaning that fits all the different contexts in which the words are used. In



the case of Greek we can search through both the New Testament Greek and the Septuagint (the Greek version of the Old Testament). For instance if you search this out you will find that several phrases in both the Septuagint and the New Testament Greek show that the Greek phrase *eis ton aiona* cannot be translated as **for ever**, for it means "in the age of ages."

In the current Watchman's Report I go into greater detail on these words and the history concerning the loss of the truth concerning ultimate universal restoration due to the *mistranslation* of the key Greek word *aion*

(Strong's NT #165) in the New Testament. In general, as a result of these key *mistranslations* entering the church, traditional Christianity knows very little of the true gospel message of God's ultimate and total reconciliation that so magnifies and makes real the *fullness of His grace and mercy*, as well as His true nature of love for **ALL of humanity**. Because of this, the reality of the **total victory of Jesus** Christ over death and hell is not fully understood by modern day Christianity nor is it being taught. On the other hand, Hell as a reality and a place of eternal punishment is instead widely taught.

John Wycliff who was the first person to translate the Bible into

This was in despite of the fact that neither word, "sheol" or "hadies," in the originally inspired Hebrew or Greek have any reference to a raging hell fire or place of annihilation or eternal burning torment. Therefore, the whole idea of hell fire has been inspired by Latin manuscripts that were mistranslated from the original Greek and Hebrew using the Latin words "inferno," (place of burning) and "aeternus" (eternal) for which there is no word in the Hebrew or Greek

to express these concepts for "hell."

Mistranslating the Greek word
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Is the
LITTLE LEAVEN
That has
SPOILED THE WHOLE CHURCH!

The early church for the first five centuries would not have even known of such a concept as eternal torment in burning fire! As I discuss in the current Watchman Report, the King James translators knowingly did translate four different Greek—Hebrew words

from *inferno* to mean "hell" in English and none of these words, as I show by the word studies done in the Report, have anything to do with flames and punishment that are eternal.

These translation errors have been used for hundreds of years by TRADITIONAL CHRTIANITY to control God's people, by frightening them into submission to teachings that are false. This enabled the traditional church hierarchy to control the laity, for the purposes of gaining money and power through Satan's false system of religion. Thus, the demonic doctrines of eternal punishment and hell have been weapons used against the Church. But these weapons will NOT prevail for God is building His Church, now and on into the ages to come, despite the devil's arsenal of false teachings coming from the gates of hell.

(Matthew 16:18) I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.

It is mind boggling to know that the **hell fire**, **brimstone and eternal punishment teachings** that have been part of traditional Christian Church's teachings for centuries, were **never** part of the original Christian doctrine in the early Church for the first 500 years! The loss of the doctrine of **Apokatastasis** and the false teachings that replaced this truth, are a good example of how allowing "a **little leaven**" from the *mistranslation* of that "**one little Greek word**" — **aion**, has robbed so much from God's people. Space does not permit me to go into detail on this MOST IMPORTANT point, but is covered in greater detail in the Watchman Report. This mistranslation has caused a most glorious truth to become tossed into the garbage heap as being a heresy, by the vast majority of traditional Christianity (i.e. mainline nominal and Charismatic-Pentecostal and Evangelical denominations alike). This is because many of the early church ecclesiastical

authorities in power, at the time these mistranslations occurred, were corrupt, greedy and power hungry church leaders, who were more than happy to overlook the inaccurate translations so they could better

control their followers through fear of eternal punishment in hell.

For no one is abandoned by the Lord forever...
Though he brings grief, he also shows compassion because of the greatness of his unfailing love... For he does not enjoy hurting people or causing them sorrow.

(Lamentations 3:31-33)

As I have seen in my past 36 years of doing Greek and Hebrew word studies, God's judgments, which do include punishment at some level, are ALWAYS for the purpose of redeeming, restoring and correcting the people He so dearly loves and sacrificed Himself for. God is the ultimate father figure for His creation and as a father who loves His children, He will correct and even scourge every child that he loves, with intent of rescuing and

restoring that child from what has harmed or caused ruin. But, as any good and loving father He does not enjoy causing pain and sorrow anymore than we do with our own children, and never desires to see them suffer eternally!

(Hebrews 12:6-7) For whom the Lord loves, he chastens, And scourges every son whom he receives." ... It is for discipline (correction) that you endure. God deals with you as with children, for what son is there whom his father doesn't discipline? WEB

(Isaiah 26:9) for when your judgments are in the earth, the inhabitants of the world learn righteousness, WEB

(Psalms 64:6) All mankind shall be afraid. They shall declare the work of God and shall wisely ponder what he has done. WEB

(Hosea 5:14-15) I myself will tear in pieces and go away. I will carry off, and there will be no one to deliver... I will go and return to my place, <u>until they acknowledge their offense</u>, and seek my face. In their affliction they will seek me earnestly." WEB

I want to now to share two Biblical views concerning God's destiny for humanity. The 1st is the traditional Christian view, and the 2nd is the **APOKATASTATIS** perspective, by author Robert Beecham.⁵ From his writings he states the following concerning the traditional church view of our human destiny....

Traditional Church Teaching on God's destiny for Man

"The essence of the majority of traditional church teaching is that, after this perfect beginning, our first parents, Adam and Eve, were

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⁵ source: https://www.growthingod.org.uk/growthingod/the-author/

tempted by Satan and sinned against God. As a consequence, the whole human race has fallen from grace and is now in a state of sin and separation from God. God sent his son Jesus Christ to become a man, and He give His life on the cross to redeem mankind from sin and restore relationship with God. God freely offers salvation to all who will repent and believe the gospel. Every member of the human race has a free choice of accepting or rejecting this offer. Anyone who repents and accepts this offer will go to heaven when he or she dies and enjoy eternal happiness. All who reject will go to hell and suffer eternal torment. I feel it is necessary to expand on this last statement because I



don't think people who believe these things really think sufficiently about what they claim to believe.

Firstly, who are these people who are now suffering and will suffer eternal torment? They are, it appears, the vast majority of the human race. They almost certainly include some members of your own family: may-

be your mother and father, probably some of your grandparents, maybe your children and maybe even your husband or wife. They will include most of the people you meet every day; your neighbors, your colleagues at work, your local shopkeepers. Most of these people probably lead relatively decent lives. They're not Hitlers, Stalins, or Saddam Husseins. They are simply people who have not repented of their sins and accepted God's offer of salvation.

Secondly, what is the torment they are suffering or will suffer? If we interpret scripture (as it is normally translated into English) literally it is the equivalent of being continually burnt alive, and not just for a day or a week or a month or a year, or even a century or a millennium, but for ever and ever without any possibility of escape or end! Perhaps you should think of the worst physical or mental torment you have ever experienced, multiply it by 10 and imagine it going on for ever and ever. The worst episodes in history, such as the holocaust and the inquisition, would be like holiday camps in comparison. This is what your parents or grandparents are now experiencing if they did not repent, and this is what may happen to your husband or wife or children, or maybe even yourself! How they would love a brief rest from their torments, perhaps a brief return to earth; but no such joy can be theirs. They are doomed to interminable, never-ending, conscious torment.

Almost every day when we read or watch the news we are shocked by the sufferings of children that have been abused or populations that have been brutalized in war or emaciated victims of famine. But if traditional church teaching is correct, all that is nothing to what vast multitudes, including most of our departed friends and relations, are suffering at this very moment without any hope of any relief or end. I mean really think about what you claim to believe!

How Traditional Churches Say it All Happened

To anyone who has not been indoctrinated with traditional church teaching like this, the whole scenario in the minds of many is totally impossible to reconcile with the God we claim loves humanity. The Bible tells us God created Adam and Eve in his own image, and placed them in the Garden of Eden. (You may or may not believe in a literal Garden of Eden, but for the purpose of this discussion that won't make a significant difference.)

God, being infinite in wisdom and power, had an infinite choice in what he created. He could have created robotic machines, without any feelings or ability to feel joy or pain. He could have simply created animals that ate and drank and slept and enjoyed life and eventually ceased to exist. He could have created all sorts of beings beyond our imagination, and maybe he has done so in other galaxies or universes. Most of all, He could have created humans without giving them the



ability to fall into sin. What we do know he has done, is to create man in his own image, with the abilities to love and to hate, to suffer and to enjoy, to choose between good and evil; and, as many believe, to make the choice to suffer either endless bliss or endless torment.

Having created man, he placed him in paradise, where he also put the tree of the knowledge of good and evil. He commanded him not to touch that tree because it

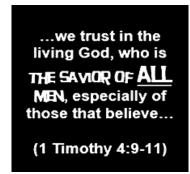
would lead to his death. It appears that God did not tell Adam that eating the forbidden fruit would lead to the endless torment of most of his offspring. We may compare this to a human father who places a loaded gun in his child's play area, and tells him not to touch it. The mother at least would have something to say! Having done that he leaves the entrance to the garden open and allows Satan in the form of a serpent to come in and tempt Eve to eat the forbidden fruit. Later God placed the cherubim with flaming swords to guard the entrance to keep Adam and Eve out! You would have thought they could have been there to keep Satan out in the first place! All normal human parents do everything to protect their children from anything or anyone who might harm them. Could God, the model of all fatherhood, do anything less?

As we well know, Eve succumbed to Satan's temptation to eat the forbidden fruit and Adam followed. Thus, they sinned and incurred the wrath of God, and placed themselves and all their future offspring on

the road that leads to eternal torment and destruction (that is if you can go on being tormented eternally after you have been destroyed!).

God loved Adam and Eve and all their race. In his wisdom he knew all the consequences that would come of their eating the forbidden fruit. He had the power to stop it from happening, either by creating them strong enough to withstand temptation, or not putting the tree in the garden, or not allowing Satan in, or by warning them totally of the consequences. But he allowed it to happen. He did not stop Adam and Eve from taking the first step on the road that would lead to the eternal torment of most of their offspring.

Did God then have a remedy for this tragic situation? Traditional church teaching says, Yes! "For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son, that all who believe in him should not perish but have eternal life" (John 3:16).



God had a plan to save and restore the whole human race, at immense and unimaginable cost to himself and his Son. "He does not want anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance"

(2 Peter 3: 9). However, this wonderful and costly plan of salvation only became effective for only a small proportion of mankind. Most of the world's population to-date have never even heard of it. Many of those who have heard of it have failed to understand it or not heard it

clearly. Only a few will be saved (on the narrow road), while the vast majority pass on their way to eternal torment (on the broad road).

- If God were not all-loving, and did not care for the sufferings of mankind, it would make some sense; but then he sent his son to give his life to save them.
- If God were not all-wise and all-knowing, he might not have anticipated this unutterably terrible disaster. With better planning this need never have happened. But God sees the end from the beginning and his plans can never fail.
- If God were not all-powerful, we might imagine that Satan or some rival power brought about this terrible end to his plans. But God is omnipotent and there is no other rival power.

Because God **IS** all-loving, all-powerful and all-wise, thus such a God could not possibly be happy even if one member of the human race were left forever in torment and outer darkness.

The good shepherd could not rest while even only one sheep was lost. How much less could he allow the vast majority of those whom he created in his own image to go into irretrievable endless torment, separated forever from his presence?"

The Biblical APOKATASTASIS View of Human Destiny

In this 2nd perspective of humanity's destiny, Robert Beecham states:

"God made man, but he was not yet satisfied. His work was incomplete. Man had the beautiful innocence of a child, but not the spiritual maturity of an adult. Something more was necessary. Man must understand both good and evil (because it had entered God's creation). He must experience both light and darkness. He must know both love and hate. He must experience both the positive and the negative. Only the knowledge and experience of these opposites could make the complete, mature and perfect beings that God wanted. In his wisdom he planned that the whole human race should fall into sin and darkness and separation from himself, and he planned that the whole human race should also be redeemed and restored and brought into a new and greater communion with himself.

So God deliberately placed the tree of the knowledge of good and evil in the garden with the full knowledge that Adam and Eve would fall to the tempter's voice and eat its fruit. From before the foundation of the earth he had a comprehensive plan for the total restoration of the entire human race and beyond it for his whole creation.

God sent his son, Jesus Christ, to die Neither neight nor on the cross and rise again to redeem depth nor anything all of mankind. He then commissioned his first apostles, and many others afelse in all creation, ter them, to carry this good news to the will be able to whole of his creation. Those who reseparate us ceive Jesus in this lifetime immediately from the love receive life from God. In the words of Jesus, "Truly, truly, I say to you, he of God who hears My word, and believes Him who sent Me, has eternal life, and does not come into judgment,

but has passed out of death into life" (John 5: 24).

Multitudes in the last 2000 years have done this, and are now in the presence of their savior. Multitudes no doubt have rejected Jesus and gone into judgment and punishment. But this punishment is not an endless, merciless torment. Rather it is a loving, beneficial, corrective time of purification.

"The Lord disciplines those he loves, and he punishes everyone he accepts as a son" (Heb 12: 6). We read of those who receive the mark of the beast that they ... "will be tormented with fire and sulphur in the presence of the holy angels and of the Lamb" (Rev 14: 10).

This typological language for fire and sulphur represent the healing and cleansing agents for restoration. This purging takes place in the loving, caring presence of Jesus and His Holy Angels. When that work is complete they too will come to repentance and salvation through Jesus Christ and join the great multitude of the redeemed and sing the praises of the savior of all mankind." -End of Article-

Good News Gospel of Universal Restoration

There are many more things that become much clearer when one understands the doctrine of Universal Restoration. When the truth of what is being shared in this newsletter is fully embraced it will cause the Gospel of Christ to become the truly Good News it is intended to be. Now I understand more fully why God has called me to the ministry of sanctification. It has caused me to see the great importance of getting God's people prepared for their positions of honor as sanctified saints who are **VESSELS OF HONOR** within His great house (family).

(2 Timothy 2:20-21) Now in a great house there are not only vessels of gold and of silver, but also of wood and of clay. Some are for (result in) honor, and some for (result in) dishonor... If anyone therefore purges himself, from (among) these (vessels), he will be a vessel for honor, sanctified, and suitable for the master's use, prepared for every good work. WEB (Parenthesis contain a more literal translation).

- * GOLD REPRESENT THE PURE AND RIGHTEOUS WORKS OF THE
- * SILVER SPIRIT DONE BY REDEEMED SANCIFIED MATURE SAINTS

Our **WORKS** as born again children of God determine our position of honor in God's family ... those who get refined by fire are vessels of:

(1 Corinthians 3:12-14) But if anyone builds on the foundation with gold (sanctified), silver (redeemed), costly (gem) stones (authority of God), wood, hay, or stubble (carnal works of the flesh)... each man's work will be revealed. For the Day will declare it, because it is revealed in fire; and the fire itself will test what sort of work each man's work is... If any man's work remains which he built on it, he will receive a reward (inheritance as saint)... WEB

Gold and Silver vessels that have been refined and sanctified with God's baptism of fire that brings sanctifying healing and deliverance from their sinful carnal life are rewarded with their inheritance as glorified saints, at the second coming of Jesus. Gold and silver vessels are those who are **prepared to do the GOOD WORKS of God** in the coming earthly kingdom of Jesus Christ at His second coming.

However, those who are born again but do not <u>walk in</u> the "newness of life" in the spirit (Romans 6:4) but still live a carnal life and need sanctifying, their position in God's family is one of dishonor and they are represented as vessels of :

- * WOOD REPRESENT CARNAL WORKS OF THE FLESH DONE BY
- * CLAY UNSANCTIFED BORN AGAIN CHILDREN OF GOD.

⁶ <u>Precious stones</u> are typology representing the gem stones on the breastplate of the priest... these represent the tribal aspects of God's complete authority

⁷ This subject is covered in detail in the last chapter of the THREEFOLD CORD MANUAL

(1 Corinthians 3:15) ...If any man's work is burned, he will suffer loss (loss of their promised inheritance as a saint because they still need to be "saved"), but he himself will be saved (restored), but as through fire (the Lake of Fire refining judgment). WEB

Those who have experienced their **second death**⁹, by God's sanctifying baptism of fire, in this life on earth, will be part of the first resurrection when Jesus returns and will not come into judgment by experiencing the refining second death in the Lake of Fire and brimstone.

(Luke 3:16-17) He will baptize you in the Holy Spirit and fire... whose fan is in his hand, and he will thoroughly cleanse his threshing floor, and will gather the wheat into his barn... WEB

(Revelation 20:6) Blessed and holy is he that has part in the first resurrection (rapture of the righteous): on such the <u>second death</u> hath no power, but they shall be priests of God and of Christ, and shall reign with him a thousand years.

(Revelation 20:14-15) This is the <u>second death</u>... whosoever was not found written in the book of life was <u>cast</u> into the lake of fire.

1 Corinthians 15:22

For even as through Adam ALL die, so also through Christ ALL shall be made alive!

May we truly praise and thank our most glorious and merciful God for the **TOTAL VICTORY** that was won on Calvary's cross for ALL of humanity! +

⁸ "as" NT:5613 hos (hoce); can also mean: like in the same manner as (i.e. as what? The context of the text reveals what the comparison is concerning) the context for (1 Corinthians 3:15) concerns going through the fire of sanctification "Like in the same manner as"... what? ANSWER: The gold and silver vessels of honor that allowed God's baptism of fire to sanctify them.

⁹ <u>Second death</u> The Bible IN tells us that because of Adam all receive death (this is our first death) through Christ ALL have life... if we die to the adam nature on earth this is the second death for the saint of God so there is no painful Lake of Fire and brimstone second death. This is covered in deatail in the last chapter of the THREEFOLD CORD MANUAL.



"Why is There No justice?"

Karen Connell

Hear now what the Lord says regarding this...

It is because of your sins of hatred, anger and rebellion in the nation. Those who feel justified in hanging on to these sins have allowed tormentors to come against your nation, where there is no forgiveness and repentance, there can be no justice, only continued chaos, turmoil and injustice.

The Lord says this from: (Isa 59:1-11)

Listen! The Lord's arm is not too weak to save you, nor is his ear too deaf to hear you call... It's your sins that have cut you off from God. Because of your sins, he has turned away and will not listen anymore... Your hands are the hands of murderers, and your fingers are filthy with sin. Your lips are full of lies, and your mouth spews corruption... No one cares about being fair and honest.

The people's lawsuits are based on lies. They conceive evil deeds and then give birth to sin... They hatch deadly snakes and weave spiders' webs. Whoever falls into their webs will die, and there's danger even in getting near them... Their webs can't be made into clothing, and nothing they do is productive. All their activity is filled with sin, and violence is their trademark... Their feet run to do evil, and they rush to commit murder. They think only about sinning.

Misery and destruction always follow them... They don't know where to find peace or what it means to be just and good. They have mapped out crooked roads, and no one who follows them knows a moment's peace... So, there is no justice among us, when people are not concerned about right living. When they look for light they find only darkness. When they look for bright skies they walk in gloom and depression... They grope like the blind along a wall, feeling their way like people without eyes. Even at brightest noontime, they stumble as though it were dark. Among the living, they are like the dead... They

growl like hungry bears; they moan like mournful doves. They look for justice, but it never comes. They look for rescue, but it is far away from them.

HE ALSO SAYS THIS FROM (Ezek 18:29-31)

And yet My people keep saying, 'The Lord isn't doing what's right!' O people, it is you who are not doing what's right, not I... "Therefore, I will judge each of you, according to your actions, says the Sovereign Lord. Repent, and turn from your sins. Don't let them destroy you! ...Put all your bitterness and rebellion behind you and find yourselves a new heart and a new spirit. For why should you die, O My people?"

IN CONCLUSION God says:

Place your heart in my hands my beloved child and let Me heal it for I so desire to fill your heart with my love and mercy, only this will make all things new.



Change and Adapt

http://wingsofprophecy.blogspot.com/

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My children, some of the coming storms will change your landscape. (I am uncertain whether He means deadly winter storms or something else such as war) You must learn to adapt to change and adapt quickly, for you live in a time like no other. You are watching the end of all things as it happens on the Earth. You will not like all of what you see. You will pray at times for Me to stop what is happening, but I cannot for the end must come and My Word must be fulfilled.

You will lose people you love and wonder why. Do not allow yourself to feel anger at Me, for their times are in My hands, just as yours are, and you cannot understand the reason for everything that happens.

Much will happen in this time you do not understand. Seek Me for the peace you need to finish your race.

Isaiah 55:8

For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the Lord.

Is Walmart Working with the Govt. to Distribute EVERYTHING When it all hits the fan?



Ву

Daisy Luther

https://www.theorganicprepper.com/walmart-distributor-shtf/

A long-time employee of Walmart contacted me to tell me about a direct link between Walmart and the government. We'll call him Frank. (I generally hate those "unnamed source" articles, but occasionally the option to share someone's name just isn't there. I know this fellow personally and he has no reason to make this up.) Some people will dismiss this article because I'm unable to disclose the gentleman's name or the store where he works. That's totally up to you. Now, according to what Frank told me, it looks like Walmart's world domination plan may (go way beyond) housing people. The following italicized text is Frank's own words.

The connection between Walmart and the government

So where do I start? I still work for Walmart, but I'm not sure for how much longer. I've been employed by them for 25+ years but may not survive the next restructuring. I have seen many things and have witnessed a clear connection between Walmart and the government. Remember after the tragedy of September eleventh all the Walmart TVs had the "if you see something say something" commercials playing 24-7. That's an example of those connections I was talking about. Going back to the early to mid-1990s, the US military studied Walmart logistics system and implemented that technology in their own logistics network. Walmart is a facilitator. We'll talk more about those logistics in a moment.

How everything came to be made in China

Why do you think everything is made in China? Walmart approached China in the '90s to build products. Then they went to the vendors telling them we want you to build your items in China. That way you can make more \$ and give us a cheaper price. We know people and will introduce you.

This has influenced other large American businesses.

Then other companies followed suit. The same goes for managing their employees. What Walmart does, other companies follow.

Here's how Walmart is tied into national preparedness

Now let's apply that philosophy to preparedness. Walmart wants more business, right? Well, if you're the only store open after a disaster you

will have business up the ying-yang. Walmart's logistics network is coast to coast with its own trucks, warehouses, supply networks, and retail stores. If the power goes down and Walmarts still can operate (with government help and security) how much money will they make?

I do believe Walmarts will be used as a distribution hub in local communities for essential goods like food and medicine. All of this would be under government control and protection. Need your prescription after an EMP? Stand in line at Walmart with Humvees keeping order.

Then there is the psychological aspect. After hurricanes local governments want the Walmart's to be the first businesses to reopen. Why is that? To restore a sense of normalcy to communities and get people to move on. Walmart will most certainly be part of a post-event world. Their warehouses will collect goods, their trucks will deliver under government security, and their stores will provide the distribution place for your food and medicine. All under the watchful eye of the authorities.

How Walmart could play a key role in restoring order

There is also market saturation. Many communities have a Walmart, but larger cities have several at key locations along major highways and intersections. Perfect places for checkpoints to keep things under control. There are Walmarts everywhere so they could be the face of restoring order.

Let me also touch on civil unrest. If an area is acting up, they'll close the Walmart to force compliance. The camera systems in stores are everywhere and those images pop up everywhere. How many times have you seen a picture of someone stealing or something and have seen this person on FB or some other platform? So that system could be used to identify trouble makers and is, therefore, an intelligence-gathering device. This system is already well known to local law enforcement as a tool of identification. The connections are already in place.

Remember, Walmart is a facilitator. I believe the things I have mentioned are one major event from becoming a reality. The systems are in place and the planning becomes more refined every day. -End of quote

What if you could only buy supplies in one store? Imagine a world in which there was only one place you could get supplies. This store is backed and secured by the United States military. This store still has cameras everywhere, it has all the essential supplies like food, medicine, hardware, winter coats.

If Frank is right about all this, imagine the level of control that kind of monopoly could provide. If you don't behave, you can't get into the store to get the things your family needs. You will be surveilled constantly when you're in the store. (Heck, you're already surveilled constantly in Walmart.)

Maybe while everyone has been worried about Big Tech and Amazon controlling the country, what we should have been worried about is Walmart. Perhaps Walmart has been quietly positioning itself to be the only source of food, medicine, and supplies available in the national aftermath when it all hits the fan. Talk about power. They wouldn't need FEMA camps if **all the merchandise available** is owned by one company and that company is in cahoots with the government.

What people can do to avoid the power play

I've been writing for years about the value of storing food and being producers instead of consumers. I have published articles by Selco about barter and trade. In a situation like this, the black market will almost certainly arise, and quickly. The ability to be self-reliant will never be more important than during a time in which distribution is centralized. When you must have a certain life-saving supply, like antibiotics for your child, you will have no option but to comply with the rules of those who hold that merchandise. It's a chilling thought, isn't it?

A WORD FROM THE LORD CONCERNING:

The Coming Time of Great Hunger

Glynda Lomax

Many of My children are concerned for their futures... what they will eat, where they will live, what they will wear, but I am guiding My children who can hear Me now...some to store up grain, some to build shelter, some to become skilled farmers and hunters.

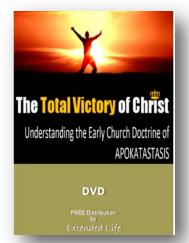
A time of great hunger comes in the future for all the world. Wild beasts will not roam the earth abundantly as they do now, for there will be no food for them and there will be a great dying off.

NOTE: I saw in the Spirit that something happens to the oceans as well where the fish in it cannot live as before. Something makes the water unlivable for them and they die.

Precious little food shall abound and what is (available) will be controlled by the wicked. In this time, you must guard yourselves against turning away from Me (I saw He meant denouncing Him in return for food) in exchange for food for yourselves and your little ones. If you will instead focus on believing in Me more, I will supply you with food far superior to what you could get yourselves.

When that time of great hunger comes, I will guide each of My children to where they should be and there will be no lack for those who truly believe Me and walk in My ways. Focus on Me, and I will guide you. Focus on Me.

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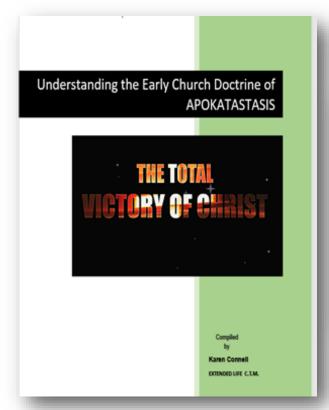
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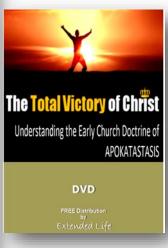
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