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IN LIGHT OF PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE WORLD EVENTS AS REVEALED IN SCRIPTURES

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John 14:29

**"And now I have told you before it comes,
that when it does come to pass, you may believe."**

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THE TITLE OF THE MESSAGE:

THE 21ST. CENTURY CHRISTIAN

Spiritual Warfare In The Last Days & The Increasing Tide of Demonic activity

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Introduction to the Topic

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"From the outset, I must add this to our introduction. We must define what a Christian is and what the Church is – compared to what the world says a Christian is and what the Church is. We must also make it clear, that all the various denominational flavors that are offered up as to what Christianity is, does not necessarily represent

1st. Century Christianity and the 1st. Century Christian Church.

The traditions instituted by men have led to gross divisions to the body of Christ, the church, which was never to be. According to the Bible, there is only One Church and

Jesus Christ is its Head. If tonight you find yourself having greater loyalties to a religious group or religious individual, or maybe a denomination - local or global, that is not 1st. Century Christianity nor 21st. Century Christianity.

You and I are not to find our identity in names or communities that we associate with. Church hierarchy, movements or groups cannot be linked to our salvation in Christ. If we are seeking such, know that that is not true Biblical Christianity nor the Christian Church of any century."

Historians are speaking of our time as being in a post Christian era. Many of our western leaders believe that Christ and the church are irrelevant to these times.

- Billy Graham

1 Timothy 3:15b

I write so that you may know how you ought to conduct yourself in the house of God, which is the **church of the living God, the pillar and ground of the truth.**

I believe the Professional Religion of this era is irrelevant to these times.

I believe that a Bibleless Church is irrelevant to these times.

I believe that Recreational Christianity is irrelevant to these times.

Hebrews 10:24-25

And let us **consider** one another in order to stir up **love** and **good works**, **25** not **forsaking** the assembling of ourselves together, as is the manner of some, but **exhorting** one another, and so much the **more** as you see **the Day approaching.**

THE 21ST. CENTURY CHRISTIAN ARE THOSE WHO MAKE UP THE 21ST. CENTURY CHURCH

1.) We Are A Redeemed People

2.) We Are A Forgiveness People

3.) We Are A Transformed People

4.) We Are An Empowered People

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5.) We Are A **Kingdom People**

6.) We Are A **Relevant People**

7.) We Are A **Loving People**

8.) We Are A **Hated People**

9.) We Are A **Praying People**

10.) We Are A **Forever People**

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1.) We Are A **Redeemed People**

What is redemption?

Simply put, redemption is the buying back of that which was lost. Not lost due to the negligence of the owner but lost due to the fact that the one lost was the one who was first a fugitive from God.

Colossians 1:13-14

He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love, **14** in whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins.

What Does This Redemption Mean to My Life?

It is the glorious fact that you have been purchased out of the slave market of sin and death.

Romans 6:17-18,22-23

But God be thanked that though you were slaves of sin, yet you obeyed from the heart that form of doctrine to which you were delivered. 18 And having been set free from sin, you became slaves of righteousness. 22 But now having been set free from sin, and having become slaves of God, you have your fruit to holiness, and the end, everlasting life. 23 For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

What is the Reality of this Redemption?

Once and for all redeemed. Kept by the power of God, which cannot fail.

Genesis 3:15

And I (LORD) will put enmity between you (SATAN) and the woman (EVE), and between your seed (SATAN'S OFFSPRING) and her Seed; (OFFSPRING)
He (MESSIAH) shall bruise your (SATAN) head, and you (SATAN) shall bruise His (MESSIAH) heel."

1 Corinthians 6:19-20

Do you not know that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God, and you are not your own? 20 For you were bought at a price; therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God's.

Ephesians 1:7

In Him we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace

Colossians 1:13-14

He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love, 14 in whom we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins.

Romans 3:24

Being justified freely by His grace through
the redemption that is in Christ Jesus,

Galatians 3:13

Christ has redeemed us from the curse of the law, having become a curse
for us (for it is written, "*Cursed is everyone who hangs on a tree*"),

Titus 2:14

He who gave Himself for us, that He might redeem us from every lawless
deed and purify for Himself His own special people,
zealous for good works.

His Redemption Allows Us Access.

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2.) We Are A **Forgiven People**

“The Power of Forgiveness can only be displayed
through God and by God in His people.”

Ephesians 4:30-32

And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for
the day of redemption. 31 Let all bitterness, wrath, anger, clamor, and evil
speaking be put away from you, with all malice. 32 And be kind to one
another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another,
even as God in Christ forgave you.

Ephesians 1:7

In Him we have redemption through His blood, **(RESULTING IN)** the
forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace

Psalms 86:5

For You, Lord, are good, and **ready to forgive**, and
abundant in mercy to all those who call upon You.

Psalms 130:4

But there is forgiveness with You, that You may be feared.

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3.) We Are A Transformed People

From the 1st. century Church to the 21st-century Church,
the only thing that should have changed or that is changing is who we are as
born-again, redeemed human beings (100%) *and I suppose what style of clothing we wear now.*

We live in an age that the Bible spoke much about.

The times in which we now live in, are times of great complexity and deception

(There are many “in the church” that are yet unsaved, unchanged & lost in darkness)

2 Corinthians 5:17-18

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have
passed away; behold, all things have become new. 18 Now all things are of
God, who has reconciled us to Himself through Jesus Christ, and has given
us the ministry of reconciliation.

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1 Thessalonians 5:23-24

Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely; and may your
whole **spirit, soul**, and **body** be **preserved** blameless at the coming of our
Lord Jesus Christ. 24 He who calls you is faithful, who also will do it.

A Transformed **Mind** by Renewal

Romans 12:1-2

I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service. 2 And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God.

A Transformed **Heart** by Renewal

Ezekiel 36:26

I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you; I will take the heart of stone out of your flesh and give you a heart of flesh.

A Transformed **Body** by Renewal

Philippians 1:6

Being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ;

So Stop & Pray

End of Study

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