

The Blessed Hope!

“Looking for that blessed hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ;” –(Titus 2:13)

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Current Events through a Biblical World View!

Iran Launches Drones and Cruise Missiles Against Israel

HAL TURNER WORLD 13 APRIL 2024

Iran Launches Drones and Cruise Missiles Against Israel.

Iran has launched a retaliatory strike against Israel, in response to Israel bombing the Iran Embassy Compound in Damascus, Syria on April 1.

One-way *"Kamikaze"* Drones have allegedly been launched in three waves. Cruise missiles reportedly followed those drones.

This is rapidly developing, more as I get it.

(I am back in New Jersey. My wife and I were traveling back from PA when the attack took place)

UPDATE 5:19 PM EDT --

Sources inside the neighboring country of Iraq first spotted the Drone attack and sounded the alert. Those same sources minutes later alerted to a **SECOND WAVE** of drones.

-- Iraqi Kataib Hezbollah announced the start of an operation against Israel! This means **SOME** of the drones seen in Iraq were launched in Iraq! -- A 2nd wave of drones has been launched from Iran. In addition, Iran confirmed cruise missiles have been fired which take about 2 hours to arrive in Israel.

-- Iranian attack on Israel includes *"hundreds of attack drones"*, Israeli official tells Axios' Barak Ravid.

-- Drones launched from Yemen! Reports of launches from all around Israel.

-- Jordan's air defense ready to intercept and shoot down any Iranian drones or aircraft that violate its airspace, two regional security sources say.

-- Tel Aviv is having widespread power outage/cyber attack.

-- White House: *"The attack on Israel is likely to take several hours."*

***** FLASH *****

Vladimir Putin: *"If the United States wants to come to the field to support Israel, we will not sit idle here, the smallest attack by the United States on Iranian soil will force us to support Iran."*

-- Iran officially announced the launch of an attack on Israel *"The evil regime will be punished,"* said Iran's Supreme Leader Ayatollah Ali Khamenei.

!! PANIC BUYING IN TEL AVIV !!

Supermarket Store Shelves in Tel Aviv were cleared out within ONE HOUR:

Panic Buying in Tel Aviv

(Hal Turner Remark: This is yet another example of the "Masses who are Asses." They have known for almost two full weeks an Iran attack was coming. Did they "prep?" No. Like always, the Masses who are Asses waited until the last moment, then rushed out to panic-buy. No sympathy for any of them.)

UPDATE 5:55 PM EDT --

Iran's Islamic Revolutionary Guards Corps (IRGC) releases statement:

"In response to the crime of the Zionist regime in the attack on the consular section of the Iranian embassy in Damascus, the IRGC air force hit certain targets in the territories of the Zionist regime with dozens of drones and missiles."

- Its called saturation attack, you drop everything you have from every point with ETA the same moment on the head of target from all directions.

***** BULLETIN *****

Russian Fighter Jets have just entered IRAQ Air Space. They will be able to intercept either U.S. or Israeli war planes if any attempt is made to attack Iran.

-- A United States Air Force (USAF) Boeing KC-135R Stratotanker declares emergency while it is flying over Southern Iraq during the ongoing Iranian attack against Israel. RUMOR (not verified) The Tanker was approached by RUSSIAN Fighter Jets and told to leave Iraq air space!

DRONE - MISSILE ARRIVALS IN ABOUT 57 MINUTES

The Kamikaze Drone Swarms and initial cruise missiles launched from Iran are scheduled to begin hitting Israel within 57 minutes from now 6:08 PM EDT. First wave of drones launched at Israel reportedly contained 238 launches.

- JORDAN DECLARES STATE OF EMERGENCY: Has OPENED its air space to Israeli Fighter jets to intercept Iranian Drones/Missiles.

******* FLASH - URGENT *******

The Israeli Government's "Doomsday plane" has taken off and is the only plane leaving Israel. Potentially carrying Netanyahu and cabinet.

That aircraft is shown in the FILE PHOTO below:



Israeli "Doomsday" Plane

Hal Turner's post on Saturday, April 13th, 2024 covered the initial events of the Iranian attack, in which 300+ missiles, drones, and rockets were launched against Israeli targets. I share this portion of his posting because of what Russian Vladimir Putin stated on page 2 above. Israel's air defense destroyed 99% of the Iranian munitions. The Iranian attack on the two Israeli air bases from which their U.S. F-35 aircraft are based did some damage of buildings but no aircraft were damaged. It is reported that the F-35s were airborne at the time of incoming rockets.

Putin's statement should make it quite clear where Russia falls in this ongoing early stage of the War of Gog and Magog. In the days ahead we can expect more attacks and counter attacks between Israel and Iran until this is consummated by the prophecy of Ezekiel 38/39. Today's Iranian attack is the first direct attack by Iran on Israeli real estate since the Israeli IDF attack on the Iranian embassy in Damascus proper earlier this month.

Some analysts said that the attack was mostly performative. Michael Singh, a former senior director for Middle East affairs at the U.S. National Security Council, told The Wall Street Journal, that it was *"a slow-moving, thoroughly telegraphed, and ultimately unsuccessful retaliation."*

Other experts called the attack more significant. Ahron Bregman, an expert at King's College in London, called it an *"historic event."* It brought Iran's long shadow war against Israel into the open. The two rivals have no direct channels of communication, which can lead to dangerous military miscalculations.

One reason to believe Israel may respond: *"Any normalization of direct strikes by Iran is intolerable to the Israeli public and leadership,"* The Economist magazine wrote. Dana Stroul, the former top Middle East policy official at the Pentagon, said, *"Given how significant this attack was, it is difficult to see how Israel cannot respond."*

Understand the shadow war:

Iran largely fights through its proxies, like Hamas and Hezbollah. Iran provides arms, training, and financial aid to more than 20 groups in the Middle East. Israel conducts much of its fighting through espionage and assassinations.

I believe it is fair to say that we are now in what might be referred to as "Departure Time" and the fulfillment of Revelation 3:10. **[[Retaliation by Israel is imminent. See last posting at the bottom of this Blessed Hope. –Pastor Bob]]**

Punishment' of Israel completed – Tehran

Iran's top military commander has promised a *"more extensive"* response in case of future attacks by West Jerusalem. Law of reciprocity will follow shortly.

Iran has no intention of continuing its military operation against Israel, which included massive drone and missile strikes over the weekend, the chief of staff of the Armed Forces, Major General Mohammad Bagheri, has said.

On Saturday night, Tehran launched an “*extensive*” barrage on the Jewish state, which the Israel Defense Forces (IDF) estimated to have included more than 300 missiles and kamikaze drones. The attack came in retaliation for what Iran claims to be an Israeli airstrike on Tehran’s consulate in Damascus, Syria earlier this month, which killed several senior Iranian military officers.

Speaking in the wake of the attack on Sunday, Bagheri explained that the reason for the attack was the “*Zionist regime crossed the red line*” in a way which cannot be tolerated.

Israel’s actions, the general continued, could not have gone unanswered. “*The Supreme Leader also said that this punishment should be carried out and, thank God, this operation was carried out with the efforts of the [Islamic] Revolutionary Guards [Corps] and the help of other armed forces.*”

“*We see this operation as a complete result, and this operation has ended in our opinion, and we have no intention of continuing the operation,*” Bagheri said, warning Israel that if it takes any further action against Iran, “*the next operation will be much more extensive.*”

The chief of the General Staff added that Iran’s military targeted a “*large information center*” that provided intel to Israel and Nevatim Airbase, which it said hosted US-designed F-35 fighters involved in the raid on the consulate in Damascus.

While both of these bases were destroyed, Tehran did not attack population centers, the general claimed. Israel, however, previously said that 99% of the Iranian drones and missiles had been shot down, acknowledging only minor damage to one base.

UK Government To Imprison Citizens Who Eat Meat Under ‘Absolute Zero’ Rules

Fact checked

April 13, 2024 Baxter Dmitry News, UK

The global elite are planning to close down all airports, ban the consumption of beef and lamb, and ban the construction of new buildings as part of a sudden and sweeping “[quantum leap](#)” to address the so-called climate crisis.

According to the elite, humanity must learn to suffer until the climate crisis has been dealt with. How long will that take? According to government documents, we are looking at four decades minimum of severe deprivations including [a ban on new clothes](#).

But you don't have to take my word for it. These future horrors are laid out in black and white in a British government document which outlines the future for humanity under the dictatorship of the World Economic Forum if we don't rise up as one and overthrow these tyrants.

We have been warning the public for years that the global elite are working behind the scenes to plunge humanity into a new fresh hell featuring the worst excesses of Mao's China and the Soviet Union.

In recent years the global elite have become arrogant and have stopped bothering to conceal their evil agenda. Yet still the majority of people refuse to believe that the elite are planning to depopulate the globe and enslave the remaining 5 to 10% of "useless eaters" they allow to survive.

Anybody who still doubts that the elite are planning to make life hell for those who survive the great cull should take a look at the British government's WEF-influenced ["Absolute Zero"](#) report.

The British government report outlines what life will be like for citizens in the coming years and paints a grim picture of authoritarianism and deprivation.

To give you some idea, the report states that all airports must close down by 2029 excluding Heathrow, Glasgow and Belfast airports, which will be allowed to stay open to accommodate private jets.

This is remarkably convenient for the global elite, because we know how much they [enjoy flying around the world](#) in private jets while lecturing the rest of us to stop flying commercial.

All remaining airports must then close between 2030 and 2049 because, in order to meet the **legal commitment of zero emissions by 2050**, everybody must "*stop using aeroplanes*", according to the government report, until the so-called climate crisis has been bought under control.

Except for the global elite, of course, because as Bill Gates explains, people such as himself are part of the solution to climate change so they are exempt from the new rules.

In addition, the report states that to obey the law of the Climate Change Act the public will be required to stop doing *anything* that causes emissions regardless of its energy source.

According to the report, **this will require the public to never eat beef or lamb ever again.**

To achieve this, consumption of beef and lamb will drop by 50% between 2020 and 2029. Then, between 2030 and 2049 beef and lamb will be “*phased out*” and it will become illegal to eat red meat unless you have a license.

Given that we know how much the delegates at the World Economic Forum enjoy their fine cuts of meat, there are no prizes for guessing where the licenses will be handed out.

The hypocrisy of the globalists knows no bounds. At the recent UN climate summit in Dubai, they were served gourmet burgers and other expensive meat dishes while making plans to ban the rest of the world from eating a meat-based diet.

Fox News [reports](#) that “*the summit’s online portal, its food offerings include ‘juicy beef,’ ‘slabs of succulent meat,’ smoked wagyu burgers, Philly cheesesteaks and ‘melt-in-your-mouth BBQ’ in addition to African street BBQ, fast casual Mexican fare and an Asian option that has a ‘touch of French flair.’*”

According to leaders from the World Economic Forum and UN, [the elite need the nutrients found in “gourmet meat”](#) to govern the world and they must be exempt from the insect and bug diet they are pushing on the world in the name of reducing carbon.

Once again, it’s one rule for thee and another for me.

But if you think the globalist vision is simply misguided and they have our best interests at heart, I’ve got news for you. Their latest announcements make clear that *you* are the carbon they want to reduce.

According to Bill Gates, the elite need epidemics to practice and Covid was just a drill to prepare for the next authoritarian power grab.

As Gates explained in Australia on his recent world tour, the Covid pandemic was a successful drill and the next intervention by the global elite will be “*like a fire that goes global.*”

The pieces of the puzzle are slowly falling into place for Gates and the elite. They have blown up the global economy, driving inflation through the roof, and now they are seizing control of the global food supply.

Gates is now America’s largest farm owner. And he is about to become the world’s biggest spy with a fleet of 60,000 satellites to monitor every square inch of the globe, 24 hours a day.

As Robert F. Kennedy warns, “*This is Armageddon. The apocalyptic forces of totalitarianism. This is the final battle. We must win this one.*”

As the elite continue building a prison planet to enslave humanity, it has never been more important to educate yourself about their agenda.

Banning flights, beef and lamb, and forcing humanity to wear a uniform is only the tip of the iceberg when it comes to the phony goal of reducing carbon emissions. Their ultimate goal is massive [depopulation](#) and you might be surprised how many of the elite are now singing from this Satanic hymn sheet.

Forewarned is forearmed and I urge everybody to read [the 'Absolute Zero' report](#), authored by Oxford University and Imperial College London, the former having created the disastrous AstraZeneca Covid-19 vaccine, and the latter being instrumental in providing the flawed models that governments used to justify draconian lockdowns in both the UK and USA.

Because once you read it, you will realize that the past two years have been part of a much more sinister agenda that has only just begun.

“Pandemic” business model
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U.S. journalist James Roguski first reported on it: The changes to the WHO pandemic treaty and the International Health Rules (IHR) are not about health, but about an unscrupulous business model. Roguski called this approach *“fascism, with a 21st century upgrade.”* Ultimately, it's about pooling the power of governments and companies in order to profit from endless *“pandemics”*.

A few weeks later, the Brownstone Institute looked at this *“pandemic”* industry, in which the key players *“create their own market, determine the product, manage its regulation, and then have the power to lock people in their homes or deprive them of their income to withdraw until they agree to purchase. And no one can sue the masterminds or take them to court if the whole thing goes wrong.”* The portal added:

“No legitimate government would allow something like this within its borders (except perhaps a few family-run or completely totalitarian governments), so aim higher and internationalize the whole thing, because then it's no longer a fantasy. All of this will be negotiated within the framework of the WHO pandemic documents to be adopted by your government (...).”

To illustrate how this business model works, the portal asked its readers to relax for a few minutes, sit back and pretend that morals and business ethics are unnecessary. Then they should imagine an infallible, risk-free business model that looks like this:

Your organization will be a public-private partnership, meaning it will operate with taxpayer money but will be run by the private sector.

You invent a story that a series of plagues will strike humanity, increasing exponentially in frequency and severity (the media belongs to your partners, so don't let reality worry you).

Then use public money to set up a surveillance network that is guaranteed to detect virus variants.

Governments have agreed in advance to give you the power to control health policy if you decide these variants pose a threat (not harm, just a threat). They have agreed that this also includes border closures, restrictions on the daily lives of their citizens and, of course, compulsory vaccination (in return for "getting their freedom back").

Then you transmit these virus variants to laboratories and pharmaceutical companies of your choice (your friends and supporters, who in return will give money to your organization).

The pharmaceutical companies are ready: they receive billions of dollars a year from taxpayers to maintain their production facilities and profit from the market they want to create.

Their pharmaceutical investors also sponsor disease modelers who are willing to produce the most fantastic death figures to increase public acceptance. They do this.

They then use their powers to impose lockdowns and insist that a 100-day vaccine must be brought to market as quickly as possible to save unfortunate humanity and enable a return to a "pandemic-free" period.

Once your chosen companies have brought the vaccine to market, you have control over the regulatory part (more money changes hands) and bypass the burdensome safety and lengthy ethical reviews.

Meanwhile, you can register any dissenting opinions that could shrink your market; Their government partners have already agreed to deal with them.

Once the profits start flowing, you can decide when the profiteering stops (think "respiratory virus vaccine" and other sponsored models - rapid decline in effectiveness, so lots of boosters to keep humanity safe).

At the same time, you have ensured that your pharmaceutical partners and your own approval process cannot be held liable.

Of course, you yourself are not liable - you are above any national jurisdiction. You don't even have to pay taxes to anyone!

This is exactly what the changes to the WHO pandemic treaty and the International Health Regulations will amount to if they are signed by member states in May, warns the Brownstone Institute .

It is “perhaps the most infallible system for concentrating wealth in history”. The general model has proven successful during the Covid-19 era, when the largest transfer of wealth from the poor to the rich that the world has ever seen took place.

Instead of worrying about hygiene, nutrition and endemic infections that kill people, international public health is now focused on hypothetical but far more profitable things like "Disease be controlled extensively.

James Roguski leaked a current version of the new pandemic contract in March, which quickly disappeared from the scene but is still in the hands of many attentive lawyers. At the Corona Solution Conference on April 5, 2024, the lawyer Dr. Beate Sybille Pfeil, a profound expert on human and international rights, provides a differentiated legal assessment of the current status of the WHO negotiations.

Pfeil talked about what we can all do to prevent the dangerous adoption of the treaty in May and discussed Roguski's leaked documents about the WHO. She also looked at the biography of the Secretary General of the WHO, Tedros Adhanom Gehebreyesus, who made a name for himself in Ethiopia “as a communist terrorist”. It also describes the risks of the experimental bio laboratories ordered in the WHO papers, which could easily be used to produce bioweapons. Worth seeing!

Has the Prophecy of Elam in Jeremiah 49:34-39 Been Historically Fulfilled?

Monday, July 31, 2023 by Bill Salus

This article is taken from my book entitled, *The FUTURE WAR Prophecies in the chapter entitled, “The First War of Iran in Elam.”* I sincerely believe that the prophecy of Elam in Jeremiah 49:34-39 could be one of the next FUTURE WAR foretellings to find fulfillment.

However, some prophecy teachers believe that the prophecy of Elam in Jeremiah 49:34-39 has been fulfilled historically. The number #1 argument is that it happened during the reign of Nebuchadnezzar II in the sixth century.

Dr. Mark Hitchcock pastor of Faith Bible Church in Oklahoma did a teaching on his YouTube channel on the prophecy of Elam in Jeremiah 49. In his video from January 20, 2020, entitled, *“Marking The Times Episode 96 Prophecy of Elam”* he says:

“The destruction of Elam took place in the reign of King Nebuchadnezzar.”

Note that Hitchcock is stating that the *“destruction of Elam,”* which is what the prophecy literally calls for, has already happened. The destruction of Elam entails the following:

- A severe disaster caused by the Lord’s fierce anger in Jer. 49:37,
- An apparent humanitarian crisis that results and necessitates a worldwide scattering of the indigenous population of the Elamites/Iranians in Jer. 49:36,
- An utter and complete destruction of Elam by its enemies in Jer. 49:37. The NLT says, ***“Their enemies will chase them with the sword until I have destroyed them completely.”***
- A destroying of the rulers, (kings and the princes), which creates a political power vacuum that the Lord fills by setting His throne in the territory as per Jer. 49:38.

Dr. Andy Woods the Senior pastor of Sugar Land Bible Church in Texas is a graduate of Dallas Theological Seminary. He also did a teaching on his YouTube channel about the prophecy of Elam in Jeremiah 49. In his video *“Middle East Meltdown #26”* on August 7, 2022, he says Dr. Mark Hitchcock does the best job he has ever seen on explaining how the prophecies in Jeremiah 49:34-38 actually historically happened. Here are his words:

“Mark Hitchcock wrote a book called Showdown with Iran and in that book there’s appendix 1 and appendix 2 and at the very end he does the best job I’ve ever seen of explaining why those prophecies are not futuristic prophecies but you know actually historically happened. You know for example with the Elam prophecies and I agree that Elam equals Persia which if it was a futuristic prophecy would equal modern day Iran, but it keeps saying Nebuchadnezzar you know over and over again in that section so that’s a prophecy that was fulfilled back in the sixth century...”

Note that Woods says, *“Elam equals Persia.”* When Jeremiah wrote the Elam prophecy around 596 BC, Elam did not equal Persia, but seemingly was a distinctly different territory. Ezekiel, Jeremiah’s contemporary, writes about Persia about a decade or two later in Ezekiel 38:5. Thus, Jeremiah prophesies about Elam first and not Persia, and Ezekiel prophesies about Persia subsequently, but does not incorporate Elam into his foretelling.

Moreover, Elamites show up in several scriptures after the Babylonian Empire was conquered by Persia. Elamites appeared at Pentecost in Acts 2:9. In fact, in the New Testament you will read about Elamites, but you won’t find any references to Persia or Persians. Also, in Isaiah 11:11, Elam is mentioned as a territory that Jews will leave in

order to return to Israel when the nation gets restored a second time, which happened in 1948.

“It shall come to pass in that day That the Lord shall set His hand again the second time To recover the remnant of His people who are left, From Assyria and Egypt, From Pathros and Cush, From Elam and Shinar, From Hamath and the islands of the sea.” (Isaiah 11:11, NKJV)

In his book *“Showdown with Iran”* Dr. Mark Hitchcock for some unknown reason chose not to provide any historical evidence that Nebuchadnezzar II actually destroyed Elam in the sixth century which immediately resulted in the Elamites being scattered to countries around the world. Why?

Are there any historical sources that show Nebuchadnezzar II in the sixth century destroyed and caused a disaster that resulted in the Elamites being scattered to countries around the world at that time? In the email below to Mark Hitchcock on March 17, 2023, my senior researcher Brad Myers questioned Mark about this lack of historical evidence.

“In your video you are communicating that Jeremiah 49:34-38 was fulfilled when Nebuchadnezzar II DESTROYED Elam in the sixth century. Your interpretation can be easily proven if history confirms that Nebuchadnezzar II, IN THE SIXTH CENTURY DESTROYED Elam. Here is some historical evidence that Nebuchadnezzar II did not destroy Elam in the sixth century like you said he did in your book and in this video. Did you miss this historical evidence when you did your book or did you find OTHER historical sources that confirms Nebuchadnezzar II DESTROYED Elam in the sixth century? I have not seen any conflicting historical evidence on this.”

Below are portions of the evidence that Brad Myers presented to Mark Hitchcock in the email. After reviewing this evidence Hitchcock had an interesting concluding comment, which is included at the end of this article.

Historical Evidence that Nebuchadnezzar II DID NOT DESTROY ELAM!

In Wikipedia you can find the following information concerning Nebuchadnezzar II and what took place in 597.B.C. with Elam.

“In 597 BC, the Babylonian army departed for the Levant again, but appears to not have engaged in any military activities as they turned back immediately after reaching the Euphrates. The following year, Nebuchadnezzar marched his army along the Tigris river to do battle with the Elamites, but NO ACTUAL BATTLE HAPPENED as the Elamites retreated out of fear once Nebuchadnezzar was a day’s march away.”^[i]

The editors of Encyclopedia Britannica make available the following historical account of what took place between Nebuchadnezzar and Elam in 596/595.

“After a further brief Syrian campaign in 596/595, Nebuchadnezzar had to act in eastern Babylonia to repel a threatened invasion, probably from Elam (modern southwestern Iran).”[ii]

In the Keil and Delitzsch Biblical Commentary on the Old Testament they say:

“Even if Nebuchadnezzar were then occupied in the eastern portion of his kingdom, yet there is nothing at all to prove that he was involved in war with Media or Elam. History says nothing of a war waged by Nebuchadnezzar on Elam, nor does this prophecy furnish any support for such an assumption.”[iii]

J. A. Thompson in his commentary, “The Book of Jeremiah,” on page 33 said that a broken text in the Babylonian Chronicle MAY indicate a CLASH between Nebuchadnezzar and Elam in 596 B.C.

“A broken text in the Babylonian Chronicle may indicate a clash between Nebuchadnezzar and Elam in 596 B.C. to prevent an Elamite advance into Babylonia.”[iv]

The following source documents some of the history of Nebuchadnezzar II in one of the historiographical texts from ancient Babylonia in the time frame of about 597. This historical information was discovered in the Babylonian Chronicles. It documents Nebuchadnezzar’s encounter with the king of Elam.

“The Chronicle Concerning the Early Years of Nebuchadnezzar II (ABC 5) is one of the historiographical texts from ancient Babylonia ... in 597 BCE...”

Here is a little of what has been found in the Babylonian Chronicle between Nebuchadnezzar II of Babylon and Elam.

“[Obv.15] In the first year of Nebuchadnezzar [604/603] in the month of Simanunote he mustered his army.”

“[Rev.16] In the ninth year [596/595], the month of [...] the king of Akkad and his troops marched along the bank of the Tigris [...]”

“[Rev.20] the king of Elam was afraid and, panic falling on him, he returned to his own land.”

This historical account in the Babylonian Chronicles seems to give credence to the idea that there may not have been an actual battle. In the historical account in the Babylonian Chronicles there was no mention of a destruction of Elam and Nebuchadnezzar’s armies did not kill the king of Elam as the biblical text requires in Jeremiah 49.

Jer. 49:36 says that the population will scatter out of Elam into the nations of the world and Jer. 49:38 specifically predicts the kings and princes of Elam will be destroyed. The king not only survived, but rather than scatter away from Elam, he returned back to Elam. These two facts mitigate against the possibility that the Elam prophecy found fulfillment through Nebuchadnezzar II.

Hitchcock and Woods point out that Nebuchadnezzar is mentioned in Jer. 49:28-33 and by association and in keeping within the context, that Nebuchadnezzar was also involved in Jer. 49:34-39 about Elam. They believe this in large part because Jer. 49:28-33 states that the judgment of Kedar and Habor would be by King Nebuchadnezzar and that did happen historically. Thus, they think King Nebuchadnezzar would also be responsible in the fulfillment of the Elam prophecy. However, they provide no historical proof.

Nebuchadnezzar is mentioned specifically in Jeremiah 34:1, 39:1, 46:2,13,26, 49:28, 50:17 and 51:4, etc., why did the Lord not inspire Jeremiah to put his name in Jeremiah 49:34-39? Did he omit Nebuchadnezzar's name intentionally because this king is not involved in the Elam prophecies?

Moreover, King Nebuchadnezzar is not identified in any other of the Jeremiah 49 prophecies of Ammon in Jer. 49:1-6, Edom in Jer. 49:7-22, Damascus, Hamath and Harpad in Jer. 49:23-27 and Elam in Jer. 49:34-39. So, would they connect King Nebuchadnezzar with the fulfillment for these other prophecies, even though he's not associated with any of them?

Another problem for their view is that in 612 BC, Babylon destroyed the Assyrian capital of Nineveh and split the Assyrian empire and delivered Elam to Media at that time.[v] This happened about sixteen years before Jeremiah issued his Elam prophecy in 596 BC. They will have to prove when King Nebuchadnezzar conquered Elam after 596 BC, but before he died in 561 BC.

The next relevant question, is "why is God so fiercely angry" as per Jer. 39:37 at the Elamites during the time of Nebuchadnezzar II that he uses this king to destroy Elam? Where is the historical proof of this fierce anger at that time?

Where is the historical evidence that Nebuchadnezzar's armies chased the Elamites with the sword (Jer. 49:37) and killed their king and government officials (Jer. 49:38) in any of the historical accounts found from any source?

Keep in mind that the biblical text in Jeremiah 49:34-38 does not simply say that Elam was defeated. It actually gives many details of what actually happens after the defeat. Should we ignore details in the actual biblical text of end time passages when we come up with our interpretations?

Other Top Prophecy Scholars Who Disagree That Nebuchadnezzar II Fulfilled the Jeremiah Elam Prophecy

Do highly respected traditional dispensationalists like Dr. Arnold Fruchtenbaum, Dr. Arno Gaebelein, Dr. J. Dwight Pentecost, Dr. Charles Dyer and Dr. John Walvoord agree with Dr. Mark Hitchcock and Dr. Andy Woods that Nebuchadnezzar II fulfilled the prophecies in Jeremiah 49:34-38? Below are some quotes from these respected prophecy experts.

Dr. Arnold Fruchtenbaum writes about Jeremiah 49:34-39 as a future prophecy on page 510 of his book entitled, *“The Footsteps of the Messiah.”* In fact, this is where I first heard about Jeremiah’s Elam prophecy. Several years ago at a conference, I asked Arnold if he thought Jeremiah 49:34-38 could have been historically fulfilled, but Jeremiah 49:39 remains unfulfilled.

This partial fulfillment is what some teach. They conclude from Jer. 49:39 that at least this last verse happens in the future because it reads, ***“But it shall come to pass in the latter days: I will bring back the captives of Elam,” says the Lord.*** Dr. Fruchtenbaum thought quietly for a moment and then said, *“No, it all has to happen in the future at the same time.”*

Dr. Arno Gaebelein, the author of the Annotated Bible in 1922, believed that Elam’s overthrow is foretold in the latter days and he appears unconvinced that the destruction and overthrow of Elam was fulfilled in the sixth century when he notes:

“The final prediction is as to Elam. Elam was east of South Babylonia and the lower Tigris, later known as Susians. This prophecy was given at the beginning of Zedekiah’s reign. Elam became an ally of the Persian kingdom. Here her overthrow is foretold as well as her restoration “in the latter days.”[vi]

Dr. J. Dwight Pentecost in his classic prophecy book, *“Things To Come,”* published in 1958 on page 264 believes in a future fulfillment of Jeremiah 49:34-39 when he wrote the following,

“There is a divine program for the Gentile nations that is to come to fulfillment in the tribulation period....The Judgments upon Nations Adjacent to Israel....These predictions are set forth in various portions of the Old Testament...Elam (Jer. 49:34-39).”

Dr. John Walvoord is a well-respected theologian and served as President of Dallas Theological Seminary. He was a professor of systematic theology for 50 years and is considered to be one of the world’s top interpreters of end time prophecy. In his very popular book, *“The Bible Knowledge Commentary”* he says,

“Though there is some evidence that Nebuchadnezzar defeated the Elamites about 596 B.C., his subjugation at that time did not fulfill this message.”[vii]

Notice that Dr. Walvoord believed Nebuchadnezzar in 596 B.C. at that time did not fulfill the message of Jeremiah 49:34-38. Dr. Charles Dyer echoes nearly the exact same

sentiment in the Moody Bible Commentary. Dr. Charles Dyer and Eva Rydelnik on page 1181 state:

“Though there is some evidence that Nebuchadnezzar defeated the Elamites about 596 B.C., their subjugation at that time did not fulfill this message.”

Observe the only difference between the Walvoord and Dyer quotes above is the use of the word “his” vs. “their.”

Dr. Andy Woods in his teaching on Elam in his video “Middle East Meltdown #26 on August 7, 2022, actually recommends that people read Dr. John Walvoord’s excellent book “Every Prophecy of the Bible” that was published in 1999. Let’s turn to page 151 and see what Dr. Walvoord wrote about Jeremiah 49:34-39 concerning Elam. Dr. Walvoord pens these words:

“Jeremiah 49:34-39. The prophecy concerning Elam referred to an area east of Babylon, known today as Iran. The destruction of Elam was described as breaking her bow, for, like Kedar, Elam was noted for archery. The complete destruction of Elam does not seem to have been fulfilled in history and may have its final chapter in the future in connection with the judgements at the second coming of Christ. Elam was promised, however, restoration (v 39).”

As you can read, Dr. John Walvoord clearly says *“the COMPLETE DESTRUCTION OF ELAM DOES NOT SEEM TO HAVE BEEN FULFILLED IN HISTORY...”*

Is it possible that Dr. Arnold Fruchtenbaum, Dr. Arno Gaebelin, Dr. J. Dwight Pentecost, Dr. Charles Dyer and Dr. John Walvoord most likely looked at the historical evidence in the sixth century about Nebuchadnezzar II concerning Elam in Jeremiah 49 and concluded without looking at newspaper headlines in their days that the complete destruction of Elam does not seem to have been fulfilled in history?

If the complete destruction of Elam does not seem to have been fulfilled in history, wouldn’t this logically mean that the prophecies of Elam in Jeremiah 49:34-38 are going to take place sometime in the future? Who could God be so fiercely angry at in modern-day Iran in our day? Could it be the rogue Islamic regime that wants to wipe Israel off of the map?

Mark Hitchcock’s Response to Brad Myers Email of Evidence

As promised above, this is the email response that Mark Hitchcock gave to Brad Myers after reviewing the evidence that Brad had provided. Hitchcock’s response was emailed to Myers on April 18, 2023.

“Thanks for your email. I appreciate your desire to be accurate. There is some evidence that Neb did defeat the Elamites about 596, but this was not as destructive as Jer. 49 indicates. Here is the Babylonian Chronicle from 599-593 BC.”

Then in his email to Brad Myers, Mark Hitchcock included several excerpts from the Babylonian Chronicle, of which only a few are included below. The Rev. abbreviations are identifiers in the Chronicle and do not refer to the biblical book of Revelation.

“Rev.16) In the ninth year [596/595 B.C.], the month of [...] the king of Akkad and his troops marched along the bank of the Tigris [...] Rev.17) the king of Elam [...] Rev.18) the king of Akkad [...] Rev.19) which is on the bank of the Tigris he pitched his camp. While there was still a distance of one day’s march between them, Rev.20) the king of Elam was afraid and, panic falling on him, he returned to his own land...”

Hitchcock concluded his email with the following assessments.

“I agree that it never specifically says Elam was destroyed by Neb, (alluding to Nebuchadnezzar II), but many have concluded that it did happen. Elam is not a problem after this for Neb so something must have happened. The previous context in Jer. 49 mentions Neb by name (49:30) as does the next chapter (Jer. 50:17). With this passage in between these two, it seems logical to me that it’s describing some victory of Neb over the Elamites. Nebuchadnezzar’s conquests dominate Jer. 46—49... Additionally, Elam became a central part of the Persian Empire and was destroyed by Alexander in 334-331BC which also could fulfill this prophecy.”

Dr. Mark Hitchcock now agrees that the historical evidence does not specifically say that Nebuchadnezzar II destroyed Elam, but apparently formulates his interpretation that this Jeremiah prophecy found fulfillment, at least in large part, on the basis that “many have concluded that it did happen.”

As this article pointed out, many top scholars have not “concluded that it did happen!” How can Hitchcock state in his video, “The destruction of Elam took place in the reign of King Nebuchadnezzar,” but then subsequently admit otherwise in the above email when he says, “I agree that it never specifically says Elam was destroyed by Neb.”

Then he posits this possibility, “Additionally, Elam became a central part of the Persian Empire and was destroyed by Alexander in 334-331 BC which also could fulfill this prophecy.”

I don’t know about you dear reader, but I’m confused. Is Hitchcock saying that Nebuchadnezzar II or Alexander destroyed Elam in fulfillment of Jeremiah 49:34-39? If he’s shifting his view in favor of Alexander, then that’s easy to prove as being even more problematic.

POSTSCRIPT TO THIS ARTICLE

As a professional courtesy on July 30, 2023, I forwarded this article to Dr. Mark Hitchcock with the comments included below:

“Mark, I have attached my article that will be posting... I would encourage you to review it beforehand and let me know if you feel that I have adequately stated your position on

the Elam prophecy. Also, let me know if you have any additional comments you would like me to add.”

On July 31, 2023, Hitchcock responded. Mark’s response is abbreviated and condensed below.

“I mentioned in my conversation with your associate that Alexander the Great conquered Elam.”

We included this Hitchcock conversation above in the article. Then he added,

“Also, Cyrus the Great defeated Elam in ca. 550-530 BC. Nebuchadnezzar isn’t the only one who conquered that area after Jeremiah’s prophecy.”

I responded to Mark and said the following,

“I am prepared to address all of these three options above, but until you or anyone else comes out publicly and provides strong supporting historical proof as to who actually fulfilled the Elam prophecy, then I don’t believe it’s necessary to address these weak past arguments. Apparently, Dr. Arnold Fruchtenbaum, Dr. Arno Gaebelin, Dr. J. Dwight Pentecost, Dr. Charles Dyer and Dr. John Walvoord felt the same way, since they didn’t address these possibilities either.”

It’s important to note that at no point in our email correspondences between Brad Myers, Mark Hitchcock and me, did anyone feel that we were attacking one another. We were communicating as brothers in the Lord genuinely seeking the truth about the Elam prophecy.

What about the strong possibility that Jeremiah 49:34-39 remains entirely unfulfilled? Stay tuned...

[vi] Gaebelin quote taken from this website:

<https://www.studylight.org/commentaries/eng/gab/jeremiah-49.html>

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[i] Wikipedia quote taken from this weblink:

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[iv] Thompson quote taken from this website:

<https://www.livius.org/sources/content/mesopotamian-chronicles-content/abc-5-jerusalem-chronicle/>

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WEF: Depopulation Will ‘Save Elites’ & ‘Drown the Rest’

Frank Bergman April 13, 2024



The World Economic Forum (WEF) has issued a chilling warning about how a global depopulation event would impact humanity.

The unelected globalist organization has revealed details of a so-called “Noah’s Ark” that will supposedly “save *the elite*” during an event that would wipe out most humans on Earth.

The WEF has accused global “*elites*” that they will be saved from depopulation while “the rest” are left “*to drown.*”

Details of the stomach-churning plan were revealed by senior WEF [official](#) Yuval Noah Harari.

Harari is a senior advisor to the WEF and its founder Klaus Schwab.

A self-described “*transhumanist*,” Harari is widely credited as the [architect](#) behind the WEF’s [anti-human agenda](#). Harari [argues](#) that technical development such as artificial intelligence (AI) will ultimately make humans “*redundant*.”

According to Harari, most of humanity will become “*useless*” and a “*burden*” for the handful of elites who control the “new” AI-driven world.

Speaking during a recent WEF panel, Harari laid out the plans for a mass depopulation event, assuring globalist “elites” that they would be spared.

“If bad comes to worse,” Harari explains. *“When the ‘Flood’ comes, the scientists will build a ‘Noah’s ark’ for the elite – leaving the rest to drown.”* Harari acknowledged that the plan *“doesn’t benefit the vast majority of civilization.”*

The calls come amid a growing push from WEF members to reduce population numbers.

As Slay News previously [reported](#), a celebrated member of the WEF has called for a staggering 86 percent reduction in the population of humans, arguing that the goal can be achieved “peacefully.”

The call was made by Dennis Meadows, one of the main authors of the Club of Rome’s Meadows is considered an architect of the WEF’s agenda with his theories on population numbers being central to the organization’s anti-human agenda.

Meadows argues that most of the world’s population must be wiped out so that the survivors can “*have freedom*” and a “*high standard of living*.”

During a 2017 interview, Meadows claimed that genocide of 86% of the world’s population is “*inevitable*.” However, he insists that a “benevolent” dictatorship could accomplish the mass de-population “*peacefully*.”

“We could have eight or nine billion, probably,” he says of the world’s growing population.

“If we have a very strong dictatorship which is smart ... and [people have] a low standard of living,” Meadows says as he explains how the population reduction agenda could be triggered.

“But we want to have freedom and we want to have a high standard of living so we’re going to have a billion people.”

He then warned that “*we have to get back down*” to just one billion people on earth.

More recently, another WEF member upped the ante by calling for more than a 90 percent reduction in humans, as Slay News [reported](#).

English primatologist and anthropologist Jane Goodall, who the WEF lists as one of its “agenda contributors,” pushed the shocking suggestion for meeting the globalist organization’s “Net Zero” targets.

Goodhall told her fellow globalists that they could “save the planet” from “global warming” if the Earth’s population was over 90 percent smaller than it is today.

Goodall argues that all of the WEF’s “problems” would be solved if fewer humans were walking the Earth. She made the statement during a panel discussion at the organization’s annual summit in Davos, Switzerland.

The panel was discussing plans for achieving “Net Zero” to comply with the targets for “Agenda 2030” as dictated by the WEF and its fellow unelected globalist organization – the United Nations.

“We cannot hide away from human population growth,” she told frustrated elites.

“Because it underlies so many of the other problems,” she continued.

“All of these problems that we talk about wouldn’t be a problem if there was the size of the population that it was 500 years ago.”

As of March 2024, Earth’s human population is [estimated](#) to be 8.1 billion people.

500 years ago, as Goodall, a renowned anthropologist, would know, the population of humans was [approximately 435 million](#).

To satisfy Goodall’s suggestion to solve globalists’ “problems,” 94.6% of humanity would need to go.

WEF Orders ICANN To Seize Website Domains That Publish ‘Non-Mainstream Content’

Fact checked

April 15, 2024 Sean Adl-Tabatabai News,

WEF orders governments to begin seizing websites that publish non-mainstream content. The World Economic Forum (WEF) has ordered the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) to wage “war on conspiracy theorists” by seizing domains of websites that publish “non-mainstream content” online.

The EU DisinfoLab, a WEF-funded nonprofit, says ICANN needs to expand its control over domain registration limitations to include so-called “disinformation” policing in addition to phishing and malware. This would mean that ICANN would be granted powers to police who is allowed to register websites based on their adherence to official narratives.

Naturalnews.com reports: It is disingenuous, just for the record, for the EU DisinfoLab to claim independence when a large percentage of its funding comes from none other than the Open Society Foundations, which are a project of billionaire agitator George Soros.

The Open Society Foundations is already testing the waters concerning the “repurposing” of ICANN to become a tool for targeting “*disinformation sites*.” Natural News, presumably, would be included in that repurposed targeting, as would many other independent media sites.

“Attempting to directly enlist ICANN would be highly controversial, to put it mildly, at least at this stage,” writes Didi Rankovic for Reclaim the Net about the news.

“Given its importance in the internet infrastructure – ICANN manages domain names globally – and the fact content control is not among its tasks (DisinfoLab says ICANN ‘refuses’ to do it) – this would represent a huge departure from the organization’s role as we understand it today.”

Internet 2.0 a censorship nightmare!

Utilizing “*the structure already created by ICANN,*” The EU DisinfoLab is urging ICANN to basically police the entire internet in search of anything the powers the be (TPTB) consider as “disinformation.” Doing this, the group argues, would require a “*minimal amount of diligence and cooperation*” from registries.

The purpose of all this would be to have ICANN determine which websites are unacceptable, meaning their domain names would be revoked. The entire internet worldwide would be affected by such a change.

The cover story TPTB are using to try to justify such a drastic change is that “*disinformation doppelganger*” sites, which are sites that try to mimic “trusted news sites” with similar names or formatting, are getting too out of hand and must be stopped.

Since ICANN is the top authority for both website domain names and DNS registration, the group would be allowed, under the new scheme, to revoke entire websites that are deemed to be spreading some kind of “*misinformation.*”

Truth be told, ICANN was already doing something similar during the Wuhan coronavirus (COVID-19) “pandemic.” Domain names containing the word “covid,” along with other related terms, were probed to see if they were trying to use such keywords to mask phishing or malware proliferation operations. In other words, it was not yet about trying to “moderate” any content related to COVID.

What is being proposed now, conversely, is a type of moderation format in which ICANN would have the authority to strike entire website domains found guilty of spreading disinformation.

The EU DisinfoLab wants ICANN to use a system called DNSTICR to report “genuinely open-and-shut (disinformation) cases” to registrars for removal. The question is: Who gets to decide what an “open-and-shut disinformation case” actually is?

One possibility is that registries or registrars could “grant media trade associations ‘trusted notifier’ status, though this, too, would be arbitrarily decided in that there is no established framework for deciding who gets “trusted notifier” status.

What this all amounts to is everything George Orwell warned the world about many decades ago: a ministry of truth control grid that expands the entire world, regulating everything people say and do – in this case online.

Israeli Military Spokesman Hagari: WE WILL RETALIATE IN THE NEXT HOURS AND WE WILL ATTACK [Iran] DIRECTLY.

Posted By: GeorgeEaton

Date: Monday, 15-Apr-2024 14:07:46

Blogger comment from GLP:

You don't attack a nuclear power with conventional weapons, so...

100% chance that Israeli missiles will have nuclear warheads.

At least some those missiles will be nuclear bunker busters, too.

It will definitely be interesting to see:

a) how Israelis will commence their attack, and whether they will launch just a few missiles first, or the full salvo from the start, and

b) how Iranians will use those couple of minutes they will have left to react when the first Israeli plane leaves Israeli air space

It seems that Israel's plan is to have its planes fly over Iraq, and get as close to Iran as possible before launching their (hypersonic) nukes, hoping (as morons they are) that Iranians will be confused for just long enough (two minutes? one minute? less than a minute?) for those Israeli nukes to reach Iranian hypersonic (nuclear) missile sites.

Once those Iranian (nuclear) missile sites are gone, Israel will be free to carve up Iran as it pleases, and start launching nuclear bunker busters (both in the form of missiles and bombs) in the second phase of the campaign.

As far as I can see, this is planned to be Israeli (decapitating) first (nuclear) strike against Iran... and The Grand Rehearsal for U.S. (decapitating) first (nuclear) strike against Russia... which should follow mere days later.

It's all fine and dandy (for both Israel and U.S.), but only if both Iran and Russia act as complete morons, and don't:

a) launch nukes at both Israel and all the U.S. bases in the region, immediately after they see the very first Israeli plane leaving Israeli air space, moving toward Iran (in the case of Iran), and

b) launch nukes at all the U.S. installations in Poland, Romania, Bulgaria, and the Baltic States (at the very least) the moment Iran launches its nukes (in the case of Russia)

Israeli military spokesman Hagari: WE WILL RETALIATE IN THE NEXT HOURS AND WE WILL ATTACK DIRECTLY.

Blessings,

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The **A B C**'s of Salvation

A Admit that you sin.



Your sin separates you from God and keeps you from Heaven. Every sin must be punished. Your punishment for sin is Hell.

Romans 3:10 • Revelation 21:8

For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God.

Romans 3:23

For the wages of sin is death...

Romans 6:23a

B Believe in Jesus.



Jesus Christ, God's own Son, came to die for your sins. His death on the cross can replace your death in Hell. He only asks that you believe Him.

John 3:16 • 2 Corinthians 5:21 • Isaiah 53:5-6

...but the gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Romans 6:23b

But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us

Romans 5:8

C Choose to allow Jesus to save you.



God is waiting for you to receive His gift of salvation. If you ask Him, God will remove your sin and give you a home in Heaven!

John 14:1-2 • Titus 3:5-7 • John 1:12

For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.

Romans 10:10

For whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved.

Romans 10:13