I pray this newsletter finds you blessed, growing in God, and filled with His Holy Spirit. Unfortunately, there is no word on my passport as yet, so I am still not able to travel outside the US. However, one bright note is that I should be finished with replacing all of the Warren Wiersbe material by the time you read this. I even gave Epistles IV another review to make sure none of his material was noted. PTL! Now I can go back and begin proofing what I can of the English, Spanish and French online CTC versions. PTL!

I have felt burdened to share some information and thoughts with you from the periodical Zion’s Fire. Their material is always timely, relevant, insightful, and Biblical. I look forward to every issue because much of their content has to do with end time events and helping their readers better understand the times in which we live. The founder of the ministry is Marvin Rosenthal, author of the book The Pre-Wrath Rapture of the Church, which I also highly recommend. His son, David Rosenthal, is one of the principal writers and offers information as to why current events are so important for Christians to follow in light of Biblical prophecy. It is a must read!

What I am about to paraphrase is an article written by David in this year’s March/April issue entitled: “Are we Hearing the Hoofbeats of the Four Horsemen?” Quotes from David will be in this color, normal print black color will be my paraphrase from the article, and personal comments will be in this color:

Many have been asking if the Covid-19 pandemic is part of Daniel’s 70th week prophecy. Personally, I don’t believe it is but that there is a spiritual battle taking place. God is using this pandemic to awaken the body of Christ as to the soon coming return of our Lord Jesus Christ and the fierceness of the spiritual battle that is taking place even before “the beginning of sorrows” when the presence of the four horsemen will be even more apparent.

Some believe world governments are simply responding at face value to the threat of a deadly new coronavirus...government-mandated restrictions and the complete closure of businesses and institutions as absolute necessities to reduce the threat to public health and safeguard society. Others believe the Federal Reserve is using the situation to restructure massive global debt and address concern over rising viable crypto-currencies, and by China’s implementation of a digital currency in an attempt to replace the dollar with the Chinese yuan as the world’s reserve currency. The U.S. and nations of the G20 are on the verge of becoming cashless countries. Interest rates in the U.S. are near zero. If they move into negative territory, as in Japan, banks will begin to charge consumers a percentage fee to keep money in the bank. If people begin to pull their money out to avoid fees and for safe keeping, banks will move to a digital currency and control its acceptable use through a central financial authority. This will be yet another impingement of our privacy rights and civil liberties.

Others believe the real impetus for the economic shutdown is a broader U.S. war with China. This war is fought through trade, technology, and telecommunications. All three areas are pivotal to our economy and national security. Many believe it is all part of an ideological war being waged by globalist elites such as Bill Gates against the rising tide of nationalism. For decades, Gates has funded the development of vaccines for mass global distribution. Today, he is at the forefront of ID2020, a combined effort...to implement a mandatory digital identity for every man, woman, and child on Planet Earth through the use of biometric technology. See photo on the back side.

Through the distribution of billions of dollars, Gates and his foundation now wield an astonishing level of power and influence on global agencies...two of the main sources of data used to support the coronavirus pandemic models for U.S. government infections and mortality projections...have been the University of Washington...and The Imperial College of London...According to public sources, over the past two decades, The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation has provided more than $1.3 billion in combined funding for these institutions.

Others see the pandemic as a political cover to defeat President Trump and his “America First” policies...World governments and global elites believe they are
calling the shots but the truth is that what we are experiencing is the outpouring of a spiritual war between the forces of good and evil.… Just as the world was caught by surprise when God destroyed it by a flood in the days of Noah, so too was the world caught off-guard by the recent outbreak of the coronavirus pandemic…The situation will be exactly the same when end-time events unfold and Jesus Christ returns as a thief in the night… God’s Word does reveal many important indicators in Scripture to help believers know the general time period…of Christ’s return. Among them are events associated with the first four seals around the scroll of Revelation 5. These seals correspond to the infamous four horsemen of the apocalypse (Revelation 6). If you listen carefully, you can almost hear the hoofbeats of the horsemen fast approaching in the distance… The arrival of these “horsemen” and global events associated with them are referred to in Scripture as “the beginning of sorrows.” In other words there are events to follow that will be even more severe prior to the return of Jesus Christ to rapture His faithful followers and judge the nations...The crescendo of galloping hoofbeats will continue to grow louder as the Second Coming of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, draws near. Are you ready for his return?

My sincere appreciation to Zion’s Hope, Inc. and to David Rosenthal for their kind permission to utilize this article. I would encourage you, should you wish to subscribe, to ask for the four back issues this year. I am ready a subscriber to the Zion’s Fire periodical, I encourage you to contact them and ask to be put on their mailing list. A one-year subscription is $20, two years $30. It is a publication of Zion’s Hope, Inc. with headquarters at P.O. Box 783369, Winter Garden, FL 34778-3369. Their phone number is 1-888-781-9466; website is www.zionshope.org.

I cannot remember a time when the media and members of Congress have declared and waged all-out war on a President even before he was able to take the oath of office. Never has a President had to endure such constant attack while having accomplished so much for this nation. It only makes me wonder what we could do if everyone was willing to put politics aside and work for what is truly in the best interest of the people. I am not ignorant of the differences in ideology between the two major parties. There are many things, however, which should rise above politics if we are willing to follow the guidelines laid out to us in God’s Word. President Trump has an abundance of shortcomings, in my opinion, but his desire to do what he thinks is best for this nation and its people is not one of them.

David Rosenthal wrote a second article in the March/April issue of Zion’s Fire. Providing I don’t get to travel before the end of October, I may present excerpts from that article which deals with “The Dawn of a New World Order” and presents some of our nation’s history and what President Trump has managed to correct that previous Presidents have been unable or unwilling to address. He deserves our prayers as does every elected official. Please do vote and take responsibility for the direction in which this nation and its leaders move us forward. God help us - we need it!

I will close by saying thank you to everyone who has continued to stand with us and to some who have joined us recently—undoubtedly at God’s urging. PTL! We continue to move forward one step at a time, trusting the Lord to open doors and make a way for us to accomplish His will. New CTC locations are waiting for us to be able to travel. In the meantime, while I am working on the curriculum, Sondra Livermore is looking into how we can use Zoom or similar communication tools to begin new school locations remotely. We have two men working on translating the new material that replaces the Wiersbe material. We need about $5000 in financial help for their work. If you can help, put “translation” on the memo line of your check. Know also you are in my prayers and we are believing for blessings to you.

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