

**TOPIC: A CHURCH AT WAR**

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**Rev 12 v17:** *“And the dragon was wroth with the woman, and went to make war with the remnant of her seed, which keep the commandments of God, and have the testimony of Jesus Christ:”*

**Eph 6 v12:** *“For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.”*

**Rev 12 v12:** *“Therefore rejoice ye heavens and ye that dwell in them. Woe to the inhabitants of the earth and of the sea! For the devil is come down unto you having great wrath because he knows that he has but a short time!!”*

**Romans 11 v26:** *“And so all Israel shall be saved: as it is written, there shall come out of Zion the deliverer, and shall turn away ungodliness from Jacob:*

### The Deliverance in Two Parts

Dear beloved saints of the Most High God,

Be it known to you that God shall deliver you in two parts:

1. First, he shall deliver you from the seed of the serpent, as in Gen 3 v15, Matt 22 v10, and Ezek 9 v4. In respect to the “Tabernacle of David”, the seed of the serpent are they that witnessed the saints’ respond to the recall of Israel in the early seventies (Romans 11 v26) and followed them to the wedding feast; they, themselves, had no invitation to be there.

They were uninvited and unprepared, for the preparation for this feast came before the foundation of the world (Matt 25 v34). Mother Wisdom, having foreknowledge of all her children prior to their births – as was with the Prophet Jeremiah (ch.1 v5) and John the Baptist (Luke 1 v13-16) – set this marriage feast for the rebuilding of the Tabernacle of David: the homecoming of Israel. Yet, She did find uninvited guest there and removed them as in Matt 22 v10-13.

2. Second, dear friend, our God would have us all to pay very close attention here, only because the dragon was very subtle. Thus we must “devote our minds” to Christ and Wisdom with fear and faith.

Please hear the voice of Christ, the Lord and the instruction of the Wisdom of God, for they are about to break into pieces the deceitful trap set to snare the children of God and seed of Christ. Again, please notice both bad and good attending the feast. Just as it was with Judas Iscariot, whom the devil attempted to plant among the disciples, the devil is now attempting to sneak his seed among the Tabernacle of David, with the hope of planting the seed of evil in the Lord God’s plans of salvation.

### False Righteousness

**Matt 5 v20:** *“For I say unto you that except your righteousness shall exceed the righteousness of the scribes and Pharisees, ye shall in no case enter the kingdom of heaven.”*

**Matt 7 v15:** *“Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep’s clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves.”*

**Matt 7 v21-23:** *“Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven. Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in thy name? And in thy name have cast out devils? And in thy name done many wonderful works? And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity.”*

**QUESTION OF THE DAY:** What is “false righteousness”?

**ANSWER:** It is the keeping of the Ten Commandments, while disregarding the testimony of Jesus.

Dear Friend:

For many years I wondered why Christ referred to the doctrine of the Pharisees as “*righteousness*”. Mother Wisdom chose to answer that question for me and instructed me to share that answer with you.

First, God would have us take a quick look at the time of Moses. The Ten Commandments, plus the Laws of Ordinances that the Lord permitted Moses to write were the law and testimony for the people so that righteousness might prevail among them, and that Israel might have order and law among the people (Exodus 18 v20). [Webster on the word “ordinance”: *a statute enacted by the government or ruling body; an authoritative command*]. We must remember that all things were only symbolic until the coming of Christ, for He is the author and finisher of our faith. However, the laws of ordinances covered many issues and gave the people direct word on how to handle various issues in their lives – even tribute and showing of thanks (Matt 8 v4).

Now please notice how the Lord said, “*Go thy way, show thyself to the priest, and offer thy gift that Moses commanded, for a ‘Testimony’ unto them.*” It is well understood by the little church and those under the gospel time that the priesthood ended at the cross of Christ (Col 2 v14); it and all ordinances were nailed to the cross. To set up any kind of system of ordinances would reject that the crucifixion (the cross) ended this practice at the Lord’s death. I hope it is clear that the testimony of ordinances was only symbolic until Christ could give us the “real testimony” from His “mouth”. This is what David was looking for as noted in Psalms 119 v88 (also note Matt 5 v2).

**The Dragon’s Last, but Greatest Deception  
and  
The Great War’s End**

**Rev 12 v17:**     *“And the dragon was wrath and went to make war with the remnant of her seed which keep the commandments of God and have the testimony of Jesus:”*

**Gen 3 v15:**     *“And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head and thou shall bruise his heel:”*

Dear friend, we have come to the end of the battle between the seed of the woman (Rev 12 v14) and the seven-headed dragon (Rev 12 v3). Here and now, the Almighty Wisdom of God – the mother of all life and the author of the plans of salvation – shall eternally smash the fruitless hopes of the dragon kingdom in stopping the plans of salvation. Here God shall strip them of the power of deception and only the seed of the dragon will remain deceived. The dragon, in a desperate final stand, and knowing that he has but a short time as in Rev12 v12, sought to dismantle the doctrine of the church by removing the holy testimony of Jesus from its belief. To explain this fact further please examines closer what the Wisdom of God has already taught us. In Wisdom’s letter, “His Vengeance Touches the Sabbath-keeping Churches”, we learned how the dragon set tares in the leadership of the church under the symbol of the ancient men (Ezek 9 v6-10). We further learned that our Mother, Wisdom, did divert an attack of the dragon’s evil spirits forces in the form of water, which was meant to kill (spiritually) the Tabernacle of David, the seed of the Wisdom of God. However, She, Mother Wisdom, did divert these waters of deceit to the seed of the serpent hidden in the church under the dual symbols of the “ancient men” and “earth”.

Since they (the tares) had no other choice (being unprotected by God), did drink these waters and became infected with sin and the opposite of every holy testimony. The evil fowls of Rev 18 v2 and Isaiah 34 v11 came and ate up all that they received in the grooming by Zerubbabel and his family as in Rev 12 v14. After being matured in evil and pride, having their very personalities reshaped, the dragon filled them with the spirit of controversy as prophesied by Isaiah 34 v11. Thus, they began to attack the Church by the spreading of fear and intimidation as ordered by the dragon. The dragon had manipulated them into positions of authority through demonstrations of false meekness and willingness to serve. Now the dragon shall use them as “attack dogs” to create fear and controversy, while at the same time they shall seek to separate the saints from the very powers that would deliver their souls...the testimony of Jesus Christ, the Lord.

### **The Divided Doctrine**

Dear friend, the dragon seeks to devour the Church by dividing your doctrinal belief within you. This is done by separating you from that which has the power to introduce you to salvation and take you out of the earth. The dragon wants to kill the spirit-child growing within you by cutting off the life force of that child, which is needed for it to grow within you, the saint. This is truly the last ditch stand of the dragon; and yet, all their hopes shall utterly fail. Soon they – the dragon and their entire evil host – shall feel the decree of the Lord (Rev 22 v11). Please remember that Mother Wisdom has already won this battle. We are just playing out the roles of already charted history. Amen!

Now for the facts of how the dragon seeks to beguile the Church by dividing the doctrine. Mother Wisdom would first cause us to examine Rev 12v17: ***“And the dragon was wrath with the woman and went to make war with the remnant of her seed, which keep the commandments of God and have the testimony of Jesus.”*** [Notice Webster on the word “keep”: *to hold for future use; now note the word “have”*: *to beget; to grasp or hold mentally.*] The Wisdom of God would have us to understand that the commandments of God are tools of instruction that demonstrate obedience. They prepare us to get ready and to hold us for future use of God; but as for the power of God, they are not spirits of power. They are earthbound instructions and God would have no need for them in His kingdom. We know that in His kingdom, there is no stealing and no need for the Sabbath Day because you are always in the presence of God (Matt 6 v19-20; Mark 2 v27).

Hopefully, dear friend it is now clear to you that there will be no need for the commandments in the Kingdom of God, for the knowledge of sin and evil has been destroyed. Furthermore, since the commandments are only earthbound, all men of the earth have the ability to keep them...but not the testimony of Jesus. Here are the seven spirits of God, which are divine powers condensed into word power. In addition, for these divine spirits to operate within one, one must have a soul created in the ***“secret tabernacle”*** of God at the foundation of the world. This soul, which acts as a receptor to receive the seven spirits of God, is directly from the Lord’s mouth (Psalms 119 v88 and Matt 5 v2). It is these self same spirits flowing from the body of Jesus that the dragon wishes to shield from you by placing within your heart the ***“rejection”*** of the testimony of Christ.

Now back to Rev 12 v17: “...**And have the testimony of Jesus**”. [Webster on the word “have”: *to grasp or hold mentally, to beget*] Now compare this definition with this text in Isaiah 8 v16: “...**Bind up the testimony**”. [Again Webster on the word “bind”: *to unite, to hold together*] Dear friend, the testimony is your “**identification card**” before God. The Lord uses the testimonies (ID card) to differentiate you from all the others in the world that call out his name, daily. He uses it to bind you into a special group, and when He can see that by faith you have held on to His testimony in your mind – regardless of the threat confronting you – He will ignite this power of the seven spirits to beget you into the heavenly family. **“He that hath an ear let him hear what the spirit now saith.” “My sheep shall hear my voice.” Amen!**

### **Children of the Pharisees**

The Wisdom of God wants you to understand that the dragon has placed Pharisees in the church of God. They (the Pharisees) seek to divide the doctrine of Christ by their false claim that they keep the commandments of God; but as their fathers before them, they reject the testimony of Christ (Luke 18 v11-14). Thus saith the Lord God, “that those whom have exalted themselves in the Tabernacle of David, and judged others without mercy, shall now be brought down and made to realize that judgment belongs to God, and God alone.” These people look upon the saints of God as beneath them and will attack without mercy whenever their authority is challenged. They know not how to demonstrate the love that Christ demanded of us all. They showed no belief in the word of God and relished in the authority delegated unto them.

Please dear reader, if any of you now, or have ever attended the Household of Israel, Tabernacle of David, Shalom family Altar, please read and ask God for understanding of these things. God will hear your prayer now more than ever because the Ancient of Days, God the Father, has seen enough! He has opened the “**Book of Times and Events**”, which is His, and His alone (Dan 7 v9-10 and Dan 12 v1-2). Thus, because of the idolatry being forced on the true church of the New Covenant (the Wisdom of God’s firstborn of the harvest), the Mighty God of all Spirits, the Ancient of Days, has shortened the allotted time of your suffering (Matt 24 v22) **and has signaled Christ, our God, to began executive judgment!!**

Now Mother wisdom wants everybody to understand how low the dragon has gone. The Knowledge of Evil, the queen of the dragon kingdom and the great whore of Revelations 17, is now personally involved with attempting to deceive the children of God. Her plan is to remove the love of Christ from the church by dividing the doctrine of God (Luke 11 v39-44). These people are quick to say to you, “**I have not done this, and never committed that.**” In addition, because of the positions, that the devil did manipulate them into, they were rushed by the Knowledge of Evil to set up an evil, counseling system by which they could explore and demand confession of all struggles, falls, mistakes, and shortcomings of the true saints of God. With this personal knowledge of your life, they would attempt to intimidate and rend you (Luke 11 v46-52). Now this church of the New Covenant, the Household of Israel, is truly the “Tabernacle of David” as mentioned in the book of Acts (chapter 15 v14-16). But know for a fact that the dragon knows you are set to **take up and keep** all that they lost in the kingdom of God. This is a war and though they have already lost, they are much too evil and stupid to give up the battle. Thus, I say unto all at this point, “...**Let no man or demon take your crown!**”

**Not by Might, nor by Power, but by my Spirit Saith the Lord of Host**

Now dear friend, understand that no true servant of God would ever want, or accept any praise or adoration of men. We did witness a perfect example of this from James T. Webb, surnamed of God, “Zerubbabel”. This man was our example of a servant that walked in the fear of the Lord. Never, ever did any of us ever see him take credit for any work of God his hands did touch, for his work was entitled, “Worship God and Give Glory to Him, for the Hour of His Judgment has Come”. His faith **in** God was equal to his fear **of** God, and his fear of God was equal to his love **for** God. He taught us that we were but dust and ashes God chose of his own accord to love and bless. Amen! Also, he acknowledged that all things were from God as a gift and should be seen and used only in the service of God, the glorification of God, and the edification of God’s people! Amen!! For it is God in us that doeth all things and without God, we can do nothing! Understand nothing! Achieve nothing! And be nothing! Amen!! Here is the truth of this hour as seen in Zech 4 v6: “*Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit saith the Lord of host.*”

**Glory Be to God Forever**

**Oh Lord, if I could only express with words how much I love thee and seek thy fear and wisdom. So,**

**If there be a song, please let me sing it.  
If there be a task please, let me do it.  
If there be a burden of the Lord, please let me carry it.  
For a song is not a song if it praiseth not thy name,  
A task is in vain unless it serves thy purpose  
And the burden of the Lord is never grievous – Amen!**

All praises be to the full throne of God, with a special salutation to the wisdom of God, Most Holy! Amen!

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