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Global Heat Wave

Thousands of firefighters continued to battle a string of wildfires across Portugal, Spain, Greece, and southern France yesterday; at least 25,000 acres have been consumed, with more than 7,000 people forced to evacuate. The fires come as a second heatwave this summer has settled across the region. Triple-digit temperatures are expected across both Spain and Portugal today, with some areas passing 110 degrees Fahrenheit and In Italy, officials declared a state of emergency. (1440daily digest.com 7/14) Hot temperature threat continues across the central US. Millions will be under heat alerts across the Plains and Central California today and Tuesday as temperatures surge 10 to 15 degrees above normal. Heat indexes -- what it feels like to the human body with the combination of humidity and heat -could reach well above 100 degrees in portions of Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, San Joaquin Valley, Southern Plains, California, Upper Midwest including South Dakota, where excessive heat warnings are issued. Nearly 20% of the US population, or about 60 million people, will likely see a temperature at or above 100 degrees this week . (cnn.com 7/18) Britain issues first -ever 'red warning' of extreme heat; facing its hottest day ever; some hospitals cancel surgeries, many schools to shut; blazes in France, Greece, Portugal, Spain force thousands to flee. (timesofisrael. com 7/18) Another extreme heat wave is coming during Tribulation. You don't want to be

here then!!

The Endtimes Are Now!

News headlines related to biblical prophecies about the end times.

Empty Warnings or Real Threats?

<u>Defying Threats From China,</u> <u>Speaker Pelosi Visits Targeted</u>

Taiwan. US House Speaker Nancy Pelosi arrived in Taiwan on Tuesday despite threats from Beijing of serious consequences. She was the highest-ranking American official in 25 years to visit the self-ruled island but claimed by China which has intentions to annex it by force if necessary. Pelosi's visit has triggered increased tension between China and the United States: China views visits by foreign government officials as recognition of the island's sovereignty. (afn.net 8/2) A Taste of What Will Happen to our Economy if We Go to War With China. It would absolutely

devastate the pharmaceutical industry. Chinese firms are said to supply more than 90% of US

antibiotics, 70% of acetaminophen (Tylenol), and almost half of the anticoagulant heparin plus much more. The food industry would also be turned upside down since China is a source for some of our spices, herbs, canned goods, and even farm equipment. The Chinese also produce a lot of our clothes including as much as 70% of our shoes. Same with 72% percent of smartphones. The artificial sweeteners in Diet Coke. toys, furniture, sports equipment ... what you buy every time you go to Target. The moment we go to war with them, the flow of cheap goods from China completely stops. In addition, once the Chinese invade Taiwan who produces nearly 66% of the world's supply of chips, there will be an excruciating computer chip shortage. If the flow of chips from Taiwan is eliminated, the entire global economy would come to a crashing halt. (prophecynewswatch.com 8/3)

Iran Threatens to Turn NYC Into a "Heap of Rubble from Hell". The narrator claims that Iran can "in the blink of an eye transform Iran's peaceful nuclear program into an atomic military program and make the nightmare of Israel and the West come true. (israelnews365.com 8/1) America Prepares To Confront Iranian Threat. The free world is

Iranian Threat. The free world is at risk from the unsanctioned development of nuclear weapons by a rogue state. Nuclear missiles in the hands of an unstable regime with deep ties to terrorist groups present a supreme danger to civilians back home, so there is no choice but to respond. (pnw.com 8/3) IDF chief: Attack on Iran 'at the center' of IDF Preparations. (toi.com 7/18)

California

Los Angeles Ends Citizenship Requirement for Government Jobs. Last week, the LA County Board of Supervisors voted unanimously to allow non-citizens to work in government positions provided the position does not conflict with state or federal law. (Breitbart.com 8/2) 20 Years After Voters Rejected 'Toilet-To-Tap' Water, LA brags that they will be the first in the state to pipe recycled, "purified" toilet water to faucets for the sake of the environment. Lawmakers, who refuse to build new dams or expand water resources, are set to spend at least \$12 billion on what they describe as "locally sourced" water. Environmentalists insist that nothing can go wrong even though a 2019 NIH hosted survey noted that "there have been relatively few healthbased studies evaluating the microbial risks associated

with potable reuse", which include "pathogenic bacteria, viruses, and protozoa transmitted via a fecal-oral route including Hepatitis A. Their "toilet-to-tap" plan will cost three times as much as a new reservoir.

Loving Solar Energy. While subsidizing China's exported solar industry, Californians with over 700 solar power plants and hundreds of thousands of residential solar panels enjoy an expensive and unreliable energy supply that leads to regular brown-outs. As of 2020, a solar mandate was imposed requiring all new homes to have solar panels, adding over \$10,000 to the cost of a new home. With a lifespan of 25 years, the early generations of solar panels have begun to clutter up the state's landfills emitting toxic waste into ground water. (frontpagemag.com 7/31)

Revelation 16:8-9 (KJV)

And the fourth angel poured out his vial upon the sun; and power was given unto him to scorch men with fire.

And men were scorched with great heat, and blasphemed the name of God, which

Cashless is Coming, Ready or Not

Israel Moves Closer to Cashless Society

Following Latest Legislation. A new Israeli law will go into effect on Monday prohibiting cash payments of over \$1,760 (6,000 NIS) in cash or bank checks for transactions between a person and a business. The ceiling for transfers between private individuals will be \$4,400 (NIS 15.000) instead of the current amount which is almost \$14,700. (Israel news365.com 8/1) A Storm of Indicators Show the US Consumer is Tapped Out. Around 43% of all Americans are falling into debt this year. Around 23% say they have no savings at all, while 28% say they have savings but only enough for three months of expenses should they lose their jobs. (prophecynewswatch.com 8/1) Great Reset: Ireland's Banks Using 'Sneaky Tactics' to Drive Public Towards Cashless Society. While claims center around the actions of Irish banks, similar concerns have been raised in regards to the push towards a cashless society internationally, with the infamous World Economic Forum, in particular, pushing the transition. Banks are accused of intentionally understaffing branches, failing to repair cash ATMs

within a reasonable timeframe, and not answering their own phones, all in an attempt to push people online. It is claimed that COVID-19 was used as an excuse by Irish financial institutions to reduce services and hours, despite many having failed to return to normality now the country has largely escaped lockdown. "The banks have used Covid to force people on to digital platforms, whether they want to or not," "The lack of staffing is chronic in banks for a reason. It creates long queues. It is the same with the phone lines." However, the shift towards a cashless society is not only something that has become a concern in Ireland, with the drive towards digital-only - something openly pushed for by the infamous World Economic Forum - recently gaining serious attention internationally. (Breitbart.com 8/2)

Malaysian Govt Hospitals, Clinics to Go

Cashless. All Malaysian government hospitals and clinics under the health ministry will soon provide the option for cashless payments. The new system will be made effective from October 1. Payments using debit and credit cards as well as e-wallets will be accepted. The ministry expects 95% of transactions in its hospitals and clinics to be cashless by the end of the year. (endtime.com 7/29)

When Currencies Die, So Do Nations.

Pakistan's rupee may be in its death throes. What was once a strong currency has been falling against the U.S. dollar for years and is performing poorly among a large group of peer nations, a drop intensified by the recent rise of the U.S. dollar and internal political strife (Jerusalem Post, July 25, 2022). Bible prophecy indicates that, at the end of the age, scarcity will explode, currencies and nations will decline, and even gold and silver won't work as a tool to buy sufficient food and goods (Ezekiel 7:14–19). Human beings will no longer be able to rely on riches and possessions as they learn the sobering lesson that it is Christ who strengthens us, not ourselves, our governments, or our possessions (Philippians 4:13). Watching other nations and situations can help us see how God may fulfill these ancient Bible prophecies. (twnews&prophecy.com 7/29) General Public Completely Unaware How Digital Currencies Will Change Our Soci-

ety. If we allow central banks to fully digitize and trade money it will open the door to complete authoritarianism. (prophecynewswatch.com 7/28) Will A Financial Crisis Be The Trigger For

Environmental Woes

Environmentalists Derail Solution to Water Crisis - This Is

Dangerous. Environmental activists led the State of California to reject approval of a desalination plant in the southern part of the State which would have provided clean water for hun-

dreds of thousands of people amid the historic drought which has hit the western US. Desalination plants are equipped to purify ocean water so it can be used for drinking, cleaning, and agriculture. It would have produced about 50 million gallons of clean water per

day. (conservativeamericatoday.com 7/18) <u>Green Fail: Germany to Recon-</u> <u>nect First Coal Power Plant to</u> Energy Grid. In a demonstration of

the failure of Germany's pursuit of so -called "green energy" and its policy of relying on Russian gas, the shuttered Mehrum coal-fired power plant will become the first to once again be connected to the nation's electricity grid. (Breitbart.com 8/3)

EU Parliament Declares Fossil Fuel to be "Green" Energy as Climate Change Narrative Collapses. (naturalnews.com 7/6)



Prince Charles Accepted on Behalf

of His Charitable Fund PWCF \$1,217,760 From Osama bin Laden's

Family. His reasoning: The family is not responsible for the jihad mastermind and Osama was disowned in 1994. If he hadn't been, however, and open jihad sympathizers were dealing with Prince Charles, would he have hesitated? Given the abject dhimmitude and denial of the British government regarding the jihad threat, the answer to that question is unclear. (jihadwatch.com 7/31)

Other Headlines

City Famous for Role in Nation's Founding Must Let Christian Flag Fly. Liberty Counsel represented Shurtleff at the U.S. Supreme Court, where oral arguments were heard in January and where a rare 9-0 opinion was announced in May. Liberty Counsel founder has pointed out the City of Boston approved a total of 284 applications for a turn at the flag pole, but only one application - to fly the Christian flag - was ever turned away. "Which just goes to show "how much the City of Boston was truly discriminating against Hal Shurtleff and his desire to raise the Christian flag in remembrance of Constitution Day. (afa.net 8/2) **Warner Brothers:** Mass layoffs are reportedly in the works at Warner Bros. Discovery, the new parent company of CNN, with Discovery executives seeking to slash headcount as early as next week. (Breitbart.com 8/2) **Intel:** Intel, the chip giant, is searching for cost-saving alternatives following a rough second quarter according to CEO Pat Gelsinger. We had stuff we created over the last decade that needed to be cleaned up. It helps drive a more accelerated pace to the transformation we have under way." He added that the six business exits have freed up \$1.5 billion for Intel to invest elsewhere. (breitbart.com 8/2)

<u>US Economy Sees Worst First Half for</u> <u>Stock Since 1872.</u> (breitbart.com 7/1)