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THE GAINSAYING OF CORE (KORAH)

KORAH'S 21ST CENTURY CLAN! (TED KENNEDY, HILLARY CLINTON AND CHARLES SHUMER)

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"Woe unto them! for they have gone in the way of Cain, and ran greedily after the error of Balaam for reward, and (finally) perished in the gainsaying of Core." (Jude 11)

What is the Apostle Jude attempting to tell the church of Laodicea (Gk.-laos –people; dicea – judgment or justice – <u>Strong's</u>) In the church of Laodicea, the mentality of mob rule (democracy) crept into the church. Somehow the wisdom of the people became synonymous with the wisdom of God. In scripture, this "people judgment" is depicted as "clay" in Daniel's interpretation of King Nebuchadnezzar's dream. "And the fourth kingdom shall be strong as iron (Roman Empire)...And whereas thou sawest the feet and toes, part of potters' clay...forasmuch as thou sawest the iron (dictatorship) mixed with miry clay (fickleness of the people)." (Dan. 2:40-42)

The Republic only lasted until F.D.R.

Our founding fathers gave us a republic. It was Benjamin Franklin who said after signing the Constitution, "We give you a republic, if you can keep it." We kept it up until President Franklin Delano Roosevelt (FDR). The word democracy is not found in the Constitution. Politicians swear on the Bible to uphold a republic when they take office. What a joke! The "clay" is the mode of society.

Only in a republic form of government are the inalienable rights given by God sacred. In a democracy, or mob rule, there are no sacred cows. If there are more liberals than conservatives, all sacred cows are vulnerable; public prayer, or (absolutes) the Ten Commandments.

In the paper recently, a federal judge declared the death penalty unconstitutional. Why doesn't the same article tell you who appointed such a judge to the bench in the first place?

Al Gore's speech – by "Meathead"

Al Gore recently gave a speech to the Commonwealth Club of San Francisco. A conservative talk-show host said the speech was written by "meathead" of the "All in the Family" show. Only the grace of God kept another "meathead" from being President of the United States. In that very close election between Bush and Gore, can't you see your civic responsibility to at least voice your opinion and vote?

Sacred Cow-The right to bear arms

Another sacred cow guaranteed by our own Constitution is the right to bear arms. Once you lose the right to defend your own personal property, you will automatically be at the mercy of the state as to whether you have a right to own your property. This is the final step on the socialist agenda to victory.

All privately owned property reverts to the state. Impossible, you say? Nothing like that could ever happen in America! Only 90 miles from our shore, no one owns any property in the land ruled by Fidel Castro. In Mexico, only the natives can own property. The US is one of the few places on earth that permit foreigners to buy up our land. All the voters have to do is vote a "meathead" into public office, and the mass news media, along with the ACLU and the environmentalists will applaud the decision to kill your sacred cows.

I had a dream

I had a dream! My dream was entirely different from that of Martin Luther King. In my dream, I was dreaming about America's march toward socialism. In my dream I applauded the Social Security System, legalized during the FDR reign in Washington D.C., for providing for the aged and retirees. I was excited as well over Medicare, Medigap, Medical programs to take care of the sick. However, the final stage of the dream I did not enjoy. The announcement was made that all private property was to be reverted back to the state. I woke up immediately in shock! What is going on right under our noses, and we can't see it?

Have you ever seen one of these pictures within a picture? In these pictures, the instructions tell you, are a boy, a donkey, and a cart. These are so fused into the picture that one cannot easily locate them. But they are there! Just as socialism is ever present under the guise of environmentalism. It has been proven the spotted owl could adapt to live in a rain gutter of your house, if necessary. However, the real message these environmentalists want you to receive into your spirit is this, "Big Brother is taking care of you!"

We need to pray for President Bush. He is in a battle in our Congress with a lot of "meatheads" the people need to vote out of office to save our republic.

Another Paul Revere

"Then said he unto them, Nation shall rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom." (Lk. 21:10) What do you suppose this prophecy of Jesus for the end time is speaking of? What do you think "kingdom against kingdom" means? It is one thing to lose a war! Who is perfect? Quite another to lose by default because you never even knew there was a war going on. It is time for another Paul Revere to get on television and start screaming, "The environmentalist redcoats are coming!"

Dan Smoot's "Invisible Government"

The severity of our fires, burning in so many states this summer can be directly laid at the feet of these policies of the environmentalists. Does our biased news media do any investigative journalism on this one? The reason they don't is every politician, Republican or Democrat, is on the same team. You ask me the name of the team? It is called "The Council on Foreign Relations". Read former FBI agent, Dan Smoot's book, The Invisible Government.

Dan Smoot's "invisible government" was founded by the mystery man of President Woodrow Wilson's cabinet. He was a Texas born international banker named Col. Edward Mandell House. CFR

was Col. House's brainchild for the express purpose of controlling the office of President, according to Dan Smoot, whose <u>The Dan Smoot Report</u> on television was underwritten by the Hunt brothers, Texas billionaires. The very first President CFR successfully put in the White House was Herbert Hoover.

Col. House conceived the idea of how to bring our HOUSE down!

Col. House discovered a weak link in our government of checks and balances; the Supreme Court. Col. House wrote a book titled, <u>Philip Dru, Administrator</u>, describing the takeover of America. "The office of the Presidency must be controlled" in order to hand over America, without firing a shot, to a Socialist Dictator he called Philip Dru. When you consider it was written in 1913, and where America is today, this book should be on the bestseller list for all those who wish to see the boy, the donkey and the cart in American politics.

Defining a "meathead"—Vote them out!

I can read some of your minds relative to my usage of the word "meathead". Would you like to hear my definition of a meathead? A meathead is anyone who believes that Christians didn't found this nation. The Pilgrims were so persecuted by the state religion of England that they fled to Holland. It was from Holland that they boarded a ship seeking a new land where they could worship Almighty God according to the dictates of their own hearts.

Upon landing at Plymouth Rock, they built a church before building a school. It was with the knowledge of the correct church government, as depicted in the Presbyterian Church, they devised a Christian republic that has become the greatest nation ever to exist on planet earth.

I heard the President as his plane landed in Flagstaff, Arizona. President George W. Bush is pleading to the American voter to vote these liberal, left wing Democrats (meatheads) out of office. This is war on the home front!

George W. Bush and John Ashcroft are "born again"

Two of our top men in government are born again believers in Jesus Christ: President George W. Bush, and John Ashcroft, the Attorney General of the United States. John Ashcroft's father was my very first pastor in Evanston, Illinois. John Ashcroft's mother produced a prayer list of sinners that needed to find Christ. Who do you suppose was at the very top of her list? Yours truly! Wow! When Sister Ashcroft and her prayer band began praying, heaven was listening. After I was truly born again, Mrs. Ashcroft showed me the list. What a way to come to Jesus! On the wings of prayer!

"Gainsaying of Core" message a supplication

The Bible says, "I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications (Gk.-petition; prayer, request – Strong's #1162), prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, be made for all men; for kings, and for all that are in authority; that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty." (1 Tim. 2:1-2) This particular thesis is an urgent appeal for Christians to pray! I believe this petition on the "gainsaying of Core" meets the Biblical qualification of being termed a "supplication".

Many of you may think I am being too harsh on those politicians who are dedicated to giving up all our freedoms without ever firing a shot. The Supreme Court no longer interprets the Constitution, but creates new laws that bypass Congress completely. The worst court in the history of the United States for this crime against humanity was the Earl Warren Court.

Earl Warren, the father of liberalism

After the appointment of Chief Justice Earl Warren, a former Republican governor of California, to the Supreme Court, he became a Benedict Arnold with regards to what the Republican Party stood for. It was by this single appointment the terms "liberalism" and "conservatism" were birthed. It was liberalism that was the culprit. America learned the hard way!

You can anticipate a liberal Senator McDermott from Washington State going into Iraq, the enemy's camp, and calling our President Bush a liar. Senators Daschle and Kennedy do it often on the floor of the Senate. Voter, beware of Arizona Senator McCain going about in the sheep's clothing of a Republican. The McCain-Feingold bill was endorsed by the "NY Times". Is John McCain the next Earl Warren?

Under a democracy, there is no guarantee what the law will be tomorrow. The Supreme Court is already treating the Constitution as some antiquated document; irrelevant to the age we now live in. Fifty-one percent of the vote and Christians could be declared enemies of the state.

Our only hope right now to save this republic is to pray some of these hard-core leftists, like Ted Kennedy, Tom Daschle, Patrick Leahy and Al Gore to be defeated at the polls! Give the Republicans a clear majority in the Senate! That victory will shut the mouth of the lions. Pray! God answers prayer! Be grateful to God that we have a believer as the Commander in Chief of our Armed Forces, and a John Ashcroft as the leading law enforcer.

Jesus' language more severe than the Captain's

If you'll read Matthew 23, you will find Jesus using language that makes my terminology angelic by comparison. Try these statements on for size:

"Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it." (Jn. 8:44)

"But woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye shut up the kingdom of heaven against men: for ye neither go in yourselves, neither suffer ye them that are entering to go in." (Matt. 23:13)

"Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites!" Jesus castigates these meatheads eight times with this same "Woe unto you!" Religion is what is left for all of us after we rebel against "walking in the spirit". "But IF we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son (continues to) cleanseth us from all sin." (1 Jn. 1:7) Apostle John gives you a big IF. It is always in your hand to decide whether or not to walk out of the Father's hand.

One third of the heavenly host lost their "eternal security" when they aligned themselves to another god; Lucifer, the son of the morning. Don't you just love Apostle John with his straight, easy to understand doctrine? "Walking in the light," then one has fellowship!

Can a man become a god?

To return to my text – another Woe!

#1 – "Woe unto them! for they have gone in the way of Cain." (Jude 11)

This "way of Cain" means they used their "fat head" to reason with. All meatheads think their good ideas and reasoning are synonymous with God's intellect. Pentecostalism, led by Kenneth Copeland and Kenneth Hagin, base their theology upon the works of deceased E.W. Kenyon, who declared, "Man can become a god!" This teaching immediately sows pride into the hearts of Christian believers who are seduced by this end-time teaching. Can a man become a little god?

"After their own lusts..." they choose false teachers

Apostle Paul, writing to young Timothy, warned, "Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; and they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables." (2 Tim. 4:2-4)

#2 – "And ran greedily after the error of Balaam for reward." (Jude 11)

You are really looking at an end-time prosperity preacher. Balaam was a prophet from Mesopotamia. He was a Gentile that was given a rare gift from God. In a way, it reminds one of the call of Abraham to leave the Ur of the Chaldees and venture "unto a land that I will shew thee." In obedience to this command God said, "I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee: and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed." (Gen. 12:3) God gave this gift to protect a nation, Israel, through the Abrahamic covenant.

In Balaam the prophet, God gave to an individual a similar gift. This gift of the prophet Balaam came to the attention of the king of Moab, an enemy of Israel, "for I wot that he whom thou blessest is blessed, and he whom thou cursest is cursed." (Nu. 22:6)

Senators dedicated to cursing God's existence

We have Senators in Congress dedicated to curse God's existence by perpetuating humanism. George W. Bush and John Ashcroft escaped the "litmus test" of the stranglehold these northeastern Senators have on our nation. Abortion, or just plain murder, is the litmus test. Bush and Ashcroft do not condone murder of the unborn. George Bush is not in warfare with just Iraq, but with humanist Senators from the northeastern "elite" of our nation. Isn't it strange that 9/11 struck in Hillary Clinton's power base that wants to make her the next President of the United States? In the fourth chapter of Daniel are

three scriptures, Daniel 4:17, 25 and 32, that have one message to Nebuchadnezzar to prove that "the most High ruleth in the kingdom of men, and giveth it to whomsoever he will."

If the voters in the northeastern section of the United States haven't the mentality to vote against Hillary and company, perhaps a little persuasion from God will enlighten their thickened cerebellum. These same Senators do not want the vote on Iraq before the November election. They are like Balaam the prophet, dedicated to stay in office. Pray that God will keep George W. Bush determined to have this vote in October.

This vote on the Iraq war is crucial to bring to light the Benedict Arnold's sitting in our Congress claiming to be Senators for the people. George Bush must be doing something right when you hear the far left screaming as one voice - Tom Daschle, Al Gore and even Teddy Bear of Massachusetts, Ted Kennedy.

Men loved darkness, rather than light

"And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil." (Jn. 3:19)

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"What I tell you in darkness, that speak ye in light: and what ye hear in the ear, that preach ye upon the housetops." (Matt. 10:27) This communiqué reveals my disdain for these prophets who profess to be "little gods". They heard nothing "in the ear", yet speak unto the mountain, "be thou removed." "Little gods" cannot submit to anyone. Can a "god" submit?

The word "Islam" really means, "submit". One is to submit to the only true god, who has no son, or perish. They will not submit to a Hebrew or a Christian nation ruling over them. This is the reason that war is inevitable. Islam terrorists are "gainsayers" (Gk.-speak against, to dispute, answer again). The only time "peace" is assured is when you submit to Allah.

Korah is a type of the clan in Washington DC, objecting to John Ashcroft's appointment

#3 - and (finally) perished in the gainsaying of Core." (Jude 11)

In Numbers 16 is the story of the disobedience of Korah, the Levite. According to the Jewish historian, Josephus, Korah was a very wealthy man, hence had a very elitist crowd as companions. "And they rose up before Moses, with certain of the children of Israel, two hundred and fifty princes of the assembly, famous in the congregation, men of renown: and they gathered themselves together against Moses and against Aaron" (much like the street activists from our universities of today – they felt secure in a mob), "and said unto them, Ye take too much upon you, seeing ALL the congregation are holy (Korah must have believed in "unconditional salvation"), every one of them, and the LORD is among them: wherefore then lift ye up yourselves (Moses and Aaron) above the congregation of the LORD?" (Nu. 16:2-3)

According to Josephus, the real issue of Korah and his 250 princes was the appointment of Aaron to the position of High Priest by Moses. It was much like we saw in the Senate when a tongue-talking Pentecostal was appointed as the highest law enforcement officer in the land, John Ashcroft, as Attorney General. These northeast Senators, led by the clan (Ted Kennedy, Hillary Clinton, Charles Shumer) are still scratching their meatball heads as to how John Ashcroft won. God still rules in the affairs of men, is the only plausible explanation. Do you know what Moses would have done to Korah's clan?

Now they have come up with a litmus test so it will never happen again. These men are dedicated to the "fact" of evolution, and that only "meathead" descendants of monkeys will be the lawmakers in Washington DC. The litmus test for Senate confirmation is abortion. No Christian can pass their litmus test to be a judge on any bench in America.

Did Moses panic over the gainsaying of Korah? "And Moses said, Hereby ye shall know that the LORD hath sent me to do all these works; for I have not done them of mine own mind." (Nu. 16:28) "The carnal mind is enmity against God." (Rom. 8:7) The carnal mind is the only mind a meathead has available to him. It is one of the reasons Christ told Nicodemus, "Ye must be born again!" (Jn. 3:7) "If I have told you earthly things, and ye believe not, how shall ye believe, if I tell you of heavenly things?" (Jn. 3:12)

How can a "meathead" understand?

Tell me, how can a meathead comprehend spiritual things? The salvation of Jesus Christ is needed to humble and heal the mind from all that has been taught in a meathead school. Is it any wonder the Apostle Paul said, "But what things were gain to me, those I counted loss for Christ. Yea doubtless, and I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord: for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and do count them but dung, that I may win Christ." (Phil. 3:7-8)

Moses answers these sons of Levi; Korah, Dathan and Abiram (Heb.-lofty-pride). These three are a type of an unholy trinity (as the clan) to lay charges to Moses' leadership, and caused 250 princes to join in the rebellion. "Ye take too much upon you, seeing ALL the congregation are holy, every one of them...And when Moses heard it, he fell upon his face: and he spake unto Korah and unto all his company, saying, Even to morrow the LORD will shew who are his, and who is holy." (Nu. 16:3-5) God will come down and swallow Korah and company alive!

Moses then says God will come down and choose who is holy, but first, "This do;" instructs Moses to Korah and company, "Take you censers (Heb.-firepan with live coals), Korah, and all his company; and put fire therein, and put incense in them before the LORD to morrow: and it shall be that the man whom the LORD doth choose, he shall be holy: ye take too much upon you, ye sons of Levi." (Nu. 16:6-7) This is how Moses dealt with gainsayers who always have to have the last word on everything!

Content to "abide in your calling"

The Bible says, "Blessed are the pure in heart: for they shall see God." (Matt. 5:8) These meatheads could not see God in Moses' appointment of Aaron to the office of High Priest. These meatheads were chosen by God, as tribal members of Levi, to serve in the tabernacle. A meathead is never satisfied with

the calling that God gave them. The Apostle Paul said, "Ye are bought with a price (we are slaves to the will of Jesus Christ); be not ye the servants of men. Brethren, let every man, wherein he is called, therein abide with God." (1 Cor. 7:23-24) "For do I now persuade men, or God? or do I seek to please men? for if I yet pleased men, I should not be the servant (slave) of Christ." (Gal. 1:10) The "meatheads" are the "little gods" of E.W. Kenyon.

It is only as you abide in your calling that you are blessed of God! Everyone is not called to be the Captain. In Pentecostal circles, and especially among the "little gods" (followers of E.W. Kenyon's writings), there is a total absence of Indians – they are all chiefs. It is difficult for a "god" to submit, even to another "god".

Korah, his two buddies, Dathan and Abiram, along with two hundred and fifty princes of the congregation, were probably all married to virgins. "And he shall take a wife in her virginity... Neither shall he profane his seed among his people: for I the LORD do sanctify him." (Lev. 21:13,15) The Korah's of today could very well be denominational preachers, such as in the Assemblies of God. The only thing one knows for sure about their ordination as an Assemblies of God minister, is they are married to one woman. After you have said that, you have covered the gamut.

Moses, not only a lawgiver, but a judge!

Moses was not only the lawgiver, but also a judge. We are about to see the earth open up by the hand of Moses, and swallow all these Levites married to virgins. In our Assemblies of God, God forbid we should ever dare to mention the word "judge" or "judgment". "But he that is spiritual judgeth all things, yet he himself is judged of no man. For who hath known the mind of the Lord, that he may instruct him? but we have the mind of Christ." (1 Cor. 2:15-16) Let me ask you a question, How can meatheads judge righteously? Meatheads don't have the "mind of Christ". It was to these meatheads of Christ's day; the scribes, Pharisees, hypocrites that Jesus warned, "Judge not, that ye be not judged. For with what judgment ye judge, ye shall be judged." (Matt. 7:1-2) There is an old axiom, "There is no judgment like a recently converted whore."

"For Herod had laid hold on John, and bound him, and put him in prison for Herodias' sake, his brother Philip's wife. For John said unto him, It is not lawful for thee to have her." (Matt. 14:3-4) John the Baptist has his head severed for judging the king. "And his head was brought in a charger, and given to the damsel: and she brought it to her mother." (Matt. 14:11)

If John the Baptist were an Assemblies of God preacher, he would have saved his neck by keeping his mouth shut. After all, "I don't get involved in politics; I'm called to preach." The prophet Isaiah said, "His watchmen are blind: they are all ignorant, they are all dumb dogs, they cannot bark." (Isa. 56:10) Even Jesus denounced the meatheads of his day for judging Him because He healed people on the Sabbath day. "Judge not according to the appearance, but judge righteous judgment." (Jn. 7:24)

If you are an extremist, you have forfeited your right to judge. The church only hears the voice of those from the extreme left (the legalist) or from the extreme right (one cannot of his own volition walk out of the Father's hand). Jude tells us the very angels in heaven made a choice; but you can't? "And the

angels which kept not their first estate, but left their own habitation, he hath reserved in everlasting chains under darkness unto the judgment of the great day." (Jude 6) There will be no robots in heaven. If you don't want to go there, you will not be there. Believe me! All I am attempting to accomplish is to point you toward the straight gate. "Enter ye in at the strait gate (Jesus Christ): for wide is the gate, and broad is the way (unconditional eternal security), that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat: because strait (stand tall) is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it." (Matt. 7:13-14) Pilgrim, in The Pilgrim's Progress by John Bunyan, found the road that led to the Celestial City.

A Gainsayer cannot submit to anyone

Returning to our text: "Woe unto them...and perished in the gainsaying of Core." (Jude 11) A gainsayer cannot submit to anyone, not even to Moses. Wow! If you believe you are a god, how can you possibly submit to an earthling, or another "god"? What a day we live in! "Preach the word (Timothy)... For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts (television evangelists) shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; and they shall turn away their ears from the truth (the Word), and shall be turned unto fables." (2 Tim. 2-4) "If you mail in \$58 for twelve months, you will become a millionaire." (Mike Murdock of TBN and Daystar television) Such a deal! Do you think God knew about the power of television to influence the truth in the end time?

Dr. Bebe Patten, with her business manager husband, came to Oakland, California and brought "big time religion to the city", said her late husband C. (for Cash) Thomas Patten. But the end came. In a similar fashion, I saw the demise of Jim and Tammy Bakker. As great as the revival was, the end came. A backslidden, ex-Assemblies of God preacher, who Jimmy Swaggart pointed out was living in adultery, was removed from the roster as an Assemblies of God minister. He sued Brother Swaggart for \$250,000, collected in court, and got even. However, the revival came to an end! This is the same preacher that was in the red light district of New Orleans. Could Swaggart anticipate another Pentecostal preacher down there? Only this preacher sold his story to the National Enquirer and probably collected a tidy sum.

God says in His word, "And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come." (Matt. 24:14) The end of what? Certainly not the end of the world! "Pre-tribers" simply read things into the scripture that does not exist. It is "the end" of the revival on television. A few good investigative journalists selling information to the National Enquirer can bring Christian television to its knees tomorrow, and that will be "the end". But, nonetheless, they remain a witness as long as the IRS doesn't shut them down.

The world hates the gospel, especially those meatheads in the northeastern sector of the USA, who are trying to jam Hillary Clinton down our throats, whether we like it or not. I, for one, don't like it! Rush Limbaugh wouldn't like it, and apparently neither does God. Mayor Giuliani of New York City says 9/11 was a "wake up call". What is it that NYC has woken us up to? So far, nothing has changed: school as usual, the same old northeastern Senators gainsaying our President, as did Korah in Moses' day. If God doesn't intervene in the affairs of men, Hillary Clinton will be the Nebuchadnezzar to sit on

the throne of Washington DC. America cannot survive another Clinton era in the White House. God help us!

Hillary wants your children!

Hillary wants your children, and will demand the passage of "children's rights". When that happens, no one will have any rights except the liberal Democrats. Believe me, we are in two wars! Who is to say which enemy of this Republic we are to fear the most!

Rome fell apart from within. If one reads <u>The Rise and Fall of the Roman Empire</u>, by Gibbons, one would think this is the reenactment of the demise of the greatest Republic ever devised by man. "A nation that cannot protect is own borders, will soon cease to be a nation." (Pat Buchanan) This was the theme of one of the Presidential hopefuls during the past election. Our slanted-to-the-left mass news media ignores any reality of truth. Only 9/11 gave us a wakeup call; perhaps Pat Buchanan was right, "We should guard our borders."

Easier to win the war in Iraq than the war against "the clan"

America, you have already had one walk up call of disaster to the American way, are you ready for another one? It is a lot easier for President Bush to win the war against Saddam Hussein, than the war against these northeastern block Senators!

Moses stood up to the meatheads of his day. Please read Numbers 16. Moses is about to judge all the meatheads standing with Korah. "And Moses said, Hereby ye shall know that the LORD hath sent me to do all these works; for I have not done them of mine own mind." (Nu. 16:28)

Whenever I name a spirit as depicted in <u>The Pilgrim's Progress</u>, the meatheads believe I contrived it out of my own mind. Often I am asked the question, "Who am I? What is my name?" Do you think some "loner" that can't find one soul on earth as a partner, has some beautiful name? Jesus sent them forth two by two.

Islam and the "little gods" of TV have same religion

Islam cannot submit. She must be destroyed for that reason. In today's spiritual vernacular, you must submit to these "little gods". Self-destruction is already built into the profile of man being "god", "and then shall the end come." (Matt. 24:14)

God will raise up a kingdom that shall never be destroyed

The prophet Daniel speaks of a kingdom that will never be destroyed. "And in the days of these kings shall the God of heaven set up a kingdom, which shall never be destroyed." (Dan. 2:44) "As in the natural, so in the spiritual." "And this gospel of the kingdom shall be...for a witness...then shall the end come." (Matt. 24:14) Whenever the end comes, it means the beginning of something else. The something else is described in 2 Thessalonians 2:3. "Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first." What was the catalyst for the beginning of this "falling away"? The Witness!

"This gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world FOR A WITNESS unto all nations." (Matt. 24:14) This is literally impossible without the aid of the Witness, which is Christian television, such as Daystar and TBN (Trinity Broadcasting Network).

The Witness does our witnessing for us! The Jehovah's Witnesses, Mormons and Seventh Day Adventists put Christians to shame when it comes to witnessing. Christians are eager to pay the Witness to do their witnessing for them! Christian television costs a lot of money, but is a Witness to people that we cannot reach. It is a powerful tool to fulfill the Great Commission. "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature." (Mk. 16:15)

However, this Witness is totally dependent upon the character of the "non-profit religious incorporation" owning the Witness, usually consisting of a single family; husband, wife and son. Will the integrity of this "mom and pop" situation continue after the death of the founders into the next generation? The Witness is built upon the sand. "And every one that heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them not, shall be likened unto a foolish man, which built his house upon the sand." (Matt. 7:26) God told us to build the church. Evangelists are but an aid to help in that building on the rock.

Pope is concerned about his successor

Even the present Pope is concerned about his successor upon his death. The next Pope could well be the prophesied "false prophet" of scripture, who will be the anti-type of John the Baptist, heralding to the world the false messiah, the coming Antichrist.

Because the entire structure of the Witness is built upon the sand, it is destined to failure. Everything man touches is destined for destruction. Can you imagine an investigative reporter doing an in depth study of the son of Jan and Paul Crouch, who will inherit the largest network of Christian television stations in the world? Can the offerings from thousands of stations be entrusted to one man? There are so many "ifs" whenever you build upon the sand.

Captain prophesies the "falling away" commences (2 Thess. 2:3)

Remember, you heard it here first. Whenever Christian television self-destructs, will commence the beginning of the falling away. I saw preludes with the Bebe Patten story in Oakland, California. I lived to see "the end" when one of our pastors was placed behind bars in San Quentin Prison. I saw the "falling away" afterwards with Bible students becoming prostitutes, heading for the casinos for work at the blackjack tables, etc. It will happen again, only this time on a larger scale involving the backsliding of the whole world (2 Thess. 2:3). One scandal does more damage than all the good accomplished during a revival.

"If these men die the common death..."

Moses, in Numbers 16, says he will give Korah and company a sign "that the LORD hath sent me to do all these works; for I have not done them of mine own mind. If these men die the common death of all men...then the LORD hath not sent me. But if the LORD make a new thing, and the earth open her mouth, and swallow them up, with all that appertain unto them, and they go down quick into the pit; then ye

shall understand that these men have provoked the LORD. And it came to pass, as he had made an end of speaking all these words, that the ground clave (divide or rip up) asunder that was under them: and the earth opened her mouth, and swallowed them up, and their houses, and all the men that appertained unto Korah, and all their goods. They, and all that appertained to them, went down alive into the pit, and the earth closed upon them: and they perished from among the congregation." (Nu. 16:28-33) Such is the end of the "gainsayers" during Moses' day. But Jude 11 tells us the "gainsayers" are ever present, even in your congregation. The pastors do not challenge "gainsayers", only solace them with love, therefore "His watchmen are...(like) dumb dogs, they cannot bark." (Isa. 56:10)

America at the crossroads!

America is at a crossroads! We were just accidentally awakened from the drowsiness of the Clinton era through 9/11, to even recognize that we had a problem. Our President is fighting a war on two fronts. He can win the war against Saddam. But if he loses the war among these northeastern sector Senators of our country, the elite Kennedy (or Korah gang) strangle holders for humanistic atheism, we have lost by default because we failed to vote them out of office. Think of the polling booth as the earth opening up and swallowing up all these liberal Democrats into the pit, so God can send a real revival. Only you can make it happen if you vote!

STOP YOUR LYING! MEN ARE DYING!