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# **DOMINION RIGHTS "UNDER GOD"**

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"And God said, Let US (Heb.-Elohim, a uni-plural noun implying the trinity latent in the word) make man in OUR image, after OUR likeness: and let them (Adam and Eve) have dominion." Gen. 1:26

Adam and Eve were created in the image of God to be "co-rulers" of this earth "under God." In the mind of God, He created Eve with the necessary talents to qualify for "dominion rights." But, she hearkened unto the serpent, and lost those rights. "Unto the woman he said, I will greatly multiply thy sorrow and thy conception; in sorrow thou shalt bring forth children; and thy desire shall be to thy husband, and he shall rule over thee." Gen. 3:16.

Women are confused in this 20th century! They know they are just as capable of doing anything a man can do! God created them to rule as a 50-50 ruler with Adam. Women lost that "50-50" status when Eve hearkened unto the snake. Whenever one marries on a 50-50 basis, it is not long before it becomes 60-40, and finally 80-20 before the divorce. Guess who is reduced to the 20%? In another generation, preachers included in the nuptial vows, "to obey your husband." Lucifer, son of the morning, had implanted in his heart, through pride, to be a co-ruler with God. Lucifer, the most beautiful cherub, is a type of God's wife, prior to having iniquity found in him (Ezk. 28:15).

The Apostle Paul said, "But I would have you know, that the head of every man is Christ; and the head of the woman is the man; and the head of Christ is God." 1 Cor. 11:3. Paul is simply confirming what God decreed for woman in the Old Testament. "Neither was the man created for the woman; but the woman for the man." 1 Cor. 11:9 The Apostle is reiterating the reason for Eve's creation. "And the LORD God said, It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him an help meet (Heb.-aid, surround, and protect) for him." Gen. 2:18.

God never made woman from a bone out of Adam's head to question his ability to rule. Neither was Eve created from a bone from his foot that he should walk on her as a slave. God created Eve from a rib covering Adam's heart that she should "stand by her man."

This message is about "rulership under God." Do you want God to be the head of your home? As Christians, if we can't first learn the lesson of "dominion rights under God" in the home, how can we expect to have a message to the nations. God created the family before the church!

I believe God knew of the coming rebellion against His decree, "and thy desire shall be to thy

husband and he shall rule over thee." Gen. 3:16. This is a decree of Almighty God, not some idea concocted in the mind of Adam. The 20th century woman blames Adam. Bill Clinton blames Kenneth Starr for all his problems with Monica Lewinsky. King David could have blamed the prophet, Nathan. It wasn't Nathan that had an affair with Bathsheba! It wasn't Kenneth Starr who smoked Monica Lewinsky's cigars.

We are living in the day Isaiah prophesied man would call that which is good evil. "Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter! Woe unto them that are wise in their own eyes, and prudent in their own sight." Isa. 5:20-21. We are talking about "dominion rights under God." How can we hope to "rule under God," when we've absolutely destroyed the foundations of a "rule of law"? They're telling us through today's mass news media that "Bill Clinton was only guilty of lying about sex. So the President got laid. Big deal!" Prior to his election, the voters already knew about a 10-year affair with Gennifer Flowers. We voted him into office knowing this. We were told, "Morality is unimportant. It's the economy, stupid!" As long as the Dow is up, nothing else matters relative to "rule of law."

This coming election on November 3, will probably inform the right people whether or not we are ripe for dictatorship. November could well be the barometer of whether or not there'll ever be another election. How did we get to this place? Through a complete breakdown of the family as a unit. When the masses no longer care whether they have a "government under God and the constitution," it is then that our nation will cease being a Republic! It is something every generation must fight for. We have no Patrick Henry's crying, "Give me liberty or give me death." Rather, they cry out to be slaves of the state, and cry "We want a king to rule over us. We want to be like the other nations!" 1 Sam. 8:19.

When Benjamin Franklin finished signing the Constitution, the question was asked, "What are you giving us?" Benjamin Franklin answered, "A republic, if you can keep it!" We live in a country where only 50% of the people even bother to vote. One thing is certain however, all of the gays, women libbers, abortionists, and immigrants will vote for the Demon-crats! Who is left to vote for smaller government, less taxes, the death penalty, school vouchers, guns, and to put prayer back into the school? It is against the law to hang the Ten Commandments on the walls of a public school, perchance some student might read them and stop killing classmates! What a horrible thing to happen!

The mass news media is making a "saint for the gay society," out of Matthew Shepherd. It is mainly because of the November elections, to traumatize and emotionalize the masses to vote for the Demoncratic Party. Gays cannot reproduce their own kind like the heterosexual. They propagate by being predators upon the rest of us. The gay society seeks special protection laws. Then, these HIV positive gays can seek to walk your children home, hand in hand. You, as a parent, could be arrested as a hate-

monger simply by objecting. The teacher in the smaller classroom can deal directly with any family values you've instilled. The teacher is the one in the trenches, to deliver this nation over to humanism and the New Age. When will you, as a Christian, ever wake up?

From Hillary Rodham Clinton's "village children," to the 1,000 new teachers, the state wants to raise your children. Apparently, from grades 1-4, parents will not see their children but one day a week. Six days in a state school, to your one day to take them to church!

We are following in the footsteps of the Third Reich's Mein Kampf. Hitler worked with the youth, protecting them from the rest of society. "One generation can eradicate the past!" In the United States White House, we are seeing the first President of the "sexual revolution." He is a pathological liar, and a "kinky sex creep" of the 1960's. Ross Perot challenges him to produce a medical record, for he believes Clinton is on drugs.

Geoff Metcalf, 560 AM Kc talk show host on San Francisco radio KSFO, read an article over the radio that was published in the Washington Post. In this article, Bill Clinton is introduced to the southern "Dixie Mafia," by his uncle, who is a member. There are about fourteen dead bodies that are all tied to being witnesses to involvement with the Clinton's. No one is accusing Clinton of killing anyone, but key witnesses can no longer talk. Vincent Foster's body was moved to a park bench after being murdered. Ron Brown had a bullet through his head before the plane crashed.

The Demon-crats want to stop the investigation of Filegate, Travelgate, and Whitewater. These all deserve another look once the Clinton's are proved liars. Oh! I forgot Chinagate, which would prove treason!

I ask you, was it Ken Starr that had oral sex with Monica? Our mass news media is controlled by the CFR (Council on Foreign Relations). Dan Smoot, former FBI agent, wrote a book titled, <u>The Secret Government</u>. This book was an exposé of the CFR, founded by Col. E. Mandell House, the mystery man of the Woodrow Wilson Cabinet. Col. House saw the necessity of controlling the Supreme Court. To assure a packed court of liberals on the bench, all one had to do was make sure there was a liberal President, be they Republican or Democrat.

CFR's chief concern is, "What kind of appointee will the President make to the bench." Herbert Hoover, a liberal, was the first President Col. House's CFR elected President.

Please note, it has been the Supreme Court that ruled prayer and Bible reading out of our schools. It was the Earl Warren court that created humanism as the state religion under Roe vs. Wade. God no longer rules over a woman's body, but the woman (independent of God) has emerged as a god, or creator of life.

We are talking about "rule under God." A 20th century man marries a goddess (Roe vs. Wade) and must submit to her. She has reversed the curse, "And thy desire shall be to thy husband." Gen. 3:16. A man falls in love with a goddess to worship her! He is reduced to an animal status, his spiritual connection dies, and he is delivered over to the woman as his taskmaster.

The elders of the children of Israel gathered themselves before the prophet Samuel, and said, "Give us a king to judge us (like all the nations)." The thing displeased Samuel, but God said, "Hearken unto the voice of the people in all that they say unto thee: for they have not rejected thee, but they have rejected me, that I should not reign over them." 1 Sam. 8:6-7.

Conformity! Israel became weary in being different! Do you know why the world hates the Jew? His religion makes him different from all other people on earth! If I remember right, Sandy Koufax refused to pitch the first game of the 1965 World Series because it fell on Yom Kippur, the holiest day of the Jewish year. All their feast days are still observed by Jews today.

"And Moses went up unto God, and the LORD called to him out of the mountain (Sinai), saying, Thus shalt thou say to the house of Jacob, and tell the children of Israel; ye have seen what I did unto the Egyptians, and how I bare you on eagle's wings, and brought you unto myself. Now therefore, if ye will obey my voice indeed, and keep my covenant, THEN ye shall be a peculiar treasure unto me above all people: for all the earth (treasure) is mine: and ye shall be unto me a kingdom of priests, and an holy nation. These are the words which thou shalt speak unto the children of Israel." Ex. 19:3-6.

God said if Israel keeps "my covenant," THEN ye shall be peculiar! Do you want to be peculiar? If you're not peculiar, you are backslidden attempting to conform to the world. It is your religion that makes you different. Pentecostals used to be called "Holy Rollers"! My father was responsible for the police showing up at church due to all the noise stemming from his shouting for Jesus in the Holy Roller church. He loved to shout for Jesus!

Because we were unafraid of being labeled "peculiar," is why God moved so mightily! It is your religion that makes you "a peculiar treasure unto himself." Deu. 14:2. "And be not conformed to this world: but be ye transformed..." Rom. 12:2. Our theology wasn't all that correct back in 1941! Pentecostalism was outside the camp, as zealots too fanatical for the denominational world to accept.

Pentecostalism was considered a cult with the respected preachers like Dr. H.A. Ironsides of Moody's, denouncing "all manner of speaking in tongues is of the devil." Dr. Donald Barnhouse and Dr. J. Vernon Magee would agree implicitly. Oh, it hurt me to hear these great men blaspheme. But, some way, God was more real to every believer who dared to be peculiar, than with the respectability we've now achieved.

The prophet Samuel, along with his three sons, ruled Israel as judges. I believe the children of Israel grew weary of being peculiar, always having to cry unto the Lord to raise up a leader. This was very embarrassing to Israel. The Amalekites would ask a Jew, "Who is your judge?" "Well, it's this way; after Joshua led us into this land, he died. We have a very peculiar way of selecting a judge to rule over us. We are forever crying to the Lord for a replacement. God has to tell us who is going to go before us!"

Not only were the twelve tribes of Israel to observe a very strange manner in selecting a judge, or captain, it is self-evident in the reading of the book of Judges, a captain was needed for war. David, another captain chosen by God through the prophet Samuel, said, "Blessed be the LORD my strength which teacheth my hands to war, and my fingers to fight." Ps. 144:1. Without a captain, the children of Israel felt like grasshoppers in the sight of all the "ites," Jebusites, Amorites, Canaanites, and Hittites; the enemies of God.

In studying the book of Judges, you must keep in mind the children of Israel are in the land flowing with milk and honey. One moment they'd have a Judah, Samson, Samuel, and a Gideon go before them, and at other times no one. Hence, they blamed Samuel's sons as the reason for their strange request, "Make us a king to judge us like all the nations." 1 Sam. 8:5.

God spoke to Samuel, "Hearken unto the voice of the people in all that they say unto thee: for they have not rejected thee, but they have rejected me, that I should not reign over them." 1 Sam. 8:7. People can mentally acquiesce to elections, nominations, voting by ballot or by lots, and it is easily explainable to the "ites," that are their neighbors. But this crying unto a God, whom one cannot see, for a leader! It was a system of government that the Lord loved because He chose the man to be their judge.

The children of Israel, instead of crying to God for their judge or captain, came to Samuel the prophet of God, ordering him to, "Make us a king." "But the thing displeased Samuel, when they said, Give us a king to judge us. And Samuel prayed unto the LORD." 1 Sam. 8:6.

Even after Samuel described the manner of the king that shall reign over them, they still insisted they wanted a king like the surrounding nations. We want to be just like them!

This king to rule over you, "He will take your sons, and appoint them for himself, for his chariots, and to be his horsemen; and some shall run before his chariots...And he will take the tenth of your seed, and of your vineyards, and give to his officers, and to his servants...He will take the tenth of your sheep: and ye shall be his servants. And ye shall cry out in that day BECAUSE OF YOUR KING which ye shall have chosen you; and the LORD will not hear you in that day." 1 Sam. 8:11,15,17-18.

"BECAUSE OF YOUR KING which ye shall have chosen you," is the reason God will not hear you

when you cry unto Him. In other words, "Go to your king! You have rejected me that I might reign over you through the judge (or captain) I have chosen."

Jeremiah, the weeping prophet, says,

"Mine heart within me is broken because of the prophets; all my bones shake; I am like a drunken man, and like a man whom wine hath overcome, because of the LORD, and because of the words of his holiness.

For the land is full of adulterers; for because of swearing (taking oaths and vows) the land mourneth; the pleasant places of the wilderness are dried up, and their course is evil, and their force (Heb.-victory, power, mastery) is not right.

For both prophet and priest are profane (Heb.-corrupt in a moral sense); yea, in my house I have found their wickedness, saith the LORD.

Wherefore their ways shall be unto them as slippery ways in the darkness: they shall be driven on, and fall therein: for I will bring evil upon them, even the year of their visitation (reckoning), saith the LORD.

And I have seen folly in the prophets of Samaria; they prophesied in Baal, and caused my people Israel to err.

I have seen also in the prophets of Jerusalem an horrible thing: they commit adultery, and walk in lies: they strengthen also the hands of evildoers, that none doth return from his wickedness; they are all of them unto me as Sodom, and the inhabitants thereof as Gomorrah.

Therefore thus saith the LORD of hosts concerning the prophets; Behold, I will feed them with wormwood (Heb.-accursed or poisonous), and make them drink the water of gall (serpent's venom from your ruler): for from the prophets of Jerusalem is profaneness gone forth into all the land.

Thus saith the LORD of hosts, Hearken not unto the words of the prophets that prophesy unto you: they make you vain (in a sense of devoted to Aphrodite [Venus]; to exhibit [a vile passion] in this devotion-foam out): they speak a vision of their own heart, and not out of the mouth of the LORD.

They say still unto them that despise me, The LORD hath said, Ye shall have peace; and they say unto every one that walketh after the imagination of his own heart, No evil shall come upon you.

For who hath stood in the counsel of the LORD, and hath perceived and heard his word? who hath marked his word, and heard it?

Behold, a whirlwind of the LORD is gone forth in fury, even a grievous whirlwind (destruction): it shall fall grievously upon the head (the lords, kings, and little gods) of the wicked.

The anger of the LORD shall not return, until he have executed, and till he have performed the thoughts of his heart: <u>in the latter days YE SHALL CONSIDER IT PERFECTLY</u>.

I have not sent these prophets, yet they ran: I have not spoken to them, yet they prophesied.

But if they had stood in my counsel, and had caused my people to hear my works, then they should have turned them from their evil way, and from the evil of their doings." Jer. 23:9-22.

The reading of this 23rd chapter of Jeremiah, is to be considered PERFECTLY, for the people "upon whom the ends of the world are come." 1 Cor. 10:11. This is the entire purpose of why I send out the RIVERBANK NEWS every month; to provide the correct counsel from God's Word before the whirlwind of the Lord strikes THE HEAD of your king that you chose to stand in God's stead!

# **FLASHPOINT**

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Pope Paul VI: "The Smoke of Satan Has Entered the Very Sanctuary of St. Peter's Cathedral"

# The Pope, the Devil, and the Masonic Lodge

"And they worshipped the dragon which gave power unto the beast: and they worshipped the beast, saying, Who is like unto the beast? who is able to make war with him?" (Revelation 13:4)

Blatant Satan worship is now rampant within the Catholic Church. High-ranking churchmen are guilty of this heinous crime against God. According to one reliable source, the smoke of Satan has entered the very sanctuary of St. Peter's Cathedral in the Vatican. Mind-boggling though it may be, priest and bishops alike are known to have taken contract oaths to serve the devil, signed in their own blood!

These amazing facts about devil worship inside the Vatican and its subsidiaries have come not from hostile Protestant critics of Roman Catholicism, but from top-ranking Catholic prelates themselves. Evidently, this awful malignancy is so far advanced that Satanism has reached the papacy itself and has seriously affected the rank and file of nuns and priests in the U.S.A. and throughout the globe. Untold numbers of outright Satan worshippers are now masquerading as Catholic clergy while secretly paying homage to Lucifer.

#### "Lucifer is Enthroned"

Catholic scholar Dr. Malachi Martin, formerly a Jesuit professor at Georgetown University and a confidant of Vatican insiders, flatly declared in a recent New York City interview: "Yes, it's true. Lucifer is enthroned in the Catholic Church."

Martin was also interviewed by *The Fatima Crusader*, a well-known Catholic publication. He again repeated his allegations, and expressed his dismay and distress that the Catholic institution of which he is a part has grown so decadent and morally reprobate since the Vatican II conference of the 60s. The contention that there are Satanists in Rome is "completely correct" said Martin, adding: Anybody who is acquainted with the state of

affairs in the Vatican in the last 35 years is well aware that the prince of darkness has and still has his surrogates in the court of St. Peter in Rome.

## Blood Oaths and Blasphemous Rituals

Malachi Martin is a very traditional Catholic. Author of *Hostage to the Devil* and numerous other books, his acclaimed *Keys of This Blood*, published some five years ago, was a strong, apologetics volume supporting the papacy of the current Pope, John Paul II. But now, Martin has doubts. He cannot understand why this Pope allows such evil to exist and even prosper within the church.

It has gotten so bad, Dr. Martin contends, that in one shocking incident, high-ranking churchmen actually took oaths signed with their own blood and participated in "meticulously enacted rituals that blaspheme and devilishly mimic the holy sacrifice of the mass."

### Treachery Inside the Sanctuary

If Dr. Malachi Martin was the only authority sounding the alarm about devil worship in the Catholic Church, the whole affair would simply be dismissed as the outrageous accusations of a single cleric. But as far back as 1976, Pope Paul VI shocked a papal audience by confiding that, "The smoke of Satan has entered the very sanctuary of St. Peter's Cathedral." The Pontiff went on to explain that he had knowledge of a midnight hour, Black Satanic Mass having been conducted at the altar of St. Peter's, on the exact spot where the Pope himself regularly says mass.

#### Secret Involvement Exposed

Already reeling from Martin's accusations and stung by the memorable revelations of a previous pontiff, the Catholic hierarchy was further set back on its combined heels in Rome last November. With thousands in attendance at Rome's *Fatima 2000 International Congress on World Peace*, a respected Archbishop, Emmanuel Milingo, strode to the podium. The crowd gasped as they heard Milingo solemnly affirm that members of the Catholic Church hierarchy are secretly involved in the darkest kinds of formal Satan worship.

Archbishop Milingo, an exorcist, is author of a bestselling book exposing the occult, *Face to Face With the Devil*. In his speech, Milingo called Satan worship the "Third Dimension of Evil," and explained:

Now, the third dimension (of evil) is the most dangerous. It is subtle and the most terrible...I could not believe when I discovered this third dimension of evil. The third dimension is people who follow instructions in satanic sects...

Now with this third dimension, I'm sorry to say, our church belongs to it. I'm very sorry, I could not understand myself, and even now I don't understand. But the only consolation I have is that, well, Judas Iscariot was one. Together with Jesus three years, he never changed. Then I understand that the third dimension of evil existed not only now, but it existed even then. Because nothing could change the heart of Judas Iscariot-nothing.

#### Devil Protected by Catholic Authorities

Archbishop Milingo went on to make an accusation which sent hurricane force shockwaves throughout the Catholic community. According to Milingo, the devil is actually *protected* by the Catholic Church:

The devil in the Catholic Church is so protected now that he is like an animal protected by the government; put on a game preserve that outlaws anyone, especially hunters, from trying to capture or kill it. The devil within the Church today is actually protected by certain Church authorities from the official devil hunter in the

Church--the exorcist. So much so that the exorcist today is forbidden to attack the devil. The devil is so protected that the one who is the hunter, the exorcist, is forbidden to do his job.

In a subsequent interview, the courageous archbishop stated: "Certainly, there are priests and bishops alike who are followers of Satan." When asked whether cardinals or even the Pope himself were guilty of this repulsive heresy, Milingo responded that, because he is an archbishop, he does not feel it is proper for him to name or comment about superior officials. The archbishop's silence, or course, spoke volumes.

#### Catholicism and the Ravages of Freemasonry

Satan worship apparently has mushroomed in recent years as Catholic cardinals, bishops, and priests have joined the Masonic Lodge in record numbers. Until the papacy of today's Pope John Paul II, membership by Catholics in any kind of Masonic order was an excommunicable offense. Now, however, it is commonplace. Indeed, in 1980, New York's Terrance Cooke, one of America's most powerful Catholic cardinals, addressed a gathering of 3,000 Masons. Cardinal Cooke electrified the assemblage when he said that, as friends, Masons and Catholics should recognize each other.

Refraining from mentioning the name of Jesus--the name despised by many Masons and prohibited inside their lodges--Cardinal Cooke bowed to Masonry's worst heresy by remarking, "I know of your firm belief in the Supreme Being, the Great Architect of the Universe, and of the holy writings appropriate to the religion of your members, and I salute you for your loyalty to these ancient values."

Cardinal Cook's words were obviously well chosen and imbued with hidden meaning. In fact, the Masonic Lodge's "Supreme Architect of the Universe" is none other than *Lucifer*, who cloaks himself in Masonic literature with the names of such deities as Zoroaster, Shiva, Abaddon, and in other Masonic pagan-god disguises. As for the "holy writings" of Freemasonry, these have their origins in the Roman mystery religions, in 19th century occultism, and in Egyptianism/Babylonianism. Such are the "ancient values" of the satanic Masonic Lodge.

#### Satanism in Methodist, Episcopal, and Mormon Churches

In my special edition audiotape, *Satan Worship in the Vatican Exposed*, I explore further the overwhelming evidence of devil worship by the Catholic hierarchy. Authoritative quotes and documentation are given. I also tie the aging Pope John Paul II to this horror.

We must remember, however, that Satanism is not only practiced by Catholic clergy. This wickedness is found in some of today's Anglican churches. Two years ago, the Mormon Church hierarchy even went public, admitting that satanic rituals had been secretly conducted by some church elders.

Meanwhile, members of the Masonic Lodge, including pastors and denominational leaders, continue to dominate the Southern Baptist Convention.

Contrary to what some believe, the devil is not a "Catholic." Indeed, he is remarkably tolerant of *all* false religion, and he is known to be pleasingly nondenominational in his approach to religion. Satan is proud to be an ecumenical being. "Any faith but Jesus and His Word, the King James Bible," is the devil's handy motto.

#### The Power of Prophecy

These revelations of devil worship inside churches which claim to be "Christian" should not surprise us. The power of Bible prophecy is thereby made manifest. The books of *Daniel* and *Revelation* describe the Antichrist as a man who appears as a lamb but has horns. He ordains amongst his flock men and women who are unrepentant

murderers, liars, fornicators, pedophiles and adulterers. Daniel says that the devil's Antichrist shall speak "dark sentences" and shall worship a god his father's knew not.

Thus we understand why Satan worship is so fervently and irreverently practiced in the very seat of Rome, inside the profane temple the popes built--the temple known as St. Peter's Cathedral, which has the Egyptian sun god obelisk on display in its front courtyard.

Yes, 666 is rising fast. The Pope, his Vatican, and its hierarchy are preparing the way for the corrupt Beast. They, as well as their non-Catholic helpers are opening a creaking doorway to the Ultimate Evil. May God have mercy on their souls.

## THE TRAIL OF TWO SERPENTS





This revealing photo of Catholic Cardinal Myroslav Ivan Lubachivsky, of the Ukraine, appeared in the magazine *Inside the Vatican* (1997), in an article entitled, "The Princes of the Church." Observe the cardinal's unusual staff, with its vile phoenix serpents facing each other and its Maltese Cross at the apex. This same imagery--the dual phoenix serpent--is found on the wall behind the black stone altar inside the sanctuary of Freemasonry's House of the Temple in Washington, D.C.

In Pergamos, where *Revelation* says that "Satan's seat" was, the sun deity was worshipped in the form of "Aesculapius, the man-instructing serpent." His seed, the son (or Antichrist), was the devil's spitting image--an incarnation, as depicted in the illustration at right for Hislop's classic book, *The Two Babylons*.

According to Hislop, the mysterious symbol of the dual serpent was brought from Pergamos to Rome, where Satan began to be worshipped by the Pope and the catholic hierarchy. Satan worship can thus be traced from Babylon, to Pergamos, to Rome.