THE 2012 PROPHECY

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THE QUESTION:

Recently, I received the following two emails from two very concerned subscribers.

The first writer asked:

"Do you have any idea of what will happen in 2012, as two calendars are ending (the Mayan and the Egyptian) and a reversion of the magnetic field of the earth is speculated on? Will the world as we know it end in 2012? Do you have a theory as to why the Mayan calendar ends in the year 2012?"

The second writer observed:

"What makes 2012 significant is that it coincides with the alignment of the center of the Milky Way galaxy, our sun, earth, and the large planets. If it was not for this fact I would say that 2012 was just another Y2K hoax. But the astronomy makes it believable.

"It looks like this gravitational cosmic tsunami could cause the sun to scorch the earth. That means that the only immediate survivors would be people in the underground cities, caves, and submarines. However, even these people may not survive too long because such gravitational surges might bring on earthquakes and volcanic activity, flooding, and so on. These events might collapse underground cities and caves. Huge tidal floods might flood subways on the eastern seaboard.

"However, what if just a few did manage to survive? They would not be able to come out of their underground dwellings for some time, because the earth's protective magnetic shield may be gone.

"If the upper atmosphere and the earth's atmosphere was able to repair itself say in even a short period of time of one year, the survivors would face a barren world. All surface vegetation and animal life will have been destroyed. The surface of earth might perhaps look like a barren planet.

"The only possible source of food for those few survivors might be the ocean. Plant life and sea life might survive this event to some small degree. However, there is one problem...more than likely all the plankton will die. They live at the surface of the water and will be destroyed by the radiation.

"Plankton is the basic building block of life for many living organisms in the ocean. Plankton is the biggest generator of oxygen on the planet. With plankton gone and the forest gone, what is going to provide and create oxygen for the planet?

"It doesn't look good for the few that survive 2012. It may very well be the end of the world. Unless, a greater power comes to rescue us. But are we worth it? Man is a miserable creature that kills and destroys himself and other living things."

The Theory

Yes, there is a popular theory that the Maya based their Long Count calendar around long-term magnetic cycles of the Sun, and that the world faces a catastrophe in the year 2012. The cataclysm will be caused by a major magnetic reversal on the Sun, that reverses the earth's magnetic poles.

That the date of this historical endpoint is December 21, 2012, the end of the long count of the Mayan calendar.

(Although many interpretations of the "end" of the Mayan calendar exist, partly due to abbreviations made by the

Maya when referring to the date, the solstice date in 2012 is a common interpretation of the calendar among New Age writers.)

THE ANSWER:

Firstly, even without consulting calendars, many people sense that a coming "end" to this world as we know it is appearing more and more imminent.

Just combine the effects of climate change, resource depletion, and the increasing toxification of the environment, as well as proliferation of weapons of mass destruction. Species extinction is also passing a critical threshold, so that if we don't make an ecological u-turn in the next few years, it may be irreversible.

Secondly, it is pertinent to ask, is there a convergence of the Mayan and Egyptian calendars? We are being told that the Maya began their calendar in 3114 BC - and civilization started in Egypt in 3114 BC when Menes united Upper and Lower Egypt into one divine kingdom. Also that both calendars end in 2012.

On the surface a claim such as this appears too impressive to ignore.

THE EGYPTIAN TIMELINE

Let's first consider briefly the Egyptian "connection".

It may come as a surprise to discover that the scientific structure of Egyptian history now turns out to be built on the framework of a mistaken chronology.

The present chronology of Egypt is largely the product of Eduard Meyer of the Berlin School of Egyptology. (E. Meyer, Aegyptische Chronologie, Philosophische und historische Abhandlungen der Koeniglich preussischen Akad. Der Wiss. Berlin, 1904)

Meyer realised that the lists of pharaohs provided by the ancient chronologer Manetho were greatly exaggerated. It certainly did not correlate with the more precise information of the monuments.

However, the most reliable archaeoastronomers today (for example, B. Schaeffer, "Predicting Heliacal risings and Settings", *Sky and Telescope*, September, 1985, pp. 53-55; R. Purrington, "Heliacal Rising and Setting: Quantitative Aspects", *Archaeoastronomy* No 12, JHA, xix, 1988, S72-75) have abandoned this theory, and the Egyptologists have abandoned Meyer's date of 4240 BC in favour of another date, 3100 BC.

But even this is no longer satisfactory. The truth is, careful researchers are discovering that there is a need to shorten the Egyptian chronology even further. Egyptian chronology is consequently now in a most chaotic state. The 3114 BC date for Menes is pure speculation, with the weight of evidence against it. (See Jonathan Gray, *UFO Aliens: The Deadly Secret*, pp. 328-339)

Scholars who insist on sticking to a 3000 BC figure for Egypt are forced now into trying all sorts of clumsy techniques to make their data fit.

Manipulating the Egyptian calendar to prove a pet theory is not good scholarship. But for inconsistencies, guesswork and manipulations, it merits a Pulitzer Prize. The Egyptian calendar does *not* end in 2012.

MAYA – A HIGH CULTURE

The Maya civilization, which extended through areas of Central America, is well known for its advanced mathematics, engineering and astronomy.

Many Mayan pyramids, temples and other ancient constructions can still be found in Yucatán and Guatemala. There are also many stone carvings and tablets bearing inscriptions.

The Maya developed different calendars. Their solar calendar comprised 52-year increments composed into circles. The "circle of The Destroyer" was calculated as 104 cycles of 52-years, that is, 5408 years.

Concerning these Mayan cycles, there are two things that need to be said.

Firstly, with regard to astronomical calculations, the Maya calendar was more accurate than ours.

Secondly, 'the circle of the Destroyer' concept was initially theorised around 2000 BC in the Babel region of Mesopotamia, the center from which the Maya and others later migrated.

With their astronomical calendar, the Maya refined this idea to fit into their calendar. But, unlike their calendar, which was based on FACT and observation, 'the circle of the Destroyer' theory was based *not* upon observation nor from any past evidence. It was a postulated cosmic theory, based not on evidence but on philosophical speculation.

CALENDAR CYCLE ENDS IN 2012

Did the Maya predict the end of the world in 2012?

That's as far as the Mayan civilization projected their calendar to. So now many folk think the Maya had some sort of inside track and predicted the end of the world. In reality, they just stopped projecting their calendar because they got as far as they could. That particular date is the end of the Mayan calendar. But then it simply starts over again – just as our calendar does every January 1.

According to the Mayan Long Count calendar, our solar system is nearing the end of the 5,125 year "Great Cycle", extending from 3114 BC to 2012 AD.

There is no evidence that the Maya started recording time in 3114 BC. That is the date when their calendar is supposed to have begun, but the first confirmed calendric inscriptions do not appear much before 500 BC. It is believed that from a conjunction of the sun, the ecliptic and the Milky Way calculated to occur in 2012, they then extrapolated back to 3114 BC as the starting point of a calendric cycle.

Although many interpretations of the "end date" of the Mayan 13-stage Long Count calendar exist (partly due to abbreviations made by the Maya when referring to the date), some researchers use the Northern Hemisphere winter solstice date in 2012. This is a common interpretation of the calendar among New Age writers.

This solstice date is December 21, 2012. Then the Long Count calendar resets at year zero.

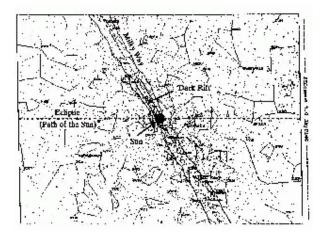
You may wonder, why would the Maya choose that date for the

ending of their Long Count calendar? What is so special about December 21, in 2012?

Put simply, at that time there is a galactic eclipse in which the sun appears to be in the center of the Milky Way. And the entire Milky Way is spread out over the sky with every part of it visible.

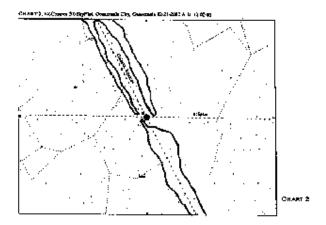
To understand what is so special (astronomically) about December 21, in 2012, five things should be noted:

- 1. Our solar system is part of the Milky Way galaxy. The Milky Way band cuts across our star charts. The exact center of this Milky Way band is known as the "Galactic Equator" (not to be confused with the Galactic Center).
- 2. If the stars could be seen in daytime, the sun, moon and planets in the course of one year would appear to move through a belt of constellations about 16 degrees wide, encircling the earth. This apparent path of the sun is called the *ecliptic*.
- 3. In the chart below, both the Milky Way (crossing at an angle from top to bottom) and the ecliptic (the dotted line crossing from right to left) are seen. Descending within the Milky Way is another dotted line. This is the Galactic Equator.
- 4. The precise point where the ecliptic crosses the Galactic Equator was known to the ancient Maya as "Crossroads".



5. This chart is a full view of the sky at noon on December 21, 2012. The sun traces a roughly horizontal path through the chart (the ecliptic). At noon on December 21, 2012, the sun, quite strikingly, is dead center, sitting on the "Crossroads".

This is the time when there will occur an extremely close conjunction of the winter solstice sun with the crossing point of Galactic Equator (equator of the Milky Way) and the ecliptic (apparent path of the sun).



Understand this, that the winter solstice sun rarely conjuncts the Crossroads. In fact, this is an event that has been approaching very slowly over thousands and thousands of years.

THE SPECULATION

For Mayan skywatchers, this long, slow approach of the winter solstice sun to the Crossroads could well have been seen as a critical process, the culmination of which was surely worthy of being called the end of a World Age.

Maya calendars reflected the Maya assumption that important events transpire at *the end* of a time cycle. One might use the analogy of the human gestation period, in which birth occurs at the end of that time period.

Similarly, it appears, the Maya incorporated 'end-naming' into their calendars. They named time-periods by their last day rather than their first day.

Thus the Maya fixed the Long Count calendar in real time by something they believed would happen on the end-date rather than the beginning date. This was an astronomical alignment. And so compelling and rare was the alignment that the ancient Maya astronomers believed it to signal the commencement of the next World Age.

BEGINNING OF THE CYCLE

You may ask, what about 3114 BC, the beginning of the Long Count?

On that occasion, the sun did align with the Crossroads, but not on the winter solstice (actually on Oct 10th, which is 72 degrees, or 1/5th of the ecliptic from the winter solstice).

It may be argued out that to predict an end-of-cycle destruction in 2012 is erroneous, since the previous cycle ending in 3114 BC did not bring world-wide destruction. Humans existed in 3000 BC.

However, defenders of the cyclic destruction theory will respond that the 5,125 year cycle is only part of a greater cycle. The full ecliptic is about five times longer. Known as the Great Year, Platonic year, or Equinoctial cycle, it corresponds to a complete revolution of the equinoxes around the ecliptic. Its length is about 25,625 years. Thus it may be postulated that a world-wide destruction occurred in the year 23,612 BC.

However, this remains no more than a philosophical speculation. It lacks evidence.

THE ASTRONOMICAL REALITY

Our solar system is located within a huge disc-shaped collection of stars and planets called the Milky Way. We're actually located close to the edge, slightly on top of the narrow disc. But very soon we'll be moving to the bottom of the disc. It is claimed that this change, from top to bottom, begins on December 21, 2012.

By coincidence, that is the same day that our Sun is at its solar maximum. And at that time the ecliptic of our solar system will intersect with the Galactic plane, called the "Galactic Equator" of the Milky Way!

Try to imagine the Milky Way as a pizza as large as a city – and our solar system as a bunch of peas on a plate, with a huge meatball in the center.

Up till now, we have been drifting on the top of the pizza, never really able to see the bottom. The plate and pizza are not parallel. They are moving at different angles. We've been drifting down, down, down... and on December 21, 2012, we will be exactly level with the crust -- forming an "x" at the Galactic Equator where galactic gravity is the strongest. After 2012, we will be passing through the bottom zone, viewing the Milky Way pizza from the South.

Such an alignment is very rare, occurring only once in the Earth's precession cycle of 25.920 years.

Although the exact date is hard to determine, somewhere around the ending of the Maya calendar, the Earth, the Winter Solstice Sun and the galactic equator will align. As the alignment occurs the Sun will enter the Dark Rift of the Milky Way near the center of our galaxy.

The date, December 21, 2012, represents the maximum possible influences for solar flares that the universe can provide.

Although December 21, 2012 is only the "solar maximum", yet the gravitational effects of the Galaxy have already started to assert their influence on the Sun. The drift towards alignment with the galactic equator is relatively slow and, in truth, has already started.

In actual fact, the precise date of this alignment is very hard to calculate. There are astronomers who believe that this alignment occurred in 1998. However, because the Sun is half a degree wide, it takes at least 36 years for the Sun to completely cross over the galactic equator. The Sun entered the galactic equator during the Winter Solstice of 1980 and will have completely cleared the galactic equator on the Winter Solstice of 2016. The bunch of years between 1980 and 2016 is called the Galactic Alignment zone or era-2012.

Some believe that the precise culmination of this, plus the alignment of Jupiter and Saturn all make December 21, 2012 an ominous date.

THE THEORIES ABOUT 2012

Well, what is to occur in 2012?

Simply this. On the winter solstice in 2012, the sun will be in the same alignment with the center of the Milky Way as it would have been 25,625 years ago. That is a fact.

From this, some folk theorise that whatever energy typically streams to earth from the center of the Milky Way will be disrupted on December 21, 2012, at 11:11 p.m. Universal Time.

Another theory is that the Maya based their Long Count calendar around long-term magnetic cycles of the sun. The theorists believe that in the year 2012 there will be a major magnetic reversal on the sun which will cause a reversal of the earth's magnetic poles. This will bring catastrophe to the earth in 2012.

There is still another theory that variations in strength of the geomagnetic field of the Earth seem to correspond with the Mayan calendar. The Earth's protective magnetic field has been decreasing in strength. The magnetic field is so weak that the natural wobbles of the north-south magnetic axis of the Earth have become rather instable in recent decades. Some believe that these effects are pre-cursors of a coming new pole shift. It is speculated that the start and end date of the Mayan calendar correspond to minimums in the geomagnetic field strengths.

However, there is much disagreement about what may happen on December 21, 2012, when the Maya's Long Count calendar marks the end of a 5,125-year era.

Forecasts range from widespread catastrophe, to a restoration of a "true balance between Divine Feminine and Masculine" to a "change in the nature of consciousness". The catastrophe idea probably draws the most attention. It is held that in the year 2012, a super catastrophe will strike, as the earth's magnetic field will suddenly turns over. The resulting phenomenal earthquakes and tidal waves will completely destroy civilization. Europe and North America will be jerked thousands of miles northwards to receive a polar climate. Nearly the whole earth's population will perish.

These predictions, we are told, stem from the Mayans and Egyptians. They are descendants of the legendary Atlantis, which is buried under the South Pole. The Atlanteans had a highly evolved astronomical knowledge and were able to exactly predict the previous catastrophe in 9792 BC.

Yes, it is claimed, there was a catastrophe in 9792 BC, which will be repeated in 2012 - that, in the configuration of the sky as seen from earth, Atlanteans encoded the pattern of Venus looping over Orion as a warning of a repeat catastrophe in 2012.

To summarise

The reason the Mayan calendar ends in 2012 is quite simple. That is the year our winter solstice sun crosses between us and an imaginary line running through the exact center of the Milky Way galaxy, of which we are a part.

The sun will appear to cross over that "equator" of the Milky Way, as it is called.

The Mayans simply found this crossover to be a convenient spot in the heavens from which to calculate their calendar. Nothing more.

Did the Maya predict world catastrophe in the year 2012? The truth is, we have no definite evidence that they thought the world would come to an end at that point.

It is doubtful that the ancient Maya extrapolated great meaning from anticipating the alignment - if they were even aware of what the configuration would be.

The 2012 phenomenon comes from media and from individuals making use of the Mayan past to fulfill agendas that are really their own.

To render December 21, 2012, as a day of doom or a moment of cosmic shifting is a complete fabrication. But it is a chance for a lot of people to cash in.

DO DESTRUCTION CYCLES EXIST?

Is there evidence of any CYCLE of cataclysmic events? If so, what would/will the next event be?

It is true that there are astronomical cycles which move with predictable regularity – the moon around the earth, the earth in its daily rotation, the earth and planets around the sun, the solar system around the Milky Way galaxy, and so on. The universe runs like a great clock, perfectly designed by a Master Clockmaker. We have measurable evidence of this.

However, the notion of automatic cyclic destructions is something else. This is purely a philosophical theory – with no supportive evidence.

To the contrary, the *evidence* points rather to an Intelligence outside of and above nature itself, that constantly intervenes to override the forces of nature. This Intelligence – our Creator – interacts with mankind for good.

Mindless cycles do *not* run inexorably, relentlessly, without reference to the Creator and His regard for His creatures.

The Creator is not a remote, disinterested Being, incapable of being persuaded by entreaty. He has an ongoing plan for the supreme object on earth of His love, mankind. That plan is currently being worked out, step by step. And, as far as earth is concerned, that revealed plan overrides everything else.

This established fact, for which there is plentiful evidence, *invalidates* the theory of automatic *cyclic destructions*.

So how did the theory of "destruction cycles" originate? It is an interesting story.

HOW THE CYCLES THEORY BEGAN

The origin of this theory can be traced back to southern Turkey around 2000 BC. In a nutshell, the people of Shinar constructed the CYCLES theory on their knowledge of two actual past events that were similar.

They were aware of an initial creation of the earth, and the destruction of that world by the Great Flood, which resulted in the "creation" so to speak, of a second new world from its ruins. And there were a number of similarities between the two.

So from this they began to reason step by step, until they had developed the theory of an unlimited succession of new worlds and their destructions. (See chapters 10 and 14 of this present work.)

Quite separately from those speculations, these Shinar people inherited, along with all early civilizations, a scientific and technological culture, which included a knowledge of astronomy.

CONFUSED BLENDING OF FACT AND THEORY

As they later migrated into Asia, the Americas and elsewhere, they blended their scientific prowess with their philosophies - to juggle and refine their theories. One such theory that emerged was the idea of cyclical destructions and rebirths.

I am frequently asked what is going to happen in the year 2012 – which is calculated to be the end of a Mayan time cycle.

Here, then, are the facts. The Maya in particular excelled in mathematics and astronomy. But alongside this, they began to construct an *imagined* cosmic history based upon this idea of cycles.

We should be very careful to recognise the difference between FACT and THEORY – between true science (such as observed astronomy) and speculative theory (such as cyclical philosophy). You can safely build your faith on truth, but not on guesswork. History shows only too well that theories are no more than a bundle of changing guesses.

When we can specifically trace the invention of a theory, and then how and why that theory underwent changes until its present state, we are in a strong position to assess its validity. And this much is certain: the cycle theory originated with speculation based on two – and only two – past events. And today it remains just that – speculation.

ONLY ONE PAST GLOBAL DESTRUCTION

The truth is, there have been many regional destructions, but only one wholesale destruction of the surface of the planet. That event was the Great Flood.

Concerning this, there is an authority that we can cite with confidence.

Archaeological research has confirmed the absolute reliability of one set of ancient documents above all others. Today you can be confidently certain that after running a gauntlet of critics during the past 150 years, the Bible has come through markedly well as to the reliability of its contents.

Firstly, the science of archaeology has proven the biblical books to be trustworthy history.

Secondly, the hundreds of prophecies within the Bible have proven amazingly accurate even centuries into the future.

And the Bible is emphatic that the Great Flood disaster was a unique (not cyclical) event.

And these certainties raise the question, Is history following a PLAN? Is there a direction, a purpose, even a theme to history, that is not perceived by today's scientific materialism?

HISTORY BEING GUIDED

The evidence suggests that the events of history are *not mercilessly set into cycles* by some capricious power. The year 2012 is not a year of destruction decreed by fate.

Neither relentless cycles nor blind coincidence control our existence.

Rather, there are PATTERNS in the events of human life and history that mock the idea of mere coincidence. Some events almost shriek out that a Superior Intelligence is behind it all.

To a careful observer, the events of history can be recognised as LINKED together, unfolding one by one, in a complex but inevitable sequence, as though pre-planned.

One may sense a power at work which is not of this world.

If this world is carried along of its own accord, without a ruler, like a ship without a pilot, we should not see all things come to pass according to pre-written prophecies. Researchers have noticed that, as history progresses, various biblical prophecies have been fulfilling – according to a pre-written, timed schedule. Some of them are so specific, they detail names and dates.

In these prophecies, the major events of history, stage by stage, are touched upon... leading up to a final, sudden interruption to human control of this planet.

Then, as you look at history, you do see events, step by step, move by move, obediently fulfil those prophecies - often in uncanny detail. There is the hint of intention.

Yes, I know. We have pushed Him out of history. It makes some of us uncomfortable to mention Him. But could it be that this same Creator is not merely a factor, but THE supreme, controlling factor?

If so, then one has another very good reason for rejecting the cycle theory of history.

The universe is NOT fated for destruction to strike in cycles, mechanically, mindlessly.

On the contrary, when key events on this rebellious planet do occur, they are scheduled with purpose.

Since at this moment we are speaking of destructions, it should be noted that there is predicted one major, and final global destruction by fire.

According to biblical prophecies, this will be followed by a renewed earth... a world in which eternal youth, loving concern and security are the norm; and where transformed individuals – not willing to repeat the mistakes of the past - are able to live in harmony.

PROPHECIES ON TARGET

Are we close to AN END?

Let's mention again that book which contains over 1,000 prophecies... the Intelligence Report, otherwise known as the Bible. Not one of its prophecies has failed.

It agrees that we are approaching an end ...and gives evidence you can stake your life on.

It explains HOW TO SURVIVE what is coming.

It supplies EVIDENCE of an Intelligence, outside of and above nature, that has planned to intervene. It offers EVIDENCE that there a direction, a purpose, even a theme to history, This amazing book informs us as to what we can expect as history approaches its end...

Here are a few examples of the clues it gives us...

RAPID INCREASE OF KNOWLEDGE AND TRAVEL:

"The time of the end: many shall run to and fro and knowledge shall be increased." (Daniel 12:4)

MODERN STREET TRAFFIC:

"The chariots [vehicles] shall rage in the streets, they shall justle one against another in the broad ways: ...they shall seem like torches, ...they shall run like the lightnings." (Nahum 2:4)

NUCLEAR:

"And I will show wonders In the heavens and in the earth, blood, and fire, and pillars of smoke." (Joel 2:30)

TSUNAMIS INCREASE:

"There shall be... the sea and the waves roaring." (Luke 21:25)

EARTHQUAKE INCREASE:

"There shall be... earthquakes in divers places." (Matthew 24:7)

Years	total	Annual	total	annual	total	annua
1963-1967	16	3.2	39	7.8	89	17.8
1968-1972	15	3.0	54	10.8	98	19.6
1973-1977	31	6.2	56	11.2	95	19
1978-1982	55	11.0	99	19.8	138	27.6
1983-1987	58	11.6	116	23.2	153	30.6
1988-1992	66	13.2	139	27.8	205	41.0
	241	8.0	503	16.8	778	25.5

Increase of "significant catastrophes" (flooding, hurricanes, drought, frost, storms, earthquakes, landslides, epidemics and starvation)

Russian academician Kondratyev:

"We are moving in the direction of climatic chaos."

WARS INCREASE:

"Wars and rumours of wars" (Matthew 24) There have been only two WORLD WARS in history. Both occurred in the past century. In the 20th century hundreds of wars were fought.

FAMINES:

"There shall be ...famines." (Matthew 24)

PLAGUES AND EPIDEMICS:

"...and pestilences." (Matthew 24)

On March 26, 2008, fears were expressed over what was described as a "catastrophic' US Biosphere Collapse.

Scientists from the Russian Academy of Agricultural Sciences (RAAS) reported in the Kremlin concerning the 'imminent and catastrophic' collapse of the United States agriculture sector due to the rampant, and unforeseen, consequences relating to rapidly

mutating genetically modified strains of crops inundating their biosphere.

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These reports detailed that the first casualties of mass biosphere genetic poisoning will always occur first in plant pollinators, and which has been confirmed as occurring in the United States, and as we can read as reported by the BBC News Service:

"A mystery illness that has scientists baffled is wiping out tens of thousands of bats across the north-east of the US."

During 2007, scientists have seen up to a third of the Honey Bee Population "disappear." Entire hives are being wiped out worldwide and without Honey Bees, there is no way to pollinate many plants to generate food.

"The pollination of crops by bees is responsible for a third of the food produced in the US. One in every three mouthfuls has been touched by their tiny feet; but our six-legged friends are in trouble.

They are getting sick and leaving their hives. Without bees, food gets more expensive - some products could disappear altogether. Colony collapse disorder (CCD) emerged last year, and by spring 2007 bees were dying in huge numbers - over the year as a whole the total bee population fell by 30%.

Some beekeepers lost closer to 90%, and the fear is it will get worse. In 2008, Beekeeper Gilly Sherman announced: "It's worse than last year, and last year was worse than the year before, so it's bad, and there are a lot of good big beekeepers that are having a lot of problems.

"I think we're coming in for a big train wreck."

Years ago, world famous scientist Albert Einstein theorized that "without the bee, humanity would only be able to survive for four years."

A researcher at Emory University in Georgia reports: "IF beehive colony collapse continues AT THE PAST YEAR'S RATE, 5.5 BILLION people could starve to death within 5 years." (Hal Turner News Show, New York, Sept. 9, 2007)

Not only bees, but also many types of song birds are in various regions inexplicably dying out.

Even more disturbing, these reports continue, is that this genetic poisoning appears to have now hit mammal populations in the US, with their State of Minnesota, one of America's leading agriculture States, and the third largest planters of genetically modified crops in America, now reporting that the moose population in their northeastern regions are dying in record numbers and nearing extinction, and which is the area of that State most concentrated with these mutant crops.

How critical this situation in the United States has become is stated in a report by US Center for Food Safety, and which says, "It has been estimated that 70-75 percent of processed foods on supermarket shelves - from soda to soup, crackers to condiments--contain genetically engineered ingredients."

One could reasonably expect that a nation facing such a catastrophe as the United States with the destruction of its biosphere would begin to rapidly eliminate such a disaster from devastating their own citizens, except to note that these Western Nations are becoming so vile that this very week, in the United Nations, they actually declared 'victory' when a resolution declaring water as a 'human right' was defeated.

With food riots breaking out in Egypt, Pakistan, Cameroon, and other countries, with the United Nations World Food Programme reporting it has no more funds to feed 73 million people, the events occurring in the United States do, indeed, speak towards the almost complete destruction of this once great Nation and its people.

And in the oceans, there are now nearly 150 dead zones on earth, covering thousands of square miles.

According to reports in *Science* and *Nature*, 1/3 of ocean fisheries are in collapse, 2/3 will be in collapse by 2025, and our ocean fisheries may be virtually gone by 2048. "Aquatic food systems are collapsing, and terrestrial food systems are under tremendous stress." (*National Farmers Union, Canada, May 11, 2007*)

MAN WILL ACQUIRE THE ABILITY TO DESTROY THE EARTH

(Revelation 11:18)

Man-made pollution is making many localities unfit for life. Man-made salinity is producing environmental deserts. Man-made depleted uranium warfare is rendering areas uninhabitable.

At present rates of destruction, within 2 centuries there will not be one single hectare of productive land left in the world. (Source: UN Environmental Program)

And now comes Depleted Uranium.

What is Depleted Uranium?

Depleted uranium is radioactive waste from the nuclear weapons and nuclear power programs. If you didn't know, it is being inserted into all American weapons now used in Iraq.

Effect on babies

As a result, the Iraq war is, more than any war in history, having the most devastating effect on unborn children. Iraq is seeing babies with terribly foreshortened limbs, with their intestines outside their bodies, with huge bulging tumors where their eyes should be, or with a single eye-like Cyclops, or without eyes, or without limbs, and even without heads.

Doctors in southern Iraq are making comparisons to the birth defects that followed A-bomb test sites in the Pacific and the atomic bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki in WWII. They have numerous photos of infants born without brains, with their internal organs outside their bodies, without sexual organs, without spines, and the list of deformities goes on an on. Such rare birth defects are now commonplace in Iraq.

In hospitals across Iraq, the mothers are no longer asking, "Doctor, is it a boy or girl?" but rather, "Doctor, is it normal?" The photos are horrendous. They can be viewed on the website http://www.xs4all.nl/~stgvisie/VISIE/extremedeformities.html

An email from a marine corps veteran, dated May 1, 2003, says: "I saw some of the most horrible things, that still haunt my dreams to this day from DU. I literally saw children born with there butts where there head would be. With tails, and multiple arms and legs."

There's also a massive upswing in miscarriages and stillborns. They're just these pulpy masses with no form.

Effect on the population

Depleted uranium is a death sentence upon those already alive. Inhaling the dust will not kill large numbers of civilians right away. Rather, what we will see is vast numbers of people who are chronically and severely ill, having their life spans drastically shortened, many with multiple cancers.

Cancers of many types have become increasingly widespread. The primary cause of all these types of cancer is exposure to radiation.

Estimates by British analysts give a figure of potentially 3 million extra deaths from inhaling DU dust in Iraq alone, not including Afghanistan.

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Seventy-five percent of the unusual pathological conditions now occurring, of which Iraq has no experience prior to the war, involve children, who are suffering increasingly from leukemia and congenital and genetic deformities.

No future

By firing radioactive ammunition, the U.S., U.K., and Israel appear to have triggered a nuclear holocaust in the Middle East that, over time, will prove deadlier than the U.S. atomic bombing of Japan. Japanese investigators state that radioactive ammunition fired in Middle East may claim more lives than Hiroshima and Nagasaki

"Everyone seems to be dying of cancer," reports Nuha Al Radi, author of *Baghdad Diaries*. "Every day one hears about another acquaintance or friend of a friend dying. How many more die in hospitals that one does not know? Apparently, over thirty percent of Iraqis have cancer, and there are lots of kids with leukemia.

"The depleted uranium left by the U.S. bombing campaign has turned Iraq into a cancer-infested country."

Dr. Yuko Fujita, an assistant professor at Keio University, Japan who examined the effects of radioactivity in Iraq from May to June, 2003, said: "As a result of the Iraq war, the situation will be desperate in some five to 10 years."

Adds Arthur Bernklau, of Veterans For Constitutional Law, "The long- term effect of DU is a virtual death sentence. Iraq is a toxic wasteland. Anyone who is there stands a good chance of coming down with cancer and leukemia. In Iraq, the birth rate of mutations is totally out of control."

So much ammunition containing depleted uranium (DU) has been fired, asserts nuclear authority Leuren Moret, that "The

genetic future of the Iraqi people for the most part, is destroyed." Moret is an independent U.S. scientist formerly employed for five years at the Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory and also at the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, both of California.

Yugoslavia, Afghanistan

It turns out that Depleted Uranium has been used in wars over the past 20 years.

As a result of DU bombardments, severe birth defects have been reported in babies born to contaminated civilians in Yugoslavia, and Afghanistan as well. In fact, since the 1999 Clinton war against Yugoslavia, citizens of the Balkans are suffering almost identical illnesses, a condition they call the "Balkans Syndrome", and the incidence and severity of defects is increasing over time.

Allied soldiers also infected

But, the inhabitants of recent war zones are not the only ones who suffered; American soldiers were exposed, and the majority of them are slowly dying. America nuked her own soldiers in Gulf War I!

Soldiers being sent to Afghanistan and Iraq are given a death sentence as soon as they arrive.

"U.S and British troops deployed to the area are the walking dead. Humans and animals, friends and foes in the fallout zone are destined to a long downhill spiral of chronic illness and disability," reports nuclear investigator Worthington. "Kidney dysfunction, lung damage, bloody stools, extreme fatigue, joint pain, unsteady gait, memory loss and rashes and, ultimately, cancer and premature death await those exposed to DU."

This is an astonishing toll from such a short conflict in which

only 467 US personnel were wounded in the three-week Persian Gulf War in 1990–1991, and fewer than 400 U.S. soldiers were killed on the battlefield. Yet out of the soldiers who served in Gulf War I, 73,846 are dead, and by 2007 there were 1,620,906 on permanent medical disability. (U.S. Dept. of Veterans Affairs report www.opednews.com/articles/genera_clive_bo_070921 _department_of_vetera.htm)

After WW II the medical disability rate in U.S. soldiers was 5%.

After Vietnam (Agent Orange) the medical disability rate in U.S. soldiers was 10%.

From Gulf War I, fully 75% of America's fighting men who were on the ground are now dead, dying, or sick from Depleted Uranium.

Thus, the Pentagon has killed far, far more American soldiers than the Iraqi enemy could ever have hoped to kill! The great majority of U.S. soldiers who took part in the invasion of Iraq are expected to die of uranium poisoning, which can take decades to kill.

Wives

But, the problem gets far worse, because a number of wives of Gulf War I vets have become similarly ill.

The dreams of many a young couple to have children and raise a family will be absolutely, totally ruined by exposure to DU contaminant on the battlefield. Young wives have reason to fear have physical relations with their beloved soldier husband.

They come home and have deformed babies and the wives of the soldiers end up with destroyed female organs from just having sex with them.

Children

Like symptoms have been reported among infants born to U.S. service personnel that fought in the Gulf Wars.

One survey of 251 returned Gulf War veterans from Mississippi made by the Veterans Administration found 67% of children born to them suffered from "severe illnesses and deformities."

Some were born without brains or vital organs or with no arms, hands, or arms, or with hands attached to their shoulders.

In a group of eight U.S. led Coalition servicemen whose babies were born without eyes, seven are known to have been directly exposed to DU dust.

British and Australian Troops are also coming home sick from Depleted Uranium.

Middle East becoming uninhabitable

Because of the extremely long half-life of uranium 238, one of the radioactive elements in the shells fired, the food, the air, and the water in the cradle of civilization have been forever contaminated.

The long-term contamination is permanent, since uranium-238 has a half-life of 4.5 billion years, making contaminated areas uninhabitable forever. For populations that must continue to live in contaminated areas, the long-term effects are lingering illnesses and mutilation of their DNA.

Moret adds, "the (Iraq) environment now is completely radioactive."

The two Gulf wars "have been nuclear wars because they have scattered nuclear material across the land, and people—

particularly children— are condemned to die of malignancy and congenital disease essentially for eternity."

Effects becoming worldwide

War zones: In the bomb that fell on Hiroshima 64 kg of uranium were used. The nuclear waste uranium exploded into Iraq alone is more than 2,038,400 kg – equal to more than 31,000 Hiroshimas. It will continue killing forever and can wipe out more than a third of life on earth.

Radiation expert Dr. Helen Caldicott confirms that the dust-laden winds of DU-contaminated war zones "will remain effectively radioactive for the rest of time." (*San Francisco Chronicle*, October 10, 2002)

Asia: Heavy grid and carpet bombing with depleted uranium by the U.S. military on the eastern side of Afghanistan beginning in 2001 guaranteed heavy contamination in areas where deep snows in the mountainous regions provide water for Pakistan and parts of western India. By contaminating vital water supplies in vast regions with radioactive contaminants, a secret and invisible low level nuclear war is being carried out against Asia. Radioactive wars with low level radiation will mutilate the DNA of all exposed living things.

Nuclear contamination is spreading around the world, with heaviest concentrations in regions within a 1,000-mile radius of Baghdad and Afghanistan.

These are, notably, northern India, southern Russia, Turkey, Egypt, Saudi Arabia, Tibet, Pakistan, Kuwait, the Gulf emirates, and Jordan.

"Downwind from the radioactive devastation in Iraq, Israel is also suffering from large increases in breast cancer, leukemia and childhood diabetes," Moret asserts. **Britain:** Whenever a strong wind comes up, and especially when one of those monster dust storms strike, that radioactive dust goes airborne - even though it is heavier than normal dust - and can be carried for hundreds of miles.

Following the initial U.S. bombardment of Iraq in 2003, DU particles travelled 2,400 miles to Great Britain in about a week, where atmospheric radiation quadrupled.

Hawaii: The Hawaiian Islands are contaminated by radiation from target practice with radioactive uranium shells, the US Army confirmed on August 20th, 2007 in a "Media Release."

Other regions: What parts of the world have been poisoned by the DU? Are there more regions at risk of contamination?

Not only are the Middle East and Central Asia contaminated forever with radioactive depleted uranium, which has a half-life of 4.5 billion years, but it has contaminated and mixed throughout the global atmosphere, causing a global epidemic of diabetes and other radiation related illnesses.

The DU is globally mixed in 1 year - it is found in the ice record in Antarctica, Hawaii, the Alps, the Himalayas, and even in the Andes of South America. There is nowhere to hide or any way to escape.

All of the world has been poisoned by the DU - most of it since 1991. The health statistics from around the world clearly show the global impact.

Depleted uranium is a radioactive nano-particle doomsday machine, which is not only causing diabetes all over the world, but also cancers.

Two observations are striking. One, there has been a dramatic increase in the cancers that are related to radiation exposure,

especially the very rare soft tissue sarcoma and leukemia. Two, the age at which cancer begins in an individual has been dropping rapidly, with incidents of breast cancer at 16, colon cancer at 8, and liposarcoma at 1.5 years.

Global atmospheric pollution from depleted uranium particulates will result in massive depopulation on a global scale. By increasing death rates and decreasing birth rates globally, we are facing a global mass extinction of 2-4 billion people, and a war against the genetic future of all species.

Depleted uranium is the ideal weapon to bring about the New World Order, which is global depopulation. In just a few years it has turned Planet Earth into a Death Star.

But even the oceans are being killed by the radiation. Fish are starting to die of similar deformities to human babies.

DNA corrupted

This is not just a war against people; it is a war against the environment. Few living things will escape the slow radioactive poisoning which mutilates DNA and is passed on to all future generations.

The consequences of depleted uranium global pollution is damage to the genome of the entire planet which is being degraded and destroyed slowly over time - for all living things.

Widespread depleted uranium contamination of DNA in populations results in the potential mutilation of future generations. Mutations induced in the DNA of a single egg or sperm which form a fertilized egg are expressed and repeated in every cell of the developing organism, and defects are passed on to all future generations.

Over future generations, the genetic damage will be expressed in unpredictable ways, and gradually the genome will degrade and decline in vigor. source: US government data: Center for Disease Control (CDC)

High rates of infertility, particularly linked to radiation, are increasing globally since 1945. Twenty years ago, 80 percent of men's sperm globally was normal and 20 percent had DNA damage. Today, it is reversed, with only 20 percent of global sperm normal and 80 percent with damaged DNA.

Why use DU weapons?

You ask, with such terrific damage being done to the ordinary people and the earth itself, why are the war leaders continuing to use DU?

Alliant Techsystems (ATK) is America's largest producer of depleted uranium weaponry.

According to their website. Bryce Hallowell explained ATK's reasoning behind producing DU weapons.

"We want to make the best weapons possible for the U.S. Army," Hallowell said. "We do not want a fair fight. We want the army to be able to engage the enemy at long distances and take them out."

Another reason is: financial profit. Depleted Uranium is a cheap ingredient.

Secret nuclear wars

The conduct of secret nuclear wars since 1991, through the use of depleted uranium weaponry by the United States and Great Britain with their allies, has taken place in the Middle East, the former Yugoslavia, Afghanistan and Lebanon.

Cover-up

John Hanchette, a journalism professor at St. Bonaventure University, and one of the founding editors of *USA Today* related the following to DU researcher Leuren Moret. He stated that he had prepared news breaking stories about the effects of DU on Gulf War soldiers and Iraqi citizens, but that each time he was ready to publish, he received a phone call from the Pentagon asking him not to print the story. He has since been replaced as editor of *USA Today*.

Dr. Keith Baverstock, The World Health Organization's chief expert on radiation and health for 11 years has charged that his report "on the cancer risk to civilians in Iraq from breathing uranium contaminated dust " was also deliberately suppressed.

In 1997, while citing experiments, by others, in which 84 percent of dogs exposed to inhaled uranium died of cancer of the lungs, Dr. Asaf Durakovic, then Professor of Radiology and Nuclear Medicine at Georgetown University in Washington was quoted as saying, "The [US government's] Veterans Administration asked me to lie about the risks of incorporating depleted uranium in the human body."

Dr. Hardan also states:

"I arranged for a delegation from Japan's Hiroshima Hospital to come and share their expertise in the radiological diseases we are likely to face over time. The delegation told me the Americans had objected and they decided not to come. Similarly, a world famous German cancer specialist agreed to come, only to be told later that he would not be given permission to enter Iraq."

"Not only are we poisoning the people of Iraq and Afghanistan, but we are making a concerted effort to keep out specialists from other countries who can help. The U.S. Military doesn't want the rest of the world to find out what we have done."

De-population plan

With presidential approval, former U.S. Secretary of State Henry Kissinger presented 2 billion people as the desired level of reduction, but in fact the depopulation policy may seek a 2-4 billion reduction, or up to two thirds of the world's population. This depopulation policy is intended by the world's ruling elite to result in control of mineral and strategic resources and water and total control of the world's wealth.

This is what Henry Kissinger said about it in 1974 in the National Security Council:

Kissinger proposed in his memorandum to the NSC that 'depopulation should be the highest priority of US foreign policy towards the third world.' He cited reasons of national security, and because the US economy will require large and increasing amounts of minerals from abroad, especially from less developed countries... wherever a lessening of population can increase the prospects for such stability, population policy becomes relevant to resources, supplies and to the economic interests of the US. ("Implications of world wide population growth for US security & overseas interests", national security memo 200, April 24, 1974)

By 1979 depopulation was the top priority of US national security policy, as outlined in the national security paper *Global 2000* written by Rockefeller contractors Henry Kissinger, Z. Brzezinski, Gen. Alexander Haig, and Ed Muskie for President Carter.

Methods of de-population

1. AIDS: AIDS was one of the early "exotic" bio-weapons developed. It was developed and administered by the World Health Organization (WHO) and the U.S. Department of Defense (DOD). Congress funded the AIDS development

project, used to depopulate Africa in combination with famine, two ways known to rapidly increase death rates.

AIDS has now spread across the southern half of India. Depleted uranium blowing off the Himalayas, over Pakistan and the oil rich sands of Rajasthan, Utar Pradesh and Gujarat is contaminating the northern half of India and the Himalayan headwaters of nine major rivers of Asia.

2. STERILIZATION: Also forced sterilization as a means of population control has been covertly introduced in Third World countries, where women receiving vaccines were never able to have a live birth after the vaccination. Women in the Philippines and Mexico have been used as guinea pigs for a new experimental pregnancy vaccine. (BBC documentary) The HCG vaccine makes a woman's body reject new pregnancies. Black women have involuntarily been sterilized in South African hospitals with the HCG vaccine. They were told, after the birth of a baby, that "we could not leave the hospital until they had 'this shot." Black newborns, born to parents without AIDS, were given vaccinations before they left the hospital in South Africa, and the babies were soon found to have AIDS.

In some American Indian tribes, up to 80 percent of the women are sterile. Biopharmaceutical crops have been developed. Dr. Ignacio Chapela reports that spermicidal corn is being tested by drug companies in Mexico.

This is a demonic plan by the new world order 'globalists' who want to depopulate the world by 2-4 billion people.

3. DEPLETED URANIUM: Depleted uranium poison gas weaponry, used on a regional scale, meets U.S. National Security Council goals as stated in the "Global 2000 Report: Vision of a Gloomy World" (1980). This report recommended that depopulation in third world countries was imperative to the U.S. government purpose of securing mineral and other strategic

resources.

So it is very clear that depleted uranium weaponry is being used for the purpose of depopulation in the Middle East, Central Asia, Lebanon, Yugoslavia... and these areas of course are rich in mineral resources that the Zionist Anglo-American economic empire wants to control.

This DU program has been carried out for the express purpose of destroying the public health and mutilating the genetic future of vast populations in oil rich and/or pipeline regions. Carpet and grid bombing with depleted uranium weaponry in Iraq, Yugoslavia and Afghanistan has guaranteed permanent radioactive terrain contamination.

The New World Order program is wickedly bankrupt - morally and spiritually.

FEAR CONCERNING EARTH'S UNCERTAIN FUTURE

"fearful sights and great signs shall there be from heaven... and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity;... Men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth." (Luke 21:25,26)

The sciences of the world have failed.

And millions are left without hope... and without a future.

The economies of the world are shaking. Nations have massive debts. A world economic depression is predicted by many financial experts.

HISTORY TO BE INTERRUPTED

Jesus' global prophecy

A prophecy made by Jesus is worth noting: "For then shall be great trouble, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be. And except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved.

"...but for the elect's sake shall those days be shortened." (Matthew 24:21,22)

In other words, history is going to be interrupted.

Here's the good news...

YOU HAVE A CHOICE whether you will survive.

According to this, the events of history are ...not mercilessly set into cycles by some capricious power. The year 2012 is not a year of destruction decreed by fate.

Neither relentless cycles nor blind coincidence controls our existence.

To a careful observer, the events of history can be recognised as LINKED together, ...unfolding one by one, as though pre-planned. ...as though a plan is being worked through, step by step.

Mindless cycles do NOT run automatically without reference to this plan.

SEQUENCE OF COMING EVENTS

Researchers have noticed that, as history progresses, various biblical prophecies have been fulfilling in sequence. Some of these are so specific, they detail names and dates.

...with the outcomes accurately foretold. Major events foretold, step by step... leading to a final, sudden interruption to history.

And when this will occur?

The prophetic books of Daniel and Revelation give us a road map of future history.

Notice this brief overview.

Prophecy 1

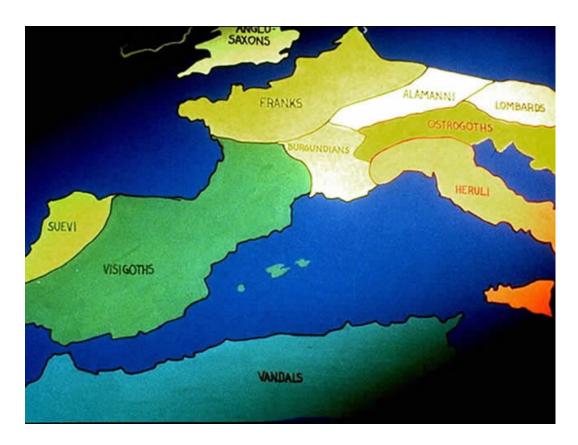
The book of Daniel, written in the 6th century BC, stated that firstly, from Daniel's day, there would arise four world empires in succession...

Subsequent history shows us that these were:

- * Babylon 606 to 538 BC
- * Medo-Persia 538 to 331 BC
- * Grecia 331 to 168 BC
- * Rome BC 168 to AD 476

Prophecy 2:

After the Roman Empire falls, ten kingdom will arise.



Prophecy 3:

Then: The Roman Catholic Papacy will emerge.

Prophecy 4:

It will uproot three of those kingdoms. (It did. They were the Heruli, Vandals, Ostrogoths, finally, in 538 AD.)

Prophecy 5:

Then: It will reign supreme over the other nations for 1260 years (It did - from 538 to 1798)

Prophecy 6:

After that it will be wounded to death. (It was. Napoleon's general Berthier entered Rome, took the pope prisoner and abolished the papacy, in 1798.)

"The Papacy was extinct: not a vestige of its existence remained; and among all the Roman Catholic powers not a finger was stirred in its defence." (George Trevor, *Rome and its Papal Rulers*, p.540

Prophecy 7:

But the deadly wound will be healed. (Fulfillment: The healing of the deadly wound began in 1929, when Hitler's friend in Italy, Mussolini, signed an historic pact with the pope to restore territory to the Vatican.

"In affixing the autographs to the memorable document HEALING THE WOUND... extreme cordiality was displayed on both sides." (*San Francisco Chronicle*, February 11, 1929)

Prophecy 8:

Then: Papal power will be restored, this time to rule over the whole world. (Fulfilment: The pope is already the most influential person on this planet, and has stated his intention to guide the policies of the coming New World Order.)

Prophecy 9:

The divided nations of Europe will unite to support a new world order, under the control of a world religion. (Fulfilling: The European Community is rapidly forming into a new Holy Roman Empire.)

Prophecy 10:

America will direct the whole world to accept the rules of this New World Order.

(On November 15, 2007, a Vatican cardinal, said in Washington, directing plans at a secret – now leaked - meeting of 13 inter-denominational church leaders, as well as Nancy Pelosi representing the U.S. government, that "As goes this nation, so goes the world.")

Prophecy 11:

Economic sanctions will be imposed against dissidents.

"And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name."

Prophecy 12:

The new world order will bring the earth to the brink of ruin. The natural environment will be thrown into chaos. There will follow total economic and social collapse. People will throw their money into the streets.

"For then shall be great tribulation, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time, nor ever shall be. Unless those days be shortened, there would no flesh be saved. But for the elect's sake those days shall be shortened." (Matthew 24:21,22)

Prophecy 13:

Then: Seven last plagues (including the burning of Rome)

Prophecy 14:

The rejected, but legitimate Owner of this planet will intervene in time and all who have ordered their lives in harmony with him will be rescued.

Now, may I mention that these prophecies are by no means vague. They are unambiguously clear, and they go into considerable detail about these coming events.

Familiarise yourself with them and you will be among the most informed people on this planet. The main events now in the news are exactly what we should be expecting. And we can know where they are headed – beyond any shade of doubt.

Bible prophecy is media news before it comes. "The [prophecy] is certain and the interpretation is SURE." (Daniel 2:45) "These words are true and faithful." (Revelation 21:5)

Let's say it again...

Our world is NOT fated for destruction to strike in cycles, mechanically, mindlessly.

On the contrary, when major events on this rebellious planet do occur, they are scheduled with a purpose.

WORLD IMPROVEMENT OR DESTRUCTION?

It is now 150 years since the evolution theory caught the imagination of many in the 1800s, seeding the expectation that mankind would evolve to a better state.

To many of these it was a rude shock when World War I broke out.

Today this theory persists among many New Agers who think that a change of mass consciousness is soon to improve the world. A variation of this view is held by many church people who think that during the coming millennium Jesus will rule from earthly Jerusalem and the world will be converted.

Yet, all this time, the biblical prophecies have been telling us: It is time for us to wake up!

"When they shall say peace and safety, then sudden destruction cometh upon them, ...and they shall not escape." (1 Thessalonians 5:3) Far from improving, "evil men and seducers shall wax worse and worse, deceiving, and being deceived." (2 Timothy 3:13)

Do I need to ask you, which was correct – the evolution prediction, or the biblical prediction?

The day of that ancient patriarch Noah speaks to us in thundertones. Moral and physical DNA corruption was rampant. Not only was the earth "filled with violence... all flesh had corrupted his way upon the earth." (Genesis 6:12) This was a key reason for the total destruction of the planet by the Great Flood.

Jesus prophesied that "as the days of Noah were," so shall it be

again. (Matthew 24:37-41) – speaking of both the conditions, and also the resulting destruction: "destroyed them all... so shall it be..." (Luke 17:27-30)

The Creator has promised that He will "destroy them which destroy the earth" (Revelation 11:18)

Indeed, man HAS destroyed the earth. Our world is finished. The global environment is becoming radioactive. Our DNA is corrupted. Both of these are irreversible.

"And except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved." (Matthew 24:22)

The Bible insists that the promised Rescuer will ultimately restore "that which was lost." (Luke 19:10)

I ask you, What was lost? You might respond that we humans have lost our way... we are truly lost. And you would be correct. But is that all? What about our now-ruined planet?

If I came to you and said, "Look, I have a piece of land to give you – on condition that you live on it and build your house on it. Are you interested?"

You may very well say, "Well, yes. But may I see it?"

"Sure," I say. And so I drive you down to the town rubbish dump. "There it is!" I say excitedly.

I can imagine your reaction. "No thanks! You keep it!"

Do you think our Creator is going to hand over a rubbish dump to His rescued people? Is He going to give us a nucleardestroyed planet to be our eternal home?

Of course not! Listen: "For the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with

a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat (the earth also), and the works which are therein shall be burnt up. Nevertheless we, according to his promise, look for new heavens and a new earth, wherein dwelleth righteousness." (2 Peter 3:10,11) He is going to restore this earth to its original state. And this will be accomplished by a cleansing fire, in which the earth itself, and all who have polluted it by their unforsaken sins, will be wiped out together.

Out of the ashes of the old, He'll make the new. The Creator will hand over to His rescued people a brand new, beautiful, and pure planet for eternity. God does the same to people, today.

Peter, writing under inspiration, assures us that just as surely as the first time "the world… perished" by water, so will this planet finally be cleansed by fire.

The Creator of the universe has final, total power. His plan is unstoppable.

With all his forces, the enemy, Lucifer himself, cannot stop God's plan.

God's Holy Spirit is all powerful. Yet, even though He wants all to be saved, multitudes will still be lost. How is that possible?

Here's why. With all his power, there is one thing God cannot do – will not do – because it is against His nature: force us to surrender our hearts to Him. He has left that choice to us – individually.

It is time we started thinking differently from our past. Tell me, should we be content with mere ordinary matters in this EXTRAORDINARY hour? Surely that time has passed. It is now high time to wake up and get ready for the end. If you

haven't yet done it, start preparing for eternity – in the way you think, speak, act, dress, spend your time, and plan.

Meanwhile: Treat radiation sickness

Potassium iodate on a regular basis is a very inexpensive way to protect yourself from radiation poisoning. There are also various homeopathic and herbal tinctures you can use. These are likewise inexpensive and they work to get the radiation toxins out of your body.

P.S.

Some entrepreneurs at "radix", in "a bid for the End-of-the-Worldcon", have advocated the old Mayan center of Chichén Itzá as the place to be on December 21, 2012. Everyone is invited to "spend your last Worldcon of this existence with us!" They go on to describe their accommodations: "Our three hotels, the Hacienda Chichén, the Mayaland, and Villas Arqueologicas are close together and convenient to Chichén Itzá's own airport. Swimming is available in any of the nearby cenotes." [Visa and MasterCharge are, presumably, still being accepted!] Then there's the "masquerade venue with adequate raked seating! Plus we'll be putting major programming in the Ball Court to avoid the expense of sound amplification." [Why exactly should we worry about expense?] Finally, they note that, "The center of science programming will be the observatory. Celestial readings will be taken throughout the convention to ensure that closing ceremonies exactly coincide with the end of time."

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