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Prophetical Updates

In this Prophecy update we will cover many subjects that are very important to the prophetical affairs of today. All things that are taking place now have been fore-told thousands of years ago.

The world that will be prepared for the anti-christ will be global, that is global in every aspect. The main areas that the bible clearly expresses are:

- 1. The Political System
- 2. The Economy
- 3. Religion

We know that politically the world is stressing a new world order, one world ruled by the chosen ten. The seventh Kingdom, one economy, one monetary system (comparable to the common market) One very important component in these last day events will be religion; that will consist of the One World Church co-exits which consists of many paths to God, many forces called God, Idolatry ultimately Satan wants worship and glory, he wants world domination, and to insure this he must control the thought process of the masses and cause them to view God through his eyes and to understand God by his revelation; how diabolical, how dreadful that mankind full of pride and arrogance as well as full of desire to be gratified in every way, yet believing it's a path to God, they are delusional, deceived worshipping the creature more than the creator. And Satan still says, yea hath God said, you shalt not...... And when we say that God says, if we do, the penalty will be....... then Satan replies - not really, you really won't, God really doesn't mean that. Remember Satan asked Eve, yea hath God said ye shall not eat of every tree in the garden, God said, ye shall not eat of it; neither shall ye touch it, lest ye die.

Satan the serpent said, ye shall not surely die: for God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil. Satan wants us to doubt God, to question God's motives and to believe that God doesn't want us to become like him. He's deceiving us, what a devilish hellish lie.

Listen and listen carefully, God's word is precise and infallible, it is always relevant, therefore he (God) has inspired men of old to pen words for example Ecclesiastes 3:14-15

14 I know that, whatsoever God doeth, it shall be for ever: nothing can be put to it, nor any thing taken from it: and God doeth it, that men should fear before him.

15 That which hath been is now; and that which is to be hath already been; and God requireth that which is past.

Ecclesiastes 1:9-11

9 The thing that hath been, it is that which shall be; and that which is done is that which shall be done: and there is no new thing under the sun.

10 Is there any thing whereof it may be said, See, this is new? it hath been already of old time, which was before us.

11There is no remembrance of former things; neither shall there be any remembrance of things that are to come with those that shall come after.

These scriptures were a prelude to my first topic, idolatry. The worshipping of a false god, Exodus 20 vs. 3 says thou shalt have no other gods before me. But there are many religions today that profess to be the right path to God, one such religion targets blacks as the original people of God, teaching them that Jesus our Lord 1. Is a white man's God and then Modify their harsh false doctrine and say that he is one of the prophets.

Jesus Christ of Nazareth was and is the word, the right-hand of God, the beginning of the creation of God, The Son of the living God, Our Savior, the Messiah, our soon coming King, the only way to God. But this religion called Islam is calling black people back to their ancestral beliefs to the "true god" they say, and calling them to Allah and his prophet Mohammed.

False Religions



Islam- A paradox of confusion

Paradox comes from the Greek word Para which means contrary to, and Dox means expectation.

Thus paradox is something that is contrary to expectation! And Islam in the midst of today's Iran/Iraq Middle East turmoil certainly fits this definition! Let's look at Islam's prophet Mohammed founder of Islam which is somewhat of a paradox, for a while he said his writings in the Hadith that the best Islam is that you feed the hungry, spread peace among friends and strangers all over the world.

Today Iran's actions are a far cry from peace. So let's examine the true character behind the declaration of charity and peace and take a close look at who Mohammed was. Mohammed was born in Mecca (Saudi Arabia) about 570 A.D. within 100 years of Mohammed's birth, these Nomads would conquer half of Asia, all of Persia (Iran) and most of North Africa, these people were called Arabs, meaning Arid, his thoughts concerning Bedouin women were of incomparable beauty.... Yet they were oppressed in those days and were considered mere personal property. When a girl was born into a family the father could bury her at birth if he so willed, at the age of seven she was sold off to any youth of the clan for marriage..... At a price! Her husband demanded of her many children. He often had many wives and he could dismiss her at any time. This was the climate in which Mohammed was born, his new religion Islam slightly improved the lot of women. Mohammed had 10 wives; other Muslims were permitted only 4. In those days the Arabs worshipped a stone in Mecca, it was called Kaaba. The Kaaba was rebuilt almost 10 times. They believed the first Kaaba was erected by Angels from Heaven; the second by Adam; the third by his son Seth; the fourth by Abraham and his son Ishmael, he fathered by Hagar. The Eighth was built in Mohammed's lifetime in605 A.D.

It was at this time that the Kaaba contained several statues representing gods. One was called Allah (the up one) a tribal god. He was considered the Lord of the Soil. At the age 40 Mohammed went into a cave near Mecca and claimed that the angel Gabriel appeared to him and said: O Mohammed! Thou art the messenger of Allah, and I am Gabriel. That was 610 B.C. from that time on Mohammed announced himself as the prophet of Allah. His first convert was his wife.

In the first days the Muslims adopted several of the Jewish rites. They prayed toward Jerusalem and Jewish fasts were observed. But when relations with the Jews became tense, Muslims were told to face Mecca when they prayed. Mohammed would not stand for opposition, in one battle captured Jews were the choice of choosing Islam or death, they were slain and buried in the market place of Medina, the women and children were sold into slavery. Although Mohammed had 10 wives and 2 concubines all his wives were barren except his wife. He gave considerable time to his personal appearance. He perfumed his body, painted his eyes and dyed his hair. He died in 632 A.D.

Mohammed's Teachings and Theology

Mohammed taught that he was no more than one in the line of prophets: but his message was God's final word, thus a new religion was founded called Islam. Islam is a word that indicated submission to God, one who submits is called a Muslim. Much of Mohammed's writings in the Koran tend to run parallel with bible prophecy with his own insertions in many instances, he speaks of resurrection, a falling away in the last days, trumpet blast and judgments.

In Mohamed's heaven, those who die in Allah's cause will reach it, along with the poor. 500 years before the rich, they will recline on couches and be served by handsome youths; they will drink wine from silver goblets and not get drunk. Many very young men in Iran and Iraq willingly sacrifice their lives on the battlefield because the Koran promises them a hasty flight to heaven with unusual benefits. One part of the Koran promises each male, and in heaven the following:

By the mercy of Allah, there will be no speeches at the heavenly banquets, instead there will be virgins with swelling bosoms but modest gaze, each blessed male will have 72 of these for his reward and neither age nor weariness, nor death shall mar the loveliness of these maidens or their comrades bliss. Mohammed did not hold women in high esteem. The Koran speaks of women as mans supreme calamity and suspects that most of them will go to hell. I wonder where each male get his 72 virgins from.

The Koran goes on to say that the wife should recognize the superior intelligence and therefore superior authority of the male. Mohammed did admonish his followers to consort in the world kindly with Christians. Islam divides world into two parts; in the religion of Islam the world is divided into two parts:

- 1. The sphere of Islam
- 2. The sphere of war

Islamic theology states that Holy war Jihad are to fought in non-Islamic world so as to convert the pagans or to force the people of the Book (Jews and Christians) to obligate themselves to pay a head tax. They believed that Allah created the earth in two days, they believe that Allah created the first man Adam, they also believe that beneath the earth there are 6 hells, they believe in Angels and call them Jinn, this is where the word Genesis comes from, they say Angels were created from fire, thus the smoke which accompanies the appearance of genie. Moslems believe that Allah has 123.000 prophets to mankind including Jesus. Two of the major Muslim sects are:

1. Sunni's- Orthodox Muslim

2. Shiites- they believe that the leader is of paramount importance, this is the group from which Ayatollah Khomeini emerged.

The part of the Koran they don't want you to know

 Take neither Jews nor Christian for your friends with one another, whosoever of you seek their friendship shall become one of their number, Allah does not guide the wrongdoers
Shame and dishonor shall be their portion (the Jews) wheresoever they are found..... They have incurred anger from their Lord and wretchedness is laid upon them, because they disbelieve the resurrection of Allah and slew the prophets wrongfully... because they are rebellious and used to transgress.

3. And thou will find them (Jews) the greediest of mankind.

4. Evil is that for which they sell their souls, for disbelievers is a terrible doom.

The most vehement of mankind in hostility are the Jews and the Idolaters, wherever they are found, the Jews reek of destruction_____ which is their reward.

One Anti Semitic book written is called the Protocols of the Elders of Zion, it provides the ideology that justifies the physical destruction of the Jewish people, it is the Haman's, the Herod's, the Pharaohs and the Hitler's the Czars of Russia hate groups like the KKK and neo-Nazis. Satan has planted a seed of hatred against Jews and Christians which aim is to completely annihilate both, but God has spoken and his word will stand. No weapon of warfare formed against us shall prosper, if God be for us who can be against us. God is our shield our shelter from the storm. He's our rock, our fortress our deliverer our God our salvation our defense our refuge in him will we trust.

Psalm 37:12-14 (King James Version)

12The wicked plotteth against the just, and gnasheth upon him with his teeth.

13The LORD shall laugh at him: for he seeth that his day is coming.

14The wicked have drawn out the sword, and have bent their bow, to cast down the poor and needy, and to slay such as be of upright conversation.

Psalm 37:37 (King James Version)

37Mark the perfect man, and behold the upright: for the end of that man is peace.

DNA Prophecy

Report 1978

We are already living within the realm of the possibility of programming human behavior, manipulating genes and the uniform packaging of people. Behavioral psychologists are finding new ways to reshape people and control their behavior, one geneticist asked U.S. congress to appropriate 10 million to set up a national genetic task force.

Then genetic engineering was a new term with frightening implications. Let's talk a little about a gene, a gene is a part of a cell that determines the characteristic living things inherit from their parents, genes determine such features as the shape of a leaf or the sex, height, and hair color of a child. Genes are located in the innermost part of a cell called the nucleus and makeup orderly units of thread like chromosomes. There are thousands of genes in every cell.

Genes produce their effect by influencing chemical and physical process during growth; genes are primarily made up of de-oxy-ribo-nucleic- acid (DNA). DNA is one of the nucleic acids in the nucleus of every cell. Genes of some viruses are made up of ri-bo-nucleic acid or RNA. There could be tragic consequences that occurs when man attempts to alter and control genes. Think for a moment! If someone could control the formation of genes or manipulate them to their advantage one could conceivably control a large segment of the human race. On the other hand because of the complexity on of their structure such experimentation could lead to monstrosities and robots. Up until a few decades ago scientist were not aware that genes could be manipulated. In the mid 1940's experiments at the Rockefeller institute revealed the acid known as DNA, and it was later discovered that this could be the master molecule of life.



Two young biologist at Cambridge University then discovered that the DNA molecule resembled a spiraling staircase, the banisters of this staircase are made of sugars and phosphates, the stairs treads of four organic compounds: adenine guanine, thymine and cytosine. They called these four compounds AGTC. The genetic code. The properties of a heredity depend on the way in which those four bases are arranged and ordered in their molecules: all the genetic diversity of the species

stem from them, just as all our literature is written with twenty-six letters and all of our music with seven notes.

If scientist can break the gene code that is used in forming a person, his appearance, his temperament, his intelligence, scientist could manipulate a man or woman to fit their whims.

Whether you realize it or not in 1978 scientist were hot on the trail for an answer to controlling genes. They could already manipulate and they had developed techniques known as gene splicing, gene splicing enabled them to transport genetic information from one unrelated creature to another.

Both by accident and by purposeful manipulation, genes for drugs resistance or cancer or lethal toxin formation could be inserted into organisms. Biological warfare agents and massive epidemics could be created too effectively.

I want you to hear the remarks of Vance Packard an author and researcher and I quote "some of the projects to reshape or control man are disturbing. Some may make your skin crawl such plans as keeping people under surveillance by locking transmitters to their bodies, creating sub humans for menial work, transplanting heads pacifying troublesome people including children by cutting into the brain. If you think head transplants and brain transplants are way out, listen to this, in 1989 on TV, a show host Dr. Dean Adell had a panel of scientists discussing transplanting the head of a monkey. In the book "*The People Shapers*" by Vance Packard appeared in business week magazine insert a photo revealed that experiments have already been conducted. The brain is one of the easiest of all organs to transplant, one professor claims, having done successfully both in the USA and Russia, head transplant is so repugnant that it's referred to as cephalic transplants much research is being done with animals.

Memory

Are you concerned about your food and water? What about meds you take? Do you realize that at anytime, any or all of us could be guinea pigs unaware. Our hope and reliance must be in Christ because whether we want to accept it or not, we live in a hostile world that is ruled at this time by the prince and power of the air, the god of this world. But our God the true almighty God, still has all power in His hand and the end of the reign of terror is coming to a climax, and God will reclaim his Kingdom, but let's look at how things are cleverly being implemented.

What is the scheme behind genetic engineering? And why does man want to control the genes, Gene manipulation, gene splicing and the ultimate for geneticist is cloning. Man's desire to be equal with God and improve on his creation is Satan's attempt through man to compete with God and deceive man into believing that he has as much right to be worshipped as God.

One of the most common delusions of scientist of the medical field is the God complex, man has allowed Satan to do the same thing to him as he did to the serpent, and has set man up to be cursed, even as the serpent was.

Mind control, subliminal or chemically induced surgery and transplanting memories. In 1978 they believed this could be accomplished in ten years which would have been 1988. And this is 2009. I wonder what have they accomplished or experimented on with humans?

You know animals are always the first subjects, and they succeeded with animals. One researcher experimented with the inch long flat worm, its brain has about 400 cells, they trained the worms to retreat into an accordion shape whenever the light went on in their water tank. Those worms that were trained to coil upon a light signal were then fed to untrained cannibal worms. Other untrained cannibal worms were fed untrained flatworms. The cannibal worms that ate the trained flatworms exhibited the same reflex behavior when the light was turned on. Memory transfer was working, what are we being fed?

Listen to this next procedure and if you don't think mind control is a great part of the strategy of the enemy against mankind, you need to look closer at your past history. This next

research team and their finding make the statement, you are what you eat go to a whole new level. We're talking about the late 70's listen to this, researchers began working with rats to see if their memories could be transferred to hamsters; thus breaking the species barrier! Then they began working to educate rats and mice to shun darkness, but they were trained in a reversal technique. Much of this training was done through treatment using the Russian Pavlov data that was done on dogs many years ago, after the rats and mice were trained their brains were removed and made into a soup like consistency and injected into the hamsters, soon the injected hamsters began to shun darkness, another success. Scientist were further intrigued to find the substance that triggered the brain to accept transfer of memory, one scientist isolated the substance which he called Scotophobin (Greek for fear of darkness.) Then they continued researching and killed some 4000 conditioned rats and their brains were converted into the soupy substance so they could isolate the triggering molecules; what they came up with was peptide, a complex amino acid, they concluded if these peptides can be synthesized a large number of memories can be manufactured; they can be massively produced, Synthesized means they can be created by man without having to extract them from animals. Peptide injections could replace school textbooks for example, you could create a genius such as Einstein or more sinister a Hitler.

We can go on and on but I believe you see the picture. Did you know on the other hand scientist using an antibiotic called Puromycin have been able to actually erase memory in test with animals. And a number of tests have indicated that it is also possible to prevent memory storage. God help us all, for without him this would be a fearful and terrifying future, but thanks be to God for his provisions and promises to keep us to give us power and to return for us to save us out offends in death and hell. This dark day of mankind covenant with hell and an agreement with death -- Satan's covenant.

More about the Amino Acid called Peptide

Where do you think this may be going? Consider this more sinister Peptide injections could be used to indoctrinate individuals to a passive nature with a Casper milk toast personality. A dictator, such as anti-christ would make much use of a memory exchange bank, he could take the memory of an electronic or space age genius who was uncooperative and inject the memory into a cooperative but average intelligent follower. He could inject peptide of murderers and lawless individuals into his entire army and add peptide that would give them suicidal tendencies in combat... dying without fear for their master. Remember 1978, but does that sound like headline news 2009?

<u>Many bible believing preachers</u> and believers who are prophetically informed will and are warning the people of such diabolical possibilities and plans, but suppose the drug is administered through the water system or an aircraft is used to seed the atmosphere. Highly populated areas such as the east, India for example could be given higher doses that would stunt their mental capacities, thus creating the menial labor force of the world India or perhaps Mexico on a smaller scale.

<u>Consider the warning about water</u>, air terrorism, Epidemics pestilences, new diseases, mind altering conditions what's going on? Do you really think this information is not relevant or sound? Stop look and listen consider what you see, what you read, what's being reported on TV. Read the scripture- are you sure you think this is over the top?

The Islamic Factor



Genesis 16:1-12 (King James Version)

1Now Sarai Abram's wife bare him no children: and she had an handmaid, an Egyptian, whose name was Hagar.

2And Sarai said unto Abram, Behold now, the LORD hath restrained me from bearing: I pray thee, go in unto my maid; it may be that I may obtain children by her. And Abram hearkened to the voice of Sarai.

3And Sarai Abram's wife took Hagar her maid the Egyptian, after Abram had dwelt ten years in the land of Canaan, and gave her to her husband Abram to be his wife.

4And he went in unto Hagar, and she conceived: and when she saw that she had conceived, her mistress was despised in her eyes.

5And Sarai said unto Abram, My wrong be upon thee: I have given my maid into thy bosom; and when she saw that she had conceived, I was despised in her eyes: the LORD judge between me and thee.

6But Abram said unto Sarai, Behold, thy maid is in thine hand; do to her as it pleaseth thee. And when Sarai dealt hardly with her, she fled from her face.

7And the angel of the LORD found her by a fountain of water in the wilderness, by the fountain in the way to Shur.

8And he said, Hagar, Sarai's maid, whence camest thou?

and whither wilt thou go? And she said, I flee from the face of my mistress Sarai.

9And the angel of the LORD said unto her, Return to thy mistress, and submit thyself under her hands.

10And the angel of the LORD said unto her, I will multiply thy seed exceedingly, that it shall not be numbered for multitude.

11And the angel of the LORD said unto her, Behold, thou art with child and shalt bear a son, and shalt call his name Ishmael; because the LORD hath heard thy affliction.

12And he will be a wild man; his hand will be against every man, and every man's hand against him; and he shall dwell in the presence of all his brethren.

In this section will discuss a very important subject that is the Islamic factor: as we all know our God has foretold the future from the beginning: King Solomon wrote in the book of Ecclesiastes chapter 1 verse 9

9. The thing that has been, it is that which shall be; and that which is done is that which shall be done: and there is no new thing under the sun.

As we have discussed in our last prophecy conference our God has already written the script, the charters are in place and the time of the conclusion has been predetermined. In the book of Genesis chapter Abram has obeyed his wife Sarai and has taken her servant to have a child with her, after this was done a son was conceived it began to make Sarai angry when she saw how much Abram loved this son whom they had named Ishmael she said to Abram in Genesis 16:5-12

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As Sarai realized her mistake it just looked as though there was an illegitimate son in the camp that was going to be a constant reminder of her move in the flesh trying to help God; she didn't realize she had set up a battle that would play out thousands of years later.

As Hagar was told by an angel to go return to her mistress and submit herself under her hands she was also told that her seed would be multiplied exceedingly, she was also told the this son would be a wild man; his hand would be against every man and that every man's hand against him. This is the prophecy being fulfilled today as we see the radical fringe of Islam threatening the entire world as they have called for Jihad or holy war. This entire sect of people have threatened by terror and very violent tactics that they would conquer the world.

Ishmael's descendants were the Nomad Bedouins that wondered in the wilderness as well as Muhammad the founder of Islam. As we look deeper into the profile of this group of people we will see the scriptures come alive just as God had predicted it would thousands of years ago. Tonight as we discuss the Islamic factor we will uncover some of the radical teachings and religious philosophies that they hold and what they think about the last days. To many people it seemed as though our former president made a critical error when we invaded the country of Iraq and deposed Saddam Hussein, he was not a Muslim and he would not allow the Muslim clerics to have much authority in the country of Iraq, if we look at scripture there are references in the Old Testament of Babylon would play a great part in the last days.

Genesis 10:8-10

8And Cush begat Nimrod: he began to be a mighty one in the earth. 9He was a mighty hunter before the LORD: wherefore it is said, Even as Nimrod the mighty hunter before the LORD.

10And the beginning of his kingdom was Babel, and Erech, and Accad, and Calneh, in the land of Shinar..

This Kingdom that Nimrod had set up was a kingdom in direct opposition to God; he was defying God to try and flood them out again they were going to show him they didn't need him in their lives. The writing of Flavious Josephus the Antiquites of the Jews book 1 chapter 4 vs. 2-3 tells of the complete rebellion Nimrod setup against God.

2. Now it was Nimrod who excited them to such an affront and contempt of God. He was the grandson of Ham, the



son of Noah, a bold man, and of great strength of hand. He persuaded them not to ascribe it to God, as if it was through his means they were happy, but to believe that it was their own courage which procured that happiness. He also gradually changed the government into tyranny, seeing no other way of turning men from the fear of God, but to bring them into a constant dependence on his power. He also said he would be revenged on God, if he should have a mind to drown the world again; for that he would build a tower too high for the waters to be able to reach! and that he would avenge himself on God for destroying their forefathers!

3. Now the multitude were very ready to follow the determination of Nimrod, and to esteem it a piece of cowardice to submit to God; and they built a tower, neither sparing any pains, nor being in any degree negligent about the work: and, by reason of the multitude of hands employed in it, it grew very high, sooner than any one could expect; but the thickness of it was so great, and it was so strongly built, that thereby its great height seemed, upon the view, to be less than it really was. It was built of burnt brick, cemented together with mortar, made of bitumen, that it might not be liable to admit water. When God saw that they acted so madly, he did not resolve to destroy them utterly, since they were not grown wiser by the destruction of the former sinners; but he caused a tumult among them, by producing in them divers languages, and causing that, through the multitude of those languages, they should not be able to understand one another. The place wherein they built the tower is now called Babylon, because of the confusion of that language which they readily understood before.

This radical rebellion was the beginning of the extreme hatred toward God and his people; notice in the scripture talks of the plains of Shinar. Nimrod was the first world dictator that came into total rebellion against God.

Zechariah 5:5-11

5Then the angel that talked with me went forth, and said unto me, Lift up now thine eyes, and see what is this that goeth forth.

6And I said, What is it? And he said, this is an ephah that goeth forth. He said moreover, this is their resemblance through all the earth.

7And, behold, there was lifted up a talent of lead: and this is a woman that sitteth in the midst of the ephah.

8And he said, this is wickedness. And he cast it into the midst of the ephah; and he cast the weight of lead upon the mouth thereof.

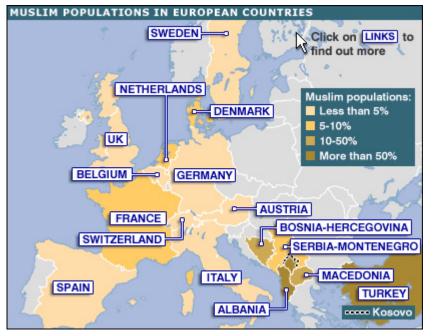
9Then lifted I up mine eyes, and looked, and, behold, there came out two women, and the wind was in their wings; for they had wings like the wings of a stork: and they lifted up the ephah between the earth and the heaven.

10Then said I to the angel that talked with me, Whither do these bear the ephah?

11And he said unto me, to build it an house in the land of Shinar: and it shall be established, and set there upon her own base.

From the writing of Josephus as well as the writings of Zachariah there is an indication of wickedness being setup in the plains of Shinar in the last days; I say to you the Land of Shinar is in the plains of Babylon in the heart of Iraq after Hussein was arrested and executed the radical Muslim clerics began to take over the country this as we will learn later is prophecy being fulfilled before our very eyes; even though this radical group think they are going to conquer the world, our God is in charge of everything taking place. There is a collision that is about to take place in this world that will escalate once the church has been raptured. This radical group today are seeking out to gain nuclear, biological, chemical as well as dirty bombs to strike fear into the heart of everyone that is not Islamic, one of their

plans to overthrow nations is to enter a country and overpopulate that country with its people and take over it governments.



Muslim population in Europe

According to the German Central Institute Islam Archive, the total number of Muslims in Europe in 2007 was about 53 million, including 16 million in the European Union.[11] Muslim population The in Europe is extremely diverse histories with varied and origins. Today, the Muslimmajority regions of Europe are Albania, parts of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo. and Russian regions some in Northern Caucasus and the Volga region. Muslim-The dominated Sandžak of Novi Pazar is divided between

Serbia and Montenegro. They consist predominantly of indigenous Europeans of the Muslim faith whose religious tradition dates back several hundred years. The <u>transcontinental</u> countries of <u>Turkey</u>, <u>Azerbaijan</u> and <u>Kazakhstan</u> also are Muslim majority. The Muslim population in Western Europe is composed primarily of peoples who arrived to the European continent from across the Muslim world during or after the 1950s.

The UN High Commissioner for Refugees estimated that of the <u>Albanian people</u>, 39% to 70% of those in Albania[12][13][14] are Muslim, 91% of them in Kosovo, and 99% of them in <u>Macedonia</u> are Muslim. Bosnia has a Muslim plurality. In transcontinental countries such as 99% in Turkey, 93% in Azerbaijan and 57% in Kazakhstan[15] of the population is Muslim respectively. Muslims also form about one fifth of the population of Montenegro. In Russia, <u>Moscow</u> is home to an estimated 1.5 million Muslims.[16]

Muslims in West Europe settle in largely urban areas. Muslim population in selected European cities is as high as 25% in <u>Rotterdam</u> (Netherlands), 24% in <u>Amsterdam</u> (Netherlands), 20% in <u>Marseille</u> (France), 17% in <u>Brussels</u> (Belgium), 16% in <u>Bradford</u> (UK)[17] and in while in others, like <u>Paris</u>, <u>Brussels</u>, <u>London</u> and <u>Copenhagen</u>, the figure is 10%.[18][19].

Europe is the example we are using however, the growth in America is astounding as well. They are projected to have an important role in last-day end-time prophecy. While there are many in the world and in the church that have been lured to sleep, there is a power keg under us that is about to explode. Let's discuss three things that the 3 major religions of the world believe:

1.) We as Christians believe that our Lord Jesus Christ will soon return for his church take us to heaven. There will be a seven year tribulation; after seven years we will come back with Jesus and he will defeat the anti-christ, his false prophet and Satan. Satan will be cast into the lake of fire where the beast and false prophet are and shall be tormented forever and ever.

2.) The Jews are awaiting there Messiah to come to deliver them from their enemies that have for thousands of years threaten to completely destroy them. Most don't know he has already come.

3.) The Muslims are looking for their Imam to suddenly appear, there will be a war in which they will not only destroy every Jew alive but every infidel that does not convert to Islam; those that refuse to convert to Islam will be beheaded (doesn't this sound familiar?) with him will come Isa (the Muslim name for Jesus) they teach he will return and say he lied the first time when he said he was God's son because God has no son.

If you notice all three major religions believe there will be a Messiah that will come as well as a major battle will take place on earth, only the Muslims have things distorted.

The president of Iran is one of the major players trying to hasten the return of the Mahdi -Islam's messiah. As we come closer to the return of the Lord you we will see the Islamic factor become more and more powerful and violent in the earth. God said he would be a wild man; talking about his seed that would be on the earth in the last days before our Lord returns; it is not by chance that the Taliban in Afghanistan are hard to defeat, as well as groups like Al-Qaeda and other radical terrorist cells that wish harm to all that will not bow to them nor convert to Islam; this sleeping demon has a goal in mind and it is that there Mahdi will set up his kingdom rule from Babylon as his world headquarters and destroy everyone that refuses his mark and stands in his way of world domination. Sarai didn't have a clue when she gave Abram Hagar what would happen thousands of years later.

The Battle for Honest Money



Things have gotten so bad my wildest hope has been revived - that the nation will finally begin a debate about <u>rescuing the ruined dollar</u> and <u>revive the system of honest money</u>. It will be damned hard to put across to the general public the idea of honesty in American commerce and politics, but we must try. Present values and methods have brought us a calamity and it's up to we-the-people to untangle the mess.

Ms. Floy Lilley focused on the heart of the matter in mid-August when she wrote a widely circulated piece that clearly shows that under the old-fashioned honest-money system the purchasing power of the U.S. dollar <u>increased</u> eleven percent in a period of 136 years. Since the establishment of the Federal Reserve, however, the purchasing power of the dollar has <u>fallen</u> **ninety-five percent**! This is a nuts-'n-bolts argument Fed chief Ben Bernanke must hate, because he cannot deny it. It helps the average person see in clear terms why a dollar that *gains* purchasing power is better than a dollar that is nearly worthless.

Dr. Bernanke was too busy dealing with his longtime foe Rep. Ron Paul to be aware of Ms. Lilley sneaking up behind him. Dr. Paul has been pushing for years for an *audit* of the Federal Reserve, whose books are kept secret from the public. Paul has usually been dismissed as a crank, but this time he has help from several other House members who have signed on to bill HR 1207 which would open up the Fed's books to a complete audit. One way or another, the days of Fed autonomy are coming to an end. It will take plenty of pressure from the public to make it happen. The fireworks will probably happen in October. (The two worst stock market crashes occurred in October. 1929 and 1987.)

To add to Bernanke's woes he has been told by a judge to name the financial firms the Fed lent to or disclose the amounts or the assets put up as collateral under 11 programs the central bank put in place during the height of the financial crisis. The Fed is balking but has no choice, under the court order.

Here's a chance to sweep aside the huge cloud of misinformation and confusion about the stuff we use as a medium of exchange. How is it created? Who owns it? Is the nickel in your pocket yours or does it belong to the government? Today's debt-based currency is so untrustworthy compared to the commodity money established in the Constitution? These questions and a dozen more could easily be answered in a 45-minute lecture to sixth graders.

There are several hurdles to be overcome. 1/ The Federal Reserve and the commercial banking system do not want the present fiat money system challenged. It has been too profitable for them. 2/ Congress do not want to change the present method of money creation, either, and it <u>particularly does not want to have its power limited by a return to sound money</u>. 3/ Generations of citizens have been mislead for so long they don't understand the transition from commodity money and fiduciary money to the present system of fiat currency created from thin air.* They are uneasy about the financial system and uncertain about the future, but they don't know what's gone wrong or exactly whom to blame. (**Hint:** The ultimate blame rests with the U.S. Congress. Period.)

So - let's begin.

The United States dollar was <u>defined by the Founders</u> as a coin containing 371.25 grains of pure silver. A dollar was 1/ a unit of measure controlled by Congress, 2/ a medium to facilitate exchange of goods and services, and 3/ a reliable store of value. Today's Federal Reserve note is <u>only</u> a medium of exchange - nothing more.

The Federal Reserve note was redeemable in "lawful money" from 1914 to 1963. It is redeemable today only in copper/nickel coins which, unlike the paper currency, have some small intrinsic value because of their metal content. However, if people become aware of this distinction and choose to hold more metallic money a coin shortage will erupt.

Which is better? The money of the Constitution or paper notes printed at will by the Federal Reserve System? We will hear more on this question in the weeks ahead.

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Commodity Money = Metal money of intrinsic value which cannot be created from thin air.
Fiduciary Money = bank notes that <u>are redeemable</u> in commodity money.
Fiat Money = bank notes that are not redeemable. Backed only by hope and stupendous debt.



Fiat money or fiat currency, is money that is current or legal tender as satisfaction for money debts by government fiat, that is by law. It is often associated with paper money unbacked by fixed assets or issued without the promise of redemption in some other form, and can be contrasted with money which is accepted by tradition or social convention (fiat when considered in the context of "fiat money" is generally considered from the Latin "let it be" although there is an alternative school of thought that consider an equally accurate definition is a corruption of the past tense of the latin fidere which means "to trust".)

As of 2004, most currencies in the world are fiat money. However, the situation with major currencies, such as the euro, the United States dollar and the Swiss franc is more complex, which is why a distinction is made for <u>hard</u> <u>currencies</u>. Fiat money is called "fiduciary money" in many languages.

Debate over the term

What exactly is a "fiat" currency is a matter of some debate, with a <u>spectrum</u> of opinion that runs from hard money advocates which declare

that anything other than fixed commodity such as gold is "fiat money", to a range of economic theories which hold that market dynamics enforce fiscal discipline, other heterodox schools of thought reject the <u>veil of money</u> and define all monies other than the goods themselves to be equivalently fiat.

In general, ultra-conservatives define fiat money stringently, and an opposition to fiat money is coupled with an opposition to fractional reserve banking and governments having a central bank. There is disagreement among them as to whether representative money backed by specie is fiat money, with many conservatives arguing that notes can have payment in specie suspended by law.

Advocates of "debt-free money" argue that money which requires the issuing of central bank debt is a burden on the public. In essence, just as there is a school of thought which opposes any money which is not linked to specific, countable, and measurable reserves, there is a school of thought which denies the value of any encumbrance on the government's ability to issue notes at all.

The problems of maintaining a currency not linked to a fixed and redeemable asset dominate modern political economy, and are a feature of <u>open currency</u> macroeconomics. Nations whose currency is devalued or under attack (See <u>financial crisis</u>, capital flight,

hyperinflation) are often encouraged or required to link their currency to an external currency or basket of currencies.

Historical Summary

Historically, specie based money â " generally gold and silver â " was the unit of account that governments would accept as " legal tender ", and was struck into coin s which were the "circulating medium". That is, the government would accept it as payment, and would enforce others accepting gold and silver coin, usually at fixed rates. Notes backed directly by currency became used by private banks and holders of specie, which were used as "drafts" to move or lend money. This system of drafts has never completely disappeared, and there are today high tech equivalents of it that use fax machines in place of bank notes. However, such hard currencies were frequently in short supply, leading to alternate currencies based on a promise to pay, such as "notes of credit", "bank notes" or stock in companies. Such money becomes fiat money when the central government accepts, or requires others to accept, such notes as legal tender. Examples include stock in government monopolies and military scrip issued to soldiers. The general term "paper money" was used to cover such fiat money during the 18th and early 19th century, and its tendency to inflate led to hardened political opposition to any use of paper, even if backed by promise to pay, because such promises were easy to break, and hard to hold accountable.

The first historical example of fiat money was in China. Chinese governments would produce "notes of credit" which were valued as tender for limited periods of time, in order to prevent inflation. The Song dynasty (10th through 13th centuries), however, created unlimited legal tender paper money, good throughout their empire, as a way of centralizing financial control, and preventing external trade. This money, however, was only as stable as the mandarinate that enforced it, and only as safe as the rigidity and integrity of the people who created it. Since it was both easy to counterfeit, and communication was slow, the Song experiment with paper money collapsed, as individuals preferred doing business through bank drafts, or <u>checks</u>, which were backed with gold or silver.

In the 19th century, there was an increasing demand for international trade, which made monetary standards based on more than one kind of specie less and less stable, as individuals would take advantage of government determined exchange rates to buy silver where it was cheap, and then redeem it for gold where it was overvalued. This led to the gradual adoption of the gold standard among industrialized nations. While exact dates are often hard to fix, Britain's adoption of the gold sovereign in 1816 began their move to a gold standard, and 1844 is generally dated as the establishment of the practical gold standard in the United Kingdom. Previously silver had been the standard against which gold was measured, because Europe had had an influx of silver from mines in Germany and silver looted from the Inca and Aztec empires. The word "dollar" comes from the name "Thaler " for a silver coin from the mines near the town of Joachimsthal in Bohemia . These mines were the first significant discovery of silver in Europe since antiquity.

Governments would often produce notes which were fiat currency, with the promise to allow holders to pay taxes in those notes, in effect, assuring at least one future trading partner for the note. These notes were also referred to as "debt" based money, and included the issuance of notes in the British colonies in <u>America</u>, particularly in Virginia and Massachusettes. Such debt based money was sold at a discount of silver, which the government would then spend, and would expire at a fixed point in time later. However, even this more restricted form of fiat money was prone to inflationary or deflationary cycles, as those entities which could tax in specie would do so, leaving the debt based money to be devalued as its expiration grew nearer.

The repeated cycle of deflationary hard money, followed by inflationary paper money continued through much of the 18th and 19th centuries. Often nations would have dual currencies, with paper trading at some discount to specie backed money. Examples include the "Continental" issued by the US Congress before the constitution ; paper versus gold ducats in Napoleonic era Vienna , where paper often traded at 100:1 against gold; the South Sea Bubble , which produced bank notes not backed by sufficient reserves; and the Mississippi Scheme of John Law . The abuse of paper money issued by banks led most industrialized nations to either outlaw private currency, or strictly regulate its printing, such as the <u>United States National Banking Act of 1862</u>.

Each cycle of inflation and panic would leave citizens vowing never to allow inflation again, until the next round of bone-crushing deflation caused business failure and squeezed borrowers who had to pay back in much harder money than they had borrowed. A good example being the abolition of the "Bank of the United States" by Andrew Jackson, where he declared paper money backed by the government "unconstitutional". The two temptations â " to create inflationary currencies and to allow reserves to drop from one-to-one to the expected rate of redemption of gold â " repeatedly hobbled economic stability.

It was World War I which was the collision between specie currency and fiat money. By this point most nations had a legalized government monopoly on legal tender, and in theory governments promised to redeem notes in gold or silver on demand. However, the costs of the war and the massive expansion afterward made every currency effectively fiat money, since there was no reason for a government not to print as much money as it felt it could back with some fraction of its reserves. Since there was no direct penalty for doing so, governments were not responsible for the economic consequences of "running the printing presses", and the 20th century found itself facing a new economic terror: hyperinflation.

The economic crisis led to attempts to reassert hard money with a new kind of currency: asset-based money. This money combined aspects of fiat currency, in that there was limited convertibility, fractional reserve banking and a unit of account set by the government, with commodity based money, in that there were limits to the amount of money that could be put into circulation. However, many nations failed to create appropriate legal checks and balances, and they continued to suffer inflationary booms and deflationary busts as a result. One recent example was the Argentine bust which followed the unravelling of its "currency board". Instead of being linked to gold, the peso was linked to the US dollar, which served as the hard money basis. When an economic crisis hit, dollar reserves fled the country, causing the monetary basis to collapse.

Credit-based monetary systems

After <u>World War II</u>, the Bretton Woods system was set up, which pegged the value of the United States dollar to 1/35 troy ounce s (888.671 milligram s) of gold (the " gold standard ") and other currencies to the U.S. dollar. The US promised to redeem dollars in gold to other central banks. Trade imbalances were corrected by gold reserve exchanges or by loans from the International Monetary Fund.

Global capitalism, wherein a currency is widely traded as a commodity in itself, is more likely to rely on <u>credit money</u> which can reflect both (commodity) supplies and protections of supplies (by states' military fiat s). It is not held stable by any one state but rather by tension between states, as investment migrates from currency to currency in an open " money market ". As long as there is an international feedback mechanism, whereby states that attempt to inflate their currency suffer a corresponding drop in international buying power, and an internal feedback mechanism, whereby the government is liable for economic failures that stem from fiscal or monetary irresponsibility, the money system does not take on the characteristics of a fiat money system. However, to proponents of hard money such mechanisms are not to be trusted, and all money not directly based on specie redeemable on demand is "fiat money".

This regime of asset-based money, or credit-based money, in which banks create currency as intermediaries and governments, in turn, back the banking system, produces a different series of problems. In no small part because it is not immediately easy to differentiate sound currencies from unsound ones and it is possible to convert credit-based money into fiat money by a legal act or regulation. The question of confidence dominates credit-based money, the confidence that a particular central bank or government will not act in a manner contrary to its national interest by allowing the money supply to rise or fall too much. Part of the system of confidence includes holding of reserves to be able to support a currency if attacked, and the issuing of debt to regulate the supply of currency.

Critiques of credit money expansion

Both Marxist economics and green economists view the evolution from fiat-centric to creditcentric regimes as fundamental to global capitalism, as direct imperialism and colonialism is replaced by more local intermediaries, and relations between rich and poor are defined more by debt.

Some groups (such as the anti-globalization movement or advocates of communism) characterize the shift as shallow and insincere. They argue that imperial or colonial powers (such as the United States or United Kingdom) retain full control of the military power, especially naval power critical to control of commodity trade, and delegate only local enforcement to their former colonies (now their "allies"). They also argue that the credit regime is biased very heavily towards nation-states avowing capitalism , accepting policy

from the International Monetary Fund, clearing their currencies via the Bank for International Settlements (BIS), and belonging to the World Trade Organization . These, they argue, simply extend the existing military fiat and its unfair advantages from colonialism, such as setting commodity prices artificially low.

Neo-classical economists respond that no nation is required to belong to any of these organizations, and that states such as Cuba and North Korea retain a strict military fiat and retain their own absolute control of currency, especially hard currency easily traded for goods on the Western markets. They point to the difficult economic position of these nations as evidence of the futility of maintaining fiat money regimes in a world run by mutual credit capitalism. To which critics respond that position has been amplified by isolation, sanctions and boycott, and these nations have suffered collateral damage due to their affiliation with the Soviet Union during the Cold War. This argument, however, is quite unconvincing to classical economists, who reply in turn that isolated economies are practicing not only fiat banking, but also protectionism â " practices which protect incompetent local competitors from competent global competitors.

The relation of fiat money, usury, <u>debt interest</u>, and <u>commodity money</u> is complex and must usually be established in a political economy as a whole. Competing national economies and their relative advantages and stabilities are reflected on global currency market s. There are moves to make the BIS employ <u>credit rating</u> s for nation-states to render them equivalent to corporations or landowners for the purpose of required reserves. This would "hardwire the credit culture" in the words of Andrew Crocket , former head of the Bank. It would also render it difficult or impossible to truly distinguish fiat money from credit money, as both would then rely on the hegemony of global capitalism and the nation-states that practice it. In effect, all hard currency would rise and fall based on the agreements behind the BIS itself.

The importance of fiat money as a concept



In a market economy, individuals should, ideally, make decisions based on the trade off between desires, particularly the trade off between having a good, service or license, and having the liquidity of money. When the role of the government in maintaining or backing the money supply is in question, the issue of credibility enters decisions. Economic actors begin making decisions they would otherwise not make for fear that the

currency or money that they hold will change in value radically. This risk produces economic distortions: people convert money to other forms, increasing the demand for goods that are not meant to be used, but hoarded. Economic actors will shelter income in other currencies, or charge higher interest rates. There may be a depression as money which is perceived to be of more durable value leaves circulation, governments may stop striking metallic coins that are retained by individuals.

Fiat money then calls into question the <u>veil of money</u>, money ceases to be a commodity like others, and begins to have special and peculiar properties. Instead of focusing on production, investment and consumption, economic actors begin to attempt to divine the actions of government. Since actors can have foreknowledge of government actions in a way they cannot have of a market, this leads to economic efforts to bribe, control or curry favor with the entities holding fiat power.

Fiat money is also closely tied to government borrowing for expenditures that do not have a clear social return, or which may have negative expectations, such as wars of conquest. Governments choose to pay for war in fiat money, rather than in hard currency or specie, on the belief that the returns of war will be sufficient to pay promised notes, and that during wartime shortage and austerity, goods are not available in any case. This has seldom proven to be the case absent strong inflationary controls. Instead, the usual cycle is for the value of fiat notes to trade at a significant discount to portable and stable forms of exchange, specifically those that will be tender regardless of the winning side in the conflict.

Fiat money is also associated with attempts to control trade, if individuals possess notes which are not redeemable outside of the control of a government, the idea is that they will have to purchase preferentially within the boundaries of the nation, rather than importing. (See Protectionism) It was David Hume who first argued that this merely leads to inflation by the quantity theory of money, even if the money is backed by specie.

Another aspect of fiat money is its relation to property rights. Many economists argue that since a government that has control over its territory can requisition, confiscate or otherwise ban the use of specie within its boundaries, or suspend promise payments - as has often happened in the past - the presence of fiat manipulation of money is seen as being a signal that a government is intent on abrogating property rights for other purposes.

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