

Resurrection Life of Jesus Church

FACING THE ANTICHRIST

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PART 1: THE SYSTEM OF THE ANTICHRIST

HOW CLOSE ARE WE?

I am sure that you have heard that if you put a frog in a pot of hot water, it will jump out, but if you put it in cold water and slowly heat the water, the frog will cook to death. The same holds true about the coming of the Antichrist. Very few people know how close we are to the coming of this evil man. The water has been slowly heating up but many Christians aren't taking notice. The purpose of this message is to check the temperature of the water.

The first thing is to look at one of the activities of the Antichrist. Jesus told us that the Antichrist system is going to have a total economic control over the earth and no transactions will take place unless the person is registered with the system. **Revelation 13:16-17**

MONEY

In the United States and the European Union, every person has a number that is used in transactions. It is known as a "Social Security Number" (SSN) in the United States and a "Person Number" (PN) in the European Union. No person can open a bank account or credit card without it and all real estate and automobile sales require the use of the number. Hospitals, doctors, dentists, insurance agencies, telephone and cell phone carriers, etc. require the number before services will be rendered.

Since most business is conducted with a credit or debit card, 90% of all transactions in 2010 require a SSN. Only cash is exempt from this but if you try to remove money from a savings account at a bank, any amount over \$5,000.00 requires a form with your number on it to be filled out. Many businesses, including government agencies, do not accept cash anymore; payment must be made by check or credit card. Cash cannot be controlled by the banking system and thus we are moving to a cashless society.

The Social Security administration prefers that people receive their monthly benefit by way of direct deposit. The IRS prefers that payroll taxes be transferred electronically to them. Large corporations do not pay by checks anymore; rather, it is a direct deposit to the worker's bank account. Individuals have moved away from cash and primarily used credit or debit cards for their purchases.

All the banks in the world are tied together through a giant computer system so that cash is no longer moved from one nation to another but it is all done electronically and the nerve center is located in New York City.



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Checks have been done away with in some countries of Europe and pressure had been brought to bear on the American people to give up their checking accounts and turn to debit and credit cards for all payments. Banks no longer returns checks with the monthly statement and most businesses use electronic transfer when they receive a check so that the money is credited to their account instantly.

Every person born after 1980 thinks that the way money is handled in 2010 is normal and sees no danger. When I immigrated to the United States in 1963 and applied for a Social Security card, here is what was stated on my card: **“For Social Security and Tax Purposes – Not for Identification.”** This statement was removed sometime between 1963 and today and the SSN has now become “identification” in the United States. The move toward a cashless society is well on its way, and when cash is no longer used, the stage will be set for the next step – the Mark of the Beast.



SURVEILLANCE

In 1980 the research to produce personal computers (PC) was underway. Up to that time the electric typewriter was king and every office worker had one. There were handheld calculators but no cell phones or Internet and research was carried out in libraries. Google and Yahoo were not even dreams and no one had heard of Craigslist. Science fiction talked about wrist radios that could be used as a telephone but the explosion of technology that took place from 1990 until today was unimaginable.

When personal computers were produced en masse from 1990, the surveillance technology took off at the same time. My first computer had a processor with a speed of 60 MHz and we thought that was fast. A lot has changed in twenty years. Nowadays when you turn on your computer it can be accessed via the Internet by other people. Every e-mail is intercepted by the super computers at National Security Agency (NSA) and scanned for certain buzz words. Every phone call you make – home phone or cell phone – is monitored by computers. When you dial 911 from a home, your name and address automatically show up on the computer screen in the call center; work is underway to track your cell phone to the nearest foot.

Transponders are put in cars, so if the car is stolen, it can be tracked by satellite and the location given to the police. All trucks, railroad cars and ships are tracked by transponders so the respective companies know at all times the location of their cargo.

Most pets are today given a microchip, and if they should be lost and later found, someone can scan their chip to find the owner's name, address and number. The

microchip can also store information such as when the pet was born, vaccination records and if there has been any surgeries.

A company by the name of Veri-Chip has developed a microchip which is used on babies and adults. In this way if a baby is lost, or an adult has an accident and cannot talk, the chip will have all the information the police or hospital needs in order to identify and treat the patient.

The United States Postal Service decided to introduce the Zip Code system in 1963. We were told it would speed up mail delivery but in reality the nation was divided into a grid system. Do you want to find a restaurant, use your cell phone to search out the name and/or zip code and the street address will pop up with a map to go with it. If you're sitting at home and want to see where a friend lives, just enter the street address with the zip code on Google and you'll be able to see a satellite picture along with a street view of the front of the house. The master surveillance plan was designed many years ago. The zip code was the first step toward implementing it.

In the times past city and county building departments would have to drive to a property and check for illegal buildings. Now all they have to do is use Google Maps to look at a property from their office. Any new construction, depending upon how often the satellite images are updated, will be seen and an inspector can be sent out to issue a citation.

When I was young, my first experience with a telephone was one serviced by an operator. She would ask you what number you wanted and then connect you. When the rotary phone came along we thought it was high tech until push button phones came out. Now we have added a small LCD screen on the telephone so that we can see who is calling and make a decision to answer the call or not. Next there came service called Skype where you sit at your computer with a webcam and have a video with conversation with anyone in the world.

All this great technology have a common denominator in that there is no privacy as all electronic messages are intercepted, retrieved and processed by the intelligence services of the nation you live in.

MOVING TOWARD TOTAL CONTROL

Every purchase made with a credit or debit card is recorded by the merchants and many grocery stores have introduced "club cards" that give instant discounts at when checking out. What the customer doesn't know is that every purchase is recorded and a profile is built on each customer so the management of a supermarket chain can at any given time pull up a customer's history and see their buying habits. This information is then used to decide what products will be carried in the store and how to advertise. All this is harmless now but what if a central database was built and every record of a person was put into that data system that from food shopping, clothing, fuel for your vehicles, restaurant visits, and traveling habits. A person's lifestyle is suddenly recorded including medical records from your doctor's office, records from the Department of Motor Vehicles, military records, arrest records, what you pay in taxes, do you possess a

passport and are you member of a gym are all things that would be collected in this database.

Credit bureaus have all your financial records, so if you're going to purchase a vehicle, it only takes a few minutes for the sales person to have a copy of what you borrowed, how many accounts you have, and how much you owe on each account and your credit score.

Have you tried to rent a car lately and pay by cash? Rental companies require a credit or debit card deposit or the backing of an insurance company. As we look at the situation today it becomes clear that there is no privacy and that all our dealings are known to someone out there but who is it?

When calling the utility company from your home phone, don't bother giving your name to the person answering because they can see your name and address on their computer screen along with your account number. Your Social Security number and your phone number are tied together.

Have you tried to buy a car with cash lately? They will let you buy the vehicle but not until you have filled in a form with your name, address and SSN. This was my experience and I asked the dealer what was wrong with cash? He told me that since the attack on September 11, 2001, Homeland Security demands that no vehicle be sold unless the person has been investigated and found not to be a terrorist. The car dealer in effect has to use the information given by the customer and check if they are on a government terrorist list.

Have you tried to buy a gun without filling out an application that asks for a SSN?

If you have not paid your taxes or child support, the government in many cases will just extract it from your bank account.

Look at all the video cameras set up at businesses and on the streets in various cities; someone is watching you.

THE STAGE IS SET FOR THE ANTICHRIST

Adolf Hitler and his Nazi regime relied upon an elaborate card system set up in Germany using IBM sorting and reading machines to control people. The system was crude but it worked as long as the data had been entered. The old IBM machines have now been replaced by computers that can retrieve information about people in seconds.

The only things missing are the man that will be the Antichrist and a global computer system which will have access to all the aforementioned databases. Once that is in place, a person will not be able to buy or sell unless they have been cleared by the system. Here is what to look for:

1. The man that will become the world leader is going to be a Satan worshipper.
Revelation 13:1-2
2. He will be of Jewish descent but he will not worship the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. He will also be a practicing homosexual. **Daniel 11:36-39**

3. The man will be assassinated in the beginning of his reign but will be resurrected from the dead. **Revelation 13:3**
4. He will initiate Satan worship. **verse 4**
5. He will blaspheme God. **verse 5-6**
6. He will persecute all Christians. **verses 7-9**
7. At his side will be a powerful prophet, who will be the religious leader and bring in world religions into one fold. **verses 11-12**
8. The prophet will have enormous miracle powers and will deceive the people. **verses 13-14**
9. All television sets will have video cameras in them so that when it comes time to worship the beast (Antichrist), and people do not bow down in their homes, it will be seen in control centers and the person will be arrested and executed. **verse 15**
10. You won't be able to sell or buy without the Mark of the Antichrist, nor will you have a job, place to live, automobile, food or medical care; you will have nothing since all these things at this time will be controlled. **verses 16-18**

TAKE THE MARK AND YOU ARE FOREVER LOST

The Antichrist period is a time for which few, if any, are prepared. Christians in Europe and the United States are living a soft life with persecution that is mostly verbal. Jesus did not mince words when He stated that if a person takes the Mark of the Beast, they will have forfeited all rights to be saved, and if they are saved, they will have lost the salvation they possessed. Jesus will not tolerate any person taking the mark regardless of the pressure; take the Mark and you are damned forever! **Revelation 14:9-11**

Are you prepared to take a stand?

Remember, it's not so important how you begin your life after salvation, but how you finish it!

Have you made plans on how to finish your life or are you just drifting?

DO YOU HAVE AN EAR TO HEAR WITH?