

The AntiChrist Pt1

Selected Scriptures

Introduction

A Warning of Deception

If you have been a Christian for any length of time, you should be aware that there are a variety of views concerning the Return of Jesus Christ. I have for the sake of simplicity of my mind created a few categories.

Spiritualist

Pacifist

Literalist

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Idealist

Traditionalist

Preterist

Prognostic

These views all have one thing in common. Their Hermeneutic or lack of Hermeneutic The Rules for interpretation of scripture. There are Bridges you have to cross when considering any passage of scripture.

They Are

Historic Bridge

Geographic Bridge

Linguistic Bridge

Contextual Bridge

Theological Bridge

Why do I bring this up.... Because, how skillful one is in applying these rules of Hermeneutics to enable one to cross these bridges will greatly affect there conclusion of their belief a what scripture teaches concerning any given subject. With that said we have a number of views concerning Eschatology and more specifically the Antichrist. From those how deny his existence all together to those who see him in every new atheistic dictatorial ruler that comes on the scene. What has happened is a great span of ignorance and confusion that has led to a delusion and apathy concerning this topic. This concerns me very much.

It is almost as if a planned attack by the evil one himself has created the confusion to distract the church from being discerning of the times and the seasons and to be aware of the Antichrist and His emergence

Author Pink

Wrote in his book on the “Antichrist”

Across the varied scenes depicted by prophecy there falls the shadow of a figure at once commanding and ominous. Under many different names like the aliases of a criminal, his character and movements are set before us.... this one who will be the full embodiment of human wickedness and the final manifestation of satanic blasphemy.

For upwards of twelve years we have studied diligently and prayerfully what the Scriptures teach about the Pseudo-Christ. The deeper we have carried these studies, the more surprised we are at the prominent place which is given in the Bible to this Son of Perdition. There is an amazing wealth of detail which, when carefully collected and arranged, supplies a vivid biography of the one who is shortly to appear and take the government of the world upon his shoulders. The very fact that the Holy Spirit has caused so much to be written upon the subject at once denotes its great importance.

The appearing of the Antichrist is a most appalling and momentous subject, and in the past, many well-meaning writers have deprived this impending event of much of its terror and meaning, by confusing some of the antichrists that have already appeared at various intervals on the stage of human history, with that mysterious being who will tower high above all the sons of Belial, being no less than Satan's counterfeit and opposer of the Christ of God. It promotes the interests of Satan to keep the world in ignorance of the coming Super-man, and there can be no doubt that he is the one who is responsible for the general neglect in the study of this subject, and the author, too, of the conflicting testimony which is being given out by those who speak and write concerning it.

Jesus and Paul gave stern warning of the possibility of deception

Matt 24:4,11

Matt 24:23-24

Mark 13:5,9,21

Luke 21:8

I Thess 4:13

I Thess 5:6

There are examples of men that are similar to this Antichrist, we could say they are glimmers of light from fire of the antichrist.

We look back in history, we have a little preview of that kind of individual, all the way back around 168 B.C. in the king of Syria by the name of Antiochus. His name was Antiochus. He called himself **Antiochus Epiphanies** which means the great one. The people called him Antiochus Epiphanies, which means the maniac. He was king of Syria. And his goal was to blaspheme God and to eliminate Judaism from the world. He invaded Jerusalem, killed thousands of Jews, sold them into slavery.

He made it a crime punishable by death to circumcise a child or own a copy of the law. He erected an altar to Zeus in the temple. And he offered a pig on it, to blaspheme God. He took the temple chambers which were occupied by worshipers and priests and Levites and made them brothels for prostitutes. He was a deliberate desecrator, a cold-blooded enemy of God attempting to wipe out the Jewish religion, wipe out the worship of God and wipe out the Jews together. He was anti-God. He was a picture of the one to come. He didn't succeed. God used the Maccabee family to lead a revolt that divested him of his power and spared the people of Israel.

But there's another even more graphic illustration of the kind of man Antichrist will be. And that man's name **is Adolph Hitler**. Any close look at the life of Hitler will reveal the possibility and the potentiality of such a man as Antichrist. He is perhaps in human history the single greatest model of this man. The effort of Hitler was to rule the world. Hitler hated God and Hitler hated Jesus Christ. Hitler hated the Jews and attempted to wipe them off the face of the earth in a Satanic plot to therefore eliminate the people of God and therefore disallow the promise of God to redeem Israel and give them a kingdom. Hitler was demonic. If ever a man was possessed not by just any demon or demons but Satan himself, it would have had to have been Adolph Hitler. He is the classic historical example of Antichrist

In a fascinating book called *The Morning of the Magicians* by Lewis Powells(?) and Jacque Brigerre(?), published by Avon Books in 1969, we learn some background about this unbelievable man. The authors, who by the way are non-Christians, had nothing to do with Christianity, present their case from the records of the Nuremberg trials, thousands of books and reviews and testimony personally from eyewitnesses. Here's what they say, "It is impossible to understand Hitler's political plans unless one is familiar with his basic beliefs and his conviction that there is a magical relationship between man and the universe."

In fact, in their book they tell how Hitler was fascinated with mysticism and that he was deeply immersed into the ideas of mysticism. He saw rather mystically the miracle of his own destiny as the action of unseen powerful spirit forces. The Aeneids of Plutonium were read in little mystical societies of pro-German intellectuals, along with ancient Hindu texts, Niche(?) and the writings of Tibetan magicians. The probable explanation they write for Hitler's deeds is the existence of a magical puzzle, a powerful and Satanic mystical covenant. "We shall never be safe from Nazism or rather from certain manifestations of the Satanic which through the Nazis cast its dark shadow over the world until we have roused ourselves to a full understanding of the most fantastic aspects of the Hitlerian adventure."

Another book entitled *The Hollow Earth* written by Eric Norman in 1972 gives more information. He says that Hitler and his Nazi oriented society was a secret occult society. And the whole story is a macabre tale from the Hollow Earth Cult.

The Hollow Earth Cult for centuries has believed that the earth is hollow. And in some place in the hollow earth dwells some advanced beings and they have powers beyond human power. If men on the earth are to be able to exercise that power they have to enter in to league with those beings in the hollow earth. When they enter in to that kind of alliance they become the slaves of the hollow earth powers. Eric Norman writes, "Nazi records seized after the fall of the Third Reich indicate that Hitler and his henchmen launched several expeditions to try to find the hollow earth." Hitler's concept, for example, of using children came from occult writings on the Hollow Earth. From those writings he formed his corps of adolescent werewolves, as he called them, with black uniforms and sinister death's heads on their sleeves.

Hitler's whole Third Reich was wedded to the black occult. One of his greatest generals, one of his most well-known was a man named Karl Haushofer(?). Haushofer for many years had been a member of The Society Of The Golden Dawn. Now that is a very ancient society of occult involvement. I am somewhat familiar with it because of writings in other fields than just Adolph Hitler. I met a young man in Hollywood on one occasion who had written two rock musicals, both of those rock musicals he said he wrote under total influence by a demon so that he didn't even know what he was writing until he came out of the trance. In the process of writing those rock operas he got involved with mediums and demons and was getting and giving messages coming from demonic sources. In that process he came across some fascinating literature. Through sheer fear and terror he came to Christ out of all of that and brought me some of the books and much of what I read in the books that he had for me was about The Society Of The Golden Dawn. It is an age-old black magic occult society.

Karl Haushofer was a part of that society and it was he who inspired Hitler to write Mein Kampf(?). He had visited Tibet and China, India, he had adopted Buddhist beliefs and was initiated into secret Buddha societies from which only suicide was an escape. It was said that Haushofer had amazing psychic powers. And most of the people who write about Hitler who know this say that Haushofer was the black magician that controlled Hitler. Even Rudolph Hess said, quote: "Haushofer was the power, the magician behind Hitler and his demonic legions." It was as if Hitler was a medium and Haushofer was the magician. The swastika was no German sign, swastika was a magical symbol in China and Europe, a symbol in the black occult.

By 1925 a group of Tibetan monks had moved to Berlin. All of these Tibetan monks were members of a black order, swearing allegiance to the power of darkness. Supposedly they had contact with the hollow earth spirits. From that time on funds were made available by the Nazis to finance expeditions to Mongolia and expeditions to Tibet to dig deeper into the black occult. When Germany fell several hundred in secret service, S.F.(?) Death head uniforms were found to be Himalayan orientals who had no ID. The whole Third Reich was infested with these monks from the black occult. Rosenberg(?) wrote, "They were the last of the black monks who helped Hitler's dark menacing movement."

In March of 1946 Househoffer killed his wife and then before a Buddhist altar killed himself and his son said he knew his father was the magician behind Adolph Hitler. The seven founders of Nazism were all deep in the occult. Powells and Brigerre wrote, "One cannot help but think of him as a medium...that is Hitler...most of the time mediums were ordinary insignificant people. Suddenly they're endowed with what seems to be supernatural powers. It was in this way beyond any doubt Hitler was possessed by forces beyond himself, demoniacal forces which the individual named Hitler was only the temporary vehicle for." They said when he got up front of the crowds to speak, the voice that they heard was not his voice. It was an unearthly voice, not at all like the voice they heard him use in conversation.

So here was a man possessed by Satan. One eyewitness said this, "A person close to Hitler told me that he wakes up in the night screaming and in convulsions. He calls for help and appears to be half paralyzed. He is seized with a panic that makes him tremble until the bed shakes. He utters confused and unintelligible sounds, gasping as if on the point of suffocation. Hitler was standing in his room swaying and looking all around as if he were lost. 'It's he...it's he...it's he, he's come for me,' he groaned. His lips were white, he was sweating profusely. Suddenly he uttered a string a meaningless figures. Then words and scraps of sentences. It was terrifying. Then suddenly he screamed...'There...there, over in the corner, he's there.' All the time stamping his feet and screaming."

This is Hitler. This is a man totally possessed by Satan, attempting to take over the whole world, blaspheme Christ, blaspheme God and wipe out the Jews. This is a preview of Antichrist. Hitler said, quote: "There is another species of humanity which doesn't deserve the name, left as a relic of some baser form of life, created along with hideous crawling creatures, namely gypsies, Negroes and Jews. They are," he said, "as far removed from us as animals are from humans. I do not mean I look on Jews as animals, they are much further removed from animals than we are. They are creatures outside nature," end quote.

He butchered six million and wanted to kill every Jew on the face of the earth. The man Hitler...a vehicle for a Satanic plot to wipe out the people of God and destroy God's plan and God's kingdom. Could such a man exist? Yes. We've seen some previews. Antichrist will be a hundred Hitler's rolled into one, a man to be Satan's tool to destroy Israel, to kill the saints, to blaspheme God, to blaspheme Christ, to destroy all religion except the worship of himself and lead the world to hell. It is this man of whom Paul speaks.

- I. The Important sign of Antichrist**
 - a.** II Thess 2
 - b.** Matt 24:15
 - c.** Rev. 13
- II. The Instructional Scriptures of Antichrist**
- III. The Islamic Significance of Antichrist**