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We are at 2024! What time is it? We have an article below from Brent Meikle that discusses this very thing! We also have Melissa Jordan starting a series about "Getting Ready!" Things are moving fast and the world is getting so old. The weather is getting crazy. Every day it seems there is an earthquake in the news from somewhere. It used to be once a month or so that it actually shows up on the news. Many fires, floods and deaths are now constantly in all the news.

How much more can happen? We do know that our Father is in control but all that will not matter if we do not study! Time is getting short, there's almost no time to "get" ready, we need to BE ready. Pray for each other. Pray to our Father and His Son to protect us and give us strength. Many are worried about their loved ones. Continue to pray for them. Our Father hears all our prayers. We need to be strong and ready so when others come with questions and concerns, we have immediate answers. Share the messages from YouTube. Share the books! Just let us know what you need or what we can help with. You are all part of our family. Are you ready for Jesus to come? If He showed up tomorrow, would you be ready?? We

never know when our time is. Please don't miss out on our trip to heaven! It will be sooner than many think.

The following was written many years ago but it seems to apply more now than it did in her day. Times are changing. We must study and BE ready.

PROPHETS & KINGS IN THE SPIRIT AND POWER OF ELIAS

But how is that law disregarded! Behold the world today in open rebellion against God. This is in truth a froward generation, filled with ingratitude, formalism, insincerity, pride, and apostasy. Men neglect the Bible and hate truth. Jesus sees His law rejected, His love despised, His ambassadors treated with indifference. He has spoken by His mercies, but these have been unacknowledged; He has spoken by warnings, but these have been unheeded. The temple courts of the human soul have been turned into places of unholy traffic. Selfishness, envy, pride, malice—all are cherished.

Many do not hesitate to sneer at the word of God. Those who believe that word just as it reads are held up to ridicule. There is a growing contempt for law and order, directly traceable to a violation of the plain commands of Jehovah. Violence and crime are the result of turning aside from the path of obedience. Behold the wretchedness and misery of multitudes who worship at the shrine of idols and who seek in vain for happiness and peace.

Behold the well-nigh universal disregard of the Sabbath commandment. Behold also the daring impiety of those who, while enacting laws to safeguard the supposed sanctity of the first day of the week, at the same time are making laws legalizing the liquor traffic. Wise above that which is written, they attempt to coerce the consciences of men, while lending their sanction to an evil that brutalizes and destroys the beings created in the image of God. It is Satan himself who inspires such legislation. He well knows that the curse of God will rest on those who exalt human enactments above the divine, and he does all in his power to lead men into the broad road that ends in destruction.

So long have men worshiped human opinions and human institutions that almost the whole world is following after idols. And he who has endeavored to change God's law is using every deceptive artifice to induce men and women to array themselves against God and against the sign by which the righteous are known. But the Lord will not always suffer His law to be broken and despised with impunity. There is a time coming when "the lofty looks of man shall be humbled, and the haughtiness of men shall be bowed down, and the Lord alone shall be exalted in that day." Isaiah 2:11. Skepticism may treat the claims of God's law with jest, scoffing, and denial. The spirit of worldliness may contaminate the many and control the few, the cause of God may hold its ground only by great exertion and continual sacrifice, yet in the end the truth will triumph gloriously.

In the closing work of God in the earth, the standard of His law will be again exalted. False religion may prevail, iniquity may abound, the love of many may wax cold, the cross of Calvary may be lost sight of, and darkness, like the pall of death, may spread over the world; the whole force of the popular current may be turned against the truth; plot after plot may be formed to overthrow the people of God; but in the hour of greatest peril the God of Elijah will raise up human instrumentalities to bear a message that will not be silenced. In the populous cities of the land, and in the places where men have gone to the greatest lengths in speaking against the Most High, the voice of stern rebuke will be heard. Boldly will men of God's appointment denounce the union of the church with the world. Earnestly will they call upon men and women to turn from the observance of a man-made institution to the observance of the true Sabbath. "Fear God, and give glory to Him," they will proclaim to every nation; "for the hour of His judgment is come: and worship Him that made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and the fountains of waters.... If any man worship the beast and his image, and receive his mark in his forehead, or in his hand, the same shall drink of the wine of the wrath of God, which is poured out without mixture into the cup of His indignation." Revelation 14:7-10.

God will not break His covenant, nor alter the thing that has gone out of His lips. His word will stand fast forever as unalterable as His throne. At the judgment this covenant will be brought forth, plainly written with the finger of God, and the world will be arraigned before the bar of Infinite Justice to receive sentence.

Today, as in the days of Elijah, the line of demarcation between God's commandment-keeping people and the worshipers of false gods is clearly drawn. "How long halt ye between two opinions?" Elijah cried; "if the Lord be God, follow Him: but if Baal, then follow him." 1 Kings 18:21. And the message for today is: "Babylon the great is fallen, is fallen.... Come out of her, My people, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her plagues. For her sins have reached unto heaven, and God hath remembered her iniquities." Revelation 18:2, 4, 5.



The time is not far distant when the test will come to every soul. The observance of the false sabbath will be urged upon us. The contest will be between the commandments of God and the commandments of men.

Those who have yielded step by step to worldly demands and conformed to worldly customs will then yield to the powers that be, rather than subject themselves to derision, insult, threatened imprisonment, and death. At that time the gold will be separated from the dross. True godliness will be clearly distinguished from the appearance and tinsel of it. Many a star that we have admired for its brilliance will then go out in darkness. Those who have assumed the ornaments of the sanctuary, but are not clothed with Christ's righteousness, will then appear in the shame of their own nakedness.

Among earth's inhabitants, scattered in every land, there are those who have not bowed the knee to Baal. Like the stars of heaven, which appear only at night, these faithful ones will shine forth when darkness covers the earth and gross darkness the people. In heathen Africa, in the Catholic lands of Europe and of South America, in China, in India, in the islands of the sea, and in all the dark corners of the earth, God has in reserve a firmament of chosen ones that will yet shine forth amidst the darkness, revealing clearly to an apostate world the transforming power of obedience to His law. Even now they are appearing in every nation, among every tongue and people; and in the hour of deepest apostasy, when Satan's supreme effort is made to cause "all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond," to receive, under penalty of death, the sign of allegiance to a false rest day, these

faithful ones, "blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without rebuke," will "shine as lights in the world." <u>Revelation 13:16</u>; <u>Philippians 2:15</u>. The darker the night, the more brilliantly will they shine.

What strange work Elijah would have done in numbering Israel at the time when God's judgments were falling upon the backsliding people! He could count only one on the Lord's side. But when he said, "I, even I only, am left; and they seek my life," the word of the Lord surprised him, "Yet I have left Me seven thousand in Israel, all the knees which have not bowed unto Baal." 1 Kings 19:14, 18.

Then let no man attempt to number Israel today, but let everyone have a heart of flesh, a heart of tender sympathy, a heart that, like the heart of Christ, reaches out for the salvation of a lost world.

Prophets and Kings, Ellen White, Ch 14, 185-189

GET READY! STUDY TO SHOW THYSELF APPROVED

By Melissa Jordan

We can see the storm approaching. Dark heavy clouds are on the horizon. Although we are not sure exactly when or where the storm will drop its payload, we can prepare. We know a storm is coming, relentless in its fury. We can see time is getting short. What exactly are we to do to prepare? What will we need in order to weather the storm. We will each have our own set of circumstances and providences that our Heavenly Father will put in our path. However, there is one common thread. His word.

2 Tim 4:2- Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; and they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables.

A time is coming when people will start to realize they are missing something and start to look for it. When people are searching for truth, we must be ready to share. But share what exactly?

Can you, can I, explain from the scriptures why we believe what we believe? We are told we will be called in front of magistrates, courts, groups of people to share



our beliefs. Let us begin to learn the pillars of our faith like our salvation depends on it. Or like our loved ones that do not yet believe that their lives depend on it. We need to get serious about our religion. I will start a series of messages on our beliefs and I encourage us all to practice, drill, rehearse until we know these things like the back of our hands. I will go in no particular order and each one may not even be complete. We need to study these things like good Bereans and make sure they are true. We must learn to stand on the word of God and nothing else. We can do this! He promised! Let's get started!



Prayer – always begin with prayer asking our Father to guide us by sending His spirit. Take a moment to pray and then continue reading.

The first angel:

Revelation 14:6-And I saw another angel fly in the midst of heaven, having the everlasting gospel to preach unto them that dwell on the earth, and to every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people,

7 Saying with a loud voice, Fear God, and give glory to him; for the hour of his judgment is come: and worship him that made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and the fountains of waters.

In these verses is a message of hope. It means there is still time to get right with God. This angel has the everlasting gospel that includes the judgment as well as the Sabbath. It also speaks of creation and who we should worship. It says "another angel." There were other angels that were mentioned before in this book. However, these three mentioned in this chapter, are particularly sent with a very specific message. A message that will continue to be sounded as long as probation lasts. A message that the world needs to hear.

With all the sorrow and pain in the world, there is a place of rest in the middle of it all. Mat 11:28 Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Not only do we have a weekly rest, but a rest from our sin! The Mesiah and Him alone can do that for us. We are to be servants of the Creator. We will one day, sooner than we may think, be called upon to defend our faith from those who would try to wrest our salvation from us by compromise.

We know God is true. We know His Son is coming back to take us home. He promised He will have a clean and holy people to come back to. Let's get ready and be ready and help others get ready! (To be continued...)

NEW BETV SERIES: "THE COVENANT CODE" PRESENTED BY: BRENT MEIKLE

Each Sabbath Morning at 10:00 a.m. Pacific Time

"THE COVENANT CODE©" is a new weekly Series on BETV that evidences the Truth of the GOD's Word and reveals the certainty of the soon return of Jesus Christ. The evidence for both the Truth of the



Word of GOD and of the looming return of Jesus Christ is overwhelming. The problem of the lack of faith in GOD's Word in our generation is not a lack of evidence. The problem is we have been conditioned to refuse to observe the evidence. Our "search for truth" ends at "google". We have adopted the popular secondary beliefs of others as our own without question.

In 1993 the Internet had become mainstream in the USA. Over the next 30-years the rise in popularity of the Internet is in direct proportion to the decline in faith in the truthfulness of the Bible. In May of 2022 Gallop Poles reported American belief in the truthfulness of the Christian Bible had declined over 50% in only 3 decades. The opinion shaping effect of the Internet has resulted in more Americans now believing the Bible is a "myth" of collected fables (29%) than those who believe the Bible is the Written, Documented and Preserved Word of GOD (20%).

Modern Internet Searches conclude that the Bible is untrue, and not written at the time or by the authors attributed to the Books. The most common assertion is that there is zero evidence for the truthfulness of the Biblical Testimony. Not so ironically, these social-shaping opinions are not supported by any genuine evidence. Instead, these false claims rely solely upon sophisticated arguments created to make the claims "appear" to be true. False arguments purposed to deceive.

From the beginning, the Bible informs us that the Principalities of Evil have sought to entrap and enslave mankind through leading us to no longer observe the Word of GOD. Adam and Eve were ensnared by this agelessly cunning device. They were deceived into no longer observing GOD's Word by a fraudster offering zero evidence for his false claims outside of his deceptive rhetoric. Thousands of years of perfecting this art of rhetoric and sophism has preserved this desired effect.

We believe we are too intelligent and too aware to be deceived by seemingly obvious chicanery. But when we open the Bible in some form of "search for truth" most don't get far until they encounter a testimony that contradicts their preconceived "beliefs". The first

Chapters we hear of a Supernatural GOD and Creator of Heaven and Earth and all life therein. This does not conform to their natural origin beliefs. They believe only those areas that conform to their existing beliefs.

This is not a search for truth. It does not allow the Bible to speak for itself and demonstrate the evidence of its truth. It assumes the Word of GOD is subject to the manmade theories opposing GOD's Word. Those who choose to try and maintain a faith in GOD's Word despite these contradictions end up in a "pick and choose" belief in the truthfulness of the Bible. Most choose not to believe or observe it at all. The ability to obscure GOD's Word and keep others from observing it through baseless rhetorical arguments demonstrates the effectiveness of these devices.

Yet we will discover it is our slumbering generation that the Word of GOD has foretold will awaken in spirit and in truth to Herald the Glorious Return of Jesus Christ. More will come to a genuine faith in GOD's Word in our generation than all those before us combined. Our generation will "Walk" and be 'Taught by GOD". "And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars for ever and ever" (Daniel 12:3).



We will be Taught by GOD through our observance of His Word as it is preserved in the Biblical Testimony. Unfiltered and unobscured by contradicting theories, doctrines, traditions, and

other man-made corruptions, we will observe the Word of GOD and allow it to speak for itself. GOD has called our generation to ignore human corruptions and carefully observe His original Word. In so doing we discover something no generation before ours has been able to observe so clearly.

My Series is titled, "THE COVENANT CODE©". It is the first written works to demonstrate that GOD embedded an Apocalyptic Clock in His Written Word in the Tabernacle Pattern that Prophetically foretold the Apocalypse of Jesus Christ to the end from the beginning. As it is Written, "Declaring the end from the beginning, and from ancient times the things that are not yet done, saying, My counsel shall stand, and I will do all my pleasure" (Isaiah: 46:10).

This Prophetic Timeline is found in the first Books of the Bible in the writings of the Prophet Moses. An "Apocalypse" is a Revelation of a formerly unknown Truth that is so powerful that it obliterates both the deception that existed before it and those that attempted to coverup and conceal the Truth for their own unrighteous gain. Like when a District Attorney exposes a corrupt official so that they can no longer deceive the people. Except on a more colossal scale. In an Apocalypse.

The Promise of GOD sending His Son to expose and destroy the works and principalities of evil are first found in the opening chapters of the first book of the Bible. The last book of the Bible was originally titled, "The Apocalypse". The first sentence of the Book read, "The Apocalypse of Jesus Christ". Modern English Biblical Translators replaced the original Greek Word "Apocalypse" with the English, "Revelation". It now thus reads, "The Revelation of Jesus Christ".

The Book is both a Revelation of Jesus Christ and by Jesus Christ. It testifies Who Jesus truly is and what He has done on behalf of mankind from the begging of Creation. It is the Testimony of Jesus recorded by the Apostle John. In it Christ reveals all that would occur from that time until His Glorious Return. Each generation is given specific instructions to observe during their time. The last generation before His Return is given specific instructions to Herald His Glorious Return.

The subtitle of this series reads, 'It's About The Apocalypse Of Jesus Christ And It's About Time'. The specific instructions Jesus gives to the Last Generation that will witness His Return are found in Chapters 10 and 11 of the Book of His Apocalypse (or translated today as "Revelation"). Here we are shown that what the Prophet Daniel was instructed to "Seal" and conceal until the End Times would be "unsealed", digested, and observed as an "open book" by this generation. The greater purpose of this Gift from GOD to the last generation is to empower us in Spirit, Knowledge, Wisdom, and Truth to enable us to Evangelize the World once more as was done at first in the days of Christ's Apostles. We are specifically directed to, "Rise, and measure the temple of God, and the altar, and them that worship therein. But the court, which is without the temple leave out, and measure it not; for it is given unto the Gentiles" (Revelation 11:1-2).

We are instructed to observe (measure) the original GOD-Given Pattern for the Tabernacle and later Temple. We are also told not to observe the "outside court" as it was a man-made corruption (through King Herod) that was not part of GOD's Original Pattern. This Pattern given to Moses is the uncorrupted foundation of the Israelites Worship Observance. GOD had called Moses to the top of the Mountain and Revealed the Tabernacle Plan to him. "Tabernacle" means, "To Dwell". On three occasions GOD gave Moses a specific Warning. Moses was strictly warned not to deviate from the GOD-Given Pattern. GOD

also Promised Moses a specific Blessing. That once Moses had fully observed the Pattern in constructing the Tabernacle that GOD would Dwell among them.

Moses led the people in constructing the Tabernacle in direct observance of the Pattern. When it was completed, GOD Supernaturally filled the Tabernacle with the brilliance of His Glory that was so intense Moses, nor any other man, could enter the Tabernacle. GOD's Presence was manifest in the Tabernacle as an observable sign of His Promise to Dwell among them. For the next 1,400-years the Nation of Israel observed the ceremonial laws given through Moses in the Tabernacle Pattern for their worship observance up until Jesus Himself appeared in its fulfillment.

After observing firsthand all the Supernatural Acts of Christ, the Disciples of Jesus were first to write about the relationship between the Tabernacle and Jesus. They revealed that the Tabernacle Pattern was in fact a blueprint of all that GOD would accomplish through Jesus to reconcile man to GOD. That Christ came in exact fulfillment of the Tabernacle Pattern. The Word was made flesh and Tabernacled (Dwelt) among us. For this reason, Moses was warned not to deviate from the Pattern. Had he corrupted the Pattern it would have obscured its fulfillment through Jesus.

As It Is Written, "The (Tabernacle) is a copy and shadow of what is in heaven. This is why Moses was warned when he was about to build the Tabernacle: "See to it that you make everything according to the pattern shown you on the mountain" (Hebrews:8.5). And again, "These (Tabernacle Pattern Laws) are a shadow of the things to come, but the body that casts it belongs to Christ" (Colossians 2:17). The Tabernacle Pattern given to Moses foreshadows all that GOD would do until the end on behalf of mankind through Jesus Christ to reconcile man back to GOD.

This direct relationship between our observance of the Tabernacle Pattern and its fulfillments through Jesus Christ is GOD-Purposed. The Tabernacle Pattern is the Blueprint for the Apocalypse of Jesus Christ whereby the end is foretold from the beginning. The setting for the entire book of Revelation ("Apocalypse") is the Tabernacle(s) and Temple(s) on Heaven and Earth. In this Holy setting Christ describes the beginnings and foretells the events to His Return. Seven times in the Book of Revelation a Blessing is Promised to all who "read, hear, and observe (obey and follow)" the Prophecy. The Promise is Sure. Each week we are Blessed as we witness the Truth therein.

Join me at 10:00 a.m. Pacific Time each Sabbath as we obey the instructions of the Risen Christ and observe the

original Pattern and witness all that GOD has preserved to be observed by the last generation at Christ's Return. Line upon line, precept upon precept, we observe the Prophetic Truth of the Tabernacle in a manner beyond any generation before us. What will we see? What we will see is beyond description. Just as I could attempt to describe a breath of air but could not really convey how important it was to me---it is everything---it is my breath of life. In the same manner, I simply invite you to come and see. Watch, Breathe Deep, and experience His Blessings.



PLEASE NOTE this series first began on December 16 and is every Sabbath morning at 10 a.m. Pacific time on our live Zoom, Bible Explorations Roku Channel, Bible Explorations YouTube, our website, etc. If you have missed any of these in the series, you can catch up by going to BibleExplorations.com/YT and search for this series. There is Intro, Part 1 and Part 2 and December 30th will be Part 3 and so on. If you have trouble finding it, please call or email us. We feel this is very important information and that God has led Brent in this series. He is coming soon and we need to see it in the pattern! OR START WATCHING BRENT MIEKLE'S SERIES NOW AT: http://Bit.ly/TheCovenantCodeIntro

REPEATED PROPHECIES IN DANIEL AND THE REVELATION

By Elder VanDenburgh with SOP

(We put this in a newsletter not long ago, but felt it was very important for our time so adding it in again.)

"A fiery stream issued and came forth from before Him: thousand thousands ministered unto Him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood before Him. The judgment was set, and the books were opened."

The above Scriptures are most often applied to the beginning of the judgment of the dead in 1844. Notice Ellen White's statement:

"...The work of judgment, which began in 1844, must continue until the cases of all are decided, both of the living and the dead; hence it will extend to the closer of human probation." AFTER 1844.

"When the judgment shall sit, and the books shall be opened, and every man shall be judged according to the things written in the books. Then the tables of stone, hidden by God until that day, will be presented before the world as the standard of righteousness." RH January 28,1909.

NOTE: "When the judgment shall sit" refers to some phase of the investigative judgment. Not the second coming. But rather to a time with the judgment is sitting in session.

"Then men and women will see that the prerequisite of their salvation is obedience to the perfect law of God. None will find excuse for sin. By the righteous principles of that law, men will receive their sentence of life or death." RH January 28, 1909.

QUESTION: If the judgment of 1844 did sit, as we have correctly taught, then what is this judgment that shall sit? Please notice it once again, this time from IT100:

"The church must be purged, and it will be. God reigns, let the people praise Him. I have not the most distant thought of sinking down. I mean to be right and do right. The judgment is to sit, the books are to be opened, and we are to be judged according to our deeds."

Could it be that judgment has convened with each successive generation since 1844, and convenes for the last time with the final generation? The next quotation may suggest just such a thought:

In the time of the end – the time in which we are now living -- the vision was to speak and not lie.

"Beginning with those who first lived upon the earth, our Advocate presents the case of each successive generation, and closes with the living." GC 483

Regardless, there are numerous quotes to let us know a certain phase of investigative judgment would be in session yet future from her day:

"Those who would have the benefits of the Savior's mediation should permit nothing to interfere with their duty to perfect holiness in the fear of God...how important then that every mind contemplate the solemn scene when

the judgment shall sit, and the books shall be opened, ...GC 488

QUESTION: What judgment is about to begin?

"...now, when the great work of judging the living is about to begin, shall we allow unsanctified ambition to take possession of the heart and lead us to neglect the education required to meet the need in this day of peril? 6T130 "We are nearing the judgment, and those who bear the message of warning to the world must have clean hands and pure hearts." TM 426

NOTE: The importance of this future judgment and the opening of the books is emphasized in RH Dec. 16, 1890. (well this side of 1844). "The Lord reads every secret of the heart. He knows all things. You may now close the book of your remembrance, in order to escape confessing your sins; but when the judgment shall sit, and the books shall be opened, you cannot close them. The recording angel has testified that which is true."

Notice the investigative phase of the judgment to come includes, or may even be preceded by, the purging of the church:

"...as we near the judgment, all will manifest their true character, and it will be made plain to what company they belong. The sieve is moving. Let us not say 'stay Thy hand, O God.' The church must be purged, and it will be." IT100

NOTE: It would be easy to conclude that the church will be purged just prior to the judgment of the living. Maybe that's why Peter wrote: Judgment begins at the house of the Lord. If the church is not purged just prior to the judgment of the living, then it is surely purged at the beginning of it.

Most of us have believed that most everything recorded by Daniel was fulfilled prior to 1844. About all that was left was the 2nd coming.

"...the prophetic visions of Daniel and John foretell a period of moral darkness and declension; but at the time of the end, -- the time in which we are now living -- the vision was to speak, and not lie." 5T9,10.

(Prophets often thought they were living in the end times.) In the next statement she indicates some of Daniel has never been fulfilled at all.

"...The prophecies present a succession of events leading down to the opening of the judgment (1844). This is especially true of the book of Daniel. But that part of his prophecy which related to the last days, Daniel was bidden to close up and seal 'to the time of the end." CG356

"The book that was sealed was not the book of Revelation, but that portion of the prophecy of Daniel which related to the last days."

"...The book of Daniel is unsealed in the revelation to John and carries us forward (not backward) to the last scenes of this earth's history." TM115 (END)

JESUS, NAME ABOVE ALL NAMES

"I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End, the First and the Last. Rev. 22:13 He [Paul] approached the Gentiles, not by exalting the law at first, but by exalting Christ, and then showing the binding claims of the law. He showed them plainly how the light from the cross of Calvary gave significance and glory to the whole Jewish economy. Thus he varied his manner of labor, always shaping his message to the circumstances under which he was placed; and though after patient labor he was successful to a large degree, many would not be convinced. There are some who will not be convinced by any presentation of the truth. The laborer for God should, nevertheless, study carefully the best method, in order that he may not arouse prejudice or stir up combativeness in his hearers.

Christ said to His disciples, "I have yet many things to say unto you, but ye cannot bear them now." As the result of their early education, their ideas upon many points were incorrect, and they were not then prepared to understand and receive some things which He would otherwise have taught them. His instructions would have confused their minds, and raised questioning and unbelief that would have been difficult to remove.

Christ drew the hearts of His hearers to Him by the manifestation of His love, and then, little by little, as they were able to bear it, He unfolded to them the great truths of the kingdom. We also must learn to adapt our labors to the condition of the people—to meet humans where they are. While the claims of the law of God are to be presented to the world, we should never forget that love, the love of Christ, is the only power that can soften the heart, and lead to obedience. All the great truths of the Scriptures center in Christ; and rightly understood, all lead to Him. Let Christ be presented as the Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end of the great plan of redemption. Present to the people such subjects as will strengthen their confidence in God and in His word, and lead them to investigate its teachings for themselves. And as they go forward, step by step, in the study of the Bible, they will be better prepared to appreciate the beauty and harmony of its precious truths. The Review and Herald, November 25, 1890 (Ellen G. White)

YOUTUBE "LIKE" AND "SUBSCRIBE" HELP









We have recently observed that YouTube audits the "views" on all YouTube Channels every 2-3 days and will reduce the number of "views" for any videos that their algorithm deems to be "suspect". For example, nearly 150 views were deducted from the first 3 in our new "THE **COVENANT** CODE©" series recently. Basically, if a video is gaining in popularity quickly, and there is not a sufficient increase in "likes" for the video and/or "subscriptions" to the Channel, then YouTube suspects the views may be generated by "bots", or some other means of having others repeatedly watch videos to increase views.

The good news is that we have had 22 new subscribers and there are still nearly 1,000 views of the series to date—even after the 150 views were deducted. However, our goal is to increase our presence globally and thus increase the audience for our message. Therefore, please keep in mind that if you like the broadcasts we are bringing you each week and want to help us continue to do more of the same, please remember to "like" the video and "subscribe" to our YouTube Channel (if you haven't already). Donations are also down this year, so please keep us in your mind, hearts, and prayers. Thank You.

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: Please continue to support BETV so we may continue on satellite and internet to share God's Commandments, Statutes and Judgments to the world!

We were able to pay Tulix for another year! God is in control and providing what we need as we need. Remember that we also have monthly bills for zoom, software, video ads, support and packaging for the books we send out. We're also currently working on new technical work for BE to place BE's most viewed videos at the top of Google so that every SDA can more easily come across them when searching in Google.com searches. We are constantly working to upgrade how people find our channels as well. We have salaries, tech support, postage and supplies, copying books, etc. As you all know, everything has

gone up and is more expensive. In fact, our Video Data Center electricity costs have DOUBLED. Call if you have any questions or want more information. Thank you for any blessings you may give.

We know we are blessed by our Father and He is in control. This is His ministry and we have many, many messages we share 24/7 to the world to help people learn and be ready for that great day of His return!

Here's some bills (approx.) you can help us with:

- 1. Tulix Video Data \$9600/year. PAID
- 2. Zoom/software & editors- 800/month.
- 3. Postage/packaging/books 400/month.
- 4. Africa Satellite \$70k/year.
- 5. Labor/tech support/*Family Aid* \$65k/year (or more).

It is becoming increasingly difficult to meet the demands with prices going UP, UP, so please remember us when you consider blessing a ministry this season. Thank you.

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