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Signs of the Times: Shining Bible Light on Current Events

The Lord has wrought many blessed judgments in the world this week which can be seen plainly by any who have been given eyes to see, ears to hear, and a heart to understand by the gracious hand of God. "Son of man, thou dwellest in the midst of a rebellious house, which have eyes to see, and see not; they have ears to hear, and hear not: for they are a rebellious house." (Ezekiel 12:2) This entire world is a rebellious house! Therefore, the Lord, the God of Israel, is punishing the people of it! Let's view some of this week's judgments from the proper perspective:

God Almighty has smitten United States President Donald Trump with the COVID-19 virus. Consider these words:

These things hast thou done, and I kept silence; thou thoughtest that I was altogether such an one as thyself: but I will reprove thee, and set them in order before thine eyes. Now consider this, ye that forget God, lest I tear you in pieces, and there be none to deliver. Whoso offereth praise glorifieth me: and to him that ordereth his conversation aright will I shew the salvation of God. (Psalm 50:22-23)

Donald Trump was placed into authority by God Almighty, and had the opportunity to wield this nation's power in service to God, and to order the conversation of this people aright. *Righteousness exalteth a nation: but sin is a reproach to any people. (Proverbs 14:34)* Instead, from the highest to the lowest, you mock and scoff your Creator between disingenuous 'prayers' using God as a stage prop, and outright denial and ridicule of His holy name (*Mal 2:17*). You have ignored the blessedly simple instructions of obedience to your Creator (*Deut 11:27-28*), and have sought out many inventions in vain attempts to stitch together some form of temporal, human peace. There is no peace. There can be no peace without obedience to God.

For they have healed the hurt of the daughter of my people slightly, saying, Peace, peace; when there is no peace. Were they ashamed when they had committed abomination? nay, they were not at all ashamed, neither could they blush: therefore shall they fall among them that fall: in the time of their visitation they shall be cast down, saith the LORD. Jeremiah 8:11-12

Yet still the Lord has shown mercy to this country, and has not destroyed it as He has that ancient example of Sodom and Gomorah. So once again we say to the inhabitants of this country to repent while there is still time!

Who can tell if God will turn and repent, and turn away from his fierce anger, that we perish not? (Jonah 3:9)

Woe to you who have hardened your hearts against the Lord and His word. The destruction of this world is imminent; you must believe on Christ, repent of your sins, and seek the Lord with humility. **"For Gaza shall be forsaken, and Ashkelon a desolation: they shall drive out Ashdod at the noon day, and Ekron shall be rooted up.** Woe unto the inhabitants of the sea coast, the nation of the Cherethites! the word of the LORD is against you; O Canaan, the land of the Philistines, I will even destroy thee, that there shall be no inhabitant." (Zephaniah 2:4-5)

Repent or Perish!