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**“For through the anger of the Lord it came to pass in Jerusalem and Judah, until he had cast them out from his presence, that Zedekiah rebelled against the king of Babylon.” 2 Kgs. 24:20.**

King Zedekiah was 21 years old when he began to reign, and reigned eleven years in Jerusalem. And he did that which was evil in the sight of the Lord. According to all that his evil predecessor King Jehoiakim had done. The death knell for the ancient nation of Israel had rung: “But they mocked the messengers of God, and despised his words, and misused his prophets, until the wrath of the Lord arose against his people, till there was no remedy.” 2 Chron. 36:16. No remedy. Too late to pray or repent. Doom was at hand. Even as America today. “Therefore pray not thou for this people, neither lift up cry nor prayer for them, neither make intercession to me; for I will not hear thee.” Jer. 7:16. It is a sin to pray for America.

The technique whereby God brought destruction on Israel was to stir up King Zedekiah to the folly of going to war against Babylon: “For through the anger of the Lord it came to pass in Jerusalem...that Zedekiah rebelled against the king of Babylon.” 2 Kgs. 23:2. Even as God duped fag-enablers Bush and Blair into going to war against Iraq (Babylon), thereby plunging America and England into a bloody, never-ending, no-win, sausage-grinder.

Last Tuesday night C-Span ran a speech by Prime Minister Tony Blair, bragging about his political achievements – one being same-sex marriage for gay people in England. President Bush said, God bless Tony Blair; he stood with us all the way in Iraq. They turned America over to fags; they’re coming home in body bags.

Same-sex marriage – by any name, civil union, or otherwise – is the ultimate smash-mouth, in-your-face insult to God Almighty. It is a joining of strange flesh, abominable in the extreme, strictly forbidden upon pain of eternal damnation. Christ Jesus said to the idea: “Can’t you read? Have ye not read that he which made them in the beginning made them male and female, and said, For this cause shall a man leave father and mother and shall cleave to his wife; and they twain shall be one flesh? Wherefore, they are no more twain, but one flesh. What therefore God hath joined together, let not man put asunder.” Mat. 19:4-6.

When God in anger would destroy a nation, he first inspires the rulers thereof to sinful folly and frustrates their counsellors: “Surely the princes of Zoan are fools, the counsel of the wise counsellors of Pharaoh is become brutish.” Isa. 19:11. “He leadeth counsellors away spoiled, and maketh the judges fools.” Job 12:17. “Except the Lord build the house, they labor in vain that build it; except the Lord keep the city, the watchman waketh but in vain.” Psa. 127:1. God no longer builds the American house, God no longer keeps America safe.

In fact, God has abandoned America, sine die. God now fights against America, as he did against Israel in the days of Zedekiah. God is now America’s Terrorist.

## **God Himself is now America's Terrorist.**

The sad story is told in Jer. 21:1-7: The barbaric Babylonians are at the gate. The seige of Jerusalem by King Nebuchadnezzar is so severe that the people are resorting to cannibalism to survive. They are in fact eating their own babies and small children. In great distress, the evil, godless King Zedekiah sent messengers to the prophet Jeremiah seeking help from God. Too late. Israel had sinned away her day of grace. Jeremiah brought God's answer: "Not only will I no longer help you – I will now fight against you. I will help the Babylonians. I am now your Enemy. I will not spare you, neither have pity, nor mercy." Read Jer. 21:1-7.

Even so America. God has duped Bush into a bloody war in Iraq. They turned America over to fags; they're coming home in body bags. For thus saith the Lord: "And I myself will fight against you with an outstretched hand and with a strong arm, even in anger, and in fury, and in great wrath." Jer. 21:5.

## **God Himself duped Bush into a no-win war by putting a lying spirit in the mouth of all his trusted advisors – to punish America.**

Even as God duped wicked King Ahab into a bloody war with Syria – by putting a lying spirit in the mouth of all his prophetic counsellors and advisors. 1 Kgs. 22:19-23. "Now therefore, behold, the Lord hath put a lying spirit in the mouth of all these thy prophets, and the Lord hath spoken evil concerning thee." Even so Bush and America.

God had purposed to kill King Ahab for persecuting God's prophets: "But there was none like unto Ahab, which did sell himself to work wickedness in the sight of the Lord, whom Jezebel his wife stirred up. And he did very abominably in following idols, according to all things as did the Amorites, whom the Lord cast out before the children of Israel." 1 Kgs. 21:25-26.

God sent the prophet Micaiah to tell Ahab how he would shortly die: "And he said, Hear thou therefore the word of the Lord; I saw the Lord sitting on his throne, and all the host of heaven standing by him on his right hand and on his left. And the Lord said, Who shall persuade (deceive) Ahab, that he may go up and fall at Ramoth-gilead? And one said on this manner, and another said on that manner. And there came forth a spirit, and stood before the Lord, and said, I will persuade him."

"And the Lord said unto him, Wherewith? And he said, I will go forth, and I will be a lying spirit in the mouth of all his prophets. And he said, Thou shalt persuade him, and prevail also; go forth, and do so. Now therefore, behold, the Lord hath put a lying spirit in the mouth of all these thy prophets, and the Lord hath spoken evil concerning thee." 1 Kgs. 22:19-23.