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God's People in Trouble

To say that I was disappointed that Donald J Trump was not returned to office, would be putting it mildly. Not only was I disappointed but I am deeply troubled. To say that I didn't expect it, however, would also not be true. Why is this you may ask? Let me explain it this way. I lived and studied in the UK between the ages of eighteen and twenty-five. This was during the time that a Labour (socialist) government was in power. They were scurrying around trying to deal with an economic crisis they themselves had created. Knowing that communism was responsible for gross human rights violation in Russia, China and elsewhere, and being aware that many in the Labour government were far-left communist sympathisers, I was immutably formed in the Conservative-Capitalist mould. Every advance in improving the lives of ordinary citizens worldwide has come about as a result of these two value systems. The fact that Capitalist values have been brought into disrepute, is as result of Russia, China and the One World Money Powers, having integrated them into their socialist system of tyrannical authoritarianism. Nevertheless, this does not in any way negate the many positive results achieved by Capitalism coupled with Christian values which were the catalyst responsible for unleashing human ingenuity that has resulted in tremendous scientific and technological advances. Most of which have impacted positively on the lives of millions of ordinary people in almost all, if not all, spheres of life.

But I digress. Kerry moved from the USA to the UK where we met and after a courtship of three months we were married. This is perhaps the reason why after returning to South Africa we remained not only interested but involved in the major political issues of these two countries. It just so happens that two of these major issues arose in 2016. One in Britain on the 23rd June 2016 and the other in the USA on the 8th November 2016. The British people would be asked, by way of a referendum, whether they wanted to remain in or leave the European Union; the USA would elect a new President.

In January 2016, I asked the Lord two questions: What should I pray for regarding the UK referendum and who should I pray for in the USA Presidential race? I received an immediate answer. Pray for Brexit and pray for Trump. I mentioned this to my family and members of the church and we immediately addressed both these matters in prayer. We all know how that turned out. Against all the opinion polls and all general expectations, the UK voted for

Brexit and the USA voted for Trump. In January 2020, knowing that it was election year in the USA, I asked the Lord whether I should again pray for Trump. In my estimation and taking into account all that Trump had achieved up to that point - highest economic growth in the world, lowest unemployment rate ever, curtailing illegal immigration, eliminating the terrorist threat of Isis, raising tariffs on China for unfair trade practices, recognizing Jerusalem as the capital of Israel and moving the USA embassy there, championing religious freedom (especially Christianity), averting a threatening war with North Korea, to mention but a few – I was convinced that he would again be elected. The answer I received was totally unexpected. Absolute silence. Not a word except for a hollow feeling on the pit of my stomach, almost to the point of nausea. Not knowing what to make of it, I shared my experience with some of those closest to me. Their response was: We must pray about it. Something I, as an outspoken and fervent supporter of Trump, personally kept on doing.

Then CORONA19 virus arrived, bearing all the hallmarks of biological warfare. This caused all the positive achievements of Trump to dissipate and added fuel to the fire of his adversaries. After failing with their Russian collusion fabrications and their impeachment fiasco, they placed the blame for the deaths cause by this China virus, squarely on his shoulders. Supported by Fake News they steamrolled this lie into the houses of gullible US voters, who had, over a long period of time, been conditioned to believe the LIE as truth and to reject the TRUTH as a lie. Having now, after an election fraught with fraud and as a result of a deviously devised plan forged in the dark corridors of deception, proclaimed corrupt Joe Biden – who is an advanced stage of dementia – the 46th president of the USA.

Having always prayed all my prayers in the spirit of, “Let Thy will be done”, I sought the Lord’s face asking Him for an explanation. I was reminded of something I had once heard. I know it has been extensively quoted, but what I don’t know, is who the originator of the saying was. I therefore do not know the circumstances under which he had received it, nevertheless I quote: “If God does not judge America, He will have to apologize to Sodom and Gomorra.”

Mathew 11:23. “And you, Capernaum, will you be lifted to the heavens? No, you will go down to Hades. For if the miracles that were performed in you had been performed in Sodom, it would have remained to this day”.

God has in the past bestowed many blessings on a Christian America, causing her to become the greatest nation on the earth. They however have turned their backs on Him and have, over the years, become a nation infested with almost every immoral and unscriptural practice imaginable. Liberal leftist fascists have over many decades introduced laws that placed the US at variance with God, with the so-called Conservative Rino Republicans perpetuating them. ie Abortion, and same-sex marriage to name but two of many. It must be quite obvious to any discerning disciple of the Lord, that as in the days before the flood, “..... God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually.”

You may say that surely there are nations as wicked if not more so, than the USA. That's true but they are not a part of the professing Protestant Nations of the West, the so called "Christian Nations" and if the Lord says, "...Judgement will begin in the House of God", He means it. But He reminded me that unlike His judgement reserved for the heathen nations who have outright rejected Him - which is a judgement unto to destruction - so His judgement upon the "Christian Nations" of the West will not be for destruction but for correction. "For when Thy judgements are in the earth, the inhabitants of the world will learn righteousness." Does the phrase "of the world" mean that all the inhabitants of the world will be affected? Does it not rather apply to those in the world who, when they find themselves in perilous times have cried out, "Lord save us"?

When God's people were in peril in the past they cried out, O LORD (Yahweh) the Elohim of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob hear us as we call upon Your Name. In Exodus 2:23-24 We read: "... the children of Israel sighed by reason of the bondage, and they cried, and their cry came up unto God by reason of the bondage. And God heard their groaning, and God **remembered his covenant with Abraham, with Isaac, and with Jacob.**" In other words, these backsliding Israelites – who, under pressure of their Egyptian masters almost lost their identity as believers in Yahweh – turned to Him in the hour of their need. Not once do we read that the Egyptians cried out to Him when the judgements of God, in the form of ten plagues, came upon them. Why? Because they had no knowledge of Him instead they would have prayed, if they prayed at all, to their sun god Ra.

If the judgements of God are now going to come to the USA which is probably the most "Christian" country, bar South Africa, of all the "Christian" nations; what will the end of those other nations be, that once knew Him and served Him but have turned their backs upon Him.

In Trump, the most unlikely of vessels, the Lord gave the USA an opportunity to turn back to Him and to honour Him. In Biden He tested them to see how far they've allowed themselves to be influenced into following politicians that are part of the New World Order. Psalm 12:8 pungently puts it:

"The wicked walk on every side, when the vilest men are exalted."

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