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## The Arc of Prophetic History Bends to Peace on Earth

End times apocalyptic prophesies are once again proliferating as Ukraine, Israel and Taiwan push the nations to big power military confrontation. Ignored however is God's plan for peace on earth and nations will learn war no more.

I am amazed at times when I study history and culture and realize how incredible it is that the church is still here on earth after 2000 years.

Nations have histories in hundreds of years.

Companies and corporations have histories of decades at most, mostly in years.

Fads and philosophies come and go.

Cultures rise and fall. Religions and myths and fables are scattered through history.

But ask yourself what faith, belief and community is still here thriving after 2000 years? And with roots dating back 4000 years?

Key to this has been a story and its supporting literature binding millennia of continuous history. What we call and hold to be inspired scripture. And a key part of that literature that created our faith and culture has been the Israel prophets of old.....Isaiah, Jeremiah, Daniel, Ezekiel, Micah and others.

In the darkest hours of failure when the light of the world almost goes out and the destiny of prophetic fulfillment seems destined to be false and unfulfilled.....somehow our prophetic history and destiny just manages to keep moving on carried by a tenacious faith of faithful witnesses.

My favourite is Isaiah, he prophesied through four kings and the death of most of Israel to Assyrian captivity with a panoramic look down thousands of years of human history. He revealed the plans of God for people, nations and the Kingdom of God on earth and the coming of the King of the Ages, the Messiah of Israel and the world.

Last week I turned your attention to one of those seemingly impossible prophecies...

**"The knowledge of the Lord shall cover the earth as the waters cover the sea."**

This was a promise of universal dispersal of knowledge about God made instantly available to every person and locality on earth....and that from a time when knowledge was transmitted by brittle papyrus and clay tablets.

2700 years later we have world wide internet available to most people in the world with a cheap smart phone for downloading scripture or books of the Bible.

Jeremiah 31:34 repeats this stunning promise but amplifies it with the added promise that everyone will have tools and abilities to teach themselves, no teachers required to understand this worldwide knowledge of the Lord....

**“They will not teach again, each man his neighbor and each man his brother, saying, ‘Know the Lord,’ for they will all know Me, from the least of them to the greatest of them,” declares the Lord, “for I will forgive their iniquity, and their sin I will remember no more.”**

Which brings me to international war and conflict and God's plan for the nations and peace on earth.

*Isa 2:2 And it shall come to pass in the latter days, that the mountain of Jehovah's house shall be established on the top of the mountains, and shall be exalted above the hills; and all nations shall flow unto it.*

*Isa 2:3 And many peoples shall go and say, Come ye, and let us go up to the mountain of Jehovah, to the house of the God of Jacob; and he will teach us of his ways, and we will walk in his paths: for out of Zion shall go forth the law, and the word of Jehovah from Jerusalem.*

*Isa 2:4 And he will judge between the nations, and will decide concerning many peoples; and they shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruning-hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.*

The "mountain of the house of the Lord" is the Church. The time is now.

Jesus said I will build my church and the gates of hell will not prevail against it. The Lord has been in the building phase for 2000 years. His house, the church is His habitation on earth. That is where He is now resident in both heaven and on earth.

The church is being exalted above all the nations and this is the prophetic arc of prophecy:

Nations will flow to the church seeking God's plan for national life.

Nations will increasingly abandon weapons of war production and will increasingly invest in productive wealth creation instead of war destruction.

Many years ago I did not believe this. I said "One day when Jesus is on earth in the Millennium we will have peace on earth. But first we must have destruction on earth and war and judgment and Armageddon and Russia invades Israel and China with a 200 million man army marches from the east:" And so forth...you have heard all that before,

And then God showed me wonderful truth: Jesus is on earth, resident now in the "Mountain of the Lord". And He is now directing the flow of history and nations according to what He said He would do in scripture. Even though it has taken thousands of years.

Nations not learning war no more? Turning manufacturing from weapons of war to productive trade and wealth creation? Yes, in our time and in our recent history. In

World War 2 Japan and Germany learned it is more productive to make cars for consumers than tanks and bombs for war.

China and Russia dropped useless communist ideology and set the productive powers of the people free to invest in productive wealth creation.

China alone from 1978 when they junked the Maoist cultural revolution and abandoned the idea of exporting revolution and turned their national attention to education, free markets, free people and productive investment and is now the greatest creditor nation in the world that brought 800 million people out of abject poverty to comfortable middle class lifestyles....and the largest charismatic church in the world.

During the same time America instead of following God's plan of abandoning weapons and wars went about spending \$6-8 trillion on bombing and destroying nations from Vietnam, to Kosovo, Libya, Iraq, Syria, Afghanistan and now arming and funding mass slaughter in Ukraine and plans for war in Iran and Taiwan. All the while piling on the greatest national debt of \$24 trillion soon to be \$50 trillion by 2040. In other words the nation is bankrupt and dependent on other nations for essential supplies paid for increasingly depreciating dollars.

The American church is in deep deception about God's blessing and the nation's continuous wars....how long do you think the Lord will tolerate this?

NATO nations who are deeply in debt with serious economic problems must decide do we invest in war production of weapons or do we spend our limited tax income on health and education and infrastructure. You cannot have both. And citizens everywhere are saying "No more war!". "It's the economy stupid!" (As Bill Clinton said while bombing Kosovo)

This is how the Lord teaches nations to not make war anymore. It doesn't pay. Instead it bankrupts nations.

Case in point: America has a fleet of their navy in the Red Sea fighting Houtis in Yemen. But America is learning that \$8 billion aircraft carriers are no match for cheap drones fired by men in caves. As the UK realizes their 2 aircraft carriers were a monumental waste of money that could have been invested in the national health service.

Israel had to learn this recently when Iran retaliated for the bombing of their embassy in Damascus. Iran sent \$20-30 million of drones to attack Israel. America and Israel had to spend \$1,2 billion of Iron Dome and Patriot defense missiles to shoot down the cheap drones. This was a warning by Iran. They have thousands more. Don't start a war. The very nature and weapons of modern war have drastically changed.

Here are the consequences for Israel if they attack Hezbollah and carry on the war against the Palestinians. This is a quote from the head of Israel's electricity company:

***Goldstein had said last week during a conference of the Institute for National Security Studies (INSS) in Sderot that he would not be able to guarantee that there would be electricity in the event of war with Hezbollah.***

***“After 72 hours without electricity in Israel, it will be impossible to live here... We are in a bad situation and are not ready for a real war,” Goldstein said at the conference on Thursday.***

***He added that Israelis are living in a “fantasy world” and “do not understand how much life in [Israel] depends on electricity.”***

***“When I took office and began to investigate what the real threat is to the electricity sector, I asked: Let's say a missile hits the electricity sector, and there is a power outage for an hour, three hours, 24 hours, 48 hours, 72 hours and beyond – what happens to Israel in such a situation?’ The bottom line is that after 72 hours - it is impossible to live in Israel,” Goldstein warned, adding that Hezbollah is capable of “taking down” Israel’s electricity grid.***

Hezbollah can take out the entire electricity generating capacity of Israel in one large drone attack for which Israel does not have enough defense missiles to bring down thousands of drones. Without one city of Israel being bombed, Israel can cease to exist as a nation in 72 hours. Latest exit figures from Israel are that 500,000 Israelis have already left Israel and the war economy is collapsing. High tech companies are leaving, no new investment, and no tourists. And the Haredi Orthodox Jews refuse to join the army to fight.

And Christians around the world keep praying for Israel's victory to kill more and more Palestinians. Thinking war is God's plan and answer for Israel's blessing. Instead Israel should have long ago did what God called Israel to be....a blessing to the nations, which in the Middle East would have meant, how do we integrate our high tech capability into the rest of our Arab neighbours and create jobs and prosperity for the whole region. Integration not segregation!

God is busy with his universal teaching of the nations. Israel is about to learn a painful lesson on what it is supposed to mean when you want to call yourself "God's people.". You better get with God's plan as explained by Isaiah.

The Lord is making knowledge of His Word available to all people everywhere in their own tongue being taught and educated on billions of screens and cell phones.

Every person on planet earth is now very close to getting universal internet access not dependent on whether your government allows you to access forbidden gospel websites but freely flowing to all nations from the heavens through thousands of satellites.

While this is going on the Lord is teaching many nations to not learn war any more and instead learn to trade with one another and produce goods and services to bless others.

That is what the new world alliances like the ever expanding BRICS nations are all about and what the recent Africa Free Trade Treaties are meant to accomplish. Foreign armies are being kicked out of nations and soon most of America's 850 foreign military bases will have to be abandoned like the nations of the Sahel said to America and France.....go home. We want trade and investment, not war.

There are some severe international military blowouts coming. There are still nations that need to learn war no more. Europe will have to decide NATO and rearmament or peace on the European continent with tax resources going into education, health and infrastructure....you can't afford both.

In the volatile Middle East the nations like Iran and Saudi Arabia are making peace and starting to trade. China was key to insisting they will not invest in economies that are planning war and destabilization.

The future looks bright because I have read the Lord's plan for the arc of history. It is bending towards peace on earth and good will towards all mankind.....through the ministry of the Mountain of the Lord, Christ's ambassadors teaching the nations the ways of the Lord.