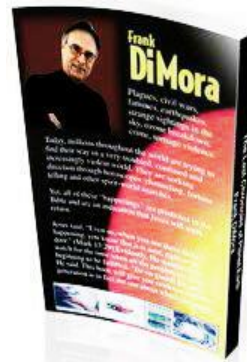
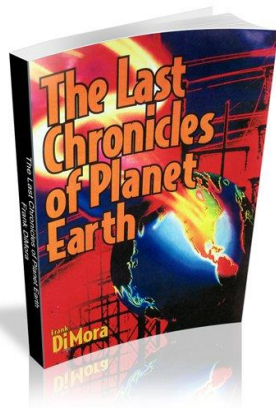
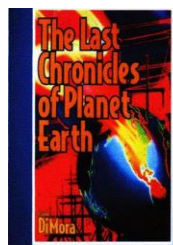




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ISRAEL

([Zech.12:3 & 9](#) - The Burdensome Stone)

Zechariah 12:3 “And in that day will I make Jerusalem a burdensome stone for all people: all that burden themselves with it shall be cut in pieces, though **all the people of the earth be gathered together against it.**”



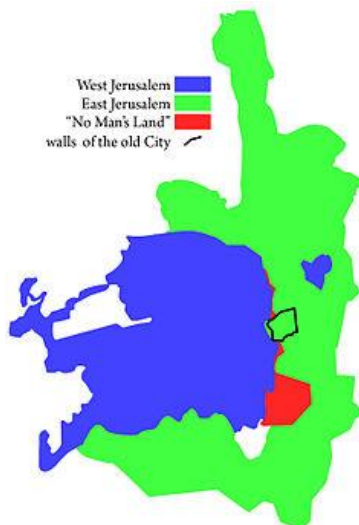
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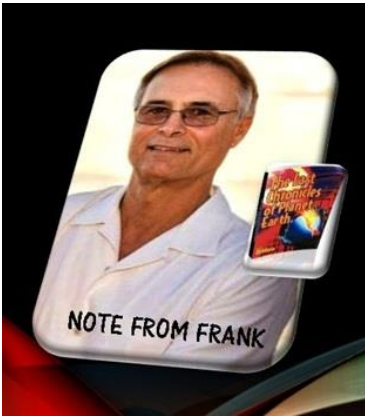
Headline: U.S. plan gives Jerusalem holy sites to Vatican

Secretary of State John Kerry quietly presented a U.S. plan for eastern Jerusalem that calls for an international administrative mandate to control holy sites in the area, according to informed Palestinian and Israeli diplomatic sources. The exact composition of the international mandate is up for discussion, the sources said, but Kerry's plan recommended a coalition that includes the Vatican, together with a group of Muslim countries such as Turkey and Saudi Arabia. The international arrangement is being proposed as a temporary solution for about two to three years while security arrangements in Jerusalem between Israelis and Palestinians are finalized, said the sources. Israel, the sources said, was not receptive to the particulars of Kerry's plan, especially the concept of Turkish participation in Jerusalem. Kerry told the Israelis he would hold talks with the Kingdom of Jordan about its playing a leading role in the proposal in the place of Turkey, the sources added. Kerry was in Jerusalem on Friday as part of an Obama administration effort to reach a deal for a Palestinian state by April, a timeline that is still on track, Kerry told reporters.

Dec.15, 2013

<http://www.wnd.com/2013/12/u-s-plan-gives-jerusalem-holy-sites-to-vatican/>





COMMENTARY:

Let's see if we can go through this: first of all, the article from WND cannot be confirmed by other news sources. So until that time, let us assume this is accurate. According to the article, the U.S. plan for eastern Jerusalem calls for an **international administrative mandate** to control holy sites in the area. Kerry's plan recommended a coalition that includes the Vatican, together with a group of Muslim countries such as Turkey and Saudi Arabia. Kerry told the Israelis he would hold talks with the Kingdom of Jordan about its playing a leading role in the proposal in the place of Turkey.

Here are the Holy Sites of Jerusalem:

Church of the Holy Sepulchre- the holiest place for Catholic and Orthodox Christians, marks the site of Jesus' crucifixion, burial and Resurrection; protestant Christians accept the Garden Tomb and Gologtha as those places

Temple Mount/Dome of the Rock- place of the First and Second Jewish Temples. At its center today is the Dome of the Rock, It also covers the Foundation Stone, itself considered the holiest site in Judaism. The Dome of the Rock is adjacent to the Al-Aqsa Mosque, also part of the Temple Mount.

The Western Wall- the Kotel (Wailing Wall)

Mount Zion- Jerusalem's Zion Gate connects the Old City to Mount Zion, just west of the Mount of Olives, and a place that holds sites sacred to Christians and Jews. The Tomb of King David is located here, as is the Room of the Last Supper, a Romanesque Crusader structure also called The Coenaculum. Also on Mount Zion is Dormition Abbey, which by Catholic tradition where the Virgin Mary fell into eternal sleep (Assumption of Mary).

Via Dolorosa- The Via Dolorosa is the road Jesus walked from the place of Pontius Pilate's sentencing to Golgotha (the location of the crucifixion)

Mount of Olives- Mary's Tomb, the Church of Maria Magdelene, the Tomb of Zechariah, and the Garden of Gethsemane are all located here

PM Netanyahu has always said that giving up control of any portion of Jerusalem would be a mistake
<http://blogs.reuters.com/faithworld/2012/05/21/netanyahu-says-ceding-control-of-jerusalem-sacred-sites-would-be-fatal-mistake/>

So does the Holy Bible “I will also gather all nations, And bring them down to the Valley of Jehoshaphat; And I will enter into judgment with them there On account of My people, My heritage Israel, Whom they have scattered among the nations; They have also divided up My land.” (Joel 3:2)

The Fundamental Agreement between the Holy See and the State of Israel was signed by the Holy See and the State of Israel on 30 December 1993. It deals with the *property rights and tax exemptions* of the Roman Catholic Church within Israeli territory. As a result of the Agreement, the Vatican established on June 15, 1994 full diplomatic relations with Israel.

The Franciscan order owns a great deal of property in the Holy Land, second only to the Orthodox Church of Jerusalem. In addition to the major shrines of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre in Jerusalem and the Basilica of the Nativity in Bethlehem (which the Franciscans own and administer in common with the Jerusalem Orthodox and Armenian Orthodox patriarchates), the Custodian also cares for 74 shrines and sanctuaries throughout the Holy Land, including properties in Syria and Jordan.

On November 10, 1997, the Vatican and Israel entered into a further agreement, called Agreement Between the State of Israel and the Holy See, also referred to as the Legal Personality Agreement or the Agreement on the Legal Personality of the Church. By the agreement, Israel recognized the juridical personality and the authority of canon law within the Catholic Church and its institutions, as well as those of the Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem and of the Eastern Catholic Patriarchates and their respective dioceses in the territory of Israel, and ***their recognition of prevailing Israeli law in civil and criminal matters, but neither of these agreements have been passed by the Knesset.*** http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Holy_See%E2%80%93Israel_relations

In January of 2013, outgoing deputy foreign minister Daniel Ayalon is reported to have said the Holy See and Israel were “on the verge of signing” the agreement that would fully formalize diplomatic relations, after a bilateral working commission held its plenary meeting in Jerusalem Jan. 29. He added that any final agreement was “subject to final approval by the government of Israel and the Holy See.” But Vatican spokesman Father Federico Lombardi played down the outcome of the talks, noting that the bilateral commission’s statement said the next plenary meeting will take place in June. In view of this, Father Lombardi told the Register Jan. 30 that the view that the commission was “on the verge of signing” seems to be “a little forced.” But, he added, “It is true to say that the statement speaks again of significant progress and calls for a rapid conclusion of the agreement.” The joint statement referred to the talks as taking place “in a thoughtful and constructive atmosphere” and that “significant progress was made.” It added that the commission “looks forward to a speedy conclusion of the Agreement.” Ayalon told *The Jerusalem Post* that in the past four years “a lot of ground has been covered, and after long, intensive and serious negotiations we have overcome most if not all the outstanding issues that have prevented signing of this agreement for so long.”

He explained that the final agreement was not signed on Jan. 29 because it was ***not appropriate for a caretaker government to sign the agreement, and that the actual acceptance and signing should be left to the next government.*** “All the groundwork is finished and I trust the new government will sign soon, which is nothing short of a milestone in the relationship,” he said. <http://www.ncregister.com/daily-news/no-final-agreement-yet-between-the-holy-see-and-israel>

So where does Jordan come in? In 1948, western Jerusalem was captured by the Israelis and eastern Jerusalem was captured by Jordan. However, after the 6 day of 1967, Israel re-took east Jerusalem. However, Israel has NEVER formally annexed east Jerusalem, as Jordan did in 1948. It simply absorbed it’s land.

During negotiations between Israel and the Vatican in the beginning 2013, Jordan condemned this agreement, as it sees itself as the 'caretaker' of the Holy Land sites, based on their annexation of east Jerusalem in 1948. They ignore the fact that Israel took back ALL of Jerusalem in 1967. Jordan immediately issued a press release stating: "The attack on Muslim mosques and sanctities and the tolerance with those who desecrate them is an unacceptable injustice and will not grant the aggressor any proprietorial right. The right remains that of the owner, no matter how long it takes or how many injustice it must endure." Al-Abadi added that Islamic Waqf properties have their sanctity and legal and genuine grounds as well as the international conventions that state that they are not subject to sale, granting or waiver. As such, any agreement between Israel and any other party is void and is not recognized. He stressed that any deals made at the expense of the Islamic Waqf will be rejected. Al-Abadi confirmed that he would reject any action taken by either Israel or any other party since any deals contracted with those who do not own the site are illegal. He called on the Arab League, the Organization of Islamic Cooperation, and international and humanitarian organizations to quickly take the required actions to halt the unjust measures taken by Israel against the Islamic Waqf in Jerusalem.

<http://occupiedpalestine.wordpress.com/2013/02/15/jordan-condemns-alleged-deal-between-israel-and-vatican-over-jerusalem/>

In late March, early April, Palestine signed an agreement with Jordan, re-emphasising Jordan's responsibilities, under which the Palestinian side "reaffirmed" the status of His Majesty King Abdullah as the custodian of the holy sites in Jerusalem. His Majesty and Palestinian President Mahmoud Abbas signed the "historic" agreement, which, according to a Royal Court statement, will help Jordan and Palestine exert all efforts to protect Jerusalem and its holy sites from "Israeli escalatory Judaisation measures" and aims at protecting hundreds of waqf properties that are endowed to Al Aqsa Mosque. Under the deal, King Abdullah enjoys the "full right to exert all legal efforts to safeguard and preserve [Jerusalem's holy sites], especially Al Aqsa Mosque, defined as the entire Al Haram Al Sharif compound (or the noble sanctuary whose area is estimated at 144 dunums).

The agreement "also reaffirms the historic principles upon which Jordan and Palestine are in agreement as regards Jerusalem and their common goal of defending Jerusalem together, especially at such a critical time, when the city is facing dramatic challenges and daily illegal changes to its authenticity and original identity". The two sides also reasserted the status of East Jerusalem as a "Palestinian sovereign occupied territory, and that all post-1967 occupation practices or aggressions against Jerusalem are not recognized by any international or legal entity".

<http://jordantimes.com/jordan-palestine-sign-historic-agreement-to-protect-al-aqsa>

<http://www.haaretz.com/blogs/jerusalem-vivendi/jordan-to-safeguard-jerusalem-s-islamic-holy-sites-if-they-re-still-standing.premium-1.513531>

In May of this year, it was stated that Israel and the Vatican have resolved "99 per cent" of the outstanding issues. The Vatican has long taken the position that it will not discuss sites in East Jerusalem, or the West Bank, with Israel. However, "if the agreement recognizes church institutions in East Jerusalem, then there is a sense of de facto recognition [of Israeli sovereignty]," the source says. The Franciscan Custodian of the Holy Land in Jerusalem declined to answer questions.

<http://www.theartnewspaper.com/articles/Israel-and-Vatican-close-to-signing-Holy-Land-accord/30073>

<http://www.catholicculture.org/news/headlines/index.cfm?storyid=17996>

So now we have a 3 way tug of war going on. Israel vs. Jordan vs. the Vatican. I've discussed many many times my views on the Vatican in the coming One World Government & Religion. And even though Jordan still officially has a treaty with Israel, we know from God's Word in Psalm 83 that

Jordan will be part of the confederacy that attacks Israel. As I said earlier, although this article can't be confirmed with other news sources at this time, I have no doubt the Vatican will play a part in the final '**international administrative coalition**'. If you stand back and look at it, the Vatican- ACCORDING to the countries of the world- is the only entity that actually owns the property or land. Remember what Danny Ayalon said earlier?

"It's not appropriate for a caretaker government to sign the agreement, and that the actual acceptance and signing should be left to the next government." According to most Palestinians, Abbas is not the 'legally elected' Palestinian president. Add to that the fact that the PLO was NOT empowered by the Israeli-Palestinian Interim Agreement on the West Bank and Gaza to conclude this 'declaration' with Jordan. If Israel or the Vatican signs their agreement, it gives 'de facto' recognition of sovereignty to Israel. This is why we have seen so much interest and traveling between the Pope, Netanyahu and Abbas lately. While the world waits for the 'outcome' of the 'peace talks' between the Palestinians and Israel, the Vatican waits holding its ownership property papers to see from WHICH 'country' (Palestine or Israel) they will take these Holy Sites.

Headline: Ministers okay bill mandating two-thirds majority for dividing Jerusalem

A bill requiring a two-thirds majority in the Knesset for negotiations to divide Jerusalem was approved by the Ministerial Committee for Legislation Sunday. The proposal, by MK Ya'acov Litzman (UTJ), was brought back to a vote after Justice Minister Tzipi Livni appealed it in October. Litzman's bill mandates that 80 MKs are necessary to authorize any negotiations with the Palestinians on whether to give up any part of Jerusalem. Meretz leader Zehava Gal-On said "the vote reveals the true face of the Netanyahu government, which is committed to an ideology of the complete Land of Israel and wants to sabotage any future peace treaty." "The Netanyahu government sends Livni to negotiate, but at the same time allows the Knesset to put in preconditions that torpedo any possibility of negotiating on Jerusalem. Even the Netanyahu government knows that there won't be an agreement without dividing sovereignty in Jerusalem. Therefore, supporting this bill goes against logic and allowing the government to negotiate on anything," Gal-On stated. Litzman declined comment Sunday.

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<http://www.jpost.com/LandedPages/PrintArticle.aspx?id=335115>

Headline: U.S. academic group votes to boycott Israel

The American Studies Association has endorsed a boycott of Israeli academic institutions in a vote that took place over the past few days, the organization said on Monday. Out of the 1,252 members who participated in the vote, 66 percent voted in support of the boycott. The voting was conducted electronically. The decision to boycott Israeli academic institutions was made unanimously by the ASA's 20-member national council on December 5. The organization's leadership sought the approval of the body's 5,000 members, which was granted on Monday. "We believe that the ASA's endorsement of a boycott is warranted given U.S. military and other support for Israel; Israel's violation of international law and UN resolutions; the documented impact of the Israeli occupation on Palestinian scholars and students; the extent to which Israeli institutions of higher education are a party to state policies that violate human rights; and the support of such a resolution by many members of the ASA," the council's announcement said.

Dec.16, 2013

<http://www.haaretz.com/news/diplomacy-defense/1.563875>



Prophecy Sign: *1 Thessalonians 5:3,4*: "For when they shall say, Peace and safety; then sudden destruction cometh upon them, as travail upon a woman with child; and they shall not escape. But ye, brethren, are not in darkness, that that day should overtake you as a thief."

Headline: Kerry: Our goal is still a final status agreement

Headline: Kerry 'Encouraged' by Progress in Peace Talks

"Our goal remains as it always has been -- for the Israelis and Palestinians to reach a final status agreement, not an interim agreement," U.S. Secretary of State John Kerry said on Friday at the end of his latest trip to the Middle East, which included meetings with Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu in Jerusalem and Palestinian Authority President Mahmoud Abbas in Ramallah. "The core principles, the core framework, if you want to call it that, which we are discussing with respect to this, centers on the critical issues -- borders, security, refugees, Jerusalem, mutual recognition, and an end to conflict and to all claims," Kerry said. "The United States is committed to remaining the principal facilitator in this process." United States Secretary of State John Kerry insisted on Sunday that concrete progress has been made in peace talks between Israelis and the Palestinian Authority (PA), but said details will be kept under wraps, *AFP* reports.

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http://www.israelhayom.com/site/newsletter_article.php?id=14021

<http://www.israelnationalnews.com/News/News.aspx/175189#.Uq83duJ37Zh>

Headline: Abbas reportedly tells Kerry he would meet Netanyahu

Headline: Fatah official: No meeting between Abbas and Netanyahu

A Fatah official denied on Monday that Palestinian Authority President Mahmoud Abbas would meet Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu in the near future, noting that any meeting between the two leaders would be contingent upon progress in peace negotiations. Speaking to the London-based daily Al-Quds Al-Arabi, Fatah Central Committee member Jamal Mheissen said that Abbas was unlikely to meet Netanyahu given "Israel's insistence on thwarting peace talks by expanding settlements and denying Palestinian rights to establish a state on land occupied in 1967 with Jerusalem as its capital." Lebanese TV channel Al-Mayadeen had reported on Sunday that Abbas agreed to meet Netanyahu during a meeting with US Secretary of State John Kerry in Ramallah last week. The American secretary of state proposed the move in a bid to break the deadlock in talks amid mounting frustration within the Palestinian negotiating team, a key member of which tendered his resignation to Abbas last month. Palestinian sources told the paper that Abbas was uninterested in providing Netanyahu with a photo opportunity intended to "show Israel's willingness to meet Palestinians on all levels to achieve peace, while thwarting it on the ground." "There will be no three-way summit under American auspices in the near future," Mheissen said, adding that "any meeting

between Abbas and Netanyahu is tied to the advance in negotiations between the teams headed by Dr. Saeb Erekat from the Palestinian side and [Justice Minister] Tzipi Livni from the Israeli.”

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<http://www.timesofisrael.com/abbas-reportedly-tells-kerry-he-would-meet-netanyahu/>
<http://www.timesofisrael.com/fatah-official-no-meeting-between-abbas-and-netanyahu/>

Headline: EU promises 'unprecedented' aid for Mideast peace

European Union foreign ministers on Monday pledged "unprecedented" amounts of political, financial and security support for Israel and the Palestinians if they come to a peace agreement. In the event of a final peace deal, EU ministers said, the 28-member trade bloc will offer Israel and the future state of Palestine a "special privileged partnership." That will mean increased access to European markets, facilitation of trade and investment, closer cultural and scientific ties and promotion of business-to-business relations. Greater political dialogue and cooperation in the security realm are also foreseen, the ministers said. At their meeting in Brussels, the ministers proclaimed the EU's readiness to "contribute substantially" to bring about a just and lasting settlement to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. In their written statement, the EU ministers commended Kerry's "tireless engagement," and reiterated their support for a two-state solution "resulting in an agreement on all final status issues, ending all claims and fulfilling the legitimate aspirations of both parties." The EU ministers said they will work on concrete proposals to help contribute to the sustainability of a peace agreement, including in the areas of Palestinian state-building, regional issues, refugees, security and Jerusalem.

Dec.16, 2013

<http://www.haaretz.com/news/diplomacy-defense/1.563869>

Persia/Assyria & The Confederacy Against Israel

Psalm 83

“Do not keep silent, O God! Do not hold Your peace, And do not be still, O God! ² For behold, Your enemies make a tumult; And those who hate You have lifted up their head. ³ They have taken crafty counsel against Your people, And consulted together against Your sheltered ones. ⁴ They have said, “Come, and let us cut them off from being a nation, That the name of Israel may be remembered no more.”

Psalm 83	Ezekiel War
Jordan (Edom, Moab, Ammon)	Russia (Magog)
Lebanon (Gebal, Tyre)	Iran (Persia)
Saudi Arabia (Ishmaelites)	Iraq (Persia)
Egypt (Hagarenes, Amalek-Sinai)	Afghanistan (Persia)
Syria (Assur)	Ethiopia (Cush)
Palestinians (Philistines)	Sudan (Cush)
	Libya (Put)
	Tunisia (Put)
	Algeria (Put)
	Morocco (Put)
	Germany (Gomer)
	Turkey (Beth Togarmah)
	Armenia (Beth Togarmah)

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Lebanon

Headline: Israel accepts Lebanese explanation for killing of IDF soldier as “one-time” incident

Headline: Lebanese Soldier 'Hands Himself in' After Deadly Shooting

Israeli and Lebanese liaison officers met with UNIFIL Monday, Dec. 16, to clarify the circumstances in which a Lebanese soldier Sunday shot dead Navy Master Sgt. Shlomi Cohen, 31, from Afula, while he was driving past the northern Israeli town of Rosh Hanikra. At the end of the meeting, the Israel Defense Forces officers appeared ready to accept the Lebanese explanation that a member of its armed forces acted on his own initiative and “did not consult his station before carrying out the attack,” claiming it was a one-time incident. The soldier, they said, had been taken to the Defense Ministry offices in Beirut for interrogation. debkafile: The Lebanese account of the incident did not clear up the questions surrounding the attack, although Defense Minister Moshe Ya’alon insisted earlier Monday that Israel would demand explanations of how it happened, whether it was a “rogue” attack and how the soldier was being disciplined. The minister wanted to hear what the Lebanese army was doing to prevent this sort of incident recurring. Meanwhile, The Lebanese soldier who shot dead IDF Master Sergeant Shlomi Cohen in an unprovoked attack Sunday evening has reportedly handed himself in to Lebanese authorities. According to Lebanese media, after briefly disappearing in the aftermath of the attack and spending the night “hiding in a bush”, the unnamed soldier reported for duty at the Lebanese General Security post at the Ras al-Naqoura border crossing, surrendering himself as the site where he committed the shooting just hours earlier.

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<http://www.debka.com/article/23530/Israeli-soldier-killed-by-Lebanese-shooter-IDF-on-high-alert-calls-up-reinforcements>

Headline: Israel troops shot two Lebanese soldiers after IDF soldier killed

The IDF spokeswoman Lt. Libby Weiss said Monday that Israeli forces had identified suspicious movement along the border and shot two members of Lebanon’s armed forces in the small hours of Monday. The shooting took place near the spot where a Lebanese army sniper killed Navy Master Sgt. Shlomi Cohen Sunday night. Weiss had no details on the condition of the Lebanese soldiers. Neither was any word forthcoming from the Lebanese army or UNIFIL, which was due to start investigating the first shooting in cooperation with Israeli and Lebanese liaison officers.

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<http://www.debka.com/newsupdatepopup/6656/>

Headline: Lebanese Army attacked in Sidon

A group of men attacked a Lebanese Army checkpoint in the southern city of Sidon, Sunday evening, in an event that was overshadowed by an exchange of gunfire between Israeli and Lebanese armies. The attackers are allegedly linked to radical Sheikh Ahmad al-Assir, currently in hiding following a clash between his men and the LAF over summer, and the al-Qaeda affiliated Nusra Front.

“We condemn these two terrorist attacks ... that targeted the military institution, which defends Lebanon and the Lebanese, and constitutes the shield of sovereignty and independence,” caretaker Prime Minister Najib Mikati said in a statement. An Army statement said that an assailant threw a hand grenade at the soldiers after they asked the driver to pull over. The grenade wounded two soldiers before other soldiers gunned down the remaining attackers.

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http://www.upi.com/Top_News/World-News/2013/12/16/Two-injured-in-US-Navy-helicopter-crash-in-Japan/UPI-48731387196953/?spt=nil&d=p

Saudi Arabia

Headline: Saudi passes anti-terror law, banning defamation

Saudi Arabia's Cabinet has approved a new anti-terrorism draft law that criminalizes acts that disturb public order, defame the reputation of the state or threaten the kingdom's unity. A rights activist and a rights lawyer decried the law as too broad, saying that besides terrorists, it could be used to target civil society activists calling for democratic reforms. They spoke anonymously for fear of retribution. The Saudi Council of Ministers is comprised of nearly two dozen members all appointed by King Abdullah. The meeting Monday was chaired by his likely successor, Crown Prince Salman, who is also deputy premier and the defense minister. Any legislation approved by the council must be ratified by the king.

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<http://news.yahoo.com/saudi-passes-anti-terror-law-banning-defamation-175309772.html>

ISAIAH 19: 1-4

1: The burden of Egypt. Behold, the LORD rideth upon a swift cloud, and shall come into Egypt: and the idols of Egypt shall be moved at his presence, and the heart of Egypt shall melt in the midst of it.

2: And I will set the Egyptians against the Egyptians: and they shall fight every one against his brother, and every one against his neighbour; city against city, and kingdom against kingdom. 3: And the spirit of Egypt shall fail in the midst thereof; and I will destroy the counsel thereof: and they shall seek to the idols, and to the charmers, and to them that have familiar spirits, and to the wizards.

4: And the Egyptians will I give over into the hand of a cruel lord; and a fierce king shall rule over them, saith the Lord, the LORD of hosts.

Egypt

Headline: Egyptian police fire tear gas at pro-Morsi students in Cairo

Egyptian riot police have fired tear gas to disperse students protesting against the military-backed government outside Cairo's Ain Shams University, security sources say. Egyptian security forces fired tear gas at dozens of university students outside the campus while the students were trying to boost their protest to the nearby Defense Ministry building. Dozens of students pelted security forces with rocks, some picking up tear gas canisters and throwing them back. Some of the students wearing face masks also used metal bars and garbage cans to build barricades. The students have been demonstrating outside Ain Shams University in eastern Cairo as part of a spreading protest movement in universities against the current interim authorities. The protesters managed to take their march outside the university campus and blocked a main road as they chanted slogans against the military-installed government. A number of students were arrested after demonstrators threw rocks at security forces.

Dec.16, 2013

<http://www.presstv.ir/detail/2013/12/16/340322/egypt-police-fire-tear-gas-at-students/>

Jeremiah 49:24-27

New King James Version (NKJV)

- 24 Damascus has grown feeble;
She turns to flee,
And fear has seized *her*.
Anguish and sorrows have taken her like a woman in labor.
- 25 Why is the city of praise not deserted, the city of My joy?
- 26 Therefore her young men shall fall in her streets,
And all the men of war shall be cut off in that day," says the LORD
of hosts.
- 27 "I will kindle a fire in the wall of Damascus,
And it shall consume the palaces of Ben-Hadad."^[a]

The burden of Damascus. Behold, Damascus
is taken away from being a city, and it shall
be a ruinous heap.

— Isaiah 17:1 (KJV)

Syria

Headline: 'Whole families murdered': Syrian rebels execute over 80 civilians outside Damascus

Over 80 civilians in a town northwest of the Syrian capital of Damascus have been executed by Islamist rebels, sources within the Syrian military told RT. Many others were kidnapped to be used as human shields. Government forces are continuing a large-scale operation against Jabhat al-Nusra and Liwa Al-Islam fighters, who captured the town earlier this week. The area is located some 20 kilometers away from Damascus. According to SANA news agency, around 1,000 militants were in the town when it was enveloped by the army on Friday. The military sources said the *"armed groups have performed an execution of civilians"* in Adra, RT Arabic correspondent Abutaleb Albohaya reported from Syria. *"For now it's established that over 80 people were killed in the areas now taken over by the army. Often whole families were murdered,"* he said. The number of executed civilians is expected to rise after government troops manage to recover the rest of the town - which has a population of around 20,000 - from the Islamists, the military source added.

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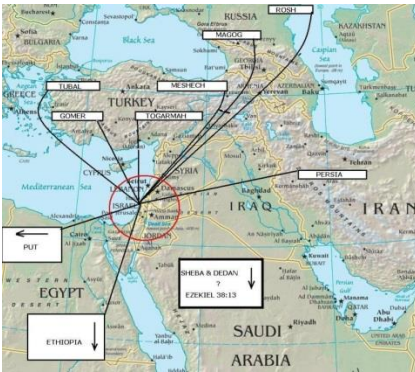
<http://rt.com/news/syria-adra-civilian-execution-289/>

Headline: 'Barrel bomb' raids in Syria's Aleppo kill 76

The Syrian air force was on Monday accused of killing 76 people by unleashing barrels packed with explosives on Aleppo, a focal point for fighting between regime and rebel forces. The bombardment, which activists described as "unprecedented", came as the United Nations said the number of Syrian war refugees in the Middle East was likely to double to 4.1 million by the end of 2014. The number of people slain in Sunday's bombing of Aleppo "with explosive-packed barrels... rose to 76," including "28 children and four women," said the Syrian Observatory for Human Rights, updating its previous toll of 36 dead. Observatory director Rami Abdel Rahman said it was "one of the heaviest tolls from air raids since the beginning of the war" that flared after a brutal regime crackdown on Arab Spring-inspired democracy protests that erupted in March 2011. Explosive-laden barrels were dropped on six rebel-controlled districts in the east, including Sakhur, Ard al-Hamra and Haydariyeh, Abdel Rahman said. The Observatory and activists said government forces frequently drop the barrels filled with TNT on rebel-held areas of the war-torn country from helicopters and warplanes.

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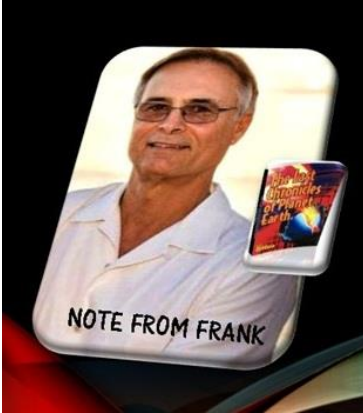
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Saudi Arabia (Ishmaelites)	Iraq (Persia)
Egypt (Hagarenes, Amalek-Sinai)	Afghanistan (Persia)
Syria (Assur)	Ethiopia (Cush)
Palestinians (Philistines)	Sudan (Cush)
	Libya (Put)
	Tunisia (Put)
	Algeria (Put)
	Morocco (Put)
	Germany (Gomer)
	Turkey (Beth Togarmah)
	Armenia (Beth Togarmah)

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Ezekiel (Yechezk'el) War



Comment: Listed below are the nations which will attack Israel from Ezekiel chapter 38 and their modern day names.

Gog is the leader of the Russian invasion of Israel.

Magog, Meshech, and Tubal comprise modern day Russia.

Persia is Iran, parts of northern Iraq, and Afghanistan.

Cush is Ethiopia and Sudan.

Put is Libya and will most likely include Tunisia, Algeria, and Morocco.

Gomer is Eastern Germany.

Beth Togarmah is Turkey and Armenia.

There are major differences between the Psalm 83 war and the Ezekiel 38 war which shows us they are not the same war. Here are a few major differences. At the current time Israel is still calling for Peace and safety and they have bars, gates, and walls to protect them from the PLO. The told Ezekiel this war will take place when Israel is living in peace and feeling safe. As long as the enemies of Israel listed in the Psalm 83 war are working to wipe out Israel, Israel will never feel safe enough to remove any of the bars, gates, or walls which shows us the Psalm war has to take place first. Another major difference between the Psalm war and Ezekiel war is the nations who attack Israel are different. In the Psalm 83 war you see the nations that border Israel attacking her. The nations listed to attack Israel in the Ezekiel war do not show any of the nations which are listed in the Psalm war. Why? The answer is simple. Israel will already have destroyed the nations who attacked them in the Psalm 83 war

and they will make no other to attempt to wipe them out. When the nations listed in the Ezekiel war see what Israel did to their Brothers listed in the Psalm war they in turn will pick up the torch and try to do what the Psalm 83 nations couldn't do, wipe Israel off the map. How will this Ezekiel 38-39 war end. God tells us that 5/6 of the entire army that attacks Israel will be killed. At the end of the day Israel will have won the Psalm 83 war and the Ezekiel war. In the Psalm 83 war the IDF will have defeated their enemies. In the Ezekiel it will be God who steps in to wipe out all the armies who try to wipe out Israel. The current events you are now witnessing in the Middle East is setting up the scene for both the Psalm war and Ezekiel war.

Iran: Jeremiah 49:34-39

"Thus says the LORD of hosts: 'Behold, I will break the bow of Elam, The foremost of their might. ³⁶ Against Elam I will bring the four winds From the four quarters of heaven, And scatter them toward all those winds; There shall be no nations where the outcasts of Elam will not go. ³⁷ For I will cause Elam to be dismayed before their enemies And before those who seek their life. I will bring disaster upon them, My fierce anger,' says the LORD; 'And I will send the sword after them Until I have consumed them. ³⁸ I will set My throne in Elam, And will destroy from there the king and the princes,' says the LORD. ³⁹ 'But it shall come to pass in the latter days: I will bring back the captives of Elam,' says the LORD."

Headline: Iran's FM: New US sanctions very wrong move

Iran calls the recent US sanctions against a few Iranian entities a very wrong move, but says Tehran still honors the interim nuclear deal it reached with the Sextet over Iran's nuclear energy program. "That was a very wrong move," said Iranian Foreign Minister Mohammad Javad Zarif in an interview with CBS News published on Sunday. "We are committed to the plan of action and the implementation of [the] Geneva [deal] - but we believe it takes two to tango," the Iranian foreign minister added. The US Departments of Treasury and State on December 12 issued new sanctions against a number of companies and individuals for "providing support for" Iran's nuclear program. According to the November 24 deal between Iran and the Sextet – Britain, China, France, Russia and the US plus Germany - no new sanctions should be imposed against the Islamic Republic in the course of six months. Under the Geneva deal, the Sextet have undertaken to lift some of the existing sanctions against the Islamic Republic in exchange for Iran agreeing to limit certain aspects of its nuclear activities during six months. The interim agreement is aimed at paving the way for the full resolution of the dispute between the West and Iran over the Islamic Republic's nuclear energy program.

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<http://www.presstv.ir/detail/2013/12/16/340269/zarif-new-us-sanctions-very-wrong/>

<http://www.businessweek.com/news/2013-12-15/iranian-minister-says-talks-will-continue-amid-u-dot-s-dot-asset-freeze>

Headline: More than 40 killed in Iraq bombings, attacks

Headline: Neighboring Kuwait worried over 'rapidly growing instability' in Iraq

More than 40 people have been killed in a fresh wave of terrorist attacks across Iraq, as the violence continues to rise in the Arab country. On Monday, militants attacked and temporarily occupied Tikrit City Council headquarters with employees still inside after detonating a bomb near the building. Iraqi security forces surrounded the building and released 40 people who were held inside, according to Counter-Terrorism Service spokesman, Sabah Noori. Meanwhile, a police major and a doctor said a city council member as well as two police died in the incident. The assault came after in the town of Baiji, 180 kilometers (112 miles) north of capital Baghdad, four bombers attacked a police station, shooting dead an officer and a policeman. In clashes that erupted afterwards between the militants and Iraqi forces, three policemen lost their lives while three militants were also killed.

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<http://www.presstv.ir/detail/2013/12/16/340306/over-40-died-in-iraq-violence/>

<http://www.worldtribune.com/2013/12/15/neighborng-kuwait-worried-over-rapidly-growing-instability-in-iraq/>

Headline: South Sudan orders curfew after new coup attempt

South Sudan's president on Monday ordered a dusk-to-dawn curfew in the capital after soldiers loyal to the former deputy attempted to seize power by force, leading to clashes between military factions that highlight the growing instability of the world's youngest nation. Flanked by government officials, President Salva Kiir — who put on fatigues with an army general's epaulets inside of his usual gentleman's suit — said Monday in a televised address to the nation that the military had foiled a coup orchestrated by "a group of soldiers allied with the former vice-president." The soldiers had attacked the South Sudanese military headquarters near Juba University late Sunday, sparking sporadic bursts of gunfire that continued Monday, he said. "The attackers went and (the) armed forces are pursuing them," Kiir said Monday. "I promise you today that justice will prevail."

The government is now "in full control of the military situation" in Juba, he said, insisting his government could only be removed through elections. Details of the attempted coup remained sketchy, but South Sudanese Foreign Minister Barnaba Marial Benjamin told The Associated Press Monday that troops within the main army base in Juba raided the weapons store but were repulsed.

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<http://www.cbc.ca/news/world/south-sudan-orders-curfew-after-new-coup-attempt-1.2465535>

Headline: Turkey Supplied 47 Tons of Weapons to Islamist Rebels

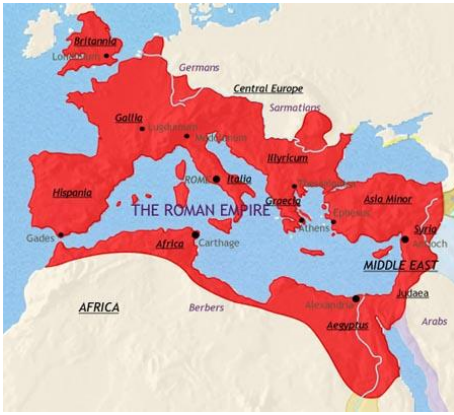
The Turkish government has supplied Syrian rebel forces with more than 47 tons of weapons in the past few months it has been revealed - this despite the Islamist government strenuously denying such charges in the past. According to official documents filed under UN Comtrade (the United Nations Commodity Trade Statistics Database), Turkish arms have been flowing into Syria since June.

Recent months have seen the highest volume of traffic, with almost 29 tons of weaponry transferred in September alone. After initially denying the report, Turkish Foreign Ministry spokesperson Levent Gümrükçü eventually confirmed the UN figures, admitting to Turkey's *Hürriyet* daily that they were based on previous records from the Turkish Statistics Institute (TÜİK). The weaponry was reportedly filed as "guns without military uses" - a category which includes shotguns and hunting rifles, but excludes assault weaponry such as AK-47s, and allows states to bypass the Syrian weapons embargo. It is not clear, however, what the deliveries actually contained.

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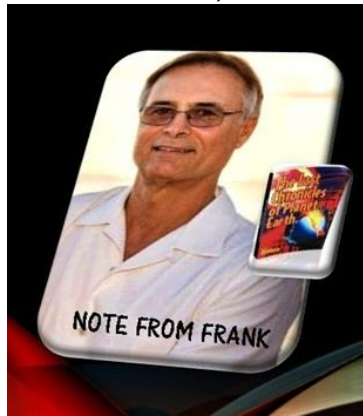
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Prophecy Sign: 10 Horn Unions Daniel 7:24

“The ten horns are ten kings Who shall arise from this kingdom. And another shall rise after them; He shall be different from the first ones, And shall subdue three kings.”



Comment: For information on the Ten Horn Unions (the Ten Kings) see chapter 2 of my book, beginning on page 46. The Ten Unions of Nations begins on page 74. The GCC (Gulf Cooperation Council) consists of Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates. Jordan and Morocco joined in 2011 and Yemen is currently negotiating for membership.

Headline: Bahrain ready for Gulf union — king

Headline: Saudi Arabia, Oman Trade Accusations As Attempts To Advance Gulf Union Fail Once Again

Bahrain’s king said Monday he is strongly in favour of a Saudi proposal to upgrade the Gulf Cooperation Council into a union. “Bahrain is ready from this day for the declaration of the union, to assert our firm will and our solid determination,” King Hamad said in an address on the occasion of the kingdom’s national day. “We look forward to the call for a special Summit in Riyadh to announce the establishment of this union,” he added. The six conservative Arab members of the GCC — which includes Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Kuwait, Qatar, the United Arab Emirates and Oman — sit on 40 per cent of the world’s oil and a quarter of its natural gas. The proposal to upgrade the bloc from a coordination council to a union was put forward by Saudi King Abdullah in 2011. Bahrain’s Sunni monarchy, which at the time was grappling with Arab Spring-inspired protests by its Shiite majority, strongly supported the proposal. But other Gulf states have shown less enthusiasm, with Oman threatening last week to quit the loose alliance if the union proposal is pursued. Divisions have surfaced within the bloc — established in 1981 to put up a united front against Iran — just as Tehran has managed to break its isolation, reaching a preliminary deal with world powers on its controversial nuclear programme.

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<http://jordantimes.com/bahrain-ready-for-gulf-union---king>
<http://www.memri.org/report/en/0/0/0/0/0/7670.htm>



Prophecy Sign: Economic collapse Revelation 6:5-6 & James 5:1-3- Worldwide

“When He opened the third seal, I heard the third living creature say, “Come and see.” So I looked, and behold, a black horse, and he who sat on it had a pair of scales in his hand. ⁶ And I heard a voice in the midst of the four living creatures saying, “A quart of wheat for a denarius, and three quarts of barley for a denarius; and do not harm the oil and the wine.” (Revelation)

*“Come now, you rich, weep and howl for your miseries that are coming upon you! ² Your riches are corrupted, and your garments are moth-eaten. ³ **Your gold and silver are corroded**, and their corrosion will be a witness against you and will eat your flesh like fire. You have heaped up treasure in the last days.” (James)*

Headline: Regulators Close Bank in Texas

Regulators have closed a small bank in Texas, bringing the number of U.S. bank failures to 24 this year. The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. said Friday it has taken over Texas Community Bank NA, based in The Woodlands, Texas. The lender, which operated two branches, had about \$160.1 million in assets and \$142.6 million in deposits as of Sept. 30. Spirit of Texas Bank SSB, based in College Station, Texas, agreed to assume all of Texas Community Bank's deposits and to buy \$147.9 million of the failed bank's assets. The FDIC is retaining the remaining assets for later disposition.

The failure of Texas Community Bank is expected to cost the deposit insurance fund \$10.8 million. The lender is the second FDIC-insured institution to fail in Texas this year. In September, it shuttered First National Bank, based in Edinburg, Texas.

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<http://abcnews.go.com/Business/wireStory/regulators-close-bank-texas-21215761>



Prophecy Sign: Wars & Rumors of Wars Matthew 24:6 , Revelation 6:3-4 & Revelation 6:8

*“And you will hear of wars and rumors of wars. See that you are not troubled; for all these things must come to pass, but the end is not yet.” Revelation 6:3-4 speaks of the fiery red horse given power to **make men slay one another** and Revelation 6:8 speaks again of this red horse in conjunction with the pale horse of Death and Hades, as the one that has the power to kill by sword.*

Prophecy Sign: Weapons of Mass Destruction Zechariah 14:12

"And this shall be the plague with which the LORD will strike all the people who fought against Jerusalem: Their flesh shall dissolve while they stand on their feet, Their eyes shall dissolve in their sockets, And their tongues shall dissolve in their mouths."

Headline: China condemns Japan for criticizing air defense zone

Headline: Japan tells China to accept world's air zone concerns

Japan called on China Monday to see "reality" and "accept" there are widespread international concerns over Beijing's controversial air defence zone. The comment by Prime Minister Shinzo Abe's right-hand man came after China singled out Japan for criticism when 11 Asian countries stressed the importance of freedom of overflight at a summit in Tokyo, in a move seen as targeting Beijing.

"We think China should see the reality that many countries in the international community share concerns about the Air Defence Identification Zone and seriously accept it," Chief Cabinet Secretary Yoshihide Suga told a regular briefing. A joint statement by Japan and leaders of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN), "agreed to enhance cooperation in ensuring freedom of overflight and civil aviation safety". While the statement did not name China, it was seen as a clear rebuke for Beijing, which has sovereignty disputes with Japan and with four members of the economic bloc, and which has been repeatedly accused of intimidation and coercion.

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<http://news.yahoo.com/china-condemns-abe-criticizing-air-defense-zone-042809744.html>

http://www.spacedaily.com/reports/Japan_tells_China_to_accept_worlds_air_zone_concerns_999.html

Headline: US urges united response to 'ominous' N. Korea execution

Headline: S Korea Readies for 'Provocations' From North After Execution

Headline: N. Korea troops pledge loyalty en masse as Seoul on alert

Washington called for a united front against North Korea after the "ominous" execution of leader Kim Jong-Un's uncle as South Korea put its forces on alert for any "provocations" from its nuclear-armed neighbour. The warning came as thousands of North Korean troops marched in Pyongyang to pledge their loyalty to the young leader ahead of commemorations Tuesday to mark the second anniversary of the death of Kim's father and longtime leader Kim Jong-Il. The rally was held days after North Korea on Thursday executed Jang Song-Thaek, long seen as the country's unofficial number two and Kim Jong-Un's political regent, for a host of charges including plotting to overthrow his nephew and corruption. The shock execution was the biggest political upheaval since Kim took power after the death of his father two years ago. US Secretary of State John Kerry said the purge showed the world "how ruthless and reckless" Kim Jong-Un is, voicing concerns over the nuclear weapons under the control of the "spontaneous, erratic" leader. "It's an ominous sign of the instability and of the danger that does exist," Kerry said in the interview with ABC television during a trip to Vietnam.

"To have a nuclear weapon, potentially, in the hands of somebody like Kim Jong (Un) -- just becomes even more unacceptable," Kerry said.

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http://www.spacedaily.com/reports/US_urges_united_response_to_ominous_N_Korea_execution_999.html

<http://www.timesofeuropa.eu/us-urges-united-response-to-ominous-n-korea-execution/>

<http://www.newsmaxworld.com/GlobalTalk/nkorea-skorea-provocations-execution/2013/12/16/id/541965>

<http://news.yahoo.com/n-korea-39-kim-flurry-public-tours-uncle-054824339.html>

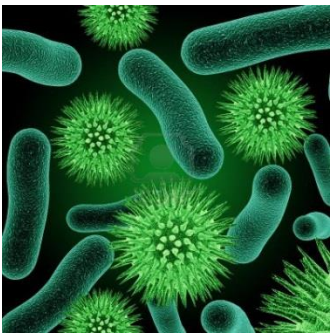
Headline: Russian missiles deployed to Baltic Sea region

Russia has confirmed the deployment of tactical missiles to the Baltic Sea exclave of Kaliningrad, along the borders of NATO countries, Poland and Lithuania. Moscow has stationed short-range 10 Iskander-M (SS-26 Stone) missile systems in Kaliningrad, as well as along its border with NATO countries, Russian newspaper Izvestia reported on Monday. According to Izvestia's report, an unidentified high-level Defense Ministry official said the missiles have been in place "for some time,"

about a year and a half ago. Meanwhile, Defense Ministry Spokesman Igor Konashenkov confirmed the media report that Iskander missiles have been deployed to the Western Military District, though he failed to provide specific locations. He said the deployment did not violate any international laws. However, the newly-deployed missiles can hit NATO targets located in Poland, Lithuania and even Germany, according to media reports. Russia had for years threatened to deploy the systems in response to NATO plans to install its missile systems in Eastern Europe.

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<http://www.presstv.ir/detail/2013/12/16/340342/russia-deploys-missiles-to-baltic-sea/>
<http://in.reuters.com/article/2013/12/16/russia-missiles-idINDEE9BF0DB20131216>



Prophecy Sign: Pestilence & Plagues Luke 21:11 & Revelation 6:8

*“And there will be great earthquakes in various places, and famines and **pestilences**; and there will be fearful sights and great signs from heaven.” (Luke)*

*“So I looked, and behold, a pale horse. And the name of him who sat on it was Death, and Hades followed with him. And power was given to them over a fourth of the earth, to kill with sword, with hunger, with **death** (**Thanatos** in Greek meaning the death of the body whether natural or violent), and by the beasts of the earth” (Revelation)*

Headline: Cubist Pharma on the front lines of superbug war

At Cubist Pharmaceuticals' labs in Lexington, Mass., researchers feel like they are in a race against time. They are trying to develop antibiotics to fight infections that are becoming increasingly untreatable and deadly. And they feel they are playing catch up with these superbugs. "You're going after a pathogen that evolves and changes its ability to respond to your drug. So, it's not just that you're going after a target, you're going after a moving target," said Dr. Obi Umeh, Cubist's senior director of clinical research. According to the Centers for Disease Control, 2 million Americans were sickened by drug-resistant bacteria, and about 23,000 died because the infections proved untreatable. The agency issued a report in September warning that superbugs are becoming a serious threat to public health. Among the strains the agency deemed the most acute threats, was the hospital-acquired infection *Clostridium difficile*, a bacteria that affects patients' bowels and can result in diarrhea. "We are rapidly approaching the point where the antibiotics we've relied on for generations will no longer be available to treat infections that can actually be lethal," said Dr. Michael Bell, deputy director of the Division of Healthcare Quality Promotion at the Centers for Disease Control.

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<http://www.cnbc.com/id/101272459>



Prophecy Sign: Persecution Matthew 24:9 & Revelation 6:9

“Then they will deliver you up to tribulation and kill you, and you will be hated by all nations for My name’s sake.” (Matthew)

“When He opened the fifth seal, I saw under the altar the souls of those who had been slain for the word of God and for the testimony which they held.” (Revelation)

Headline: Experts warn of 'ominous trends' in Western secularism

Experts on religious liberty cautioned participants at a weekend conference in Rome that discrimination and persecution against Christians is growing in many regions of the world. Paul Marshall, a senior fellow at the Center for Religious Freedom at the Hudson Institute, spoke about the causes underlying current global anti-Christian persecution. “Western secularism has been growing in the last few decades,” Marshall told CNA in a Dec. 13 interview. “I want to emphasize that the patterns we’re talking about are not like those in the remaining Communist world or the Middle East. It’s not persecution in that sense, but it’s getting very worrying.” “There are very ominous trends and I think we need to be aware of them, in terms of job discrimination, of the ability to speak out your mind, the ability to live out your faith. Things are really worsening in the West,” he explained. He pointed to several recent examples of this discrimination, including “German home-schooling families applying for asylum in the United States; people being fired from their jobs for holding Christian symbols.” “These things are new, and then the Pew Forum on Religion and Public Life, a major center on religion statistics, says its measures of religious hostility in Western Europe are now as high as they are in the Middle East.”

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<http://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/experts-warn-of-ominous-trends-in-western-secularism/>



Prophecy Sign: EARTHQUAKES/WEATHER

(Isaiah 24:19-20 , Matthew 24:7, Mark 13:8 , Luke 21:11 , Luke 21:25 - storms)

Headline: Southern Spain shaken by 5.5-magnitude earthquake

A 5.5-magnitude earthquake shook southern Spain Monday morning, officials said. No damages or casualties were reported. The quake was felt in Seville and Huelva provinces around 8 a.m., TheLocal.es reported. Spain's National Geography Institute said the quake was centered about 56 miles from the Moroccan city of Larache and had a depth of about 42 miles.

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http://www.upi.com/Top_News/World-News/2013/12/16/Southern-Spain-shaken-by-55-magnitude-earthquake/UPI-73781387219825/

***Latest Earthquakes Up to the Minute**

<http://earthquake.usgs.gov/earthquakes/map/>

<http://www.iris.edu/seismon/eventlist/index.phtml>

***Latest Worldwide Meteor Reports**

<http://thelatestworldwidemeteorreports.blogspot.com/>

***Latest Volcanic Activity**

<http://www.volcano.si.edu/reports/usgs/>

http://www.volcanodiscovery.com/erupting_volcanoes.html

***CME's, X-FLARES & SPACE WEATHER**

<http://www.spaceweather.com/>

The Arab Spring in Prophecy

(Perilous Times Luke 21:9 & Nation against Nation, Kingdom against Kingdom Matt.24:7)

(Revelation 6:3-4 Revelation 6:8)

“For nation shall rise against nation,
and kingdom against kingdom.
There will be earthquakes in various
places, and there will be famines
and sedition; these are the
beginning of the labor pains.”

Mark 13:8

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*Luke 21:9 and Matthew 24:7 speak of nation against nation and kingdom against kingdom in the end times. Revelation 6:3-4 speaks of the fiery red horse given power to **make men slay one another** and Revelation 6:8 speaks again of this red horse in conjunction with the pale horse of Death and Hades, as the one that has the power to kill by sword. I like to call this “The Arab Spring in Prophecy” because for us it is easy to identify- that’s what the world calls it.*

Luke 21:9: wars & commotions; the Greek word here is Akatastasia, meaning **instability, a state of disorder, disturbance, confusion (revolutions)**

Matthew 24:7: the Greek word for nation is Ethnos & refers to various **ethnic groups fighting among themselves**, where the next sentence in the verse refers to kingdoms (basileiva) fighting one another (not to be confused with an actual kingdom but rather **the right or authority to rule over a kingdom**) I have tried to separate it into areas that sweep EAST from the point of North America.

United States- The New American Revolution

Headline: Document Reveals State’s Move To Vastly Expand Continuity of Government Powers

<http://www.infowars.com/document-reveals-states-move-to-vastly-expand-continuity-of-government-powers/>

Headline: Judge: NSA phone program likely unconstitutional

<http://www.politico.com/story/2013/12/national-security-agency-phones-judge-101203.html>

Comment: These links give updated news and live video feed

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<http://www.livestream.com/globalrevolution>

<http://www.occupytogether.org/>

<http://occupywallst.org/>

<http://newsblogged.com/student-protests-news-latest-real-time-updates> (Student Protests)

Africa- ONLY COUNTRIES NOT IN PROPHECY

Headline: C. Africa president offers talks as sectarian violence mounts

Headline: France wants European help in CAR

Headline: Syria, CAR World's Top Dangers, UN Chief Says

The Central African Republic's president offered Saturday to hold talks with Christian militia groups in efforts to end spiralling sectarian violence that has killed hundreds of people in a week. Michel Djotodia, who became the majority Christian country's first Muslim leader in a March coup, told Radio France Internationale that he was ready to "extend his hand" and "talk" to militia groups.

The talks would address issues including an amnesty for the groups' role in the unrest and giving them posts in his transitional government. "They are not enemies. They are our brothers," Djotodia said. Violence between Christians and Muslims has been on the rise since the coup, but the latest carnage has seen several hundred people killed over the past week, prompting United Nations chief Ban Ki-moon and local authorities to plead for an end to the atrocities. UN refugee agency UNHCR said more than 600 people were killed, including 450 in the capital, Bangui, and 160 in other parts of the country.

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<http://news.yahoo.com/bodies-pile-sectarian-violence-worsens-c-africa-050057483.html>

<http://uk.news.yahoo.com/france-wants-european-help-car-145759542.html#okKpfQH>

<http://www.voanews.com/content/un-chief-syria-car-worlds-top-dangers/1811418.html>

Middle East- ONLY COUNTRIES NOT IN PROPHECY

Headline: Bahrainis hold anti-regime demonstration in Sitra

People have taken to the streets in Bahrain's northeastern island of Sitra to stage a demonstration against the ruling Al Khalifa regime. On Monday, demonstrators shouted slogans against a brutal crackdown by Bahraini security forces on anti-regime protests in the tiny Persian Gulf kingdom.

The protest comes as Bahrain's main opposition group, al-Wefaq, has slammed Manama for extending the detention of jailed activists. On December 11, the group said Bahraini regime forces raided 125 houses, arresting at least 82 people and torturing several people in November.

Bahrainis have been staging demonstrations since mid-February 2011, calling for political reforms and a constitutional monarchy, a demand that later changed to an outright call for the ouster of the ruling Al Khalifa family following its brutal crackdown on popular protests.

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<http://www.presstv.ir/detail/2013/12/16/340317/bahrainis-stage-protest-in-sitra/>

Europe

Headline: Ukrainians pour into streets in massive rally

Headline: Ukraine party demands cabinet reshuffle

Headline: European Union Suspends Trade Talks With Ukraine

Headline: Russia nears loan deal with Ukraine to keep it in its orbit

About 200,000 poured into the streets of the capital here Sunday as protests entered their fourth week amid increased pressure by the U.S. and its allies after the Ukrainian government backed away from a deal with the European Union. "I want Ukraine in the EU, and I want the bandits out of their seats in the government," said Yuriy Mazur, 19, a student who came to Kiev from the western Ukrainian city of Ivano-Frankivsk to protest. "I will stay till we oust this government." The anti-government protests began late last month after President Viktor Yanukovich decided to refrain from signing a trade deal with the European Union, instead seeking closer ties with Russia, a key trade partner. On Tuesday, Yanukovich said he would sign the EU deal next spring. But two days later, Ukrainian officials announced that the president would go to Moscow on Tuesday to finalize a trade deal with Russia, prompting a large turnout Sunday in the hopes of derailing the initiative.

U.S. Sens. John McCain and Chris Murphy joined the rally Sunday, where they spoke and expressed support for the protesters.

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<http://www.usatoday.com/story/news/world/2013/12/15/ukraine-protests-rally/4030727/>

<http://www.presstv.ir/detail/2013/12/16/340283/ukraine-party-demands-cabinet-reshuffle/>

http://www.nytimes.com/2013/12/16/world/europe/ukraine-protests.html?_r=0

<http://www.newsdaily.com/world/570983e3e70d1fe3cfaf73f3812345e0/russia-nears-loan-deal-with-ukraine-to-keep-it-in-its-orbit>

Headline: European Revolution

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<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Occupy-Europe/267662826590364>

<http://takethesquare.net/category/news/>

Other Countries

Headline: 16 die in clash in restive China region

A clash between knife-wielding assailants and police officers in China's restive Xinjiang region left 16 people dead, including two police, state media said Monday. The region's official news portal, Tianshan Net, said "several thugs" threw explosives Sunday night at the officers, who were pursuing unidentified suspects, and attacked them with knives. Two of the officers in Kashgar prefecture's Saybage township were killed and police fatally shot 14 assailants, the report said. Two other suspected assailants were arrested, it said. No further details were provided. Calls to local authorities rang unanswered or were picked up by officials who said they did not know about the attack. Xinjiang has long been home to a simmering rebellion against Chinese rule among parts of the Muslim Uighur population. Recent clashes, including an attack on a police station, left dozens of people dead this year.

Dec. 16, 2013

<http://www.arabnews.com/news/493496>

Headline: 13 more die in Bangla riots; Hasina threatens crackdown

Thirteen more people were killed Sunday and overnight Saturday in Bangladesh in continuing protests sparked by the execution of a top Islamist leader, and the prime minister warned of a crackdown. Police said they opened fire after Islamist supporters torched houses and fought street battles with them during a third day of unrest over the hanging of Abdul Quader Molla for mass murder during the 1971 war of independence. Six people were killed on Sunday, including four in the northern town of Patgram, and another seven died elsewhere overnight, police said. The deaths occurred as Islamist supporters enforced a nationwide strike over the execution of Molla, a senior leader of the Jamaat-e-Islami party. "Police fired rifles after Jamaat protesters torched at least 20 houses belonging to ruling party supporters," government administrator Habibur Rahman told AFP of the violence in Patgram. "We have banned protests and gatherings in the area to prevent further violence."

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<http://www.arabnews.com/news/492996>



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