

# The New Order of the Ages!

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*Novus Ordo Seclorum*. Do those words sound strange to you? Well, if you are an American they really shouldn't, because you carry them around in your pocket or purse all the time. Take a one-dollar bill out and look at the back. On the left-hand side you will see a circle, inside of which is a pyramid, topped by a single eye. At the bottom of this seal you will find the words *Novus Ordo Seclorum*, which, being translated from the Latin, means *New Order of the Ages*!

It wasn't very many years ago that then President George

Bush was touting something called *The New World Order*. Now the term has become so common that it is an accepted part of the current lingo. Almost everyone has heard of *The New World Order*. There's even a professional wrestling organization by that name!

Another phrase we hear a lot today is *The New Age*. Go into any bookstore, and you will find a whole section dedicated to this subject. It has permeated almost every facet of society. It is very interesting and intriguing that both of these apparently modern-day concepts should be found printed

on the back of an American one-dollar bill! Is there significance to this fact? Why do the words *Novus Ordo Seclorum* appear on our money? Is there more here than meets the eye?

To adequately address these puzzling facts, we need to go back into history and build a foundation that will allow us to better understand how things have developed up to the present day. The notion of a so-called *New World Order* is hardly new at all. It is, in fact, virtually as old as man himself.

In the pre-Flood world, the line of Cain, as recorded in Genesis 4, were the progenitors of the push for control of the world. It was during this ancient period of time that the basis was laid for what has come down to us as the concept of the *New World Order*.

Cain rebelled against the true God, his Creator, slew his brother Abel, and was driven eastward from Eden into the land of Nod. This area of the world would later be known as Babylon, and would take on increasing significance through the succeeding millennia of time.

Cain was the first to gather people into cities. The purpose of this was for *control* and subsequently for *profit*. The same motives that have permeated human society down through the ages.

Cain's lineage, as recorded in the Scriptures, contains 12 named individuals. There is a very strong likelihood that these particular characters became the original *gods* and *goddesses* of the ancient world. In the ages succeeding the great Deluge, we discover that many of the civilizations developed a similar pantheon of 12 deities. We find this to be true in Assyrian, Egyptian, Babylonian, Greek, Roman, and Norse mythology.

It has always been the objective of some to control and rule others. It has always been the goal of a few to actually rule over the entire world. Cain was clearly

the first person to pursue this aim. The line of Cain became interwoven with demonic forces. The actual gods of the past have really been demons, fallen spirit beings or angels, although they have utilized human beings as their agents and instruments, thus causing the humans involved to often become objects of worship themselves. Legends and myths began to be added to the true histories of these ancient men and women, so seemingly imbued with supernatural power. The line of Cain eventually became renowned throughout the inhabited world. It was during their era that every form of evil originated and was perpetuated.

It is highly unlikely that the patriarch Noah was responsible for transferring the seeds of false religion and heresy to the post-Flood world. This could, however, have easily been accomplished by one of his sons or by one of their wives. It is indisputable that the evil traditions of the pre-Flood era indeed carried over to the new order of things. There were undoubtedly many stories of the ancient epochs that were passed on from generation to generation. It wasn't long before these stories began to take on greater-than-lifelike proportions.

We read in the Biblical account of Genesis 10-11, the story of a man named Nimrod, the son of Cush, and the great grandson of Noah himself. This Nimrod, it is stated, became great in the earth, indeed a mighty hunter in place of the true God. In fact, it was with

Nimrod, his wife Semiramis, and their son Tammuz, that the post-Flood mythologies originated. Nimrod was the archetype of Cain, a great builder of cities and empires, one who sought to control the people, who wanted rulership of the whole world, and who would stop at nothing to get it.

In the most ancient of the histories and mythologies of Babylon, Nimrod was known in the inscriptions as *Ninus*. Gesenius the scribe equates him with the name *Nebo*, and Hyginus indicates that *Nebo* was *Mercury*. Another well-known name for *Mercury* is *Hermes*. Quoting Hyginus, Alexander Hislop records the following: "**For many ages men lived under the government of Jove (not the Roman Jupiter, but Yahweh or Jahveh of the Hebrews), without cities and without laws (of men), and all speaking one language. But, after that MERCURY or HERMES interpreted the speeches of men (whence an interpreter is called Hermeneutes), the same individual distributed the nations, then discord began**" *The Two Babylons*, p. 26).

Aside from Ninus, Nebo, or Nimrod, the other great ancient god of Babylon was Bel. If Ninus was Nimrod, who was Bel? Mercury or Hermes was considered by the Greeks to be the son of Zeus. In like manner, the earlier Babylonian version of Hermes was also considered to be the son of the great god Bel. Again, if Ninus is Nimrod, who is

Bel? He would obviously be his father. Who was Nimrod's father? None other than the Biblical character *Cush*, the son of Ham, and grandson of Noah.

Bel was known as the *Confounder*, or the god of confusion. Indeed, the name *Babylon* means *confusion*. To the Romans the god Bel or Cush, the father of Nimrod, was worshiped as Janus, the god of gods. The month of January is named after him, and is, as would be expected, the first month of the secular year. Interestingly enough, the Roman historian Ovid describes the god Janus in very singular and telling language. He states: "**From whom all the other gods had their origin is made to say to himself: 'the ancients...called me CHAOS.'**"

Janus, the Roman equivalent of Bel, whose actual human name was Cush, was known as the god Chaos. Chaos, of course, means *confusion*. Alexander Hislop makes mention of the god of confusion and speaks of the symbol connected with him. He states: "**...that symbol is a CLUB; and the name of a club in Chaldee comes from the very word which signifies 'to break in pieces, or scatter abroad.'** He who caused the confusion of tongues was he who 'broke' the previously united earth, Gen. 11:1, in pieces and scattered the fragments abroad. How significant, then, as a symbol, is the club, as commemorating the work of Cush, as Bel, the Confounder? That significance

will be all the more apparent when the reader turns to the Hebrew of Genesis 11:9, and finds that the very word from which a club derives its name is that which is employed when it is said, that in consequence of the confusion of tongues, the children of men were scattered abroad on the face of all the earth. The name of Cush is also *Khus*, for *sh* frequently passes in Chaldee into *s*; and *Khus*, in pronunciation, legitimately becomes *Khawos*, or without the digamma, *Khoas*" (*The Two Babylons*, p. 27).

Isaiah, speaking of ancient Babylon, prophesies: "**Bel bows down, Nebo stoops, their idols were upon the beasts, and upon the cattle; your carriages were heavy laden; they are a burden to the weary beast. They stoop, they bow down together; they could not deliver the burden, but themselves are gone into captivity**" (Isa. 46:1-2).

Here both Bel and Nebo are together. They are associated with Babylon, and they clearly are gods of worship. In predicting the end of Babylon, the prophet Jeremiah was inspired to write: "**How is the HAMMER of the whole earth cut asunder and broken! How is Babylon become a desolation among the nations! I have laid a snare for you, and you are also taken, O Babylon, and you were not aware: you are found, and also caught, because you have striven against the Lord**" (Jer. 50:23-24).

Notice that the Bible refers to the power of Babylon as a *hammer*. This corresponds perfectly to the symbol of Bel (Cush) and Nebo's (Nimrod) power, which was the *club*!

We should also note that Bel and Baal are different entities, even though the names sound quite similar. It is most likely that Nimrod was the original, post-Flood *Baal*, while his father Cush was known as *Bel*.

Since Nimrod (Ninus or Nebo) was known by other civilizations as *Hermes* (*Mercury*), it is intriguing that Hislop says that *Her* relates to *Ham*, and the suffix *mes* means to *draw forth* or *issue from*. Thus the name *Hermes* is directly connected with one who is descended from Ham, one of the sons of Noah, and the founder of Egypt. He was known anciently as *the burnt one*, indicating that he was worshiped as the sun-god. It could also have a possible relationship to Ham being of a darker skin color.

#### CONNECTING WITH THE PAST

Many, if not most, of the ancient and modern secret societies trace much of their history back to what is known as the *Hermetic* writings. William Josiah Sutton, quoting from *An Encyclopedia of Freemasonry and Its Kindred Sciences*, by Albert G. Mackey, states under the entry *Hermes*: "**In all the old manuscripts, records**

which contain the legend of the craft (Freemasonry), mention is made of **HERMES** as one of the founders of masonry...He is said to have written 36 books on theology and philosophy, and 6 upon medicine...There are many traditions of him, one of which, related by Eusebius, is that he introduced hieroglyphics into Egypt...This Hermes...was claimed by the alchemists as the founder of their art, whence it is called Hermetic science, and whence we get in Masonry, Hermetic rites and Hermetic degrees...The legend of the craft in the old constitutions refer to **NIMROD** as one of the founders of Masonry” (*Illuminati 666*, p.102-103).

In ancient mythology, there lies much original truth embedded in the legends of old. The story of *Titan* is really a tale of the rebellion of Lucifer, as recorded in Isaiah 14 and Ezekiel 28. According to Greek folklore, Titan was the progenitor of a race of giant humans on the earth, who were overcome by the gods of Olympus. The word *titan* actually means *gigantic in size or power*. The word *titanism* means the *spirit of rebellion against authority*.

Anciently, Lucifer was the original *Titan*. He worked through the line of Cain to create a demonically inspired and, in some cases, possessed people who wreaked havoc upon the earth. After the Flood, it was Cush and Nimrod that submitted to the influences of Satan, as he sought to replicate the disastrous situation

that existed prior to the Deluge.

The first-century Jewish historian, Flavius Josephus, writes freely about Nimrod, saying:

“Now it was Nimrod who excited them to such an affront and contempt of God. He was the grandson of Ham, the son of Noah, a bold man, and of great strength of hand. He persuaded them not to ascribe it to God, as if it was through his means that they were happy, but to believe that it was their own courage which produced that happiness. He also gradually changed the government into tyranny, seeing no other way of turning men from fear of God, but to bring them into a constant dependence on his own power. He also said he would be revenged on God, if He would have a mind to drown the world again, for that he would build a tower too high for the waters to be able to reach! And that he would avenge himself on God for destroying their forefathers!”

“Now the multitude were very ready to follow the determination of Nimrod, and to esteem it a piece of cowardice to submit to God; and they built a tower, neither sparing any pains, nor being in any degree negligent about the work. And by reason of the multitude of hands employed in it, it grew very high, sooner than anyone could expect; but the thickness of it was so great, and it was so strongly built, that thereby its great height seemed, upon the view, to

be less than it really was” (*Antiquities of the Jews*, p. 30).

Nimrod took up where Cain and his lineage had left off. He rallied the people of that ancient day, he built great cities and gathered the populous into them. He was the first to introduce warfare to the new, post-Flood world.

Trogus Pompeius, writing of Ninus or Nimrod, states: “Ninus, king of Assyria (*remember that Nimrod was the founder of Assyria as well as Babylon - Micah 5:6*), first of all changed the contented moderation of the ancient manners, incited by a new passion, the desire of conquest. He was the first who carried on war against his neighbors, and he conquered all nations from Assyria to Lybia, as they were yet unacquainted with the arts of war.”

Hislop, quoting the ancient historian, Diodorus of Sicily, writes: “Ninus, the most ancient of the Assyrian kings mentioned in history, performed great actions. Being naturally of a warlike disposition, and ambitious of glory that results from valor, he armed a considerable number of young men that were brave and vigorous like himself, trained them up a long time in laborious exercises and hardships, and by that means accustomed them to bear the fatigues of war, and to face dangers with intrepidity” (*The Two Babylons*, p. 20-22).

It is probably impossible to overstate the significance of characters such as Cush and Nimrod, especially considering the very critical and vulnerable time in which they lived, shortly after the destruction of the great Flood. Nimrod unquestionably was attempting to unite the entire world under his rulership.

God, having destroyed the human race, save Noah and his family, in order to stop the evil perpetrated by the demonically-empowered Cain and his descendants; again dramatically intervened in the days of Nimrod to prevent the very same thing happening in the post-Flood world that had precipitated the destruction in the first place. He did this by dividing the language of the people and scattering them abroad upon the earth, thus effectively thwarting this early attempt at achieving global domination of the human race. This was, however, a dream that would never die in the hearts of some, and throughout recorded history, the chain of evidence clearly reveals that this has been the goal of certain individuals and groups for millennia of time.

According to the most ancient of traditions, Nimrod was eventually killed by Shem, son of Noah, or possibly by Assur, Shem's son. We do know that under the leadership of Assur (probably Sharrum-kin, better known to us as Sargon the Great), Nimrod (Ninus, known in some of the ancient inscriptions as *Lugalzaggisi*) was defeated in

battle. Whether or not his death occurred at this time is unknown.

Both the Babylonian god Tammuz, and the Egyptian deity Osiris, were worshiped as the personification of the sun-god. Both were supposedly killed by a great rival god. In the Babylonian version of this ancient story, Tammuz is slain by an unnamed king in order to stop him from introducing astrology.

In Egyptian mythology, the rival god is known as *Set, Seth, or Typhon*. He was worshiped in India under the name *Shom*. Indeed, it is a virtual certainty that these references pertain to the Biblical character Shem, the son of Noah, and the progenitor of the lineage chosen by God through which Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Moses, David, and eventually the Messiah Himself would be born.

The entire array of false religion this side of the Flood originated with Cush and Nimrod, and those most closely identified with them.

When Nimrod did die, his wife, Semiramis, ruled his kingdom. She is listed just after Ninus, son of Belus in the chronicles of the Kings of Nineveh. She apparently reigned for approximately 42 years, eventually fleeing from her son, Ninyas, who was her successor.

Ever since Nimrod promised the people of his day a *New World Order*, so this objective has been perpetuated

even to this very day. The so-called *New World Order* isn't really new at all, but as old as the Flood, as old as Cain himself. It goes back to the beginning of the human race, and it will only end with the ultimate defeat of Satan and his demons by the returning Messiah.

### THE WILES OF SATAN

Most people, including most believers, do not understand the depth to which Satan has involved himself in corrupting the truth of God, and in perverting the things and people of this earth. We know that the Scriptures tell us the devil is our enemy, and surely we believe this is true, but, generally speaking, we give precious little thought to the reality of Satan, how he has operated down through history, indeed how he has been allowed to literally shape history.

From the very beginning, we can discern the methods of Satan. In his confrontation with Eve in the Garden of Eden, notice what was said:

**“For God does know that in the day you eat thereof, then your EYES SHALL BE OPENED, and you shall be as GODS, knowing good and evil” (Gen. 3:5).**

Did you notice the significance of what the serpent said in this passage? He is talking

about secret knowledge being revealed to those who do what he says. He is referring to what came to be known as the *mysteries*, that collection of higher knowledge and understanding, divine or spiritual revelation, that will be granted to those who become a part of the inner circle. It is the creation of this desire to obtain hidden or forbidden knowledge that Satan employs as a weapon against hapless human beings. The adversary is constantly attempting to cause people to look into things that God wants hidden. The Scriptures clearly tell us: **“The SECRET THINGS belong unto the Lord, but those things which are revealed belong unto us and to our children forever, that we may do all the words of this Law” (Deut. 29:29).**

Just as there is a *mystery* connected with the truth of God (of which the apostle Paul speaks), so there are the *mysteries* of evil or, again as Paul describes it, the *mystery of iniquity!* In every age, Satan has had his agents. In many, many instances, these agents have formed a lineage of sorts that has been preserved for generation after generation in an unbroken chain, the inner knowledge being passed from one person or one group to another, which then takes over and continues to perpetuate the false doctrine of the devil in whatever guise is necessary for the time at hand. It is a system of secret societies, ancient mysteries, specially coded messages, arcane symbols, religious rituals, strange initiation rites, clandestine maneuverings, devious plots,

dynastic alliances, clever ploys, shadowy personages, and shady dealings. Often the agents of Satan have been close to the seats of power in this world, on occasion even occupying the throne. For the most part, however, they have preferred, like their spiritual counterparts, to work in secrecy, pulling strings behind the scenes, being silent, but effective king-makers, and, of course, reaping the rewards that control and power offer those who sell their soul to the devil for gain!

It is imperative that God’s people be wise and informed as to the ways of the arch-enemy. Paul implored us not to be unaware of the subtle devices of Satan. We are, in fact, to be so acutely focused that we are able to identify and resist him and his efforts to spiritually derail us. This will never be accomplished, if we simply take Satan and the demonic forces for granted. In saying this, I do not mean that anyone should be totally dwelling on the dark side of life. That is not what is needed at all. There is, however, a balance that should be struck.

We need to realize that the innumerable gods of this world, from ancient times until today, are really demonic spirits, each one of them displaying something of a different nature or nuance. In some instances, these unclean spirits have made themselves visible to certain individuals, producing the ultimate in deception—literally conscripting particular people into their service by causing them to believe that

they are in the presence of God Himself! Thus, there are some who are truly filled with a burning zeal to serve the god who is so real to them. They think that what they are doing is the right thing, the best way, that they are invulnerable and above reproach, no matter what they do and or what the consequences. It doesn’t matter if their approach and action is destructive, if it bankrupts nations, or even if it results in genocidal holocaust—they are confident that the course they are on has the backing of the highest power in the universe. They are determined to see their plans through to the end. If it takes one generation or a thousand, Satan is able to maintain the continuity of motivated human servants across hundreds and thousands of years, if necessary, to fulfil his goals.

The *chosen ones* of the devil then use their status, money, charisma, family ties, dynastic alliances, secret societies, hidden knowledge—all to gain adherents on a lower level than themselves. It is from this much larger and much less informed group that they gain the kind of leverage, the kind of respectability, the kind of legality, that they require in order to operate in the secret, diabolical manner in which they do.

In virtually all secret societies, there is a series of steps or stages through which the initiate must advance, each one leading him into a deeper aspect of the hidden knowledge, and each one achieved through yielding up yet more of oneself and one’s soul to

the ruling masters of the society. The ancient Babylonian mystery schools were established according to this pattern, as was the Jewish Kabbala, and also the ancient rite of Freemasonry.

Babylonian mysticism was known as **ILLUMINISM**. Notice what the *Encyclopedia Americana* has to say about the term *Illuminati*: “**The Illuminati is a name taken, or given, to various groups of individuals existing during the past 2000 years, who believed in and taught a doctrine of illumination or inner light**” (p. 698).

Writing in his book, *The Illuminati 666*, author William Josiah Sutton states with respect to the idea of *illumination*: “**This mystical name derived from its original source at a much earlier time. The Western equivalent to this Eastern mysticism is Hermeticism and Gnosticism...The Illuminati taught that living a life of purity and service would open their inner senses so that they would obtain spiritual sight or clairvoyance, known as the Third Eye, become seers, and be able to converse with angels and dead saints. The individual who became spiritually or intellectually enlightened in the ancient Babylonian Mysteries was initiated into the mysteries when qualified, and called an Illumined One**” (p. 91-92).

Let us never forget that Lucifer is described in the Bible as an *enlightened* or *illumined* one.

In fact, we read in Isaiah 14:“**How are you fallen from heaven, O Lucifer, son of the morning**” (Isa. 14:12). The name *Lucifer* comes from the Hebrew word *heylel*, and means *the morning star*. It is derived from another similar word, *halal*, which is defined as *to be clear, to shine, to be bright*.

It is not surprising, therefore, to read in the New Testament the following statement regarding Satan and his agents. Paul warns the Corinthians, saying:

“**For I am jealous over you with a Godly jealousy: for I have espoused you to one husband, that I may present you as a chaste virgin to Christ. But I fear, lest BY ANY MEANS, as the SERPENT beguiled Eve through his subtlety, so your minds should be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ. For if he that comes preaches another Jesus, whom we have not preached...you might well bear with him...Such are false apostles, deceitful workers, transforming themselves in to the apostles of Christ. And no marvel; for SATAN himself is transformed into an ANGEL OF LIGHT. Therefore it is no great thing if HIS MINSTERS also be transformed as the ministers of righteousness; whose end shall be according to their works” (II Cor. 11:2-4, 13-15).**

The secret societies will utilize their lower-level converts as a legitimate cover for their

heinous, higher level, and much more veiled activity. They will manipulate people who are either attracted to their apparent noble causes, or who are simply ignorant of what they are doing. It doesn't matter to these *powers that be*, for they have no loyalty to any government, any religion, or any economic policy or social order. They are in it for what they can get out of it, and they are in it for the long run. They will accomplish all that they possibly can in their lifetimes, and then hopefully pass on to their children the same evil system, in which they can then participate in their own right. This is, in fact, often how things are done. Many of Satan's most effective agents are in the same set of families or genealogies. These are usually referred to as *bloodlines*.

### THE COUNTERFEITER

It is really interesting how cleverly Satan counterfeits the things of God and the truth. For virtually every good thing, there is a demonic replication. They look good, indeed at times they may appear as the real thing, but once they are in force, the ugly serpent rears his head. Just to take the issue of bloodlines as an example. A study of the way Satan has used his agents reveals that one of his most potent tactics is to work within family units over generations of time. In a manner of speaking, God does the same thing, with, of course, the great exception that His work is

righteous as opposed to evil and destructive. God often works through families or dynasties (Seth, Noah, Shem, Abraham, David). There is evidence that even the Messiah was blood related to Joseph of Arimathea, John the Baptist, and possibly Lazarus, Martha, and Mary. We know for a fact that at least two of His brothers (James and Jude) became apostles and leaders of the early New Testament Church. And, above all things, we as believers are reckoned to be of royal blood ourselves—that is, the blood of Christ the King.

Satan, and his human followers, use subterfuge and stealth to shield their real objectives. The most effective methodology is to maneuver and manipulate legitimate persons, groups, and institutions in an unseen, undetected manner, so that they agree to sponsor the evil idea, approach, formula, product, law, treaty, whatever it may be, whether in the political, religious, economic, educational, social, or military realm—understanding, of course, that the evil is always covered by something that is legitimate and apparently good. This has been the chief *modus operandi* of Satan down through the centuries of time in his dealings with mankind.

The secret societies, the ancient mystery schools of Babylon, Egypt, Assyria, India, Greece, of Cabalistic Judaism, all have had the great objective of forming and controlling a one-world social, political, and

religious order. Today, we call this goal by the term *globalism*.

The apparent benevolence of these groups belies the evil that lurks beneath the seemingly smooth surface. Behind all the secrets and mysteries and arcane knowledge and hidden agendas, there remains one great reality—the sovereignty of the true God of the Bible is not admitted or honored. The focus is always upon the further enlightenment of man, the further perfection of man, the further liberation of man, and all accomplished by man. It is man becoming his own god, rising ever higher and higher, climbing one rung of illumination after another, moving step by step, or, degree by degree, toward the ultimate utopian state of being.

The masses are deemed unprepared for such illumination, therefore the secret nature of the orders. Of those who are permitted access, most remain mere initiates, never really progressing down the path of enlightenment, and consequently never really grasping the very entity of which they are a member. A few move beyond the initial degrees, each step taking them deeper into the recesses of ancient knowledge, and with each successive step being accompanied by an additional commitment to the ulterior motives of the order.

The number and names of the secret societies are many and varied. They are both ancient and modern, some of them political, some philosophical, some

religious, some chivalric, some merely social, but their origins are all Satanic, and their existence, even if only superficially, is to do the will of the devil in this world.

From the time of Cain and his evil lineage, across the great Flood of destruction, to Cush, Nimrod and Semiramis, Osiris, Isis, and Horus, Marduk, Ishtar, and Tammuz, Zeus, Hera, and Hercules, Jupiter, Juno, and Apollo, Wodan, Fria, and Thor, the legends and myths have abounded, carefully hiding the ugly truth behind what has formed and shaped this world since the Garden of Eden—the **SERPENT** and his insatiable desire to be exalted to the place of supreme worship and obeisance in the universe!

Some of those secret, influential, and powerful societies are well known to all of us. We are familiar with Freemasonry, Rosicrucianism, the Knights Templar, the Knights of Malta, the Jesuits, the Priory of Sion, the Compagnie du Saint Sacrament, the Hieron du Val, the Illuminati, the Italian P2 Lodge, the Club of Rome, the Round Table, the Tavistock Institute, the Royal Institute for International Affairs, the Council on Foreign Relations, the Trilateral Commission, the Bilderburgers, and many others.

Manley P. Hall, undoubtedly the most prolific and perhaps most original Freemasonic thinker and writer of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, said the following:



“Pythagoras, Plato, Aristotle, Buddha, Jesus, and Mohammed are among the greatest names recorded in history; but it is not customary to regard the men who bore these names as statesmen or sociologists. They are thought of as philosophers, sages, seers, and mystics, whose doctrines have no application to the political needs of an industrialized civilization. Yet it is men like Plato and Buddha who still exercise the most powerful force in mortal affairs toward the perpetuation and preservation of a civilized state among all nations. All of the great leaders of ancient times realized and taught that the establishment of a state of permanent peace among the nations depended upon the release of HUMAN ideals...World democracy was the secret dream of the great classical philosophers. Toward the accomplishment of this greatest of all HUMAN ENDS they outlined PROGRAMS of education, religion, and social conduct directed to the ultimate achievement of a practical and U N I V E R S A L BROTHERHOOD. And in order to accomplish their purposes more effectively, these ancient scholars bound themselves with certain ties, MYSTIC ties into a BROAD CONFRATERNITY. In Egypt, Greece, India, and China, the STATE MYSTERIES came into existence. Orders of initiated priest-philosophers were formed as a SOVEREIGN BODY to INSTRUCT, ADVISE, AND

### DIRECT THE RULERS OF THE STATES.”

“One of the most ancient of man’s constructive ideals is the dream of a universal democracy and a cooperation of all nations in a commonwealth of States. The mechanism for the accomplishment of this ideal was set in motion in the ancient temples of Greece, Egypt, and India. So brilliant was the plan and so well was it administered that it has survived to our time, and it will continue to function until the great work is accomplished” (*America’s Secret Destiny*, p. 24-26).

I seriously doubt that the nature and objective of Satan could be more eruditely and acceptably presented. The hope of universal brotherhood, the cooperation of all countries, the erasure of national boundaries, the dissolution of all private property and individual rights, the amalgamation of State and Church, of politics, sociology, science, industry, religion, education, economics, and diplomacy into one great society, ruled over by the apparent benevolent exalted Masters—the creation of what we call today the *global village*—this is where it is all headed.

There is no question whatever that the plan sounds good. There is a ring of righteousness about it. Its appeal is undeniable. It looks precisely like the real thing. The only problem is that it has the wrong god, the wrong motive, the wrong

approach, and the wrong objective.

### SYMBOLS OF AMERICA

We started this brief discussion with a reference to the back of an American one-dollar bill. There we find the so-called *Great Seal of the United States of America*. It has both a front and a reverse side, and both sides are represented. On the right side of the bill, we find within a circle what appears to be an eagle. In fact, it was not originally an eagle at all. Notice again from Manley Hall the truth on this matter:

“Most of the designs (for the Great Seal) originally submitted had the PHOENIX bird on its nest of flames as the central motif...Among the ancients a fabulous bird called the Phoenix is described by early writers such as Clement, Herodotus, and Pliny; in size and shape it resembled an eagle, but with certain differences...Only one of these birds was supposed to live at a time...The Phoenix, it was said, lives for 500 years, and at its death its body opens and the new born Phoenix emerges. Because of this symbolism, the Phoenix is generally regarded as representing immortality and resurrection.”

“All symbols have their origin in something tangible, and the Phoenix is one sign of the secret orders of the ancient world and of the initiate of those orders, for it was common to refer to one

who had been accepted into the temples as a man **TWICE-BORN, OR REBORN**. Wisdom confers a new life, and those who become wise are **BORN AGAIN**.”

“The Phoenix symbol is important in another way, as an emblem among nearly all civilized nations of royalty, power, superiority, and immortality. The Phoenix of China is identical in meaning with the Phoenix of Egypt; and the Phoenix of the Greeks is the same as the Thunder Bird of the American Indians” (*Ibid*, p. 175-177).

The ancient symbol of the Phoenix bird is hardly the only pagan aspect of the American one-dollar bill. Notice how often the mystical number 13 occurs in the founding of this nation. There were 13 original colonies. The Phoenix holds in his left claws 13 arrows, and in his right a 13-leafed olive branch containing 13 berries. Above his head is a crown of 13 pentagonal stars, but they do not merely form a crown, for they are carefully arranged in the shape of a **HEXAGRAM**, the most evil of all occultic signs. The body of the Phoenix is covered with 13 stripes. The number 13, as we all know, is the most significant occultic number.

On the left side of the back of an American dollar bill, one finds the reverse portion of the *Great Seal of the United States*. This instrument, so symbolic and so intricately intertwined as it is

with this nation, constitutes a perfect example of how Satan and his agents work in this world. What I mean is that if you were to simply glance at the front side of the seal, you would assume that you saw the famous American bald eagle, and that whatever else was on the device was surely of a patriotic nature. This is what most people blindly believe.

The front side of the seal is actually designed to trigger good and positive thoughts and reactions. It seems altogether harmless, and indeed apparently has everything to recommend it. But the device is cleverly designed. Not only is the ancient pagan Phoenix masquerading as an eagle on the front side of the Great Seal, but there are many other occultic numerical signs as well, but these symbols tend to operate outside or above the level of the average person's awareness.

On the reverse side, however, there is something entirely different, both in its actual appearance, as well as in its blatant significance. What we find there is something that would seem to be incredibly strange, yet it commands little attention by most people. On the back of the American dollar bill is, of all things, a pyramid—an Egyptian pyramid—with 13 steps or levels. It is without a capstone, and hovering above it contained within a triangle is the *all-seeing eye*. Inscribed on the base of the pyramid in Roman numerals is the year MDCCLXXVI - 1776. Across the bottom of the seal are the

mysterious words in Latin *Novus Ordo Seclorum* - The New Order of the Ages.

The entire reverse side of the Great Seal is filled with occultic and Freemasonic symbols. The pyramid of Egypt, the all-seeing eye, the triangle, the motto at the bottom, all speak to the esoteric, Satanic underworld. Even the date of 1776 is highly suspect. Most people casually assume that this must refer to the year when the Declaration of Independence was signed, but this is hardly the case. Given what we know with respect to the history of that time, combined with the clearly occultic nature of the symbols on the seal, we can safely deduce that the year 1776, inscribed on the base of the pyramid, is meant to indicate the date of the founding of the Bavarian Illuminati by Professor Adam Weishaupt. Backed and led by the powerful Rothschild banking cartel, Weishaupt formed an association of esoteric thinkers, bankers, and power brokers, which had as its major tenets—the abolition of all order, governments, private property, inheritances, patriotism, religion, family, along with the creation of a one-world government. The motto of this group was, not surprisingly, *Novus Ordo Seclorum!* The Bavarian Illuminati was formed on May 1, 1776.

It is a fact of history that at least 50 of the original 56 signers of the Declaration of Independence were members of Masonic lodges or Rosicrucian orders. In fact, the

very founding of this nation was basically a Masonic ideal. For centuries the masters of the secret societies had known about the great land to the West. There had been prophecies and predictions made in much of the ancient literature that there would come a time when a new world order would be established, and that it would occur in what came to be the United States of America.

It could be accurately said that America was founded as the ultimate Masonic society. It was to be in and through this country that the globalists would finally achieve their great scheme of world domination. The Masonic writer and lecturer, Manly P. Hall states: **“Thousands of years ago, in Egypt, these mystical orders were aware of the existence of the western hemisphere and the great continent which we call America. The bold resolution was made that this western continent should become the site of the philosophic empire. Just when this was done it is impossible now to say, but certainly the decision was reached prior to the time of Plato, for a thinly veiled statement of this resolution is the substance of his treatise on the Atlantic Islands...And so it is from the remote past, from the deep shadows of the medieval world, as well as from the early struggles of more modern times, that the power of American democracy has come...Not only must we preserve that which we have gained through the ages of striving, we must also perfect**

**the plan of the ages, setting up here the machinery for a WORLD BROTHERHOOD of nations and races...It seems to me that the basic plan for the post-war world should be one solidly founded in this great dream of UNIVERSAL BROTHERHOOD”** (*The Secret Destiny of America*, p. 25-26).

The so-called *New World Order* is hardly new at all. It has been the dream of all the ancient secret societies for millennia of time. It has been the objective of a cabal of men whose ambitions know no limit—for them, the rulership of this world is the prize. Above all, these men and groups are the direct agents of Satan, and their plan is his plan. They operate precisely as he does, secretly, with intrigue, deception, disinformation, cover stories, ruses, plots, and ploys. They always palm themselves off as beneficent, patriotic, do-gooders, something which they emphatically are not!

Through the years since the founding of America, the plans of the Brotherhood have been put into operation—not all at once, and not without a struggle, but rather gradually, over time, a little change here, a little there. Today, this nation appears to be the bastion of righteousness in the world. Nothing could possibly be further from the truth. This country, in spite of its blessings, is the result of a Grand Experiment of the ages. The demonic masters of Babylon have finally succeeded in establishing a rebirth of the ancient mysteries. America is Babylon

today, and will almost surely fulfil the prophecies of the Bible with respect to Babylon.

*The New Order of the Ages* is upon us right now. It is encroaching into every area of our lives. It influences and thereby controls the government of this country. It establishes the monetary platform of the nation. It runs all the research and policy-making institutes and think tanks. It controls the Federal Reserve System, America's central bank. It owns all the great monied foundations, where untold billions and billions of dollars find a tax-free haven. Much of the media, both news and entertainment, are controlled by these inimical forces.

The American people are prisoners of an incredible Satanic experiment. They have been programmed and propagandized over the years. The great middle class of this country was developed so that it could finance the schemes of the planners, who then, in the end, will destroy the hand that fed them!

Americans have been led to feel superior, better off, more deserving, more righteous, than the rest of the world. Our people have been duped by the master deceiver. While we have spent uncountable sums of money, effort, and human sacrifice to polish up the image, we have decayed inside. While we have attempted to maintain the appearance of godness, liberty, and happiness, we have become the most spiritually sick, morally corrupt nation in the world. The

sins of this country have mounted up to the heavens and have become an intolerable stench in the nostrils of God! And those sins have been exported throughout the world, compounding, rather than solving the problems of mankind.

The *New World Order* should be more properly termed the *NEW WORLD Order!* It was long ago determined that there would be a new world, and a new world order. The land that eventually became America was selected by the powerful agents of Satan as the location of that new world. After centuries and centuries, empire after empire, civilization after civilization, it was time to turn from the old world to the new, to take what had been tried and proven in the stodgy systems of Europe, the Middle East and the Orient, and transplant them to the rich soil of the new world—the place from which the builders anticipated their grandest dreams would come true. After nearly 225 years of the American experience, those dreams of world domination are closer to fulfillment than ever.

### CONCLUSION

It is imperative that we come to understand how we have been used as pawns in Satan's great game. It could well be that indeed the common people of this country, or of the world in general for that matter, may not wake up and turn from their sins en masse,

but there is every reason to believe that on an individual basis this can, should, and hopefully, will happen. Repentance is the key, and that means coming to fully recognize our sin, despising who and what we are, coming under the shed blood of the Messiah in faith for the atonement, and completely turning away from evil and toward God, fully submitting to His Word, His Spirit, and His will in our lives. It means renouncing the ways of this world, and it means putting ourselves on the line. It means the end of ease, and the beginning of a focused, responsible life in the service of God.

Our wealth, our diplomacy, our military power, our influence, our churches, our good works—none of these attributes will save us. In the end, as in all things merely human, America will be destroyed and come to nothing. Unless God builds the house, they that labor do so in vain. There is hope, there is a future, indeed a bright one, but for those alive in this age, it will come only upon waking up and turning to the true Creator of the universe.

He has a plan. He has secrets and mysteries. He has an agenda. He has His operatives and agents. In fact, almost everything Satan is attempting to do, God Himself is also planning, because the devil has stealthily counterfeited God's program. It is remarkable how much we can actually learn about what God wants by studying the way Satan works and what His aims are.

Satan desires world rulership—so does God. Satan speaks of the brotherhood of man, and, in His own way, so does God. Satan uses a few converts to spearhead his plans on the earth, and so does God. Satan is willing to be patient, and so is God. In so many ways, the devil has copied the plan of God, even offering a born-again experience for those who are truly initiated into the deeper mysteries. At the end of the day, however, Satan loses, and all that he has longed for will go down in flames!

For those who know the true God, the way is open for you to enter into His service, to become part of the spiritual inner circle, to be privy to the deeper mysteries of the Kingdom. It is your chance to become a knight of the realm, a member of the royal bloodline, a king/priest. The privileges of membership will be yours, and the rights and powers of a prince will be accorded you. With all of this opportunity will also come the responsibility that accompanies true spiritual freedom. If you want to soar on eagles' wings, you must also be willing to accept the divine charge that is given you.

God's people, at least those who will truly run this race unto the end, must begin to see themselves as their heavenly Father views them. Satan dearly loves to convince believers that they are far less than God says they are. This is easy for the enemy to achieve, because, after all, we do appear and feel so weak and ineffective on our own. But this is

an affront to God, a slap in the face of the Almighty, because He is emphatically not interested in what modicum of power any of us might seem to possess, but in our submitting fully to **HIS POWER!!** He is the One who counts, not us or anything that we have or could ever create or deserve.

The devil knows full well that the strength of Yahweh is overwhelming. When the Messiah confronted the legion of demons, they pleaded with Him not to destroy them before their time. The Scriptures state that these fallen spirits believe and tremble! You and I are not at his beck and call, unless we allow ourselves to be. We are being called upon right now to make a choice, a strategic decision. We must choose whether or not we are going to believe every word that God has spoken, not just the ones that are easy to understand and accept. We must also receive the hard sayings as well. In fact, more than ever, we absolutely should feel compelled to embrace the fullness of God's promises to us.

Without God, we are nothing. With God, we are children of the King, princes of the court, a royal priesthood. Indeed, we are seated in heavenly places with Christ Himself. With our Father all things are possible. He is the God of more than enough, of super-abundance above and beyond anything that we could ask or for which we could ever hope! Remember the Scripture that says, **"Greater is He that is**

**in you, than he that is in the world."**

Will there really be a New World Order? Is there truly a conspiracy afoot? Are there Satanic agents alive and operating throughout the earth today? History, from the garden of Eden until this very moment in time, has demonstrated conclusively that the devil has plans for world domination. We see it in every age, in every empire, in every secret society. We see it in politics, diplomacy, and religion. It is present in every government, in every social order, in every economic system. There is utterly nothing in the world that has not been tainted by the demonic forces at work on this earth. There can be no doubt whatsoever that the ancient hope of world rulership is still the objective of Satan.

We live at one of the most auspicious crossroads in all of human history. What we see in today's world is not the replication of some cycle that has always been around. It is not the result of some coincidence or accident. What we face is real and potent. Our attention has been deflected by every possible distraction, including even the recent years of upheaval in the organized churches of which we have been members. It is now time to shrug off the blinders, clear our minds, turn from our complacency, renew our relationship with God, submit ourselves fully into His hands, and allow Him to wield us as instruments of His true spiritual warfare!

As the lines of battle between the forces of good and evil continue to be drawn, God is raising a spiritual army. He is sifting out His people even at this moment. The apostle Paul, eyeing the battlefield of his own day, was moved to say:

**"I consider that our present sufferings are not worth comparing with the glory that will be revealed in us...And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love Him, who have been called according to His purpose...What then shall we say in response to this? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare His own Son, but gave Him up for us all—how will He not also, along with Him, graciously give us all things...Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword?...No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord" (Rom. 8:18, 28, 31-39).**

Let these powerful words impact us at this time and become our motto and battle cry. If we can come to genuinely receive God's

perspective on ourselves as warriors of the faith, we can become an empowered people. If we refuse to take advantage of this opportunity, opting instead for the status quo, of maintaining our own lifestyle, approach, and agenda, we may still be believers, but we will have failed to press on toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus. We will have chosen to build, if we build at all, with wood, hay, and stubble, the works of which will be burned in the fire!

Ours is the chance of a lifetime, not just to believe, but to allow Christ in us to take that belief to its height and depth and breadth in service to Almighty God. Our calling is to go beyond what is required, indeed to go beyond belief—to a dynamic, living faith that produces powerful results, not only in our own lives, but the lives of others as well.

What needs to be done at this time is something that can only be accomplished on an individual, personal, private basis between you and God. He is pleading with you now to re-dedicate and re-commit your life to Him—to remember that it is incumbent upon you to work out your own salvation with fear and trembling. The Scriptures urge us, saying:

**“Wherefore, as the Holy Spirit says, TODAY if you will hear His voice, harden not your hearts, as in the provocation, in the day of temptation in the wilderness...Take heed,**

**brethren, lest there be in any of you an evil heart of unbelief, in departing from the living God. But exhort one another daily, while it is called Today; lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin...Let us therefore fear, lest, a promise being left us of entering into His rest, any of you should seem to come short of it...(Heb. 3: 7-4:1).**

I believe that God is speaking to His people today; that He has brought us through much trial and preparation to this time of critical choice and action. He is calling upon all who can hear to abandon themselves wholly to Him, to choose to leave their own cares and plans behind, to submit their own wills fully to His.

Soon the true goal of Satan will emerge from the shadows and secret places. Soon the political and social climate will change dramatically. Under the false banner of peace and safety, the agents of evil will move into position in this world. Indeed, the human race is poised, even at this moment in time, on the precipice, on the brink. Only the slightest nudge is needed now to turn this earth upside down and inside out!

The New Order of the Ages is upon us. It has been written about, talked about, debated, debunked, and decried. The world has been prepared to believe the lie. The immediate prospects are frightening and dim at best. It reminds me of a passage in the book of Revelation. I'm sure you know it well. It says:

**“And I heard a loud voice in heaven, saying, Now is come salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of His Christ: for the accuser of our brethren is cast down, which accused them before our God day and night. And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony; and they loved not their lives unto the death. Therefore rejoice you heavens, and you that dwell in them. Woe to the inhabitants of the earth and of the sea! For the devil is come down unto you, having great wrath, because he knows that he has but a short time” (Rev. 12:10-12).**

Surely the years that lie ahead will be filled with great import, great challenge, and great difficulty. The faith of many will be tried to the breaking point. The fate of the world will hang in the balance. If you intend to make it unto the end, you must commit **NOW**, and take the cause of God as your own, comport yourself like a good soldier, and endure the hardness of the fight. To the victor belongs the spoils, and the spoils of this battle will be great indeed. In Christ, you are invincible, unconquerable, unvanquished! The standard is set like an ensign on the hill. Let us rally round the flag—Yahshua Messiah—the banner of our salvation, and march victoriously with Him into eternity!

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