Who is the Anti-Christ? The Eighth King of Revelation 17!

"Here is the mind that hath wisdom. The seven heads are seven mountains, on which the woman sitteth: and they are seven kings; the five are fallen, the one is, the other is not yet come; and when he cometh, he must continue a little while. And the beast that was, and is not, is himself also an eighth, and is of the seven; and he goeth into perdition." Revelation 17: 9-11

By Brother James Tierney quoting James and Ellen White.

Concerning the meaning of this most telling of biblical prophecies printed above, many different denominations believe similarly, the foundation of which began with a seventh Day Adventist theologian named Uriah Smith. He claimed in his book 'Daniel & Revelation' that the seven heads of this beast in Rev 17 are seven world empires beginning with Babylon and ending with the United States of America.

The majority of Christian denominations have some kind of variant of this understanding, but how can one of the heads, also called kings, represent America if we do not have a king? Contrary to what Elder Uriah Smith and most biblical scholars believe, the seven kings in Revelation 17: 10-11 could not be the world empires and here I prayerfully venture to answer the question why.

Elder James White, who with Uriah Smith and many other believers from the United States helped establish the Seventh Day Adventist Church, also had issues with Mr. Smith's explanation of the meaning of the seven kings of Revelation chapter Seventeen. Mr White illustrated this sentiment without argument in his book 'Life incidents' on pg. 242 where he states...

"What power is represented by the beast in Revelation 13? To learn this, we go still further back, to chapter 12, where we find a power symbolized by a great red dragon, which is the one next preceding the beast of chapter 13. The seven heads and ten horns upon both of these symbols show that they represent two phases of the same power. By universal consent of Protestant expositors, the great red dragon is considered a representative of Pagan Rome. The next phase presented by Rome after the Pagan form was the Papal. Rome Papal succeeded Rome Pagan. The dragon gave his seat, power, and great authority to the beast. Hence the beast can represent none other but Papal Rome."

First it is seen that Mr. White does agree with the majority of theologians that the Red Dragon of Revelation 12, who through 'Herod the Great' tried to kill Jesus after He was born in Bethlehem, symbolizes Pagan Rome. The Red Dragon Satan trying to kill the man child Jesus through the power of Rome. But where Mr. White differed from the rest of the bible scholars including Elder Smith is, He believed the seven heads and ten horns on both beasts specifically distinguishes they are two phases of the "same power". Pagan Rome became Papal Rome. Having both attributes of seven heads and ten horns prove that both beasts of Rev 12 &13 are representing two different phases of Rome.

While most Seventh Day Adventists would agree with this statement by virtue of the logic that leads to other established fundamental beliefs, they do not see the "different phases of the Roman Beast" in the "seven heads and ten horns", and much of the symbolic imagery gets lost in confusion from that point on because of the skewed ideas relative to these seven heads.

Not two phases but three...

Well brothers if the "seven heads and ten horns" of Rev 12 & 13 show they represent two phases of the same power, then it should be obvious that the next beast recorded in Rev 17 with seven heads and ten horns must be the next phase of Rome after the healing of the deadly wound. We were given clues to the truth of the matter for discovery.
The logical progression of the different phases of Rome through history as prophesied in Revelation would be:

1. The 'seven headed ten horned beast' of Rev 12 is Pagan Rome.
2. The 'seven headed ten horned beast' of Rev 13 is Papal Rome lasting 1260 years as prophesied, beginning in 538 AD and lasting til the "head" wound in 1798 ended its empire.
3. The 'seven headed ten horned beast' of Rev 17 is the current revived papal Rome since the healing of the head wound in 1929 when Mussolini gave the pope his title of 'king' back.

To be clear Rome is represented by three different phases in Revelation each with the identifying trademark of 'Seven heads and ten horns' so we cannot miss who it is. This is the evolution of the ultimate beast, each phase is in different times with adjusted strategies against God's people. This makes each prophecy of each phase more specific to the era it represents.

Why would God use the term "head" on the Roman beast to represent the kingdoms of Babylon, Persia and Greece when the body is in the time frame of the third phase of the Roman empire? Especially when at the beginning of this prophecy John is specifically shown the time of the judgment of the whore, which means the vision is pointing to the time of the end when the world is being judged.

Here is a point most scholars miss; in prophetic language the body of the beast in each vision is standing in the time frame of that beast's reign. A head on that beast could not be from a different time frame than the beast it is riding. A head cut off from the body is dead.

Scripture testifies that no kingdom is ever literally resurrected in this lifetime, except for the Papal Roman beast who had a fatal "head" wound that would be healed.

It is true that in many prophecies the attributes of previous empires, especially Babylon's, are seen in subsequent empires, but John does not call these attributes "heads". The perfect example is Rev 13 where we find attributed to the second phase of Rome the "mouth like a lion and the feet like a bear..." This is to say that in it's laws this beast speaks like the lion beast of Daniel, which was Babylon, showing its political nature crossing the line of church and state, and it stands in it's rise in Europe during the dark ages with feet like the Bear raised up on one side, the Medo-Persian empire.

God calls the false doctrines of the fallen church 'Babylon' and this name, like the mark of Cain is written on the forehead of the Fallen church to identify her. God specifically calls the fallen churches Babylon because they teach and enforce false doctrines by death, but He is not talking about a literal resurrection of the City near Baghdad in the middle east, which would be contrary to other prophecies. So even in this context scripture is talking about spiritual Babylon, the fallen churches, the harlot and her daughters, not the literal empire of Babylon. So why would the seven heads be those world empires?

More information is available on this aspect of the argument, but to save space it should be clear that all three beasts of Rev 12, 13 & 17 are different phases of Rome. Now the other facts about what the seven heads and ten horns represent can be more clearly defined.

If the beast of Revelation 17 represents the third phase of Rome during the time of her daughters, the Protestant churches, after its head wound is healed, then the seven heads on that beast could not represent world empires beginning as far back as Babylon or Assyria or any of the other proposed beliefs in the Christian church. Hereafter will be proven what the seven heads on this beast represent.

"I saw one of his heads as it were wounded to death"

The head wound inflicted on the second phase of the beast in 1798 gives us the most powerful lessons to learn who the seven heads are. "And I saw one of his heads as it were wounded to death..." (Rev 13:3)

Sister Ellen White was shown that this prophecy points to the end of the papal reign of the dark ages. She was in Valence, France and "...looked upon the bust of Pius V... who was led into captivity and died in captivity. Here was the one marked in history who received the deadly wound. His heart is encased in the marble monument beneath where the bust is located. We felt rather solemn as we looked upon the monument of this man noted in prophecy." Letter 110, 1886, p. 2. (To W. C. White and wife, November 4, 1886.)

So the head wound of the beast occurred in 1798 when General Berthier of Napoleon's army took the pope hostage and he died in exile the next year, this fulfillment was against the last pope of the second phase of Rome. This proves that the seven heads on the beast are popes.
Please open your bible to Revelation 17 and take these corroborative topics point by point.

(Father, in Jesus’ name please bless the understanding of your word, Amen)

- Revelation 17 begins in verse 1 with the angel who is "holding" one of the bowls of the seven last plagues, it hasn’t been poured out yet, taking John in ‘the Spirit’ to the future beyond his lifetime, to witness the judgment of the whore. We as Adventists know Judgment of the dead began in 1844, so being shown the ‘judgment’ of the living whore must point to some time after 1844 when judgment in heaven passes from the dead to the living.

- The whore has already received the head wound of Rev. 13:3 and is seen here ‘in the wilderness’ in verse 3, Meaning she hasn’t regained the political power and universal supremacy that she had during the 1260 years of the dark ages, the second phase of Rome.

- The woman has a name written on her forehead in verse 5, "The Mother of Harlots", so she must have daughters (churches) who are following her doctrines at this time. In 1844 when the sealed book of Daniel was unlocked and the proclamation of the day of Judgment began, the majority of Protestant Churches rejected the Atonement message and remained with the harlot in her false doctrines. They did not yet follow God’s leading to "come out of her my people". This one text proves the time frame because a mother can’t be a mother until she has children.

- In Rev 17: 6, the whorish Mother is still drunk with the blood of the saints which she drank during the dark ages. This shows the sinister nature of how cruelly the martyrs where killed in the dark ages. When their cases would come before the judgment seat their blood cries for vengeance but they are to remain sleeping until the last martyr is killed.

- “…the beast that was and is not” in verse 8, refers to the combination of political and church powers which previously made up the second phase of the beast of Rev 13 in the dark ages. It had been wounded by the taking of that political power away, and is in this not fully healed wounded condition in this vision’s time frame. The full power of the religious-political beast is not restored until the miraculous appearing of the Eighth king.

- “…and shall rise” points forward to that time when political powers give their strength to the church again.

- “…shall ascend out of the bottomless pit, and go into perdition.” Points even further ahead, showing that after the second coming of Jesus and the 1000 years of investigative judgment (the bottomless pit), they shall be resurrected and destroyed in the second death, or what is known as Perdition in scripture.

These points illustrate that to John was revealed the judgment of the whore some time after the beginning of the judgment. This Refines the time frame of when this vision signifies between 1844 and the 2nd coming of Jesus. The following text reveals specifically what day John saw in his prophetic vision.

“And here is the mind which hath wisdom. The seven heads are seven mountains on which the woman sits. And there are seven kings: five are fallen, and one is, and the other is not yet come; and when he comes he must continue a short space.” (Rev 17: 10-11)

The bible never gives symbolic meaning to interpreted texts. Example; further in Rev 17 verse 10 says, “The waters you saw where the prostitute sits are peoples, multitudes, nations and languages”, so the interpretation has been given. The waters are diverse peoples covering the whole world. So when in that same chapter the seven heads are seven hills and seven kings this cannot be interpreted symbolically because the interpretation is given.

The first of the two heavenly translated interpretations given of the Seven Heads, referes to the hills that the city the church uses as it’s headquarters sits on. Rome has been called ‘the city of Seven Hills’ since before being called Rome because it sits on seven hills.

The second translation given for the seven heads is the title of "king" the ‘Head’ of State for the beast.

So the seven heads are seven kings which come from the seven hills, or more specifically the...
Seven last Popes of Rome.

- 'Five are fallen; meaning that before the day John is witnessing in vision the five previous kings of the seven have already come and died.

- 'One is'; John was taken into the future and is seeing in vision the reign of the sixth king, the one who is ‘alive during the vision.

The healing of the head wound began in 1929 when through the Lateran treaty Mussolini gave the pope his kingship back. So logically all we have to do is count the popes since 1929 and find out where we are in the scope of the end time. According to this logic Pope John Paul II was the sixth king, the one who ‘is’ alive and being judged with rest of the fallen church during the vision John recorded in Rev 17.

The beginning of judgment for living people professing the name of God was in the time of John Paul II. In other words Jesus had crossed over from judging the dead to judging the living during those days. (See vision at beginning of 9/11 blog)

In John’s vision in Rev 17 we are seeing the judgment of the fallen church.

God’s true followers are also being weighed in the balance. All of our cases have come before the judgment throne of God. We are in the time of the seventh church of Revelation, the Laodicea church which literally means ‘The Judged people’!

"The Laodicean message is applicable to the church at this time.”
(Manuscript 51, 1901) (7BC 961.9)

"The names of the seven churches are symbolic of the church in different periods of the Christian Era. The number 7 indicates completeness, and is symbolic of the fact that the messages extends to the end of time, while the symbols used reveal the condition of the church at different periods in the history of the world." (AA 585.3)

If the number 7 shows the "completion" of the subject, pointing to the end of the line at the end of time, then the fact that the seven kings signify the last of the papal line should be obvious.

Pope Benedict XVI, who is the seventh papal king since the healing, is 85 years old. Praise God Jesus will be here very soon. This is not time setting because every one of the seven kings could have lived to be 120 or only in office for a month. God controls their length of life.

What comes next? Suddenly there’s an eighth king and you won’t believe who that is.

Rev 17:11“And the beast that was, and is not, even he is the eighth, and is of the seven, and goeth into perdition.”

This brings us to the heart of the matter. Our end time prophet Mrs White was warned by God for us in what to look for in Satan's end time masterpiece of deception which would cause the whole world to miraculously follow the beast.

"Through the two great errors, the immortality of the soul and Sunday sacredness, Satan will bring the people under his deceptions. While the former lays the foundation of Spiritualism, the latter creates a bond of sympathy with Rome. The Protestants of the United States will be foremost in stretching their hands across the gulf to grasp the hand of Spiritualism; they will reach over the abyss to clasp hands with the Roman power; and under the influence of this threefold union, this country will follow in the steps of Rome in trampling on the rights of conscience."—The Great Controversy, 588. (ChS 160.1)

The great message that God has given our church has been presented in a very diluted manner, and the half has not been presented to the world. God warned us through many prophecies of the satanic manifestations that will deceive the world in the last days, but very few quote these prophecies any more.

Soul Train
the people of Earth by the dead appearing to come back from heaven to speak to us. Try to keep that in mind while reading it in context. This is one of the best visions Mrs. White had to warn us what will happen in the last days. She was told that we need to be prepared for this delusion.

“I saw the rapidity with which this delusion (ghosts) was spreading. A train of cars was shown me, going with the speed of lightning. The angel bade me look carefully. I fixed my eyes upon the train. It seemed that the whole world was on board, that there could not be one left. Said the angel, ‘They are binding in bundles ready to burn.’” Then he showed me the conductor, who appeared like a stately, fair person, whom all the passengers looked up to and reverenced. I was perplexed and asked my attending angel who it was. He said, “It is Satan. He is the conductor in the form of an angel of light. He has taken the world captive. They are given over to strong delusions, to believe a lie, that they may be damned. This agent, the next highest in order to him, is the engineer, and other of his agents are employed in different offices as he may need them, and they are all going with lightning speed to perdition.”’ Early Writings (1882), page 89

Notice how in this vision it was Satan appearing like a ‘stately fair person’ that the ‘whole world looked up to and reverenced’. Before this vision Mrs. White had seen Jesus many times, so if Satan was appearing in the form of Jesus she would have seen it.

It is not a false appearing of Jesus that people here are in reverence to, it is someone who the whole world reveres appearing to come from God as an angel of light.

He leads them “with lightning speed to perdition”. The eighth king in Revelation chapter 17 is also said to lead the world “into perdition”. This vision of Mrs White's was warning us about the grand satanic delusion that the whole world will be deceived by, initiated by the eighth papal king, the son of perdition.

2 Thessalonians 2:3 (KJV) “Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition; The first use of the term “Son of Perdition” in scripture was for Satan, then Judas, but in Rev 17 it is specifically aimed at the 8th successor of Papal Rome after the head wound begins to be healed in 1929.

“The “man of sin,” which is also styled the “mystery of iniquity,” the “son of perdition,” and “that wicked,” represents the papacy…” {Great Controversy 88 356.2}

The Son of perdition of Rev 17 is a hybrid of Satan appearing as “one of the seven” previous popes, the ultimate Son of perdition. By the world's understanding this would be the “Anti-Christ”.

**Even John ”Wondered with great admiration”**

Rev 17: 6 “And when I saw her, I wondered with a great wonder. And the angel said unto me, Wherefore didst thou wonder? I will tell thee the mystery of the woman, and of the beast that carries her, which hath the seven heads and the ten horns...”

John, who wrote Revelation, had walked with Jesus and was the last remaining living Apostle. In this vision he was taken to see the time of Sixth King John Paul II. When he saw what was going to happen from that point to the end it was so spectacular by his eyes that even he “wondered after the beast”. The angel had to stop him in the vision and said “why did you wonder with great admiration? Let me tell you of the mystery of the woman and the beast with seven heads and ten horns...”

This message that I am sharing with you is what the loud cry of the 3 angels message will be warning the world soon.

Mrs White was shown that people of every type will appear to come out of the grave to deceive the world, claiming that they are currently residing in heaven. The Apostles also are made to look like they come from God to contradict what they wrote in scripture...

*He who is the father of lies, blinds and deceives the world by sending his angels forth to speak for the apostles, and make it appear that they contradict what they wrote when on earth, which was dictated by the Holy Ghost. These lying angels make the apostles to corrupt their own teachings and declare them to be adulterated. By so doing he can throw professéd Christians, who have a
name to live and are dead, and all the world in uncertainty about the word of God; for that cuts
directly across his track, and is likely to thwart his plans. Therefore he gets them to doubt the divine
origin of the Bible, and then sets up the infidel Thomas Paine, as though he was ushered into heaven
when he died, and with the holy apostles whom he hated on earth, is united, and appears to be

teaching the world.” {ExV54 8.2}

The False Elijah comes first

Many in our church argue that Mrs White does not detail Satan coming as a false prophet but as
Jesus, and they quote...

“As the crowning act in the great drama of deception, Satan himself will personate Christ.”

But this quote from the Great Controversy is in the 39th chapter called ‘The Time of Trouble’. Every
Seventh Day Adventist Scholar worth his salt knows two things relative to the Great Controversy…

1. The Great Controversy was written linearly, from the beginning of the Christian church after
Christ, to the second coming of Christ, linearly.
2. The great “Time of Trouble” is after probation closes!

Looking closely at the Great Controversy proves that Satan appears as Jesus after the close of
probation. Well if Satan appears as Jesus after probation ends, then none of God's people could be
deceived any longer. That’s why Matthew 24:24 says; “For there shall arise false Christs, and false
prophets, and shall shew great signs and wonders that, if it were possible, they shall deceive the
very elect.” When Satan appears as Jesus, it is after probation closes, and it’s too late to deceive
the elect. That’s why it’s not possible.

But previously in chapter 38 of the Great Controversy, called “The Final Warning” deliberately to
illustrate that this portion occurs before probation ends, it begins by quoting Rev 18 ‘Babylon has
become inhabited by demons’. When Satan appears as an angel of light in the form of a fallen pope
it begins the final warning, then comes the end of probation and while the plagues are falling Satan
will attempt to impersonate Jesus too late to deceive the elect!

“As the second appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ draws near, satanic agencies are moved from
beneath. Satan will not only appear as a human being, but he will personate Jesus Christ, and the
world that has rejected the truth will receive him as the Lord of lords and King of kings.”--5BC 1105,
1106 (1900). {LDE 168.3}

Here it is clear that Satan first will come impersonating a man. Think about it, Satan knows that the
Spirit of Elijah must come first before Jesus comes, so to counterfeit this he will appear as a false
prophet first and then when the plagues are falling he will appear as Jesus to try to deceive the elect.

Did the world love John Paul II the one who ‘is’ in John’s Rev 17 vision? He was the most beloved
and photographed Pope ever. That’s why Revelation uses the word ‘is’ for the sixth king, I believe
that JPII will be the one satanically impersonated.

Here is what the bible says about this eighth king come to decieve the world...

Rev 13:18 This calls for wisdom. Let the person who has insight calculate the number of the beast,
for it is the number of a man. That number is 666.

JOANES PAVLVS SECVNDO (John Paul II)

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### The Loud Cry

Immediately after the coming of this eighth king of chapter 17 the angel in Revelation 18:1-2 proclaims the message to warn the world...

“And after these things I saw another angel come down from heaven, having great power; and the earth was lightened with his glory. And he cried mightily with a strong voice, saying, “Babylon the great is fallen, is fallen, and is become the habitation of devils, and the hold of every foul spirit, and a cage of every unclean and hateful bird.”

Why does it repeat the word fallen? Twice fallen obviously refers to the “next/ third phase” of the beast which the Roman harlot church and the daughters mentioned earlier rides. The Satanic Pope will be the eighth ‘head’ of the church which rides the beast which now has many other churches supporting her.

Chapter 17 says “five (kings) have fallen” then in chapter 18 the proclamation “fallen, fallen” is also referring to Satan the great Red Dragon who has already fallen from heaven, in the position of the eighth pope who will appear to be the fallen Sixth King resurrected, saying he was sent by God. This implies that he is a Messenger from God, which are called ‘angels of light’ even if in human form. But to make matters worse here in Rev 17 the ten horns also ‘lend’ their power to the beast for one hour. (Covered later)

“But while Satan works with his lying wonders, the time will be fulfilled foretold in the Revelation and the mighty angel that shall lighten the earth with his glory will proclaim the fall of Babylon, and call upon God’s people to forsake her (RH Dec. 13, 1892). {7BC 985.2}

When the satanic counterfeit return of Elijah occurs in anti-Christ fashion in a poltergeist of the pope, Gods people will be strengthened by the outpouring of the Holy Spirit to proclaim this information to the world; “Babylon is fallen, with her daughters”. The loud cry commences at the same time the Catholic Church and all of the fallen Babylon churches will be inhabited by demons.

We have been proclaiming the clues to this message for so long that the obvious implications were overlooked; mainly the fact that we will be able to point to this prophetic fulfillment to the world when it occurs, and it will strengthen our understanding and faith that God has warned and prepared us.

This verse from ‘Early Writings’ continued from page 89 above confirms this;

“I asked the angel if there were none left. He bade me look in an opposite direction, and I saw a little company traveling a narrow pathway (See; ‘Bridge of the Red Heifer’). All seemed to be firmly united, bound together by the truth, in bundles, or companies. Said the angel, “The third angel is binding, or sealing, them in bundles for the heavenly garner.” This little company looked careworn, as if they had passed through severe trials and conflicts. And it appeared as if the sun had just risen from behind a cloud and shone upon their countenances, causing them to look triumphant, as if their victories were nearly won. I saw that the Lord has given the world opportunity to discover the snare.”
When Satan appears as an angel of light, the remnant will be brought into one accord seeing the fulfillment, and the chaff will be blown out as foretold here.

'The forms of the dead will appear, through the cunning device of Satan, and many will link up with the one who loveth and maketh a lie. I warn our people that right among us some will turn away from the faith and give heed to seducing spirits and doctrines of devils, and by them the truth will be evil spoken of.' (LDE 171.1)

The question has been asked, Do you not believe that we should pray to the dead apostles and saints? No; for this would teach for doctrine not a "Thus saith the Lord," but the "thus saith" of the man of sin, "the son of perdition; who opposeth himself above all that is called God or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, showing himself that he is God."--Ms 163, 1897, pp. 8, 9. ("The Third Angel's Message," December 17, 1897.)

Everything Mrs. White proclaimed about the 3 angels message being in order (1, 2, 3) is exactly right and is what is needed to be ready for the loud cry. Ellen White clearly said the loud cry would not be 'suspended' on time, which is supported by this theory. The first seven kings could have come and gone in a year if God had wanted it that way, or each king could have lived in office 100 years.

When the eighth king comes and the devil is in power he will be enraged against us, and after receiving the authority from the popular movement in America, enforce the Sunday law in support of his message. The citizens will force the government to support him and then the protestant churches will set up the image to the beast.

'(In those days) Rebellion against God's holy law will be fully ripe. But the true leader of all this rebellion is Satan clothed as an angel of light. Men will be deceived and will exalt him to the place of God, and deify him. But Omnipotence will interpose, and to the apostate churches that unite in the exaltation of Satan, the sentence will go forth, "Therefore shall her plagues come in one day, death, and mourning, and famine; and she shall be utterly burned with fire: for strong is the Lord God who judgeth her" [Rev. 18:8].--TM 62 (1893). (LDE 168.2)

From the Great Controversy;

"The apostle Paul warned the church not to look for the coming of Christ in his day. "That day shall not come," he says, "except there come a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed." [2 Thessalonians 2:3.] Not till after the great apostasy, and the long period of the reign of the "man of sin," can we look for the advent of our Lord. The "man of sin," which is also styled the "mystery of iniquity," the "son of perdition," and "that wicked," represents the papacy, which, as foretold in prophecy, was to maintain its supremacy for 1260 years. This period ended in 1798 (the head wound). The coming of Christ could not take place before that time. Paul covers with his caution the whole of the Christian dispensation down to the year 1798. It is this side of that time that the message of Christ's second coming is to be proclaimed.

No such message has ever been given in past ages. Paul, as we have seen, did not preach it; he pointed his brethren into the then far-distant future for the coming of the Lord. The reformers did not proclaim it. Martin Luther placed the Judgment about three hundred years in the future from his day, but since 1798 the book of Daniel has been unsealed, knowledge of the prophecies has increased, and many have proclaimed the solemn message of the Judgment near. {GC88 356.2}

The image to the beast.

This next quote proves that the Protestant churches are the "ten kings" who lend their power to the Papacy.

"And the ten horns which thou sawest are ten kings, which have received no kingdom as yet; but receive power as kings one hour with the beast. (One prophetic hour equals 1/24th of a 360 day year which is 15 days) These have one mind, and shall give their power and strength unto the beast." Revelation 17:12, 13. As we approach the last crisis, it is of vital moment that harmony and unity exist among the Lord's instrumentalities. The world is filled with storm and war and variance. Yet under one head--the papal power--the people will unite to oppose God in the person of His witnesses. What is it that gives its kingdom to this power? Protestantism, a power which, while professing to have the temper and spirit of a lamb and to be allied to Heaven, speaks with the voice of a dragon. It is moved by a power from beneath.

"These have one mind." There will be a universal bond of union, one great harmony, a confederacy of Satan's forces. "And shall give their power and strength unto the beast." Thus is manifested the same arbitrary, oppressive power against religious liberty, freedom to worship God according to the dictates of conscience, as was manifested by the papacy, when in the past it persecuted those who dared to refuse to conform with the religious rites and ceremonies of Romanism." (Mar 187.4)
"I saw that the two-horned beast (America) had a dragon's mouth, and that his power was in his head, and that the (death) decree would go out of his mouth. Then I saw the Mother of Harlots (Papacy); that the mother was not the daughters, but separate and distinct from them. She has had her day, and it is past, and her daughters, the Protestant sects, were the next to come on the stage and act out the same mind that the mother had when she persecuted the saints. I saw that as the mother has been declining in power, the daughters had been growing, and soon they will exercise the power once exercised by the mother." From the Spalding and Magan collection Page 4 Paragraph 2.

We need to understand the state of the dead to be prepared for what is soon to take place!!

"I saw the rapping delusion—what progress it was making, and if it were possible it would deceive the very elect. Satan will have power to bring the appearance of a form before us purporting to be our relatives and friends that now sleep in Jesus. It will be made to appear as though they were present, the words they uttered while here, which we were familiar with, will be spoken, and the same tone of voice, which they had while living, will fall upon the ear. All this is to deceive the saints, and ensnare them into the belief of this delusion.

I saw that the saints must get a thorough understanding of the present truth, which they will have to maintain from the Scriptures. They must understand the state of the dead; for the spirits of devils will yet appear to them, professing to be beloved friends and relatives, who will declare to them that the Sabbath has been changed, and, also, other unscriptural doctrines. They will do all in their power to excite sympathy, and work miracles before them, to confirm what they declare. The people of God must be prepared to withstand these spirits with the Bible truth, that the dead know not any thing, and that they are the spirits of devils. Our minds must not be taken up with things around us, but must be occupied with the present truth, and a preparation to give a reason of our hope with meekness and fear. We must seek wisdom from on high that we may stand in this day of error and delusion,

I saw that we must examine well the foundation of our hope, for we shall have to give a reason for it from the scriptures; for we shall see this delusion spreading, and we shall have to contend with it face to face. And unless we are prepared for it, we shall be ensnared and overcome. But if we do what we can on our part to be ready for the conflict that is just before us, God will do his part, and his all-powerful arm will protect us. He would sooner send every angel out of glory to our relief, to make a hedge about faithful souls, rather than they should be deceived and led away by the lying wonders of Satan." (ExV54 6.2)

Please give me your input, love brother James.

Important Update! 2/12/2013
Yesterday was the anniversary of the signing of the Lateran Treaty, signed on Feb 11, 1929 re-establishing the Papacy as a sovereign nation and effectively giving the title of 'King' back to the pope. The papal faithful call Feb.11 "Independence Day" and yesterday on that anniversary Pope Benedict officially abdicated the throne of Rome. Just after the pope resigned lightning struck the pinnacle of the dome of St Peters Basilica not once but twice, and we all know how rare that is. I can find no other records of the Basilica being hit by lightning before, so it is not a common occurrence! This was a sign from God.

What is ironic; the St Peter's Basilica has an ancient statue of the God of lighting, Zeus, renamed St Peter as it's main attraction.

This is SPECTACULAR!!!! We are seeing prophecy unfold before us! Here is the fulfillment I have been looking for on the seventh king, what does the prophet mean by "he shall remain a short time"? The seventh king "must remain a short time" Rev 17:10. Benedict is leaving office so he must remain alive for a short time after allowing the eighth king to come. If there is a better conclusion it has not availed itself, but I am encouraged in this line of thought by the still small voice!

It is time to proclaim a solemn assembly and a fast. We need to rend our hearts to make sure we are ready for what is about to take the world by storm.

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Michael Owens March 12, 2013 at 5:12 AM

Here we go

Reply

NJK Project March 13, 2013 at 2:26 PM

So James, the new pope is Cardinal Jorge Mario Bergoglio (Pope Francis)...

Ergo this entire "prophesying" was potentially Deut 18:22...but, as I understand it, really just the Divine effectuation of Ezek 14:1-8!!!

Truth only is in the Full, and Exegetically-sound, Counsel of God’s Word (e.g., Isa 58), and not even in ‘voices, impressions, signs and wonders’ (cf. Deut 13:1-5). The sooner you understand and heed that fact James, the better it will be for you!!

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jamesonofthunder March 13, 2013 at 3:45 PM

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Jamesonofthunder  March 13, 2013 at 3:44 PM
For everyone who believed me in this, please forgive me for my false counsel. I'm very sorry for my error.

For everyone who was waiting for me to fail, have fun beating me up, I'm sure it is something you will enjoy.

Reply

Jamesonofthunder  March 13, 2013 at 4:01 PM
please forgive me Jesus. Have mercy on me please.

Reply

NJK Project  March 13, 2013 at 6:21 PM
If I wanted to "enjoy" this I would have been trying long before this to try to correct you. (cf. Rev 3:19). But you just would not hear anything corrective Biblical teaching. Wise and teachable people learn their lesson before failure, and not after the failing fact when that lesson then can only be "discipline". (cf. Heb 12:5-8f). And I was actually going to post a pre-empting version of this statement long before the start of this conclave but I figured that it would probably also fall on "closed up ears" as before.

Peter, James and John all had to similarly learn a "smarting" less knowingly allowed by Jesus when they too made light of his words and counsels to rather follow after what their heart indifferently wanted, ignoring all the clear correcting warnings that Jesus was given them. So, as in this case, God allowed them to concretely find out what was faulty with those "natural" self-interest dispositions. And I hope you are not seeing Jesus pointed remonstration of particularly, the outspoken Peter in John 21:15-19 (read DA 809-817) as 'gleefulness and gloating' because that was actually Jesus’ way of, necessarily, candidly/genuinely testing if Peter was still being actuated by that same brash, proud spirit that had led him to that fall in the first place.

So like I said, do prayerfully seek to find out exactly how and why your prophesying was false. As I already cited to you in my emails, there are both exegetical and spiritual reasons why. And also, as I honestly say and believe, I am not seeing that you were being "presumptuous", i.e., claiming to have heard and been led by God when either that was just a lie, or it was the Devil doing this "leading" all along. I don't believe that this is the case, and so to me only Ezek 14:1-8 applies here, and so finding out the underlying reason(s) why is what is most important for you hear.

As priorly indicated to you, which you have said you read, you can find all the pertinent exegetical, and "SDA prophets" general, and also, case specific for you, answers (also in regards to your other similar prophesysings), in my, among other related/explaining matters, blog.

And nonetheless, your public and general apology is accepted. Other SDA's who had imposed a financial aspect to such "prophesying" (e.g. people who are selling books on this (e.g, Henry Hills/"His Child", who I'll say easily had much more exegetical and interpretive errors in his parallel claiming exposition for this view)), will likely double-down on those false claims as their imposed aim is to sell books/make money and not rapidly spread a message which they believe is genuinely prophetic.

And if anything my relative quick posting here when I remembered this blog post of yours, should really help you to avoid going further into error by also blindly and obstinately doubling down, and, as I gather from you, quite understandably so if/since your 'guiding experience' was indeed likely all from God...it is just that he has another purpose for this, an Ezek 14:1-8 purpose. So like Peter you can learn that lesson and then when you also are converted to this full counsel message of God, you can "(properly) feed his sheep" who also have similar faulty dispositions and which I why God had "prophetically" sent you to them.

With God vs. the typical SDA's, it is all a purposeful redemptive matter of "hitting that adamant wall as fast, hard and as soon as possible" (=Amos 7:7-9). So contritely...
appreciate, and readily learn form, His most wise “disciplining”, He does have great “mercy”
(Heb 12:7-8)!!

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