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The world is preparing for the third world war that will take place in the Middle East. This war will make the Second World War look like a small campaign. The Third World War will be a nuclear war where the Lord will finally intervene and begin his millennial reign on the earth.

We know that the Third World War will come at the close of the reign of the Antichrist. When you read Revelation 16 you will see that this war comes at the end of the Antichrist's reign and not at the beginning as numerous movies and books purport.

Revelation 16:1-21

- 1 And I heard a great voice out of the temple saying to the seven angels, Go your ways, and pour out the vials of the wrath of God upon the earth.
- 2 And the first went, and poured out his vial upon the earth; and there fell a noisome and grievous sore upon the men which had the mark of the beast, and upon them which worshipped his image.
- 3 And the second angel poured out his vial upon the sea; and it became as the blood of a dead man: and every living soul died in the sea.
- 4 And the third angel poured out his vial upon the rivers and fountains of waters; and they became blood.
- 5 And I heard the angel of the waters say, Thou art righteous, O Lord, which art, and wast, and shalt be, because thou hast judged thus.
- 6 For they have shed the blood of saints and prophets, and thou hast given them blood to

drink; for they are worthy.

- 7 And I heard another out of the altar say, Even so, Lord God Almighty, true and righteous are thy judgments.
- 8 And the fourth angel poured out his vial upon the sun; and power was given unto him to scorch men with fire.
- 9 And men were scorched with great heat, and blasphemed the name of God, which hath power over these plagues: and they repented not to give him glory.
- 10 And the fifth angel poured out his vial upon the seat of the beast; and his kingdom was full of darkness; and they gnawed their tongues for pain,
- 11 And blasphemed the God of heaven because of their pains and their sores, and repented not of their deeds.
- 12 And the sixth angel poured out his vial upon the great river Euphrates; and the water thereof was dried up, that the way of the kings of the east might be prepared.
- 13 And I saw three unclean spirits like frogs come out of the mouth of the dragon, and out of the mouth of the beast, and out of the mouth of the false prophet.
- 14 For they are the spirits of devils, working miracles, which go forth unto the kings of the earth and of the whole world, to gather them to the battle of that great day of God Almighty.
- 15 Behold, I come as a thief. Blessed is he that watcheth, and keepeth his garments, lest he walk naked, and they see his shame.
- 16 And he gathered them together into a place called in the Hebrew tongue Armageddon.
- 17 And the seventh angel poured out his vial into the air; and there came a great voice out of the

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temple of heaven, from the throne, saying, It is done.

- 18 And there were voices, and thunders, and lightnings; and there was a great earthquake, such as was not since men were upon the earth, so mighty an earthquake, and so great.
- 19 And the great city was divided into three parts, and the cities of the nations fell: and great Babylon came in remembrance before God, to give unto her the cup of the wine of the fierceness of his wrath.
- 20 And every island fled away, and the mountains were not found.
- 21 And there fell upon men a great hail out of heaven, every stone about the weight of a talent: and men blasphemed God because of the plague of the hail; for the plague thereof was exceeding great.

Presently, the President of Iran believes that it is his job to bring about Armageddon as mentioned above in verse 16. When you look at the map of the Middle east you see that Iran is east of the Euphrates River. Armageddon hap-

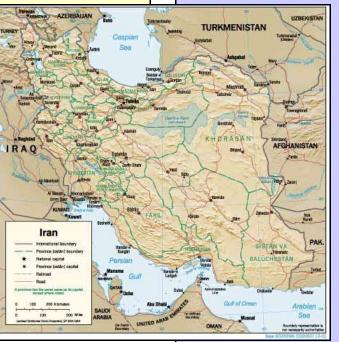
pens at the end of the seven-year reign of the Antichrist. The world is getting ready for the reign of the Antichrist. The world is also preparing for Armageddon. I am of the firm conviction that we will see a large portion of the events prophesied in the Bible including:

- > The Rapture of the Saints
- > The Rise of the Antichrist along with the false prophet and the mark of the beast
- > The seven plagues

- > The Battle of Armageddon.
- > The Millennial Reign of Jesus Christ

These events will come up an unsuspecting world who have not prepared themselves for the coming of the Lord Jesus Christ.

The world is terrified about Iran and their nuclear missile development. The (ISNA)-Iran's supreme national security council international affairs security deputy stated today:



The U.S. was determined to deprive Iran from its inalienable right to possess nuclear technology.

"This wrong idea has been created that Bush will regain all his and the U.S.'s lost dignity in Iraq and Afghanistan through depriving Iran from its inalienable right to possess nuclear energy. Therefore the U.S. is and will be against our nuclear program," said Javad Vaeidi.¹

The world is preparing for war and doing their best to negotiate with a man who is determined to destroy Israel and initiate a nuclear war. The world has never learned that you cannot negotiate with a tyrant who is bent on genocide. The world negotiated with Adolph Hitler to their demise and the world in negotiating with Iran to their demise. These negotiations could bring about the rise of the Antichrist who will promote world peace and

 $^{1 \}quad http://www.isna.ir/Main/NewsView.aspx?ID=News-887988\&Lang=E$

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prosperity.

The Antichrist and the false prophet will both be totally in Satan's power and control. The world is running full steam ahead toward the period called 'The Great Tribulation'. During this time Satan has his agents as rulers of the world. He has the Antichrist and the false prophet in complete command.

It seems that the Antichrist and the false prophet are themselves deceived by the kings of the east, for his kingdom collapses when they bring about the surprise attack on Israel initiating the battle of Armageddon. Thus the great deceiver is himself deceived.

The day is coming when the born-again Christian will be executed for his faith. The day is already here when the world celebrates in sin and debauchery. The world promotes and endorses everything that the Bible calls sin!

Romans 1:18-32

- 18 For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who hold the truth in unrighteousness;
- 19 Because that which may be known of God is manifest in them; for God hath shewed it unto them.
- 20 For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse:
- 21 Because that, when they knew God, they glorified him not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened.
- 22 Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools,
- 23 And changed the glory of the uncorruptible God into an image made like to corruptible man, and to birds, and fourfooted beasts, and creeping

things.

- 24 Wherefore God also gave them up to uncleanness through the lusts of their own hearts, to dishonour their own bodies between themselves:
- 25 Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and worshipped and served the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. Amen.
- 26 For this cause God gave them up unto vile affections: for even their women did change the natural use into that which is against nature:
- 27 And likewise also the men, leaving the natural use of the woman, burned in their lust one toward another; men with men working that which is unseemly, and receiving in themselves that recompence of their error which was meet.
- 28 And even as they did not like to retain God in their knowledge, God gave them over to a reprobate mind, to do those things which are not convenient;
- 29 Being filled with all unrighteousness, fornication, wickedness, covetousness, maliciousness; full of envy, murder, debate, deceit, malignity; whisperers,
- 30 Backbiters, haters of God, despiteful, proud, boasters, inventors of evil things, disobedient to parents,
- 31 Without understanding, covenantbreakers, without natural affection, implacable, unmerciful:
- 32 Who knowing the judgment of God, that they which commit such things are worthy of death, not only do the same, but have pleasure in them that do them.

This is the world today. We are living in a time where the world seeks after pleasure rather than seek the mercy of the Lord Jesus Christ. We are living in a world where the sinner is held in high esteem while the righteous saint of the Lord is ridiculed by the world. While the world considers the Lord's saints to be fools, the world is building up for themselves wrath against the day of wrath.

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Romans 2:5

5 But after thy hardness and impenitent heart treasurest up unto thyself wrath against the day of wrath and revelation of the righteous judgment of God;

Though these prophecies have been with us for the last 2000 years, the world has decided that they would rather believe the lies of Satan by killing their children and living in debauchery.

The only hope that you have is to repent of your sins and seek the Lord Jesus Christ with your whole heart. Seek the Lord while there is still time to seek him. Seek the Lord while the day of repentance is still here. If you fail to seek the Lord, the tribulation and the reign of the Antichrist is the only hope you have.

1 Thessalonians 4:15-18

15 For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep.

16 For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first:

17 Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord.

18 Wherefore comfort one another with these words.

If you want to participate in the rapture described above, you need to repent and ask the Lord Jesus Christ for forgiveness. Come to Jesus today and receive the richness of his grace and mercy. Read Acts 2:38 on how to be saved from the wrath of God.

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