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## THE HOLY BIBLE



Please memorize this portion

Proverbs 22:1-10

1. A Good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and loving favour rather than silver and gold.
2. The rich and poor meet together: the LORD is the maker of them all.
3. A prudent man foreseeth the evil, and hideth himself: but the simple pass on, and are punished.
4. By humility and the fear of the LORD are riches, and honour, and life.
5. Thorns and snares are in the way of the froward: he that doth keep his soul shall be far from them.
6. Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.
7. The rich ruleth over the poor, and the borrower is servant to the lender.
8. He that soweth iniquity shall reap vanity: and the rod of his anger shall fail.
9. He that hath a bountiful eye shall be blessed; for he giveth of his bread to the poor.
10. Cast out the scorner, and contention shall go out; yea, strife and reproach shall cease.



## ARE WE LIVE IN THE LAST DAYS?



Bro. Manuel M. Paulraj

The world is now torn by the war between Russia and Ukraine, its neighbour. The war started on the 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2022 and is still going on with a break for 7 hours on 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 to evacuate the students of foreign countries. Russia had an easy run over on Ukraine on the first day but it received stiff resistance from Ukraine. Now it has reached the 66<sup>th</sup> day as on 30<sup>th</sup> April 2022. Though Ukraine gives stiff resistance due to the arrival of arms from friendly countries it is no match for Russia. Russia's grudge was, Ukraine is planning to join the European Union and NATO and this may open their (Russia's) borders for direct access to the NATO forces! Many European Countries now live close to Russia. So the fears of Russia are unfounded. Being a sovereign country, Ukraine is having every right to choose their own preferences. The war is out of the sheer ego of Russia! The world countries especially the USA and the West condemned the aggression of Russia and declared a series of sanctions against it. Some European countries like Britain and Germany supplied arms to Ukraine.

President Joe Biden maintains that the NATO countries refrain from direct action as it may lead to World War III. Now it may be so, but perceptions and decisions may change due to exigencies the heads of states of USA and some EU countries meet urgently in Brussels in a day or two to take stock of the situation. The Russians strike the cities of Ukraine with immunity! They use supersonic war planes and pound Ukraine with the latest bombs. Now it seems that Russia is no mood to hear the voice of the world or the International Court of Justice to halt the war immediately.

The Ukraine President Volodymyr Zelenskyy, a comedian turned politician acts as a war hero and all the people of Ukraine stand behind him. In his recent virtual address to Israeli Parliament, claimed that he is a descendant of the Jews and asked their support.

Now the Israeli Prime Minister Naftali Bennett is scheduled to visit India on 2nd April, 2022 at the invitation of Prime Minister Narendra Modi. So, Israel is not in the thick of war preparations. India has taken a neutral stand in the war between Russia and Ukraine. However India extends humanitarian support to Ukraine.

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## ECHO OF HIS CALL - (1969-2019 GOLDEN JUBILEE YEAR)

*from your dearly beloved brother...*



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the right hand of the LORD does valiantly”  
- (Psalm 118:16)**



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Dearly beloved in the Lord,

We greet you in the matchless name of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ!

Your prayers and support to us take us to a higher level day by day. So, we are bound to pray for you. We are also privileged to say, “Thank you”.

In the month of May, children and youth in India may enjoy the holidays given by schools and colleges. During these holidays, do not waste the time in worldly things, but we encourage you and your children to come forward to do something useful to the Lord. You can participate in your Church special services and help in the maintenance work in your Church, thus pleasing God. If you do such work God will bless your families. The Lord has done several good works to you and to your families. Do not forget those benefits.

We, your servants of God are also involved in activities cheerfully and with great inspiration. Our English High School, Tamil Evening Bible College, Hindi Online Bible Classes, as well as Distance Education Courses in English and Tamil are functioning very effectively and successfully along with **Echo of His Call** Magazine in 16 languages. Our increased Church Services and Hindi Residential Bible College will start functioning from next month. We need your prayers for the proper functioning of all these activities.

Many of you realize our needs and are sending offerings even before we ask you, through bank transfers, GPay, Money Order, Cheque and Demand Drafts. We are encouraged and we bless you in the name of Jesus Christ our Almighty God. May goodness and mercy follow you!

Some of us and our family members are feeling weak in our bodies. Especially, pray fervently for Bro. Manuel M. Paulraj and Pastor Muthu to recover from their sicknesses.

We love you and pray for you fervently. We thank you for your letters, e-mails, telephone calls and all other support and help. We make known to God all your requests and supplications.

May God's grace be with you! Amen.

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As the war has entered the 26<sup>th</sup> day, it is having all the potential to turn into a global war. In that case, Russia should take on Israel, their prime enemy! Whiles, it may be World War III. According to Zelensky, Israel is having the military might to take on any country or countries. If Israel is attacked, no one knows how things would take a turn in the coming days.

According to the Holy Bible, before the Armageddon war, Russia would come against Israel. Israel would win the war and the people of Israel would use the remains of war machines as firewood for 7 years! Nowadays, Russia is using a special type of wood from Norway to build war planes which are 7 times stronger, but lesser in weight (Ezekiel Chapters 38 and 39). But we do know, everything will happen according to the will of God! Let us pray for the safety of the people of the world!

Even if the present war comes to its logical end, God's plan already ordained in the Book of Revelation, where the breaking of seven seals, sounding of the seven trumpets and pouring out of the seven vials would take place as per the schedule of the Lord. We have been experiencing the consequences of the breaking of the first four seals. The breaking of the fifth seal should take place during the first half of the seven years of tribulation as they would die as martyrs in that period. I strongly feel that now we live in the days of the breaking of the first four seals for which we see signs and wonders taking place in the world and in nature. The present war between Russia and Ukraine are in accordance with the breaking of the seals. Jesus Christ has also said these things in the Holy Bible, Chapter 24 of the gospel, Matthew.

Regarding the end of the world and His coming, Jesus drew a parallel to the destruction of the world in the days of Noah and the Lord's second coming. God asked Noah to build an ark to accommo-

date him and his family only, as the Lord was going to destroy the world by flood. Noah obeyed God and he and his family began to build the ark as God commanded. Bible pundits say it took nearly 100 years for Noah to complete the work. The people of that time mocked and laughed at Noah. However, Noah preached them to repent and enter into the ark (2 Peter 2:5). But nobody heeded his plea. The ark was completed as scheduled by the Lord.

Jesus said, till the day of the flood, people were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day Noah and his family of eight entered into the ark and the Lord shut its door. The flood came and carried all the people outside the ark unaware! All perished except Noah and his family (Matthew 24:37-39).

The present day of the world is no more better than the days of Noah. The world is full of vice and remains corrupted inviting the Lord's intervention. We are virtually living in the last days!

It is now a million dollar question when Jesus would come? Many are of the opinion that Jesus would come before the start of the seven year period of tribulation and the appearing of Antichrist. Some people citing 2 Thessalonians 2:1-3, say that Antichrist would emerge during the period of tribulation. It is not a matter of contention when Antichrist would emerge? Jesus would descend on Mount Olives at the end of tribulation and take on Antichrist at Armageddon.

When the breaking of the seals would take place? Jesus Himself said that many would come in His name saying, "... **I am the Christ', and will deceive many**" (Matthew 24:5). This is the act of the spirit of Antichrist. The spirit of Antichrist is already in the world and is now at work. When the first seal is broken.

### FIRST SEAL!

When the Lamb opened one of the seals, John saw a white horse. And he who sat on it had a bow, and

a crown was given to him, and he went out conquering and to conquer (Revelation 6:1,2). The man who sat on the white horse is not the Antichrist as he would emerge from among many nations (people). He would not be a spirit, but very much one of the Kings or Presidents or Prime Ministers of nations. Here, the man emerged from the white horse is the spirit of Antichrist who is already on prowl from the first century itself. Apostle John who lived in the first century witnessed the presence of the spirit of Antichrist and has warned in his first epistle and said, "**Little children, it is the last hour; and as you have heard that the Antichrist is coming, even now many antichrists have come, by which we know that it is the last hour**" (1 John 2:18). The person who denies the Father and Son is the Antichrist (1 John 2:22). As we have already said, Antichrist the man, who would emerge from among nations is yet to come and the person John witnessed is the spirit of Antichrist. We would have witnessed such people in these days also. The man who was on the white horse should not be confused with the Son of Man on white horse in Revelation 19:11.

### SECOND SEAL!

A fiery red horse went out. It was granted to the one who sat on it to take peace from the earth, and that people should kill one another; and there was given to him a great sword (Revelation 6:3,4). This man was given the authority to take away peace from the earth and people to kill one another that is, wars and terror activities. This condition prevails in this world since from thousands of years ago. He is very much at work.

### THIRD SEAL!

When the third seal was broken, a black horse emerged and the man sat on that was given a pair of scales in his hand. He was given the authority to inflict famine in the

world. This could be witnessed in many parts of the world. Some of the African nations face famine very often. Countries like Ethiopia, Sudan, Somalia, etc. face this menace very often. Very recently, a severe volcano hit the island nation Haiti, causing grave tsunami, which devastated the island beyond recognition. There the people now eat mud baked in hot sun as bread! Sri Lanka is facing a great financial crisis causing unprecedented famine. Afghanistan is on the brink of famine. It is forecasted that the world would pass through a severe shortage of food articles after the present Pandemic, Covid-19.

Bill Gates and other billionaires have purchased lakh of acres of farm land in USA and from other nations and started farming! They already entered in the grain market and sell their products! The three farm laws enacted recently in India and then repealed is a precursor for enabling our billionaires to enter agriculture in large scale and do business! Though the acts are repealed, they won't rest. They would purchase large chunks of agriculture lands by making use of the loose ends of the existing laws and enter into agri-based business. It is said the Birlas have already built large godowns across the country. What would happen? They would seize wholesale grain markets and cause artificial scarcity. Now rice which is sold for Rs. 50/- per kg. may cost Rs. 500/-. So, the man with seals is very much at his work!

#### FOURTH SEAL!

There emerged a pale horse and the man who sat on it was called, Death and Hades followed him. He was given power over fourth part of the earth to kill with sword, with hunger, with death and by the beasts of the earth (spread of pandemic through animals). Nations take sword against sword and the world has already witnessed two great wars in 1918 and 1945 rendering millions dead.

Also war takes place in many parts of the world and cause casualties in great proportions. Countries like Russia and Ukraine have been in the war! Virus like HIV, HIV1, Influenza (1918), H<sub>2</sub>N<sub>2</sub> (1957), Zika (2018), Flu of 1968 (2020) and NIPHA (2021), and the present one Covid-19 take millions of life. The animals are the carriers for such virus. They cause immense damage to human life. Once a virus strikes, it won't die down! They are on the prowl even today.

#### FIFTH SEAL!

They would be slain for the Word of God and for the testimony which they had. John saw them under the altar. The martyrs under the altar are those, who died in the first 3½ years of tribulation who stood for the Word of God and His witness **after rapture**. So, this seal may be broken after rapture.

#### SIXTH SEAL!

Among the seals so far broken, the consequences of the sixth seal is very severe and devastating. The consequences

that are going to happen listed in Matthew Chapter 24 as given in Revelation 6:12-17. They are as follows:

1. There was a great earthquake; and the sun became black as sackcloth of hair, and the moon became like blood.
2. The stars of heaven fell to the earth, as a fig tree drops its late figs when it is shaken by a mighty wind.
3. The sky receded as a scroll when it is rolled up, and every mountain and island was moved out of its place.
4. And the kings of the earth, the great men, the rich men, the commanders, the mighty men, every slave and every free man, hid themselves in the caves and in the rocks of the mountains.
5. They will say to the mountains and rocks, "Fall on us and hide us from the face of Him who sits on the throne and from the wrath of the Lamb!"
6. "For the great day of His wrath has come, and who is able to stand?"

Dear friends, the devastations that are going to happen or now happening or

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PRAISE & PRAYER POINTS - From 2022 May 19 To June 18

(Please take this sheet out, fold it and keep it in your Bible and pray continuously)



## ✝POINTS FOR PRAISE

- May 19** ⇒ Praise the Lord as the Covid-19 cases are very less in India.
- May 20** ⇒ Let us praise God for blessing our Printing Press and the 16 language publications printing and being sent to the mission fields.
- May 21** ⇒ God blessed all the activities of our **Echo of His Call Ministries** during the Covid-19 period.
- May 22** ⇒ Let us praise God for the benefits of our Associate Editors and their families.
- May 23** ⇒ For our Prayer Partners, Subscribing Partners, Faith Partners, Life Partners and Great Commission Partners and their families, we praise God our Lord.
- May 24** ⇒ Let us praise God for having blessed new believers with anointing into our Church.
- May 25** ⇒ God blessed our **Echo of His Call Ministries** in the last month.
- May 26** ⇒ Gratefully we praise God for having blessed our ministerial travelling.
- May 27** ⇒ God blessed our online classes for **Hindi Theological Course**.
- May 28** ⇒ Praise God for protecting our nation.
- May 29** ⇒ Lord be praised for enabling us to conduct Theological Seminars regularly.
- May 30** ⇒ Praise God for meeting our needs last month.
- May 31** ⇒ Thank God for His blessings on our commitment to Magazine Ministry since 1969.
- June 01** ⇒ Praise the Lord for the growth of our **Bible Correspondence Course** and **Theological Correspondence Course**.
- June 02** ⇒ Praise the Lord for His blessings showered upon families of our workers.

- June 03** ⇒ God our Lord is safeguarding our Senior Pastor S. Sam Selva Raj and his family from all evil dominions.

## ✝POINTS FOR PRAYER

- June 04** ⇒ Let us pray towards the Lord for blessing the Gospel Printing Press.
- June 05** ⇒ Pray to our Lord for the procurement of students for our **Residential Nehemiah Bible College**.
- June 06** ⇒ To earnestly pray for integrity among all nations towards God.
- June 07** ⇒ Let us pray for our English Associate Editor, Bro. Manuel M. Paulraj to get healed wholly and lead peaceful life.
- June 08** ⇒ To commit into prayers for the sooner eradication of Corona Virus from the World.
- June 09** ⇒ To pray for the expansion of our Ministries in every ways and measures.
- June 10** ⇒ For our country's unity and progress in all aspects and plannings.
- June 11** ⇒ Let us pray to God for the benefit of our organization, all staff and their families.
- June 12** ⇒ To commit into prayers for unity among all religions.
- June 13** ⇒ Pray for the blessing and protection upon all Christian Organisations.
- June 14** ⇒ Pray to God for enabling us to spread gospel to the unreached places.
- June 15** ⇒ Pray for the safety of the people all over the world.
- June 16** ⇒ Pray for our Partners and State Coordinators and their families.
- June 17** ⇒ Pray to God to give us many more visions to build His Kingdom on earth.
- June 18** ⇒ Pray for the safety of our Senior Pastor S. Sam Selva Raj and his family members from all evil forces.

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happened could not be seen some 50 years ago and all these developments take place after it. The listed devastations began to happen and it will reach its crescendo in the coming days, of course it may take place very soon or at a span of 50 or 100 years. For the Lord one day is like 1000 years and 1000 years like one day; as He is from time eternity, that is before and after creation.

### SEVENTH SEAL!

And when the seventh seal was opened, there was silence in heaven for about half an hour (Revelation 8:1). It should be noted that when the whole world was in chaos and turmoil, half an hour silence means, it unfolds the happening of greater devastation the world has to witness. The opening of the seventh seal itself did not itself bring any disaster but unfolds the greater devastation going to happen by the sounding of the seven trumpets followed by the pouring out of seven vials on the earth. Bible Pundits believe that the sounding of trumpets would take place during the first 3½ years (1240 days) of tribulation and the pouring out of vials during the second half of the seven year tribulation. And the Saints would be caught up before the start of the seven year tribulation. We have already seen that the Church was caught up before the start of tribulation.

Now we have to depict the happenings which now take place under our nose and which were not in sight before 50 years or so. And we must understand that the consequences of breaking the first four seals have not come to a halt, but they are also in the world, that is happening.

### EARTHQUAKE, SUN BECAME BLACK AND MOON RED!

Earthquakes are happening right from the first century or even before. But their intensity and

frequency were insignificant while comparing present day. Nearly ten years back, the Gujarat State of India witnessed a severe earthquake leaving hundreds dead and hundreds of houses fell flat or sank. And recently, Fukushima in Japan witnessed a mighty earthquake where the nuclear power plant was fully damaged. In 2004, an earthquake which struck in Indonesia caused severe damages to life and property and the tsunami that followed ripped through littoral countries like India, Sri Lanka, Thailand and a host of other countries rendering several lakhs of people dead. India had the worst drubbing in the Eastern coast which rendered more than 1.50 lakh dead!

Earthquakes of various dimensions take place in many parts of the world and its frequency and intensity varies from time to time. These things forecast man's vulnerability against earthquakes and tsunami.

The Sun is the star at the centre of the Solar System. For the past 50 years or so, a great Scientist,

Stephen Hawkins of Britain had been talking of the presence of black holes on the surface of the sun. This statement gathered currency and many Scientists began to approve of it and the NASA also agreed to it. The black holes are formed due to the burning out of hydrogen from the surface of the sun rendering big holes up to a large valley. These happenings increase the heat of the sun and emits radiation. A phenomenon called Solar Tsunami would occur and the emission of hot waves emanated from the black holes and radiated from the sun. These are electrically charged particles which affect most in the sun's nearby planets. Our Earth is the third planet from the sun and we are in the danger zone.

Recently it struck the world on 29-01-2022 at the latest and caused damages in the Antarctica Region and the Greenland Island. Normally, the island is always covered by ice and there would be no rain. Owing to the strike of solar tsunami and the change of temperature, the island turned

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green and large scale melting of ice in the region took place raising the sea level, which inundated low lying littoral countries. Notices have been served to littoral countries to move their people to safer places. Indonesia has already started to shift its Head-Quarters, Jagartha to an interior place and nearly 20 lakh people are in the process of shifting.

Now black holes occupy nearly 12% of the surface of the sun and is set to reach 100%! When this happens, what is said in the Bible will be fulfilled.

The world is very vulnerable to the attack by solar tsunami. When the world was formed, God formed three protective layers over the earth to protect it from the onslaught of the sun. The first layer, a cover of water above the earth was drained out, when the world was destroyed by flood in the days of Noah. The second protective layer, Ozone also has been completely eaten out by the toxic emission of gases like Carbon Dioxide, Nitrous Oxide etc. emitted by heavy industrialization, explosion of automobiles and others. The Ozone layer has been eaten out in our life time! Now, the third protective layer, the magnetic field alone is there to protect us, from radiation. It also receives drubbing due to continued emission of toxic gases.

The UNO had already given a call to world nations to ensure zero emission especially to the highly industrialized countries. Every nation has set a time limit for achieving zero emission and India has set a 30 year period from now!

Owing to the increase of heat on the surface of the sun, the ice in the Arctic region and other areas, melts fast and the sea level increases. It also causes increase of temperature in the atmosphere and because of that, unprecedented rains caused havoc in most of the European Countries and China recently.

As the sun is set to increase the black holes area in the coming days and the increased possibility

of solar tsunami, world countries are in the grip of fear and despair. They invent various ways to protect their belongings close to their heart and atleast a section of people. The USA is on the frontline in developing more than 100 bunkers deep under large hills and mountains. Each bunker has been formed at a depth of 1400 feet to 2000 feet. The size of each bunker may differ. However, every bunker is at the size of a mini town with all possible facilities to live in! Each bunker is set to provide residing facilities ranging from 4 to 6 months and the cost/rent for an individual is about 2 lakh dollars! Private players are also in the fray.

And most of the European Countries have started developing bunkers to give succour to its people. Countries like Norway, Switzerland, Sweden, etc. are in the forefront. One million dollar question remains to be answered. When greater earthquakes or eruption of volcanoes take place, how much the bunker could provide protection. When the world is under a holocaust, is it enough for 4 or 6 months protection? Man cannot beat the designs of God!

The World Body on Climate Change published a report on 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2022. It warns world nations that the temperature may increase 1.5% or even greater in the next two decades. This will have adverse impact on nature and people. Many of the cities in India cross 35-36°C. So, the world is set to become unfit for human dwelling!

Another greater danger which threatens the world is the presence of explosive materials including nuclear bombs dumped deep in the earth, which are enough to destroy this world many times! When a strong earthquake or volcano strikes what would happen to the nuclear arsenals and explosives. Almost all the houses are now connected by gas(LPG) pipelines in developed countries and India is now on the pipeline usage. When a disaster strikes,

what would happen to the LPG and its storage tanks? So, the world is no doubt sitting on a volcano!

The spectacle of red moon is being appeared in many parts of the world. In India it appeared very recently and people were able to watch by naked eyes. Its frequency (appearance) increases in recent years!

It is a common sight that asteroids and metaphors fall from the heavenly bodies. Very recently a six ton asteroids fell on the sea. Now, its fall frequency increases and as written in the Bible, the stars would also begin to fall as the figs from a fig tree for strong wind.

Owing to increase in the heat, the sky may be rolled up as a scroll as written in the Bible. And mountains and inlands will be moved by severe earthquake and at the strike of volcanoes.

At the catastrophic devastation, people would leave their houses and wander to hide under mountains and hills and some even ask them to fall on them! In those days, death evades from them.

As said in Revelation 13:16-18, every person in the world, big or small should bear a seal in his right hand or forehead. For this, the agents of Antichrist now live are busy in digitalisation of the record of every person. Almost all countries have already issued a Card as Aadhar. The mobile number, Bank account number are set to be given 16 digit numbers taking it to 18 by adding the computer code of two. If the 18 digit number is calculated, it will give the unique number of 666, which is of the beast. All these particulars are being fed in a biochip and it is said the chip is ready to be embedded on the right hand or on the forehead! The agents of Antichrist are waiting for an opportune time to embed the chip!

Now all is set for the Tribulation period of seven years. The breaking of the sixth seal has also taken place and its effect was

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# PIT TO PALACE

(Life experiences of Pastor S. Sam Selva Raj)

*“Whoever reads, let him understand” (Matthew 24:15)*



## THE LORD WHO FORMS!

It is by God's grace that I studied my 9th, 10th and 11th grades between the years 1962 and 1965 at **Eraniel Government High School**, which was close to my native village. After that I did my Pre University Course (P.U.C.) at **Lakshmipuram College of Arts and Science**, which was also near my village.



Rev. Dr. A. Selvaraj

Rev. Dr. A. Selvaraj, who is now serving the Lord in Yercaud, was working as a missionary for a long time to the tribals in Jamuna Maruthur. He studied with me in the High School. He has been my spiritual role model.

He was not just my friend; he also encouraged me in my ministry. He motivated me in my prayer life and helped me to grow spiritually. The Lord God led us away from the opposing forces of the world, flesh and the devil. The Lord helped us not to become slaves to movies, worldly entertainments, bad habits and drugs. But the Lord God helped us to grow in holy life.

During that time, my family was economically backward. So, my aunt Mrs. Roselet Devakadaksham helped me by providing the lunch, everyday when I was in College. She lived in a place called Udayarvilai. Her children, Bro. Prince, Sis. Jasmine Floral, Bro. Wise and my little sister Dautty looked after me very well as if they were providing for a little Jesus. Fear of God was their lifestyle and I learnt it from them.

In this period, I started developing a great desire deep down in me. It was my strong desire that I grow into a spotless person and a man of high character. I always wished to do some good work to the Lord God who has created this world and provides everything for it. According to the verse, **“For it is God who works in you both to will and to do for His good pleasure”** (Philippians 2:13), I wanted to live honestly and developed the goal to achieve something great for the Lord God. In order to achieve this goal, I committed myself to lose my worldly friends and relatives and even possessions. I did lose many of them.

So, right from my youthful days, I was not interested in anything other than God and matters related to Him. I also did not know many things of the world. Some of my school teachers thought I was a dull headed student and so they treated me in that way. But

**“... I determined not to know anything among you except Jesus Christ and Him crucified”** (1 Corinthians 2:2). The Lord had made my brain and heart to think about Him only and live accordingly. The Holy Spirit also enabled me to consider my situation as a privilege and not as a weakness.

For example, if I happened to see a movie unexpectedly in school or while I was travelling or if I happened to listen to some worldly story, my eyes might see them and my ears might listen to them. But nothing will enter into my brain or heart. I could realize a kind of rejection working within me to such things of the world. Whatever I see or hear would get erased from my heart. I cannot recollect and repeat what I had seen or heard. **“... I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and bring to nothing the understanding of the prudent”** (1 Corinthians 1:19).

The worldly people considered me as an ignorant person. But I was not worried about that. My heart knew very well that the Almighty Lord dwelled in me, and that He was leading me to a higher level and a higher place. The worldly saying, “Learn stealth and forget it” did not apply to me. Though I was living in this world, God trained me to live a separated life.

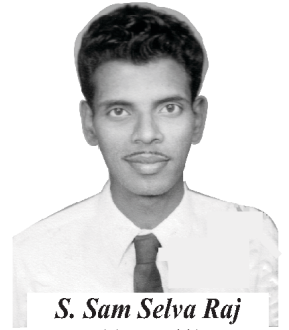
**“But as it is written: “Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, nor have entered into the heart of man the things which God has prepared for those who love Him.”**

**But God has revealed them to us through His Spirit. For the Spirit searches all things, yes, the deep things of God.**

**For what man knows the things of a man except the spirit of the man which is in him? Even so no one knows the things of God except the Spirit of God.**

**Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, that we might know the things that have been freely given to us by God”** (1 Corinthians 2:9-12).

Under the given circumstances, late Mr. C. Selvam,



S. Sam Selva Raj  
(Age : 18)



Mr. C. Selvam



Mr. Gilbert Roy

Founder of “**Commercial Institute, Neyyoor**”, understood that God had a specific purpose in me and that He was going to shape me to do something great. He was my father's friend. He knew my economical background and helped me to learn and master Office Administration, Type-writing and Short-hand writing both in English and Tamil. He used to often tell me, “You will become a powerful servant of God and a good Administrator one day!” Moreover, he told his assistant, Mr. Gilbert Roy to look after me very well. Mr. Gilbert Roy is now the President of **Kanyakumari Christians Forum Chennai**. He handed me over under the care of Emiyammal Sanyasini Ammal who was a devoted and elder lady servant of God.

“**Does not the potter have power over the clay, from the same lump to make one vessel for honor and another for dishonor?**” (Romans 9:21). According to this verse God started to shape me. \*\*\*

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felt! The larger repercussions are yet to come. The devastation is depicted in a song by a servant of God which is as follows:

1. The army of God in heaven  
Appear in millions and millions  
Multitudes run for caves  
Stars change position and  
Fall on earth everywhere.  
But I join with my beloved  
Dancing and singing.  
Hallelujah! Hallelujah!! (8 times).
2. All the regions in the *five continents*  
Will come to an end!  
Darkness cover! Thunder erupts!  
There shall be weeping and  
shedding of tears!  
But the song of testimonies  
Will be heard from Saints.
3. The sea roars, boundaries breach  
Ships sink, heavy destruction!  
Transports stop standstill  
**And there shall be no more world!**  
What the unfailing Word of God  
Tells shall be fulfilled.

- J. Emil Jeba Singh

### THE LORD'S DAY!

Our Lord Jesus Christ first came into this world some 2000 years ago as Saviour humble and lowly, riding on a donkey (Zechariah 9:9). But during His Second open coming He descends on Mount of Olives with His Saints (Zechariah 14:4). The day would be a day of wrath, a day of trouble and distress!

That day is a day of wrath,  
A day of trouble and distress,

A day of devastation and desolation,

A day of darkness and gloominess,  
A day of clouds and thick darkness.  
Neither their silver nor their gold  
Shall be able to deliver them  
In the day of the Lord's wrath.

(Zephaniah 1:15,18)

“**Behold, He is coming with clouds, and every eye will see Him, and they also who pierced Him. And all the tribes of the earth will mourn because of Him. Even so, Amen**” (Revelation 1:7).

Our Lord Jesus Christ would descend on Mount of Olives immediately after the seven year misrule of Antichrist. In Jesus' first coming He came as the Saviour of the world, humble and lowly, but during His second open coming, He will come as the King of kings and the Righteous Judge. Now He rides on a white horse along with hundreds of thousands of Saints each on their white horses (Revelation 19:11-14).

“**For He is coming, for He is coming to judge the earth. He shall judge the world with righteousness, And the peoples with His truth**” (Psalm 96:13).

With the rapture of the Saints, the period of grace ends and people will be judged according to their works! No mercy shall be shown anymore. If a person wants to be saved, he cannot be so as the period of grace is over. And if he wants still to enter the kingdom of God, he has to die as a martyr during the period of tribulation.

The rapture of the Lord would take place at any moment

from now. So, this is the favourable day for Salvation.

Salvation is the greatest gift of God (Romans 6:23). And salvation is personal. Each and every man should receive salvation. Today it comes to you free through the blood of the Lamb. The world presents Life and Death! Reject Death and embrace Life. For this you have to look at Jesus, repent and confess your sin. The Lord Jesus Christ is faithful to wash your sins by His spotless blood. The Bible says, the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin (1 John 1:7). If you do so, you can escape the wrath of the Lord on the Day of Judgement as all the ungodly, wicked and rebels have to appear before Him and give account for all their act. **Time will not pass! Act today!**

The world is all set for the appearance of Antichrist. After his seven year rule is over, the Lord Jesus Christ would come in the open as King and Righteous Judge and fight Antichrist and his men. Satan would be the driving force behind Antichrist. The Lord will meet Antichrist and his men at Armageddon with all His Saints. The people of Judah and Israel will support Jesus (Zechariah 9:13). It may be a one day war! Antichrist and the false prophet would be defeated and caught, in the war and they will be put in hell fire. Satan would also be caught and shut in Hades for thousand years! (Revelation 20:1,2).

The coming of the Lord God Jesus Christ is imminent! Get ready to be caught up in rapture! God bless you!

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