

The Congregation Pt27

Live Report From Goshen Pt1

SIRS WE WOULD SEE JESUS [57-1211]

And this was supposed to be my vacation. This fall I started a vacation, and I like to hunt real well, so I went out west to go hunting. The party that I went with, including myself, all broke down with this here Asian flu. We didn't even take our guns from the cases, and come back home.

Coronavirus disease (COVID-19)

Of the approximately 200,000 people who have been diagnosed with coronavirus approximately 8,000 have died. Of the 8,000 fatalities only slightly more than 100 have been in the U.S.

"Asian Flu" 1957-1958 (H2N2 virus)

"In... 1957, a new influenza A (H2N2) virus emerged in East Asia, triggering a pandemic... The estimated number of deaths was 1.1 million worldwide and 116,000 in the U.S." ~ cdc.gov

"Spanish Flu" 1918-1919 (H1N1 virus)

"The 1918 influenza pandemic was the most severe pandemic in recent history. It spread worldwide during 1918-1919. It is estimated that about 500 million people or one-third of the world's population became infected with this virus. The number of deaths was estimated to be at least 50 million worldwide with about 675,000 occurring in the United States." ~ cdc.gov

"Bubonic Plague" 14th century

"...is estimated to have killed 30% to 60% of Europe's population. In total, the plague may have reduced the world population from an estimated 475 million to 350-375 million in the 14th century. It took 200 years for Europe's population to recover to its previous level..."

~ Wikipedia

MARK 12:17

17. And Jesus answering said unto them, Render to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's. And they marvelled at him.

HEBREWS 10:23-25

23. Let us hold fast the profession of our faith without wavering; (for he is faithful that promised;). 24. And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works: 25. Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.

PERFECT STRENGTH BY PERFECT WEAKNESS [61-1119]

Many are suffering across the nation, and plagues, and viruses as the doctors place them. And I pray that Your healing virtues, Lord, will be to those people.

THE QUEEN OF SHEBA [59-0405E]

...they had some sort of a little bug flying around at home. I don't know what they called it. Those that the doctors cannot name, I think they just call it "*virus*." And I don't know what the little fellow's name was, but I'm sure sorry that he tried to get in my throat. Satan must've sent him there, because of this oncoming meeting. **I come anyhow, because I know in Who I have believed.** And I'm persuaded that He's able to keep that which we have committed to Him against the day.

I found it in my life's journey, and especially in my ministry, that when Satan makes a big fight, he knows there's a great blessing laying ahead. So it's always at those times that we like to go on.

EXODUS 8:22-23 [FLIES]

22. And **I will sever in that day the land of Goshen, in which my people dwell**, that no swarms of flies shall be there; to the end thou mayest know that I am the LORD in the midst of the earth. 23. And **I will put a division between my people and thy people**: to morrow shall this sign be.

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Goshen {go'-shen}

1) a region in northern Egypt, east of the lower Nile, where the Children of Israel lived from the time of Joseph to the time of Moses

EXODUS 9:3&6 [LIVESTOCK DISEASE]

3. Behold, the hand of the LORD is upon thy cattle which is in the field, upon the horses, upon the asses, upon the camels, upon the oxen, and upon the sheep: there shall be a very grievous murrain.

6. And the LORD did that thing on the morrow, and **all the cattle of Egypt died: but of the cattle of the children of Israel died not one.**

EXODUS 9:20-21 [HAIL & FIRE]

20. He that feared the word of the LORD among the servants of Pharaoh made his servants and his cattle flee into the houses:

21. And he that regarded not the word of the LORD left his servants and his cattle in the field.

EXODUS 9:26

26. Only in the land of Goshen, where the children of Israel were, was there no hail.

EXODUS 10:23 [DARKNESS]

23. They saw not one another, neither rose any from his place for three days: but all the children of Israel had light in their dwellings.

EXODUS 12:13 [DEATH OF FIRSTBORN]

13. And the blood shall be to you for a token upon the houses where ye are: and when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and the plague shall not be upon you to destroy you, when I smite the land of Egypt.

ACCEPTING GOD'S PROVIDED WAY AT THE END TIME [63-0115]

Now, some of them said, "Well, now, if the plague falls, we'll just go in the hospital. If the plague--if the plague happens to fall, you know what we'll do? We'll go get Dr. Jones. He'll know how to take care of it." It didn't work. Yet, they were smart. "Well, if the plague falls, we'll just go down beneath the ground, in a cave, and shut the door down." That won't do it one bit of good. "We'll stay in the house, and put a mask over our face, and--and put some disinfect on it." Didn't do a bit of good.

God made a provided way. Yes. And it was (what?) the blood. God provided it, as simple as it seemed, to take the blood of a lamb and sprinkle the door. Yet, God said that was His way, and He honored it. "All out from under the blood died, the firstborn."

AND KNOWETH IT NOT [65-0815]

Oh, brother, you better get to Goshen while there's time to get to Goshen.