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THY ROD AND STAFF...THEY COMFORT?

The 23rd Psalm says that, “*Thy rod and staff they comfort me.*” How does a rod comfort? To find that out, we must first understand the rod. The Hebrew for rod is *mattâh*: a *branch* (as *extending*); figuratively a *tribe*; also a *rod*, (figuratively *correction*), ruling (a *sceptre*), or walking (a *staff*; figuratively a *support* of life, for example bread): - rod, staff, tribe.

Hmmm? Did that help? Well, then let us try to see in the Scriptures:

Ex 4:17 And thou shalt take this rod in thine hand, wherewith thou shalt do signs [evidence of miracles].

Ps 110:2 The LORD shall send the rod of thy strength [boldness, loud, might, power, strength] out of Zion: rule thou in the midst of thine enemies.

Mic 6:9 The LORD's voice crieth unto the city, and the man of wisdom shall see thy name [memorial of authority]: hear ye the rod, and who hath appointed it.

Now, that is more like it! The rod is a token from God which is a memorial of miraculous power, boldness, strength and might as well as authority from God who appoints it.

The Hebrew history of the Mattah is interesting. It was given to the head of each tribe as a signet of God's authority and miraculous power.

With every miraculous event of God's salvation a notch of the event was carved into the rod for remembrance, which made the mattah a memorial testifying of an ever present, faithful God. For example, David had a shep-

herd's rod. When God saved him from the bear and lion, David made a notch for each deliverance. When it came time for this young shepherd boy to face a giant he remembered the notches in his rod of authority, power and mighty, miraculous strength appointed to him by God. Just as the gun fighter of the ol' West, the more notches in the gun the greater the gun fighter.

We do not carry a mattah with us wherever we go, however, through Jesus we have authority, power and strength. We cannot forget that our armor is notched with all the miracles and answered prayers from God. We can look at those notches as chinks in our armor in the negative standing for attacks and wounds or we can see them as notches where God saved us from the lion and the bear! We need to see the notches of victory not the chinks of attack. If David had seen each attack as chinks then Goliath too would have seemed like just another chink rather than adding a notch to his mattah for success against the enemy.

So let us go back to *Ps 23: 4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.*

When in that valley overshadowed by death, to have God's authority, power, strength in signs and miracles, we need to remember that Thy rod and staff they comfort us, and we have the notches of proof by which to reflect and strengthen our hearts.

INSTANT REPLAY

In sporting events when something monumental happens they usually do an instant replay. Instant means exactly that. It is something that happened in one game event. It can serve to help avoid a pitfall the next time, but it does not prevent the team from ever playing again. Just imagine what would happen if the referee made a bad call, which can and does happen, and the players quit because

they were hurt in the process?
 What is different about someone being hurt by a bad call in the church? For this there seems to be no *instant* replay but a *continual replay* to the point of quitting the team. To blame the entire team for one bad call is ridiculous. You may trade to a different team in the same sport but do not quit the team. After all, the Cap-

tain of the Host is Jesus. We are following in His footsteps. No foe can stand against us in the fray! [Someone needs to put that to music!]
 Use the instant replay to learn how to avoid the pitfall, repent over the bad feelings that it raised, and get back to the work of the team. Quitting is worse than the event which caused it.

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A MATTER OF CUSTODY

In Lucifer's confession we see a purpose and goal. Look at it: **Isa 14:13-14** *For thou hast said in thine heart, I will ascend into heaven, I will exalt my throne above the stars of God: I will sit also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the north: I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will be like the most High.*

Satan's main goal is identity theft but with a purpose to win the congregation. Satan wanted custody of two things: God's identity and the custody of God's children. To win the children is to gain their kingdoms. Satan has no love for the children but is greedy to own the kingdoms and rule as god. Just look at the job he is doing in the good ol' USA these days. All by sitting on the mount of the congregation!

Yet Satan's lust for power vacated his position in heaven. If he cannot have heaven then

neither will God's children. Satan planned from that day on to take all God's children to hell with him.

There are shadows and patterns of this throughout the Word in historical events. The first story we see is the serpent trying to gain the kingdom given to the Adam's family by selling the idea that Adam and Eve could be as gods. Satan took a chapter out of his own play-book for that one and the Adams lost their garden kingdom. In the very next story we see the jealousy and murder of Abel by Cain. Both stories show the markings of Satan's desire to be god and of his jealousy to be greater. Those ideas were planted in mankind by deceitful lies.

Our spirit is willing because of the God DNA, but our soul is weak due to the Satanic DNA which reaches into the intellect of man. Our mind with our conscience is a God creation

but our intellect fights its own way to be god and make the decisions.

The Word tells us not to lean on our own understanding for a reason: **Prov 3:5-7** *Trust in the LORD with all thine heart/mind; and lean not unto thine own understanding/intellect. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths. Be not wise in thine own eyes/intellect: fear the LORD, and depart from evil.*

Whenever we counter God's Will with justification of our own view, we might remember Jesus words to Peter: **Matt 16:23** *Get thee behind me, Satan: thou art an offence unto me: for thou savourest not the things that be of God, but those that be of men.*

Another time Jesus addressed the Jews who countered His authority: **John 8:44** *Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do. He was a murderer from the*

beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it.

In both cases Satan was scoring ahead in the contest of custody. We have to ask ourselves what is beyond God's capability to do through us. How often do we try to reason with God in order for Him to see *our* point of view? If we do not believe God for anything else we seem to trust in His Grace to forgive our short comings. So I will not appeal to your sense of being justified through Jesus' blood sacrifice, but let me appeal to you this wise: [Rev 12:10] The accuser of the brethren uses our excuses to boast of paternal partnership with man against God at His very throne. How would you like an honorable mention in league of Satan before God and all His angels? I would rather not be a continual mention from Satan's lips to God's ears. How about you?

LEND ME YOUR EARS

"Friends, Romans, Countrymen, lend me your ears" is the first line of a famous and often-quoted speech by Mark Antony in the play Julius Caesar, by William Shakespeare, however, I can trace it back even farther from Revelation chapters 2, 3 and 13, **"He that hath an ear, let him hear."** Hear what? What the Spirit is saying of course.

In order to hear we must lend an ear. Sounds easy, but to lend an ear we must close our natural ears and understand in order to hear what goes beyond our earthly dimension and reasoning. It is more than hearing; it is a spiritual communication or message in picture, word or phrase. How many times have you imagined someone's face followed by a phone call or contact with that person? Instead of wondering over the co-incidence why not lend an ear and find out for what purpose the Spirit of God gave you insight. God is making a call and we hear it vaguely but the connection is bad and we hang up before we discern the message.

Intercessors lend an ear to the Holy Spirit by praying in the Spirit. When we get our own language out of the way we are open to the suggestion of the Spirit. Recently while praying at my Monday night home prayer meeting, the name Ramone came across my

mind. I did not know of anyone named Ramone, but I began to pray for him and those present agreed with me for this young man. I had no idea if it was someone from this country or another. Two weeks later the young man, Ramone, came to the prayer meeting. I felt like Anna when she realized that Jesus, the Messiah, whom she prayed to come, had been brought into the temple by Mary and Joseph!

I lend the Spirit my ear and get many names or faces of people I have never met but pray for them anyway as the Spirit leads. By God sending Ramone to us, we are more encouraged to know that what we do in the spirit manifests answers in the lives of real people and real situations. The more you lend your ear the more you hear, the better the connection and clearer the message.

Rev 2:7, 11, 17 *He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches; He that overcometh...I will give to eat of the Tree of Life...shall not be hurt of the second death...I will give to eat of the hidden manna...etc.*

There is always something to overcome, therefore, we need an ear to hear. **"Friends, Christians, Countrymen, lend Me your ears," saith the LORD.**

GOING OUT ON A LIMB...LITERALLY

In case you missed the blurb of news, I thought you might be interested in articles from LiveScience 2/5/13, Investor Stem Cell 2/5/13, DailyTech 2/6/13, or News Medical 2/10/13 etc.

Imagine if you could take living cells, load them into a printer, and squirt out a 3D tissue that could develop into a kidney or a heart. Scientists are one step closer to that reality, now that they have developed the first printer for embryonic human stem cells.

In a new study, researchers from the University of Edinburgh have created a cell printer that spits out living embryonic stem cells. You heard me right...a cell printer! The printer was capable of printing uniform-size droplets of cells gently enough to keep the cells alive and maintain their ability to develop into different cell types. The new printing method could be used to make 3D human tissues for testing new drugs, grow organs, or ultimately print cells directly inside the body.

Human embryonic stem cells (hESCs) are obtained from hu-

man embryos and can develop into any cell type in an adult person, from brain tissue to muscle to bone. This attribute makes them ideal for use in regenerative medicine — repairing, replacing and regenerating damaged cells, tissues or organs.

[\[Stem Cells: 5 Fascinating Findings\]](#)

In a lab dish, hESCs can be placed in a solution that contains the biological cues that tell the cells to develop into specific tissue types, a process called differentiation. The process starts with the cells forming what are called "embryoid bodies." Cell printers offer a means of producing embryoid bodies of a defined size and shape.

In the new study, the cell printer was made from a modified CNC machine (a computer-controlled machining tool) outfitted with two "bio-ink" dispensers: one containing stem cells in a nutrient-rich soup called cell medium and another containing just the medium. These embryonic stem cells were dispensed through computer-operated valves, while a microscope mounted to the printer provided a close-up view of what was being printed.

The two inks were dispensed in layers, one on top of the other to create cell droplets of varying concentration. The smallest droplets were only two nanoliters, containing roughly five cells.

The cells were printed onto a dish containing many small wells. The dish was then flipped over so the droplets now hung from them, allowing the stem cells to form clumps inside each well. (The printer lays down the cells in precisely sized droplets and in a certain pattern that is optimal for differentiation.)

Tests revealed that more than 95 percent of the cells were still alive 24 hours after being printed, suggesting they had not been killed by the printing process. More than 89 percent of the cells were still alive three days later, and also tested positive for a marker of their pluripotency — their potential to develop into different cell types.

Biomedical engineer Utkan Demirci, of Harvard University Medical School and Brigham and Women's Hospital, has done pioneering work in printing cells, and thinks the new study is tak-

ing it in an exciting direction. "This technology could be really good for high-throughput drug testing," Demirci told LiveScience. One can build mini-tissues from the bottom up, using a repeatable, reliable method, he said. Building whole organs is the long-term goal, Demirci said, though he cautioned that it "may be quite far from where we are today."

Others have created printers for other types of cells. Demirci and colleagues made one that printed embryonic stem cells from mice. Others have printed a kind of human stem cells from connective tissues, which are not able to develop into as many cell types as embryonic stem cells. The current study is the first to print embryonic stem cells from humans, researchers report in the Feb. 5 issue of the journal *Biofabrication*.

Man creating man. All I can refer to is the Tower of Babel when all that man imagined to do went unrestrained until...well you know the story. This is the case of Babel revisited only through technology. What God did before, He can certainly accomplish again only this time it will be the confounding of our power grids! In that case be prepared to camp in your home for an extended period.

GIVEN ENOUGH ROPE

We all remember the game **hang man** in which one player thinks of a word, phrase or sentence and the other tries to guess it by suggesting letters. Each wrong guess adds a part of the man until the player either gets it right or exhausts the letters and is hung, which loses the game.

My class played this game over their spelling words. The student would win but the unstudied usually lost not being able to

recall the list words well enough to guess the right letters.

Equate this with Satan introducing an idea we will call "the rope". Man guesses what to do about the rope. Satan's idea is that given enough rope a man will hang himself. Now, man has the ability through the Word of God to get it right and win. If, however, he continues to invest in Satan's game with mindless guesses trying to get it

right in his own way...before he knows it he has been given enough rope to hang himself.

The answer is always the WORD, therefore being a studier of the WORD our chance of winning is better, and living the WORD is to win the game!

The sad thing about being given enough rope is that man never can tell when enough *is* enough until the game ends. Game over.



APOCALYPTIC HORSES/AGENDA 21 PART III

In recent issues I have been writing about the United Nations and Agenda 21. I felt the nudge of the Spirit to look again more closely at the apocalyptic horses of Revelation chapter six in comparison to the UN and their Agenda.

We see the four horses of the apocalypse ushering in a world season... a world condition. Horses are symbolic of power, strength, of conquest and war. The rider on the horse is the carrier or world system of what is being ushered in, for example: the white horse conquers all opponents into submission. White would signify purity and righteousness, however Jesus also identified white on the outside in this regard: **Matt 23:27** *Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye are like unto whited sepulchres, which indeed appear beautiful outward, but are within full of dead men's bones, and of all uncleanness.* We begin with the white horse:

Rev 6:2 *White horse: and he that sat on him had a bow; and a crown was given unto him: and he went forth conquering, and to conquer.*

Bow in Hebrew is: *toxon* from the root word *tiktō* meaning a seed producing plant such as a branch of a plant like a bow of a tree. Notice what is holding up the earth in the UN symbol, pictured in the right column, are the branches. Jesus is the vine but mankind make up the branches. In other words, the earth in the UN symbol is being held up by mankind not God.

Crown in Rev 6 is not the same as crown in Rev 19. Rev 6 crown in Hebrew is: *stephanos* meaning wreath. In Rev 19:12 Jesus is riding a white horse and has many crowns, which is different than *stephanos* or wreath, but is the word *diadema* meaning diadem or crown. These are two very different words that KJV translates into one word...crown. The rider of the white horse in Rev 6 is a false Christ.

United Nations symbol: A map of the world representing an azi-

muthal equidistant projection centered on the North Pole, inscribed in a wreath consisting of crossed conventionalized branches of the olive tree, which is symbolic of peace, yet we see that this rider went about to conquer, which is to subdue the world under it and prevail against it.



The United Nations has six principal organs:

1. General Assembly
2. Security Council
3. Economic and Social Council
4. Secretariat
5. International Court of Justice
6. United Nations Trustee Council

[There are many other prominent UN System agencies such as the World Health Organization (WHO), the World Food Program (WFP) and United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF).]

Six is also the number of man. Rev 13:18 *Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number of the beast: for it is the number of a man; and his number is Six hundred threescore and six.*

Number of a man: *anthrōpos manfaced*, that is, a human Six is the number of man whether individually or collectively regardless of sex or race. Strong's Exhaustive Concordance shows the variations:

1. a human being, whether male or female
2. generally, to include all human individuals
3. to distinguish man from beings of a different order

Rev 6:4 *Red horse: and power was given to him that sat*

thereon to take peace from the earth, and that they should kill one another: and there was given unto him a great sword.

The name "United Nations", devised by United States President Franklin D. Roosevelt was first used in the Declaration by the United Nations of 1 January 1942, during the Second World War, when representatives of 26 nations pledged their Governments to continue fighting together against the Axis Powers. Their first order of business was to conquer through war and conquer they did. It was in the quest for peace at that time. World peace has turned into controlling the peace of the world. The UN doctrine through Agenda 21 is that the world must be harnessed in order to sustain a livable planet. It is viewed by these nations that they must gain compliance of the world in order to heal mother earth from destruction. This means bringing together a global democracy. Twelve principles of the charter for global democracy at a UN summit:

1.Consolidation of all international agencies under the direct authority of the United Nations.

2.Regulation by the UN of all transnational organizations and financial institutions.

3.Independent source of revenue for the UN such as the " Tobin Tax" and taxes on aircraft and shipping fuels, and licensing the use of the global commons.

4.Eliminate the veto power and the permanent member status on the Security Council.

5.Authorize a standing UN army

6.Require UN registration of all arms and the reduction of national armies "as a part of a multilateral global security system" under the authority of the UN.

7.Require individual and national compliance with all UN " Human

Rights" treaties

8.Activate the International Criminal Court, make the International Court of justice compulsory for all nations, and give individuals the right to petition the courts to remedy social injustice.

9.Create a new institution to establish economic and environmental security by insuring sustainable development.

10.Create a new international environmental court.

11.Adopt a declaration that climate change is an essential global security interest that requires the creation of a " high-level action team" to allocate carbon emission based on equal per-capita rights.

12.Cancellation of all debt owed by the poorest nations, global poverty reductions, and for " equitable sharing of global resources" as allocated by the UN.

The UN is an attempt by man to bring peace and unity to the earth by means of a world organization. The operative word here is to *attempt* by man, because God was left out to begin with: **II Timothy 3:13**, *"But evil men and seducers shall wax worse and worse, deceiving and being deceived."* **Matthew 24:7**, *"For nation shall rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom."* These conditions will characterize the age at the time of the appearance of the world power known as the beast of **Revelation 13 and Daniel 7:7**.

Take a look at the remarkable similarities of the UN to this last form of Gentile world power.

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APOCALYPTIC HORSES/AGENDA 21 PART III CONTINUED

The beast of Rev. and Dan., that will exercise such great power over the earth at the time of the return of Christ, will be on the world scene without men being aware of it. This great power will appear as the very thing the world needs to solve its overwhelming problems. Instead of appearing as a monstrous power to destroy the world, it will appear as the saviour of a bewildered world that is looking for a way out. **Daniel 8:25 says the beast will "by peace destroy many."** Could this be the last Gentile world power in Satan's masterpiece for deception? Will there come a showdown that finds 10 nations who will be of one mind giving their strength and power to the beast? **Rev. 17:12-13**

Under the guise of being an organization whose purpose is to bring peace to the earth, the UN now has 193 nations of the world as its members and supporters. Remember also that Rev. 13:7 says, **"and power was given him over all kindreds and tongues, and nations."** Do you think it is a strange coincidence that the UN has under its wings practically all kindreds and tongues, and nations?

People are destroyed by not being sustainable any longer and who better to decide that than those which control food and water, electricity, jobs for income rather than weapons of mass destruction.

Rev 6:5-6 Black horse: and he that sat on him had a pair of balances in his hand. And I heard a voice in the midst of the four beasts say, A measure of wheat for a penny, and three measures of barley for a penny; and see thou hurt not the oil and the wine.

The report, "21 Issues for the 21st Century", from the United Nations Environment Program (UNEP) Foresight Process has the ring of global governance. Through Sustainable Development the United Nations has come up with yet another plan on

how the Earth should be managed. That was the work of a two year project with the collaboration of 22 scientists. The aim was to bring this new agenda to the June 2012 Rio+20 Conference of the United Nations, under the familiar blanket of "sustainable development". That latest amendment to the Agenda is the 21 plan that has been sweeping the globe for decades; leaving only destitution and havoc in its wake. These guidelines will undoubtedly continue as the mandates we will see coming from the US government, the talking points from the corporately funded media and any other facet that is used to convince the average citizen that giving up their freedom is worth it if we are saving the planet.

An overhaul of how the Earth's food and water are resourced and distributed to the populace is part and parcel of the "sustainable development" plan under Agenda 21. The "urgent need" to keep up with feeding and hydrating the "supposed" fast growing world population is capitalized upon in order to gain control of the population. We remember that even Joseph's brothers had to bow to Egypt in order to live. Food and water are the most powerful ingredients to world control. When you are starving or dying of thirst nothing else matters. Most will bow to the source that claims to sustain them.

These are essentially graveness measures which is code for planned poverty. The goal of creating a complete dependence of the world's population on the government is an endgame for the UN's Agenda 21. Total submission is required and taken unwillingly if necessary.

Rev 6:8 Pale horse: and his name that sat on him was Death, and Hell followed with him. And power was given unto them over the fourth part of the earth, to kill with sword, and with hunger, and with death, and with the beasts of the earth.

If you look up the word **pale** in Hebrew it means **green**. Everything under sustainable development and Agenda 21 is green. The entire movement is a green movement to "supposedly" save the earth. Go back and re-read Jan and Feb issues of Trumpet Sounds and look at the map.

According to Sustainable Medicine and the UN Biodiversity Treaty, human beings are merely one single strand in nature's web where all living things are equal. No person has more value than an oak tree, salmon, or long-fingered salamander. They reject the idea that God gave man dominion and see man's dominion at the heart of the earth's demise. Example: the polar bear lives out its beautiful bearish existence catching fish for food in the Arctic. The bear never presumes to hop a plane to retire in sunny Florida where he burns expensive fossil fuel to get there, cannot fish for himself, and needs Medicare to keep his white hairs on his tough hide. But the person who lives in frigid Minnesota or northern New York arrogantly flies south to Florida to live out his long, brutish old age burdening the environment and taxing the medical budget.

In the "sustainable" venue, no person has more value than a wolf, lion, snake, or cougar that attacks a human being simply by inherent animal nature. The animal that kills a person acts according to his natural animal instinct. The person who kills an animal for food or for sport acts by volitional human reason driven by a fatal human will to dominate the ecosystem.

The cardinal principle of the Rio Declaration on Environment and Development is: **"Human beings are...entitled to a healthy and productive life in harmony with nature. Lives not in harmony with nature are lives unworthy of life. Healthy, fit people burden the carrying power of the earth and are eco-sustainable only with the restrained, intentionally limited technology of Sustainable**

Medicine. Sick people are not eco-sustainable. Human beings and their expensive, consuming, polluting civilization have a duty to die." [Excerpt from Part III, *Sustainable Medicine + Sustainable Development = Duty to Die* by the late Madeleine Pelner Cosman, Ph.D.]

The pale horse or green movement will bring death through population control:

- Abortion: the UN Secretariat released a report from the UN Human Rights Council calling on all nations to accept that women and girls must be granted access to legal abortion in order for them to fully enjoy their human rights.
- Socialized medicine: The unsustainable will be untreatable.
- Famine: Farmland lost to wildlife preserves through Agenda 21
- Wildlife: taking dominion through Agenda 21
- Soft Kill Operations: through promotion of radiating technologies such as "Smart meters" attached to every home, additives and preservatives in foods, radiating food supplies for longer shelf life etc., vaccines containing adjuvant and or squalene are known to destroy fertility as well as causing other forms of damage etc. Mother earth is god and requires the lives of her people as sacrifice in order to sustain her according to the United Nations.

We are living in exciting times: **Phil 2:12-15 Wherefore, my beloved, as ye have always obeyed, not as in my presence only, but now much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling. For it is God which worketh in you both to will and to do of his good pleasure. Do all things without murmurings and disputings: That ye may be blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without rebuke, in the midst of a crooked and perverse nation, among whom ye shine as lights in the world;**