MYSTERY BABYLON – Part Two

Today we are still covering more information on this topic. I have already established that I believe Mystery Babylon is Saudi Arabia based on scripture in my previous two messages. As I study into this place I have been seeing just how flowing with riches it really is. Such beautiful buildings and art work and seemingly no expense has been spared. Especially in Mecca and Medina. Today we will also talk about what a decadent place it is.



Riyadh La Misteriosa Capital de Arabia Saudí

I think it is important for us to understand what muslims believe. We have too many that are saying that islam is a religion of peace and that is not true. It is a religion of submission. Even to the muslims who say, well I don't practice that part. Why would you stay in connection with such horrible atrocities that are being done in the name of islam?



MEDINA – the city where Muhammed's tomb is



MASJID NABAWI

Mosque of the prophet Muhammed and 2nd holiest site in Islam. One of the world's largest mosque.



Masjid Haram – Mosque in Mecca

The mosque in Mecca is the holiest site of Islam and houses the kabba which their tradition teaches was built by Abraham and Ishmael. There is a black stone which their tradition teaches Abraham was told by an angel it had fallen from the sky and when it fell it was whiter than milk but because of the sins of Adams sons it became black when it reached earth. When the muslims do their hajj it is one of the largest gatherings of people in the world. It is estimated that over 3 million people visit this mosque each year. During this holy pilgrimage they run back-n-forth between two hills to relive what it must have felt like for Hagar to search for water for Ishmael. They also throw rocks at four walls imitating what they are taught Abraham did when the devil came and tempted him three times. All three *jamarāt* represent the devil: the first and largest represents his temptation of Abraham against sacrificing Ishmael (Ismāʿīl); the second represents the temptation of Abraham's wife Hājar to induce her to stop

him; the third represents his temptation of Ishmael to avoid being sacrificed. He (satan) was rebuked each time, and the throwing of the stones symbolizes those rebukes.

--- Wikipedia.com

V.3 – oil



V.4 – come out of her – most of Saudi's workforce is foreigners working on compounds. Isaiah 47:15 – Thus shall they be unto thee with whom thou has labored, even thy merchants, from thy youth: they shall wander every one to his quarter (own place); none shall save thee.

V. 7 – I sit a queen. Isaiah 47:10 – For thou has trusted in thy wickedness: thou has said, None seeth me. (Not New York, Not Rome) Thy wisdom and thy knowledge, it hath perverted thee; and thou has said in thine heart, I am, and none else beside me.

V.8 – smoke of her burning



Kuwait – Gulf War

When Saddam set fire to the oil wells in Kuwait, it took about 10 months to get them all out and finally cap the last well. No one could even get near the fires for a few months they had to burn out of control. Saddam urged the Kuwaitis to forgive the Iraqi debt accumulated in the war, some \$30 billion, but they refused. Saddam pushed oil-exporting countries to raise oil prices by cutting back production; Kuwait refused, however. In addition to refusing the request, Kuwait spearheaded the opposition in <u>OPEC</u> to the cuts that Saddam had requested. Kuwait was pumping large amounts of oil, and thus keeping prices low, when Iraq needed to sell high-priced oil from its wells to pay off a huge debt. ----Wikipedia

Isaiah 34:9-10 – And the streams thereof shall be turned into pitch, and the dust thereof into brimstone, and the land thereof shall become burning pitch. It shall not be quenched night nor day; the smoke thereof shall go up for ever: from generation to generation it shall lie waste; none shall pass through it for ever and ever. **this may not be exactly in Saudi as it speaks of Bozrah and Edom, they are close to Saudi, but the point is that it seems to be speaking of oil burning and the middle east region is loaded with oil.** Matches Rev. 14:11



V.11 – weep and mourn because their merchandise is not bought any longer



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Scarlet Flags



Keffiyeh or ghutrah: Traditional Arab headdress – scarlet.

Many carpets and rugs are in scarlet. Such as the ones in Muhammeds mosque.



Saudi officials seize half ton of ivory at Riyadh airport



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Movenpick hotel ivory shop, Saudi Arabia.



Oud, scented wood (precious wood)

As rare and precious as gold, Oud is as synonymous with Arab culture. It is a dark resinous wood known for its distinct fragrance and is found in the Aquilaria and Gyrinops trees commonly found in the Assam state of India. Burning incense in Arabic is called "Bukhour". Depending on the quality, the prices of oriental fragrances can reach up to SR (Saudi Arabia Riyals) 60,000 per kilo. Which is almost 16,000 U.S. dollars.

www.saudigazette.com.sa

Ramadan and weddings are some of the major times when there is an increase of using scents and oils.

V.13 - human slaves, human trafficking



The case of Aisha is often used by Saudi judges to justify child marriages.

www.alaribiya.net

Currently Saudi Arabia does not have a law setting a minimum age for marriage. Many times the little girls health is at risk. Some die, some die during childbirth and it is a continuing cycle of poverty and abuse. These are babies, what kind of grown man wants to marry a baby?

Slaves - Saudi Arabia is a destination country for men and women trafficked for the purposes of involuntary servitude and, to a lesser extent, commercial sexual exploitation. Men and women from Bangladesh, India, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Pakistan, the Philippines, Indonesia, Sudan, Ethiopia, and many other countries voluntarily travel to Saudi Arabia as domestic servants or other low-skilled laborers, but some subsequently face conditions indicative of involuntary servitude, including restrictions on movement, withholding of passports, threats, physical or sexual abuse, and non-payment of wages. Women, primarily from Asian and African countries are also believed to have been trafficked into Saudi Arabia for commercial sexual exploitation; others were reportedly kidnapped and forced into prostitution after running away from abusive employers.

Some Saudi men have also used legally contracted "temporary marriages" in countries such as Mauritania, Yemen, and Indonesia as a means by which to sexually exploit migrant workers. Females as young as seven years old are led to believe they are being wed in earnest, but upon arrival in Saudi Arabia subsequently become their husbands' sexual slaves, are forced into domestic labor and, in some cases, prostitution. The Government of Saudi Arabia does not fully comply with the minimum standards for the elimination of trafficking and is not making discernible efforts to do so. There is no evidence that the government criminally prosecutes or punishes trafficking offenders, particularly abusive employers and fraudulent recruiters involved in labor trafficking. Furthermore, it has not been observed that the government took law enforcement action against trafficking for commercial sexual exploitation in Saudi Arabia, or took any steps to provide victims of sex trafficking with protection.

- U.S. State Dept Trafficking in Persons Report, June, 2009 [full country report]

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The great mosque is there. They call Mecca a holy city.

V. 17-18 – ships afar off

Jer.49:21 – The earth is moved at the noise of their fall, at the cry the noise thereof was heard in the Red sea. (He was speaking of Edom and Teman here).

V. 19 – dust on their heads



Middle East custom of mourning, throwing sand/dust on one's head.

V. 24 – blood of prophets and saints

Muslims Capture Christians, Take Them To Slaughterhouses, Dissect Them While They Are Still Alive, Rip Their Organs Out, Kill Them, And Then Sell Their Organs To Turkey And Saudi Arabia

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They kill Christians, Jews, and they even kill other muslims. Some of them (Shiite Muslims) beat themselves to the point of bleeding during a Muharram procession marking Ashura which mourns the killing of the prophet Mohammad's grandson.



Boko Haram has been killing thousands of Christians in Nigeria.



Deera Square – known as "chop-chop square" Public beheadings take place here on Friday mornings.

Honor killings – this is what Grace (Jesus) came to stop.



Christians and anyone who is not a muslim is not allowed to enter Mecca.

Jer. 51:33 – For thus saith the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel; The daughter of Babylon is like a threshingfloor, it is time to thresh her: yet a little while, and the time of her harvest shall come. Original Babylon is in Iraq, and so her daughter seems to be Mystery Babylon and Saudi Arabia seems to fit that description the best.

DECEPTION:

1 Tim.4:1 Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils;

The Bible does not agree with the quran, in fact they say the exact opposite of each other. One is wrong and deceptive. Muslims believe that Muhammed was the prophet sent by God after Jesus. They believe that God needed to make some corrections to earlier holy books such as the Bible that had been written.

I appeal to you if you are a muslim and your religion is islam. Wouldn't we both agree that God is all knowing and all seeing and all powerful and all present. He WAS when there was nothing else. He is perfect and complete and does not make any mistakes. Why would God say I need correct or rewrite everything that has been spoken because it is not accurate? Why would God all of a sudden have all of this new revelation that He needed to reveal as if He forgot? Someone has been lied to. Why would the same God contradict Himself? You do not accept Jesus as God or the Son of God?



I challenge you to pray and ask Him to reveal Himself to you. Tell Him you need to know the truth, is allah true or is it You Jesus? If you are sincere, He will show you. He loves you. He

created you. He died for you. He bled and gave His life to redeem you from the hand of the devil. He was beaten and by His stripes He has provided for your healing. There is too much evidence that He really did these things for you to just deny it. Please seek Him and accept His sacrifice and apply His blood to your life. No other blood needs to be shed except for the precious blood of Jesus Christ which was shed for each one of us. Please call on Him. He will meet you right where you are at.