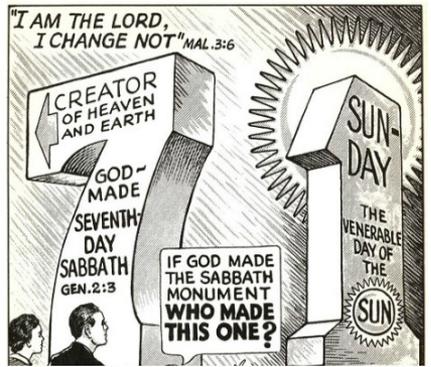




THE GREAT EARTHQUAKE, JESUS' 2ND COMING AND SABBATH BREAKING



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There has been an increase in great earthquakes globally over the last few months; earthquakes ranging from magnitude 5.9 to 7.8 in nations such as Japan, Ecuador, Myanmar, Vanuatu, Burma, India, Afghanistan, China and elsewhere. Scientists are therefore predicting "The Big One". However, the bible has long foretold these events as signs of Jesus' imminent 2nd Advent, the 7th last plague and the end of the world. It also tells us why destruction will come. Please study the following scriptures prayerfully with your Bible:

1. Jesus prophesied of **great earthquakes** in divers places as signs of his 2nd coming. Luke 21:11,25,36.
2. The Old Testament also prophesies of a **Great earthquake** that will destroy the earth. Psalm 46:1-3,8; Isaiah 24:19,20
3. Jesus gave revelations to John about this **Great earthquake**, which will destroy the whole earth under **the 7th last plague of God's wrath**. Revelation 15:1,5-8, Revelation 11:19, Revelation 16:17-20
4. God's wrath poured out in the 7 last plagues with the last plague including this great earthquake, is also called the day or year of His wrath. Isaiah 13:9,13, Isaiah 34:8, Isaiah 63:4

Why God will pour out his wrath in a great earthquake that destroys the entire earth.

1. We are told that God will **punish** the proud, the wicked, the inhabitants, the world for their **iniquity and evil**. Isaiah 24:21, Isaiah 26:21, Isaiah 13:11
2. **Iniquity and Evil** are concepts which take in sin which

is transgression of God's law. 1 John 3:4

3. **Iniquity and Evil** are also specifically used to identify **idolatry** associated with the **polluting of YHWH's Sabbath Day**. Take a close look at the following points:
 - a. **Iniquity** separates man from God– Isaiah 59:1-2
 - b. This is **idols in the heart/mind** of man **separating him from God**. Ezekiel 14: 4-5,7, Isaiah 44:10
 - c. Whenever the children of Israel went after idols, separating themselves from the one God YHWH, they **polluted His Sabbath Day**. Ezekiel 20:16,24
 - d. **Evil** is also seen as **polluting the Sabbath day**, because to not pollute the Sabbath is to keep one's hand from doing any evil. Isaiah 56:2.
 - e. **Evil** is also **not delighting in YHWH** which is the same as **breaking the Sabbath**, not calling it a delight. Isaiah 5:12, Isaiah 58:13-14

Finally, God emphatically states that the earth is defiled by the inhabitants thereof because they have broken THE EVERLASTING COVENANT, which is the seventh-day Sabbath commandment. Therefore He will destroy them and the earth.

Isaiah 24:5-6- ***"The earth also is defiled under the inhabitants thereof; because they have transgressed the laws, changed the ordinance, broken the everlasting covenant.***

⁶Therefore hath the curse devoured the earth, and they that dwell therein are desolate: therefore the

inhabitants of the earth are burned, and few men left." (Emphasis supplied)

1. To break the everlasting covenant is failure to keep the seventh-day Sabbath commandment and this is the same as breaking all God's commandments. Exodus 31:13,16-17, Exodus 16:22-28, James 2:8-12
2. To defile the earth is to defile oneself with idols, failing to hallow YHWH's Sabbath day. Ezekiel 20:18-20
3. This is the same as accepting the Mark of the Beast or international Sunday law, for which God's wrath is poured out. Revelation 14: 9-11

Therefore, **breaking the seventh day Sabbath and therefore breaking all God's commandments**, because of having idols in the heart is the **iniquity** for which God will destroy the wicked and this earth, even with **the great earthquake** of the 7th plague. The great earthquakes occurring these days are foreshadows of this event and signs of Jesus' second coming.

In order to be ready and to escape the destruction, you must **repent of your idols** and let God **convert** you, **forgive you or cleanse your hearts**, which is to **change or justify you**, causing you to live **sinfree** in **obedience to all his commandments, including the 7th day Sabbath**. Acts 3:19, Ezekiel 14:6, Ezekiel 36:25-27, 1 John 1:9, 1 Corinthians 6:9-11, Romans 3:30,31, Exodus 20:8-11. May God bless you.



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