



THE UNSEEN WAR

WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT?

Another year is history. 2020 was a year we won't soon forget. Sadly, the trials of 2020 are lingering with us. 2021 will see more of the same. These are pivotal days of testing. God is shaking the land (Heb. 12:26). Hopefully the ordeal is shaking people awake to see what they have brought upon themselves by putting their faith in man's system.

The people are being made to face some uncomfortable facts. They are learning that the enemy is among us and has been for a long time. It's not another country, or even COVID. No, our real adversaries are inside the gate. They don't threaten us with bullets and bombs. Their weapons of war go unseen. They are thoughts - ideas.

They are like thieves in the night. Our enemies have been waging war from the shadows. They've been attacking our minds, biding their time while their ideas have their affect. But sadly people are not paying attention. Americans, and most of the world, have passively tolerated their enemies, befriending them while they planned war.

24. *Another parable He put before them, saying, The Kingdom of Heaven is likened to a man who sows good seed in his field:*
25. *But while men sleep, his enemy comes and sows tares among the wheat, and goes his way.*
26. *But when the plants sprout, and bring forth fruit, then appear also the tares.*
27. *So the servants of the householder came and said to him, Sir, did not you sow good seed in your field? How then has it tares?*
28. *He said to them, An enemy has done this.*

Matthew 13:24-27

In this parable Jesus was explaining how enemies can blend in and be unnoticed among us. But He tells us how to keep from being deceived. We need to test their ideas; motives; their spirit.

1. *Beloved, believe not every spirit, but test the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets (teachers) are gone out into the world.*

1 John 4:1

So how do we do that? The spirit of a man motivates him according to his thoughts. Remember, this is about ideas. Jesus was speaking to farmers and fishermen. Farmers or gardeners can relate to the parable of weeds invading a field. He also referred to a net that collected fish of all kinds. The field and net both represent the mind of men. The weeds and fish represent ideas. He also spoke of leaven that can grow from a small start to affect the whole measure of flour. These have in one thing common - the mind. A man's life is defined by his thoughts.

THE DISPUTED VENUE OF THE MIND

People typically consider thought to be merely ancillary or dependant upon physical experiences. But the truth is the opposite. All things, real and imaginary, are perceived by the mind, and the mind gives a man his view of reality - how he perceives the world around him.

You see, reality is one thing. But a man's perception of reality determines what he believes. It depends upon his mind. To most people reality is the physical world.

But thoughts are powerful, and your enemies know this. Whoever influences your thoughts influences your world as you perceive it. Rulers rule, not by the physical realm, but by our thoughts. The battlefield is the mind. And the mind instructs the heart.

Once minds have been conquered, the war is over. The people are in subjection. The real war is fought in the mind

and the prize is your heart. Once you are convinced that you can trust the enemy, and that you need him, he owns you. The war is over. You are captured.

Think carefully about this. Your reality is a product of your perception. I'm not referring to actual reality. I'm talking about your perception of reality. This is the mechanism by which wars are created or ended. It is all in the realm of the mind. Pandemics, also, are produced in the mind.

Perception is more powerful than reality. If you think you are a slave, then you are a slave. The strongest prison is in the mind. A man whose thoughts are captured is a prisoner. Thoughts are stronger than chains or steel bars.

"None are more hopelessly enslaved than those who falsely believe they are free."

Johann Wolfgang Von Goethe

Telling someone he is free is the best way to enslave him. The mind is the real battleground. A man whose mind is captured lives by the mental image that is given to him. That's why wars and oppression are always preceded by propaganda - to prepare minds to accept lies.

The prepared mind pulls the levers of the heart, and the heart governs the spirit of a man. This cannot be overemphasized. The thoughts of our minds shape our worlds. Whoever owns your mind owns you.

God instructs us to guard our hearts and minds. He knows that's where the battle is. Our minds belong to Him. We are its stewards, but He is the Owner. If you give your mind to the Beast System you are stealing from its rightful Owner. We are warned to not follow other gods. To not put our faith in liars and thieves (false gods).

I blame the churches for corrupting the teachings of the Bible and thus enabling the State to capture men's minds.

Men are compelled to go to war, abandon family, and even give up their lives in obedience to whoever owns their minds. The "COVID pandemic" exists only in people's minds. This is politics and religion. And this is why God warns us sternly about the dangers of bad ideas from evil leaders (idolatry). They plant false ideas in our minds.

Jesus taught about this.

13. ... *Every plant (thought), which my heavenly Father has not planted, shall be rooted up.*

14. *Reject them: they are guides of the blind. But if the blind lead the blind both shall fall into a pit.*

18. *But those things (thoughts/sayings) which proceed out of the mouth come forth from the heart; and they (the thoughts) defile the man.*

19. *For out of the heart proceed evil thoughts: of murders, adulteries, fornications, thefts, false witness, blasphemies:*

Matthew 15:13-14

In Christ's parables, his examples (the field, the fishing net, the measure of flour, etc.) represent the mind. Men's minds get ideas - good and bad. Minds can get overrun by

weeds (bad thoughts planted by bad men). As stewards of our minds we must remember that our minds belong to Christ. Our sanity - our lives - depend upon us keeping that field free from weeds. Christ purchased our minds and hearts, and He Reigns there - unless we reject Him. This is holy venue and we are stewards of God's "house."

Like the farmer who must carefully protect his field from the weeds that try to invade; also the fisherman who must sort the bad fish from his net, etc., we must make judgment about the thoughts planted in our minds.

Enemies always try to plant weeds (bad ideas) in the field of our minds. If a man is careless about weeds in his mind it can render his mind unsuitable for Christ to reign there. The wheat, tares, fish, and leaven represent the thoughts in our minds. And those must be intelligently diagnosed.

Thoughts are powerful, and those who plant ideas in your mind should be judged so you know who you can trust, and who you can't. Whoever consistently plants bad ideas should be labeled untrustworthy.

The tares represent bad thoughts planted by enemies. Bad thoughts, like bad fish, corrupt our minds. Bad ideas - like leaven - can grow and infect the mind. Ideas are powerful - for good or evil. Right judging of ideas is all important. After years of neglect a mind can be deceived to believe in false enemies, fake pandemics, and deadly vaccines promoted by bad leaders.

This struggle is played out in our minds. The battlefield of the mind is "the war in heaven" of Revelation 12. It is a war waged to decide who will own our minds.

Jesus explains that the tares and bad fish (the bad ideas) will be revealed, and it is our job to be skilled in judging this. God's light will shine on them so they will stand out and be seen. Then we can sort them.

Truth makes us free. But to know truth we must learn how to sort out the error and lies. God will bless your mind so you can perceive truth if you truly want to know. But He does not cast pearls before swine. He can tell if you are sincere; if you really care what grows in your garden.

A DAY OF JUDGMENT

When light is shined on our hearts and minds this is called "a day of judgment." We are judged by how we respond to what He shows us. The light of truth brings judgment and clarification. The enemies who plant the weeds get exposed. It is the work of God's law of freedom.

Wickedness cannot survive in the light of God's law. To survive, wickedness needs cover: shadows. The weakness of these enemies is that they cannot sustain themselves. Like parasites, they are sustained by their hosts. They need hosts to feed upon. They cannot survive on their own. If we support them we are guilty as they are.

Parasites openly wage war upon their hosts. It is their nature. But parasites eventually expose themselves by damaging or killing their host. Their greed betrays them. When the wicked brazenly step out of the shadows and expose themselves we can identify them and sort them out. But for this to work people must stop protecting them from

God's judgment. We must stop worshiping systems of men. When our faith is in men's systems it renders us blind and we are unable to sort the good from the bad.

Americans have been foolish. They've failed to sort the weeds from their minds. Our people have deceived themselves by thinking it was safe and charitable to trust God's enemies. They chose to trust liars, thieves, and murderers instead of God.

That was a mistake - or worse, it was idolatry. It was stupidity. And America is suffering because of it. But God also has his remnant who love Him and trust Him. So He corrects those who are open to his correction.

6. *For whom the Lord loves he chastens, and scourges every son whom he receives.*

7. *If you endure chastening, God deals with you as with sons; for what son is he whom the father chastises not?*

Hebrews 12:6-7

GOD IS REVEALING THE ENEMY

The war we are in is one-sided. Only one side knows the war exists. The other side is ignorant and helpless before them. Ezekiel prophesied that God would expose the enemy by putting hooks in their jaws and He would bring them against us - to shake us awake.

11. *And you will say (think), I will go up to the land of unwallied villages; I will go to them that are at rest, that dwell safely, all of them dwelling without walls, and having neither bars nor gates,*

12. *To take a spoil, and to take a prey; to turn your hand upon the desolate places that are now inhabited, and upon the people that are gathered out of the nations, which have gotten cattle and goods, that dwell in the midst of the land.*

Ezekiel 38:11-12

Our people have lived and prospered in this land, but our enemies have been lurking in the shadows living off us, scheming and preparing weapons of war (psychological weapons) against us. Meanwhile we "grew fat and kicked" - we became lazy, foolish, and complacent.

15. *But Jeshurun grew fat, and kicked he grew fat, he grew thick, he was satiated; (spoiled and foolish), then he forsook God who made him, and forsook the Rock of his salvation.*

Deuteronomy 32:15

Americans became foolish and insolent. The people became easy prey when they started trusting and admiring the Beast System. For centuries now the enemy incrementally enacted plans to flood our minds with lies. To conquer us they first turned us to idolatry and pride. Today the patriots take pride in being fools and slaves.

It was not the first time our people denied their Rock of

salvation. Read Genesis 3 where God told Adam, "You can learn (eat) from every source (tree) except the bad source (bad tree) of man's law (knowledge of good and evil). In the day you trust the bad source, and reject Me, you will die." As long as Adam didn't look to another tree (another source), all was well.

But Adam heard a different idea. He was told "You will not die! God just doesn't want you to know that you can make your own law. In making law you will become a god, equal to Him." "You will be as gods knowing good and evil."

Someone was playing with Adam's mind. He saw that the power to make law made him "wise" (godlike) and he fell for the lie. He died (lost his faith) that very day. He rejected God's law and protection.

Things didn't go well for Adam and his descendants after abandoning God. As they mixed and married with outsiders and religions (rulers and powerful families of the lands) some of the "fallen" (rulers who ruled by the low nature of men) took the daughters of Adam and had children who inherited high status in those systems (Genesis 6:1-4). And their minds and hearts were corrupted as they learned the ways of man's Beast System. They were continually thinking on wickedness. They loved, trusted, and put their faith in it.

Their hearts were invested into the systems of false gods (lawmakers). Their sins caught up with them and God's law worked judgment. Their system was swept away. Noah was an exception. He had faith in God.

5. *And Yahweh saw that the wickedness of Adam was great in the land, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually.*

8. *But Noah found grace in the eyes of Yahweh.*

Genesis 6:5&8

Years later, God sent Moses to establish a covenant (relationship) with the Children of Israel. God freed them from their adulterous Egyptian connections in which they had been living with alternate gods. Yahweh turned Israel into a nation under his protection. He proposed marriage (to become their Husband), and they accepted (Ex. 24:7).

All went well for the Children of Israel until the day they opted to abandon God and seek other gods:

4. *Then all the elders of Israel gathered themselves together, and came to Samuel at Ramah,*

5. *And said to him, ... now make us a king (a god) to judge us like all the nations.*

6. *But the thing displeased Samuel, when they said, Give us a king to judge us. And Samuel prayed to Yahweh.*

7. *And Yahweh said to Samuel, Harken to the voice of the people in all that they say to you: for they have not rejected you, but they have rejected Me, that I should not reign over them.*

1 Samuel 8:4-7

SECOND VERSE, SAME AS THE FIRST

The Children of Israel, fresh out of Egypt, had to deal with the same lusts that Adam faced. They had not been captured, imprisoned, or brutalized in Egypt. Rather, Egypt invited them in - then corrupted and captured their minds. 430 years of living in foreign idolatry, including a couple centuries in Egypt with their gods, had rewired their minds. They were, in essence, Egyptians. Moses could not reach them.

God delivered them through Moses. But their minds remained captive. That generation died in the wilderness and couldn't enter Canaan. The next generation grew up without Egyptian minds. They followed Joshua into Canaan.

WHAT ABOUT TODAY?

The American captivity reflects the idolatry of the Children of Israel in Moses' day. We are in a similar situation. We are not imprisoned or enslaved by force of guns and bombs. It's not that kind of war. Rather, the war conquering America is a war upon our minds - our beliefs. Truth is the first casualty of war.

The Beast System has rewired our brains. It has convinced Americans that it is their friend - that it protects them. And the people have believed it and trusted it.

1. *Woe to them that go down to Egypt for help; and rely on horses, and trust in chariots, because they are many; and in horsemen, because they are very strong; but they look not to the Holy One of Israel, neither seek Yahweh!*

Isaiah 31:1

Lately we see something happening that could possibly change things. The Beast System is revealing its ugly face. National and state government, and the medical industry, came out of their closet. They had previously been more subtle. But now we see its big club bludgeoning the public. And the public is complicit, accepting the beatings - lying to themselves that it is for their own good. That is sobering to us. Our enemies shut down the nation, and the world, in only a week with their fake pandemic. Their scheme worked because the people's minds had been crippled by Babylonian training. Their minds are broken. People are being conquered without physical war.

The brain-crippled public still looks to the Beast System for help, thinking that life will return to "normal" soon. But what is their "normal"?

Actually, what we are witnessing today could be a day of judgment - drawing the enemies out of the shadows..

27. *So the servants came to the master of the house and said to him, Sir, did you not sow good seed in your field? from where then has it tares?*

28. *He said to them, An enemy has done this. The servants said to him, Will you then that we should go and gather them up?*

29. *But he said, No; lest while you gather up the tares, you might uproot also the wheat with them.*

30. *Let both grow together until the harvest: and in the time of harvest I will say to the reapers, Gather you together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them: but gather the wheat into my barn.*

Matthew 13: 27-30

Tares are weeds (the ones referred to in Matthew were probably darnels). In the early stage darnels can pass for wheat. This is like ideas. To the immature mind bad ideas can pass for good ideas. But when the bad ideas (weeds) mature they reveal themselves like the darnels. They stand out from the good ideas (wheat) and are easily separated.

America has been overgrown with tares/darnels. The weeds have flourished and blended in with the wheat. But now they are ripening - revealing themselves. Their ungodly ways have become obvious. Jesus says they should be bound and burned (i.e., judged and removed from us).

YOU ARE WHAT YOU THINK

What does that mean? How can my thoughts define me? Am I the product of my mind? If so, how does it work?

If a man thinks like a Babylonian he has a Babylonian mind. That makes him a Babylonian. If he thinks like a Jew, he is a Jew regardless of his race. If a man hates Christ in his heart, he is an anti-Christ regardless of his nationality. If a man thinks like a child, he is a child. If a man's mind/heart is given to Christ, he has a Christian mind. He is a Christian.

A man with a criminal mind is a criminal. An idolator has an idolator's mind. A teacher has an instructor's mind. A slave has a slave's mind. A freeman has a freeman's mind and he is free whether or not he is in jail.

7. *... Yahweh sees not as man sees; for man looks on the outward appearance, but Yahweh looks on the heart."*

1 Samuel 16:7

6. *Therefore being ever confident, realizing that, while we are at home (comfortable) in the body (the body politic), we are absent from the Lord (his Kingship):*

7. *For we are walking by faith, not by sight:*

11. *Knowing therefore the fear of the Lord, we persuade men; but we are made manifest to God; and I trust also are made manifest in your minds.*

2 Corinthians 5:6-11

3. *Put not your trust in princes, in a son of man, in whom there is no salvation.*

Psalms 146:3

You are Christ's. Trust Him. Not men. Not men's systems. The light of truth is shining on us to purge the idolatry.

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