

The Covenant Nations

The significance of *The Elijah Message* is that it was to be proclaimed *before* the coming of the great and dreadful day of the Lord. The year 2020 is 180 years from 1840 when this message began as a witness and warning to the covenant nations.

It was 100 years from 1840 to 1940 and the Battle of Britain, the 80th anniversary of which was marked in September. During that eventful century of witness came the increase in understanding of what the prophetic Gospel of the Kingdom revealed about coming things. This opening of the eyes from the blindness of Israel continued to expand until the general falling away beginning in the 1960s and described precisely in I *Timothy* 4:1.

In the decades of the British Empire there had been increasing awareness of the significance of the Age-end *Elijah Message*. The first half of the 20th century saw the Great War in Europe of 1914-1918 followed by the financial tribulation from 1929. The 1930s foreshadowed the rise of the dictatorships in Rome and Berlin. Israel in the Appointed Isles together with North America experienced the second phase of European conflict from 1939-1945 which spread to global dimensions in the Far East.

This *military destruction* in Europe of Germany and Italy is defined in the Apocalypse as the 'Armageddon' judgment on *prophetic* Babylon in the European 'earth' (*Revelation* 16:13-16 & 18:1-24). Since 1970 the "three unclean spirits" have continued to increase their attack on the integrity of the covenant nations in the 'whole' West through the *politico-economic* creation of the pagan European Union.

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Their operations intensified in 2001 in the *religious* cult of Islamic terrorism, added to now in 2020 through racial conflict in the USA, power-driven among the covenant nations by the unclean spirit force of Marxist socialism. The “*distress of nations, with perplexity*” (Luke 21:25) is now reaching its peak as millions of Africans and Middle Eastern peoples seek to enter the European Union and Britain to escape the chaos and conflict of their own lands.

The Midnight Cry (Matthew 25:1-15) is now in our hearing. There is a *vast* state of unpreparedness in Christendom. The foolish *and the wise* virgins are **all** asleep. In our Special Publication, **In the Spirit and Power of Elijah**, you will read that while the Gospel of personal salvation has gone into every city, town and hamlet throughout the length and breadth of the Israel lands, the Kingdom Evangel, climaxing in the Elijah proclamation, has had no such extensive coverage in recent decades; *nor will it as very few now know or believe it.*

Time is fast running out and the door is shutting for our detractors. Our pastors and biblical teachers will have much to answer for at the time of judgment when the door to the wedding supper on Christ’s return becomes shut to them. In 2020, during the lockdown, church doors have been shut – *has it been a warning to all that the door is indeed fast closing?*

The lamps that the virgins carry have huge significance for the British Israel believer. The oil is *the oil of understanding* of the Kingdom truth, by revelation of the Holy Spirit, rather than purchased. The desperate demand coming from all Christian virgins who are not ready in the coming time ahead is, “*Give us of your oil, for our lamps are gone out.*”

The remnant among the covenant nations, having been discouraged for decades by the tidal wave of rejection and much apathy to the truth of the *Elijah Message*, must be prepared for the coming flood of many that will come to them in desperation. *Let our light shine.*

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