

WARNING !!!

“PROPHETS THAT ARE VISIONING UNTRUTH AND THAT ARE DIVINING A LIE”

(Ezek. 13:9, New World Translation-1984 Revision)

“Pastor Russell,” as he was called, began publishing “Zion’s Watch Tower” in 1879. Those who followed him also became known as “Millennial Dawnists” or just plain “Russellites.” Another organization started was called the “International Bible Students Association.” Charles Taze Russell preached for some 40 years through public ministry, books and newspaper articles. He predicted in his ministry, in no uncertain terms that 1914 would mark “The end of the Gentile nations.” He said, “We consider it an established truth that the final end of the kingdoms of this world and the full establishment of the Kingdom of God will be accomplished by the end of A.D. 1914” (Studies In The Scriptures, Series II, *The Time Is At Hand*, pages 76-78 & 170). Russell’s prophecy failed and he died in 1916. Instead of the nations getting weaker and ending, they got stronger. The First World War marked the emergence of gigantic national powers such as the Soviet Union and the United States.

“Judge” Rutherford became the successor to Russell. He ignored (and camouflaged) Russell’s prophetic lies and made some new ones himself. He popularized the slogan, which has been used repeatedly ever since, that “Millions Now Living Will Never Die.” In his book by that title (1920) he, “reached the positive and indisputable conclusion,” declaring, “that 1925 shall mark the resurrection of the faithful worthies of old (Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, David and many others) and the beginning of the reconstruction” (page 97). He further elaborated, “Thus, when restoration begins, a man of seventy years of age will gradually be restored to a condition of physical health and mental balance...And by the gradual process of restoration he will be lifted up by the great Mediator and restored to the days of his youth and live on earth for ever and never see death” (page 100). His prophecies failed. In 1942 Rutherford died. Concerning “lying prophets” see Deut. 18:20-22 & Ezek. 13:1-9.

Why “Millions Now Living” Are Dead !!

Other members of the Watch Tower Society who unblushingly carry on that slogan, no doubt, never dreamed that the only ones who could possibly “Never Die” are simply those who obey the Bible command to “Believe on the Lord Jesus and you will be saved” (Acts 16:31). This is because Christ, Himself, said, “everyone that is living and exercises faith in Me will Never Die at all” (John 11:26). And so we come to the “positive and indisputable conclusion” that down through the centuries all who have placed their faith in Jesus Christ as their Savior “Have Never Died At All.” They are still with Christ in glory! The members of the Watch Tower Society who do not believe that gospel “Are Dead,” and will remain Dead unless they change their faith.

“Jesus” is the name given to the Son of God at His birth. This name was possessed by others who commemorated the meaning of it—Jehovah is Salvation. The

Son of God, however, received this name by a command from heaven, "You must call His name Jesus for He will Save His people from their sins" (Matt. 1:21). In other words, JE (Jehovah) is who He is, and SUS (Is Salvation) is what He does! Christ, Himself, said, "Therefore I said to you, you will die in your sins. For if you do not believe that I AM, you will die in your sins" (John 8:24, Emphatic Diaglott & Kingdom Interlinear translation).

False "JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES" testify that JESUS IS GOD !!

From Isaiah the 43rd chapter this Society plucks a verse whereby they claim to receive a Biblical name for themselves. "You are my witnesses, says Jehovah." (Isa. 43:10). With *serpentine* delight they jerk the passage out of context and say, "We are 'Jehovah's Witnesses,' don't you understand?" But, when one looks closely at the passage he also sees the "HEEL" that "crushes the *serpent's head*" (Gen. 3:15). Isaiah goes on to say "I—I am Jehovah, and beside me there is no SAVIOR" (verse 11). Now even the smallest child knows the answer to the question—"Who is the Savior?" Why, JESUS CHRIST, of course!!

As we said above, the very name of JESUS means that He IS the Savior! In addition, Jesus Christ is repeatedly called "the Savior" (Luke 2:11; John 4:22; Acts 5:31; Philip. 3:20; II Tim. 1:10; Titus 1:4; 2:13; 3:6, etc.). The Scriptures also assert that Jesus Christ is the ONLY Savior. The apostle Peter spoke "in the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene" and said, "Furthermore, there is no salvation in anyone else, for there is not another name under heaven that has been given among men by which we must get saved" (Acts 4:10).

All this adds up to the fact that the One speaking in Isaiah 43 is none other than "The Word," Jesus Christ, Himself. In addition, as further proof as to Whom the early apostles were really witnesses of we have the Savior's commission to them, "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit arrives upon you, and you will be WITNESSES OF ME both in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria and to the most distant part of the earth" (Acts 1:8). Consequently, it is with spiritual delight that we point out the inescapable fact that actually the so-called "Jehovah's Witnesses," in spite of their own denial of the deity of Christ, they are in reality borrowing their name from a passage that proves the deity of Jesus Christ. Isaiah goes on to say, "Therefore you are My WITNESSES, says JEHOVAH, that I AM GOD" (Isa. 43:12).

This is precisely why it is when Jehovah Savior came to earth and was born of the virgin Mary, He was gloriously called "IMMANUEL" —which means "With US Is GOD" (Matt. 1:23).

True Life Only Comes From Faith In Jesus Christ !

Not only are the false prophets, "Pastor" Russell and "Judge" Rutherford disqualified from the ranks of those who will "never die," but so it is that all who continue to believe their lies about the identity of JESUS (that He was merely a "perfect man, no more, no less") and the nature of man himself (merely animated physical body) and Death (merely cessation of being), can never possibly have "Everlasting life." For the Bible says, "He that has the Son has this life; he that does not have the Son of God does not have this life" (I John 5:12). Eternal Life only comes from the Son of God Who

said, "And every one that is Living and exercising Faith in Me (Jesus Christ) will Never Die—do you believe this???" (John 11:25,26). As Peter said, "There is no salvation in anyone else!"

This paper is given to you by those believers in the Lord Jesus Christ! That glorious Savior ordered us, through the apostle Paul, "And whatsoever it is that you do in word or in work, do everything in the NAME of the LORD JESUS, thanking God the Father through Him" (Col. 3:17). Since it is a fact that the "Watch Tower Bible And Tract Society," also known as "Jehovah's Witnesses," refuses to obey this command, they are better understood as "FALSE WITNESSES" (I Cor. 15:15), who deny the actual bodily resurrection of Christ and are propagators of a "Perverted Gospel" (Gal. 1:7), teaching a system of good works as absolutely necessary along with their faith(lessness).

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