

## “SPIRITUAL WARFARE: THE WORLD, part 2”

### I. The World System Is Designed to *ALTER* the Primary Purpose of God’s Institutions.

- God’s Institution of Marriage
  - God’s Primary Purpose – To mature a godly heritage for *Generations*.

Genesis 2:24 – *Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and be joined to his wife, and they shall become one flesh.*

Malachi 2:15 – *But did He not make them one, having a remnant of the Spirit? And why one? He seeks godly offspring. Therefore take heed to your spirit, and let none deal treacherously with the wife of his youth.*

Deuteronomy 4:9 – *Only **take heed to yourself**, and **diligently keep yourself**, lest you forget the things your eyes have seen, and lest they **depart from your heart** all the days of your life. And teach them to your children and your grandchildren.*

Psalms 78:5-7 – <sup>5</sup>*For He established a testimony in Jacob, and appointed a law in Israel, which He commanded our fathers, that they should make them known to **THEIR** children; <sup>6</sup>that **the generation to come** might know them, the children who would be born, that they may arise and declare them to **THEIR** children, <sup>7</sup>that they may set their hope in God, and not forget the works of God, but keep His commandments.*

Judges 2:10 – *When all that generation had been gathered to their fathers, another generation arose after them who did not know the LORD nor the work which He had done for Israel.*

- Satan’s Plan to Alter Marriage and Family
  - Eliminate the *Next Generation*: Have **NO** children; planned parenthood.
  - Alter the *Values Transfer*: Have someone else **RAISE** your children.
  - Reshape the *Thinking Patterns*: Have someone else **EDUCATE** your children

- Redefine Marriage: *EXPAND* it to include *Non-Children* producing same-sex couples

**Romans 1:26-27 – <sup>26</sup>For this reason “God gave them up” to vile passions. For even their women exchanged the natural use for what is against nature. <sup>27</sup>Likewise also the men, leaving the natural use of the woman, burned in their lust for one another, men with men committing what is shameful, and receiving in themselves the penalty of their error which was due.**

- God’s Institution of Government
  - God’s Primary Purpose – To punish the practice of evil and praise the practice of good

**Romans 13:3-4 – <sup>3</sup>For rulers are not a terror to good works, but to evil. Do you want to be unafraid of the authority? Do what is good, and you will have praise from the same. <sup>4</sup>For he is God’s minister to you for good. But if you do evil, be afraid; for he does not bear the sword in vain; for he is God’s minister, an avenger to execute wrath on him who practices evil.**

**1 Peter 2:13-14 – <sup>13</sup>Therefore submit yourselves to every ordinance of man for the Lord’s sake, whether to the king as supreme, <sup>14</sup>or to governors, as to those who are sent by him for the punishment of evildoers and for the praise of those who do good.**

- Satan’s Repurposing – To serve his leaders and limit God’s people

**1 Samuel 8:10-20 – <sup>10</sup>So Samuel told all the words of the LORD to the people who asked him for a king. <sup>11</sup>And he said, “This will be the behavior of the king who will reign over you: he will take your sons and appoint them for his own chariots and to be his horsemen, and some will run before his chariots. <sup>12</sup>He will appoint captains over his thousands and captains over his fifties, will set some to plow his ground and reap his harvest, and some to make his weapons of war and equipment for his chariots. <sup>13</sup>He will take your daughters to be perfumers, cooks, and bakers. <sup>14</sup>And he will take the best of your fields, your vineyards, and your olive groves, and give them to his servants. <sup>15</sup>He will take a tenth of your grain and your vintage, and give it to his officers and servants. <sup>16</sup>And he will take your male servants, your female servants,**

*your finest young men, and your donkeys, and put them to his work. <sup>17</sup>He will take a tenth of your sheep. And you will be his servants. <sup>18</sup>And you will cry out in that day because of your king whom you have chosen for yourselves, and the LORD will not hear you in that day.” <sup>19</sup>Nevertheless the people refused to obey the voice of Samuel; and they said, “No, but we will have a king over us, <sup>20</sup>that we also may be like all the nations, and that our king may judge us and go out before us and fight our battles.”*

- **God’s Institution of Church**

- **God’s Primary Purpose – to establish the church as the seat of governance and truth for the Kingdom of God on earth**

**Matthew 16:18-19 – *<sup>18</sup>“And I also say to you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build My church, and the gates of Hades shall not prevail against it. <sup>19</sup>And I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.”***

- **Satan’s Repurposing of the Church – a social club and place of fables**

**2 Timothy 4:3-4 – *<sup>3</sup>For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine, but according to their own desires, because they have itching ears, they will heap up for themselves teachers; <sup>4</sup>and they will turn their ears away from the truth, and be turned aside to fables.***

**2 Timothy 3:1–5 – *<sup>1</sup>But know this, that in the last days perilous times will come: <sup>2</sup>For men will be lovers of themselves, lovers of money, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, <sup>3</sup>unloving, unforgiving, slanderers, without self-control, brutal, despisers of good, <sup>4</sup>traitors, headstrong, haughty, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, <sup>5</sup>HAVING A FORM OF GODLINESS but denying its POWER. And from such people turn away!***

## **II. The World Systems Are Designed to REUNIFY the Nations of the World.**

- **Globalism**

**Genesis 11:5-8 – <sup>5</sup>But the LORD came down to see the city and the tower which the sons of men had built. <sup>6</sup>And the LORD said, “Indeed the people are one and they all have one language, and this is what they begin to do; now nothing that they propose to do will be withheld from them. <sup>7</sup>Come, let Us go down and there confuse their language, that they may not understand one another’s speech.” <sup>8</sup>So the LORD scattered them abroad from there over the face of all the earth, and they ceased building the city.**

### **III. The World Systems Are Designed to Dethrone God and Enthroned Money as Your Master.**

**Matthew 6:24 – “No one can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or else he will be loyal to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon.”**

**Luke 4:5-6 – <sup>5</sup>Then the devil, taking Him up on a high mountain, showed Him all the kingdoms of the world in a moment of time. <sup>6</sup>And the devil said to Him, “All this authority I will give You, AND THEIR GLORY; for this has been delivered to me, and I give it to whomever I wish.”**

**Deuteronomy 8:18 – “And you shall remember the LORD your God, for it is He who gives you power to get wealth, that He may establish His covenant which He swore to your fathers, as it is this day.”**