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## Imagine: When the World Will be One

By Jan Markell

John Lennon, who dreamed that the world would be as one, would be proud of Gary Kah. Kah has monitored and reported on the impending global government for 25 years.

In early August on my radio program, Gary Kah stated, "The year 2016 will go down in history as the watershed moment for globalists in their pursuit of a new world order. Britain's surprise decision to pull out of the European Union has shaken up the trending status quo of European unity in a 'royal fashion.' It appears none of the global elites saw this coming, or if they did, they viewed it only as a remote possibility.

"This definitely messes up their plans. In spite of their heavy-handed political tactics to convince the UK to remain in the EU, the people of Britain have spoken. They are tired of European globalist bureaucrats dictating their every move. They want their sovereignty back!"

Kah concludes, "The question now becomes, how will the one-world elites respond? I believe they will likely do everything in their power—overtly and covertly—to punish and make an example of Britain lest any other European nation follow England's lead. Globalists will not allow England's move towards sovereignty to unravel their one-world plans."

### THE CONSUMMATE GLOBALIST

The Bible does not use the phrase "one-world government" or "one-world currency" in referring to the end times. It does, however, provide ample evidence to enable us to draw the conclusion that both will exist under the rule of the Antichrist. *This "Mr. Fix-It" will be the ultimate globalist.* He will tap into some kind of a global crisis and bring order out of chaos.

He won't let any crisis go to waste. Do we

have some options? How about ISIS, terror attacks, economic meltdowns, plagues, wars, and political corruption? The Antichrist will promise to fix them all and will have some limited success. He will seem like a brilliant tactician; however, his reign will be short—just seven years.

### CAPITALISM, SOCIALISM, OR MARXISM?

Is this globalist effort fact or fantasy? Is it just wild conspiratorial rhetoric? The ultimate globalist, who is also called "the Beast," will have authority over every tribe, every people, every language, and nation (Revelation 13:7).

Will he be a capitalist, a socialist, or a Marxist? Since he will be a total dictator and will likely install everything at the barrel of a gun, he will probably be a Marxist.

Since it's hard to imagine how today's diverse systems of government will willingly subjugate themselves to a single ruler, the chaos previously referred to will probably be intolerable.

Fake problems like global warming/climate change will be hyped. There will be no way the planet can survive such a disaster unless this "Mr. Fix-It" promises to do just that—fix it! *He will have a solution for the ISIS crisis, too.* He will tame radical Islam.

But the world will easily surrender to the idea of no borders, a single currency, and a world leader. *And the crisis level after the Rapture will be unparalleled in history!*

### TODAY'S GREATEST PLAYERS

There are so many they cannot all be listed, but the major players include the United Nations, Pope Francis, Barack Obama, the European Union, the Clinton's, George Soros, Mikhail Gorbachev, the Bilderberger's

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and the Club of Rome. The U.N. Agenda 21 plan and the U.N. Agenda 2030 plan should be watched. In his prime, George H.W. Bush was a promoter of globalism.

## THE VICAR OF THE NEW WORLD ORDER

Gary Kah believes you cannot have a global system without the Vatican signing on since they have authority over one billion people. He calls Pope Francis the “Vicar of the New World Order.” Francis is the first Jesuit Pope, is pro-E.U. and anti-Brexit, is a Socialist and perhaps even a Marxist, hates capitalism, and believes global warming will destroy the planet.

The Bible teaches that any attempt at globalization, as with ancient Babylon, will always be ruled by wicked people. Christians should always be opposed to it, realizing

that Satan is driving the idea. Look for political candidates who are pro-America, pro-American sovereignty, conservative with immigration, and strong on borders.

## A PERFECT SYSTEM AWAITS

We can’t stop the rush to the one-world system. It will happen. We can see shades of it daily. Even fancy trade policies are a foreshadowing of globalism. We can avoid political candidates who advocate for this such as Bill and Hillary Clinton. And we can pray that Jesus comes quickly to take us to our perfect home in Heaven. Eventually He will rule over perfect world government when He rules out of Jerusalem for one thousand years!

That’s the only globalist system that will ever work.

# Satan Comes Knocking on the School House Door

By Jan Markell

Satan is active because he knows his time is short. And, he is targeting your kids and grandkids. A group calling themselves *After School Satan Club* recently announced that it would organize in cities across America to counter the *Good News Bible* classes currently meeting after school in many areas. *Child Evangelism Fellowship* has sponsored these for decades. But now, children as young as five will be exposed to blatant Satanism.

These evil folks will target and indoctrinate children while offering them nothing positive. Just as troubling is that feckless school officials are allowing all of this. One spokesman said,

“Any organization can rent our facilities after school hours as long as they pay the fee and aren’t doing anything illegal.”

School officials also fret about not saying “no” out of fear they might offend the sensitivities of the Left and that *they might be accused of favoring Christianity*.

*Child Evangelism* has almost 78,000 *Good News* clubs around the world reaching almost 20 million kids.

This is just another reminder that evil is waxing worse and worse in these last days, as predicted. (II Timothy 3:13).

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Jan was saved as a child under Dr. Hyman Appleman, noted Jewish evangelist. She has authored 8 Christian books with major publishers and produced a dozen DVDs, some shown on *Sky Angel*. Her radio program, which was launched in 2001, “Understanding the Times,” is syndicated on over 800 Christian radio stations. Jan hosts the largest Bible conference in America in the Twin Cities area. It looks at current events and Bible prophecy.

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### OUR GUESTS



#### Anne Graham Lotz

Anne is a prolific author and international speaker. She will be addressing the issues of the day as well as Bible prophecy. She heads "AnGel Ministries."

Learn more at [www.annegrahamlotz.org](http://www.annegrahamlotz.org).

#### Amir Tsarfati

Amir is a gifted Bible prophecy teacher from Israel who was a conference favorite in October, 2015. He heads the ministry "Behold Israel." Learn more at [www.beholdisrael.org](http://www.beholdisrael.org).



#### Bill Koenig, White House correspondent

Bill Koenig is one of our most frequent conference guests since 2002. He is an author, journalist, and the best commentator on our times from a Biblical perspective. He directs the news site [www.watch.org](http://www.watch.org).



#### Dr. Mark Hitchcock

Mark is a well-known Bible prophecy teacher, author and pastor from Oklahoma. He has been our guest on many occasions.



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# Understanding Pokémon Go

By Eric Barger

*NOTE FROM JAN: As the Bible predicted, evil is waxing worse and worse (II Timothy 3:13). A primary target is children, teens, and young adults. This ministry has tried to expose the wiles of the devil for decades. The newest attempt at this is the “Pokémon Go” craze which is played on people’s smartphones. Eric Barger explains it well and we are re-printing his article from July.*

In short, to play the game users download the *Pokémon Go* app to their iPhone or Android phones. Then they begin hunting down 150 different Pokémon creatures capturing them in virtual reality. *Pokémon Go* is unlike any other game or fad we have seen because the game is based on a player’s whereabouts and users need to actually go to particular locations to capture the virtual Pokémon.

Various Pokémon appear on their screens as they hunt in places like offices, schools, hospitals, businesses, parks, backyards, freeways - *everywhere and anywhere*. Many users have been meeting together at key locations such as well-known landmarks in their quest to electronically gather Pokéballs.

The balls are then hurled (virtually, of course) at the game’s Pokémon characters to capture them. Players often visit sites such as churches, which digitally become “gyms,” where battles are fought. (Huh? What are Christians doing playing a game that has its basis in the occult -- and doing so in church? More on the spiritual implications in a moment.)

Just how big is it? Since the recent release of *Pokémon Go*, over \$7.5 billion has been added to Nintendo’s stock market value. To give you an idea of the relative popularity, the *Los Angeles Times* reported that downloads of *Pokémon Go* (over 7 million so far) are running ahead of *Facebook*, *Snapchat* and *Instagram* in the Google

Play store and will pass *Twitter* soon.

Most players are not aware that before they even embark into the virtual world of *Pokémon Go* that in the user agreement allowing them to download the app, they are forfeiting their privacy and possibly even the control of their phones to play the game. More worrisome to some is the fact that the company who developed the game was owned by Google!

Besides the notion of placing all of your private data at risk, participating in *Pokémon Go* has proved physically perilous for some. A pair of men fell off a cliff on July 14 while playing near a beach in the San Diego area. One of the men fell 90 feet, the other 50.

A New York man escaped with just minor injuries when he crashed his car into a tree while playing the game. Armed robbers

in Missouri used the app to lure victims to isolated locations, police said. Stores and malls are reporting a marked increase of foot traffic and a unique security issue because of the game. Kids and adults on a quest to capture the virtual Pokémon creatures are so intense that they sometimes stumble down stairs, knock down other patrons, and even end up behind store counters or in offices marked “employees only.”

Besides the possibility of the development of various problems for some players such as emotional issues (because of an individual’s prowess in playing) or eye problems (due to the strain of watching a screen for long periods, especially at night), *Pokémon Go* may present perverts and pedophiles with unusual opportunities to prey upon victims.

However, most players have no biblical understanding of just what they may be embracing. That’s expected in the secular

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Understanding "Pokémon Go"

## Understanding Pokémon Go

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world. But many Christians seem to have no problem with just jumping in the pool before checking to see if there are sharks present!

*Pokémon Go* was developed by *Niantic Inc.* and is funded by *Nintendo*. However, the original Pokémon franchise was developed by *Wizards of the Coast*, who gave the world the occult games, *Dungeons and Dragons* and *Magic the Gathering*. *Pokémon* comes from a long line of anti-Christian, occult, and evolutionary development. For example, did you know that the very word *Pokémon* means “pocket monster” - i.e. “demon?”

I realize that many reject warnings like this and accuse us of just being “against everything.” Still, I have to say it: *Christians playing Pokémon Go need to consider the occult roots of Pokémon*. Defending it is akin to putting lipstick on a pig. I’ve heard “it’s only a game” or “it’s just fantasy” more times than you can imagine, yet *where does the Bible give us license to ignore God’s warnings and strong condemnation of the occult just because something may be fantasy - or virtual?* (Read Ephesians 5:1-7)

Second, let’s add up the sheer amount of time we’re spending on stuff like *Pokémon*

*Go*. The word “idolatry” comes to mind, and instead of focusing on our mission in the last days we are going to great lengths literally running around attempting to capture a virtual demon.

*How Satan must be pleased.*

NOTE FROM JAN: Find more of Eric Barger’s occult warning at his website, [www.ericbarger.com](http://www.ericbarger.com). Look for his book, *Entertaining Spirits Unaware: The End-Time Occult Invasion*. We no longer carry it.

Shortly after we aired our August 13-14 radio program giving *Pokémon Go* warnings, a listener wrote: “I came home and played your program via the Internet regarding *Pokémon* to my grandchildren. Stephen (12) was a big *Pokémon* fan. My granddaughter Julia (10) also had a couple of cards. In the middle of your program, Stephen went to his bedroom, collected all of his *Pokémon* items and took them to the kitchen and put them in the trash can. He did this without any coaxing at all. We are so proud of him that he recognized the danger of this fad and took it upon himself to take corrective action. Thanks so much for warning us of dangers such as *Pokémon*. Your program is much appreciated.”



***Is this the new church evangelism model – using the occult to get people into church?***

## Summer's Game Changer

Summer 2016 had many memorable events. But internationally, Turkey had a game-changing phony coup. And Turkey itself is now in the grip of a full and wide-reaching purge process.

In every conceivable way this coup was an utter failure. Instead of relieving President Erdogan of his increasingly authoritarian position, providing Turkey with the fresh hope of a new beginning, this coup has

solidified and augmented a potential dictator's rule. It also may have further set the stage for the Gog-Magog War of Ezekiel 38-39 in which Turkey is a key player.

Now that freedom is history in Turkey, they will easily align with Russia in a forthcoming and potentially imminent war to seize the "spoil" of Israel.

Keep your eyes on this region. We will try to keep you updated.

## Another Blow to World Vision

The international aid organization *World Vision* has run into rough waters again this summer. In 2014, they voted to change their hiring policies and allow the employment of "gay Christians" who choose to marry. Immediately 10,000 people dropped their monthly financial commitment.

In August, Israel accused a manager working for *World Vision* of funneling millions of dollars to Islamist militants in Hamas. Mohammed El Halabi had run the *World Vision* Gaza branch since 2010. According to Israel's *Shin Bet* security service, El Halabi diverted around \$7.2 million of *World Vision* donations to Hamas each year.

Hamas has fought three wars against Israel and is designated a terrorist organization by the United States. They continually dig tunnels between Gaza and Israel to perpetrate terror against innocent Israeli citizens.

Among El Halabi's "duties," according to the *Shin Bet*, was to divert millions of dollars intended for Gaza's civilian population to the Hamas's military wing. He also stole food and health packages intended to reach poor Gazans and injured

children which were then used by Hamas terrorists. In addition, *World Vision* money went to fund Hamas' rocket buildup and the construction of military posts.

Millions of needy people need the assistance of these aid organizations and most of them act righteously. *But these*

*outfits need to stop sending aid money to Gaza as long as it is run by Hamas.* Many are asking how the humanitarian organization could not have known over many years that

their money was being diverted. Over time, it is hundreds of millions of dollars of donor's money.

*World Vision* has always taken a critical stand against Israel. They have participated in the "Hope for the Holy Land" tours, speaking in churches and colleges and taking a harsh stand against Israel while defending the Palestinian cause. They have considered Israel an "occupier."

In light of these ongoing revelations of *World Vision*, we suggest you channel aid dollars to Joel Rosenberg's *Joshua Fund*—a humanitarian organization to both Jew and Arab in the region.



# ARE WE LIVING IN THE LAST DAYS STUDY GUIDE

By Jan Markell

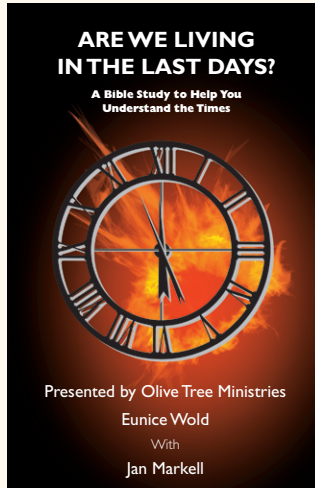
One of the more frequent comments received by Olive Tree Ministries is that churches will not address the important issues surrounding eschatology or Bible prophecy. With that in mind, we commissioned Eunice Wold to draw up a twelve chapter study guide for use in small groups of remnant believers. These study guides allow for a learning opportunity but also for discussion.

Eunice has a Master of Divinity degree, has been in ministry for many years, and has served with Olive Tree Ministries in the area of church and small group outreach. She has tremendous insight and knowledge about Bible prophecy, its importance in what might be the final generation, and how this might be applied today. If headlines are jumping out at you but you are wondering what they really mean when placed alongside a Bible, this is for you. It will definitely help you understand the times!

Here are the twelve chapter titles:

- 1) Can We Trust the Bible to Tell Us the Truth?
- 2) The Story Begins
- 3) Israel—the Permanence of a Promise
- 4) Daniel 9—A Careful Counting of the Years
- 5) The Gap in the Prophecy
- 6) Matthew 24: What Jesus Says About Prophecy
- 7) Vanished Without a Trace—The Rapture
- 8) Daniel 11 and Revelation 13—The Antichrist Unmasked
- 9) Revelation 6: The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse

- 10) Jesus Second Coming
- 11) The Millennium, the Judgments, and When Forever Begins
- 12) How Then Shall We Live?



Classes that meet weekly can finish the study in 3 months and requires a leader familiar with these topics. I have seen Eunice's keen insight into theology and her love of God's prophetic outline in the Bible. Unbelievers will have an opportunity to accept Jesus as Lord and Savior as a result of this study guide so don't hesitate to invite unbelievers to be a part of this!

One who has ordered and read this study guide writes, "I have received the five study booklets *Are We Living in the*

*Last Days?* I lead a small neighborhood Bible Study.

"I have been reading Olive Tree materials for years and have listened to the Saturday radio show for years. When I saw a new Bible Study that was available, I decided to send for the lessons and check it out. The day it arrived, I sat down and read the study from cover-to-cover. I was curious how this study would handle eschatology. Because of all the dreadful things happening in the world today, I have felt very frightened about the future. *However, to my great surprise, when I was done reading the material, I felt great comfort.*

"Yes, bad times are coming, but we have a glorious God who will guide us through the hard times as we stand with brothers and sisters in Christ and look forward to our destiny with our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. *Thank you for providing hope!*" —Bernie

Why not get started on your study this fall? *Our times are in His hands.* Help people understand them.

## Countdown

By Jan Markell

Many have suggested that the end isn't near—it's actually here. Is this just the rantings of crazy people wearing a sandwich board walking down Main Street? It's actually some pretty educated, tuned-in people who have studied the global situation for a few decades. They reference a tipping point. *That is usually a milestone that suggests something—even a nation—is about to go over a ledge.*

I have often said that soon we will not be able to look around if in our minds we do not first look up and know that our Redeemer draws nigh. Our headlines won't suddenly become rosy this side of Heaven. There may not be a lot of happy endings as was the case with 1950s television. "Happy Days" was a sit-com detached from today's reality.



I think the church is headed into the home stretch of her history! I base that not on emotions or wishful thinking. *I base that on what I see happening daily. Here are just a few examples that tell me we're in a countdown.* And that's not all bad.

- In the last decade, Israel has been abandoned by every major nation on earth. The entire European Union stands against her. America and Canada ditched support of her in more recent years. Only a remnant of evangelical Christians stands with her.
- Every nation is having the predicted "distress with perplexity" (Luke 21:25). Some suggest that America's stability around our November election may be so

bad that it could be derailed. Whether it is terror events, weather-related problems, economic meltdowns, lawlessness, or political corruption, no nation escapes today.

- The character of mankind has so declined that the words of II Timothy 3 seem to be playing out in real time. Mankind has become narcissistic lovers of self, obsessed with money, out of control, proud boasters, lovers of pleasure, and haters of God. *Some of this is reflected in some presidential candidates who are less than presidential—on both sides of the aisle.*

• In Israel, the Temple Institute is training priests how they should perform in the forthcoming Tribulation Temple. The Institute established a registry of Kohanim, or a list of men who have a clear patriarchal heritage from the priestly class. All elements of this Temple are being readied.

- There is an unprecedented rush to "oneness." Whether it be global government or a global religion, the U.N., Pope Francis, Barack Obama, and many more, are for it. The one-world issues leap from the pages of Daniel and Revelation. *The players have no clue of the dire consequences of this "oneness" issue.*
- Evil and violence are on the exponential rise, similar to the days of Noah. This fall, the Satanic Temple plans to infiltrate grade schools and have classes that

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## Countdown

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stress Satanism to counter the “Good News” classes in many schools that teach the Bible. *The devil knows his time is short!* Also this summer, the occult-laced smartphone game “Pokemon Go” took the world by storm.

- Never have we seen Isaiah 5:20 play out as it is today! Evil is being called good and good is called evil. The corrupt and destructive Iranian mullahs are called good by the U.S. government. They are perceived as worthy of a relief of billions of dollars in sanctions. *Israel is considered the trouble maker and tormentor in the Mideast rather than Hamas, Hezbollah, and ISIS.*
- The players of Gog-Magog (Ezekiel 38-39) are aligning. Russia and Iran are making deals. Turkey’s President Erdogan is promoting a Turkish-Russian-Iranian union. Turkey is in chaos and heading towards a radical Islamic nation. The drama of Ezekiel is forming as all of these nations are a part of the Gog-Magog war.
- Perversion continues to be celebrated. Recently Vice President Biden performed his first wedding—of two men. People are asking to be allowed to marry animals, their computer, or a tree.
- Strong delusion drives everything. People really believe that global warming/ climate change is more dangerous than radical Islam.
- Europe is totally destabilized. Experts say that Europe is “at the end of its existence.” This is paving the way for a “Mr. Fix-It.” *The Antichrist will promise to do wonders and heal a broken world.*
- The predicted *lawlessness has grown exponentially* in the last 10 years and our

police officers, who manage the chaos, are demonized.

- More and more people and churches are mocking eschatology as they ask, “Where is the promise of His coming?” (II Peter 3) As in the days of Noah, they are enjoying life and consider this vital last days’ message to be an inconvenience and even a mild joke. They also want to avoid the troubling headlines and focus on the temporary pleasures of life.
- At the same time, there is a departure from the faith and the embracing of false theology and false teachers. Millions of Christians cannot find a church because too many of them are no longer sound as predicted.
- New plagues and pestilence are appearing including the Zika virus.
- As predicted, Jews and Christians are on the run like never before, experiencing unprecedented persecution.
- As violence and world terror increase, there is a new level in the cry for “peace and safety” or “peace and security.” (I Thess. 5:3)

Men can live for weeks without food and about three or four days without water. But they can live for only minutes without hope. The great feature of Bible prophecy is that it has a built-in element of hope! It is the only reliable source for good news about the future. With this in mind, we encourage all readers to consider the glorious future we have with our Lord and with loved ones in eternity. This world is no longer our home.

Maranatha! Come, Lord Jesus.

# Taking Authority

By Eunice Wold



Eunice Wold

Back in the 1800's, medical knowledge wasn't what it is today. Back then doctors believed that disease could just occur right out of nowhere. It just popped up randomly. But then Louis Pasteur came along, and he said there are actually living organisms – germs that we can't see – that carry disease. *There's an invisible world that impacts the visible world.*

Today, that's more than a theory. We believe in germs. We know that the invisible world can be dangerous and life-threatening.

The Bible says there's another invisible world that is even more dangerous and life-threatening. We have an invisible enemy who wants to steal, kill, and destroy everything in our lives. Targets include our marriages, our children, our health, our finances, our sanity, our clarity, our purity, our peace, our power, our joy, and our close relationship with the Lord.

*We may not want to think about him or talk about him but we had better acknowledge that he exists because he's hell-bent on destroying us.*

But the good news is that if we're Christians – if we have a relationship with God through Jesus Christ – then we can take authority over Satan and all the evil that he wants to do in our lives.

How is that possible? The Bible is clear.

1. We can take authority because Jesus rescued us from the tyranny of evil.

Colossians 1:13 says: *God has rescued us from the one who rules in the kingdom of darkness, and He has brought us into the Kingdom of His dear Son.* We have been transferred **out** of enemy territory and **into** God's Kingdom. So we have authority to

stand in prayer against Satan and all of his evil.

2. We can take authority because the Holy Spirit is **in** us. He comes to live in us when we give our lives to Jesus. (1 John 4:4)
3. We can take authority because we're forgiven and set free **by Jesus' blood** that was shed on the cross.

Ephesians 1:7 verifies it: *God is so rich in kindness that He purchased our freedom through the blood of His Son, and our sins are forgiven.* That means Satan has nothing on us. He can't throw our past up in our faces. He can't say, "Look what you've done. You have no authority over me." We can say to him: "Stop it - in the name of Jesus and by the power of Jesus' blood. You are a defeated foe. You have no right in my life."

On October 12, 2013, I was leaving Minneapolis to fly to Phoenix. As I boarded, I put my hand on the plane and said: "A safe flight in Jesus' name and by the power of Jesus' blood."

We had been in the air about 45 minutes when I became aware of a conflict between a man sitting four rows ahead of me on the other side of the aisle and the flight attendant. She began talking to him very sternly, telling him to stop arguing with her. Then she said: "Do we have an understanding here? Have we settled the issue? If we haven't, then I'll call the Captain, and he'll come back to talk with you. Otherwise, stop arguing and causing a scene."

The man, who looked to be Middle Eastern, told her the issue was settled; however, as soon as she left, he pushed the call button. She came back to him and said, "What can I help you with?" I couldn't hear what he said, but she repeated what she had told him a few minutes before.

## Taking Authority

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He pushed the call button again, and this time a male flight attendant came to talk with him. This flight attendant spoke very loudly and very distinctly, as though he wanted to be sure the man understood every word. He said: “My name is David. Are you having a problem? I’m here to help you.”

The man didn’t say anything, so David said: “It’s my job to assist you the best I can, so please tell me if you have a problem so we can resolve it.” David kept saying the same thing over and over again. Then he said: “If you want to talk with me, I’ll be glad to talk with you, but I have other things I need to do right now.”

No sooner had David left than the man pushed the call button again. David returned and repeated what he had said before. I don’t know what the man said, but David responded, “That’s impossible. It’s not going to happen. You can talk to the police or anyone you want after we land, but until then you need to stay in your seat.”

The woman in the seat behind him was traveling with her two children who looked to be about 8 and 11. She and her children got up to go to the restroom, and on the

way she stopped and said to me, “That man is nuts. He keeps talking about how the female flight attendant touched his bag, and how that wasn’t acceptable to him. He’s muttering and talking constantly, and my kids are concerned that he’s going to do something.”

When David finished talking to the man, he passed my seat, and I said to him: “I commend you for being so patient with that man, but I must say he’s creeping me out.” David said: “If you believe in prayer, you might start praying.”

Once again the man pushed the call button, and I had had enough. Instead of praying, “Jesus, please stop this man from whatever he’s trying to do on this plane,” I took authority. Without caring what the people in the seats next to me thought, I spoke right out loud, “Man, be silent in the name of Jesus and by the power of Jesus’ blood.” *And the man reached up – and **turned off** the call button – and he was silent the rest of the trip.*

*In these days as we get close to the end, Satan is attacking with vicious fury and venom. But when we belong to Jesus, we don’t need to be afraid. We can live in victory!*

## Our Readers And Listeners Respond

I’m so thankful for Jan and Eunice and the end-time study guide, “Are We Living in the Last Days?” What a blessing to have this as a resource.—Myrna, MN

I so appreciate your ministry—for the truth of the Gospel proclaimed daily. It’s good to know we have a good and trusted friend in Jan and Olive Tree.—Cheri, e-mail

Thanks for your program on CSN Network. It is on the top of my list and remains the best and most informative.—Barbara, e-mail

Jan, I would be a clueless as the next guy had I not found your ministry and radio program. You and your guests are truly watchmen on the wall.—Jean, e-mail

Jan and Eric, the job you are doing in thumping heads and opening eyes—as well as the demeanor and tenor of your broadcasts—is truly God-inspired.—Magdalene, MN

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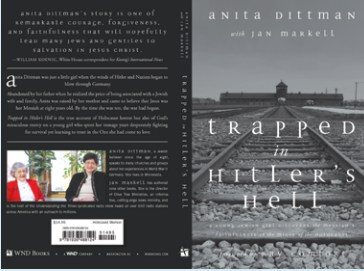
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# Resources by Jan Markell



## Trapped in Hitler's Hell: A Young Jewish Girl Discovers the Messiah's Faithfulness in the Midst of the Holocaust"

By Anita Dittman and Jan Markell

**Book: \$11 – 206 pages – softbound**

Jan's classic book, now celebrating 35 years of making a difference. The remarkable story of Anita Dittman and her miraculous survival during the Hitler years. The story spans 12 riveting years of

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*"I read 'Trapped in Hitler's Hell' and loved it. It was mesmerizing, fascinating, inspirational, and God-exalting. And it was a masterpiece of writing!" – Dr. Dave Reagan, Lamb Lion Ministries*

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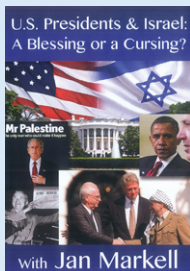
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This book by Jan Markell is a re-do of her classic *Gone the Golden Dream*. It is the true story of Joe Lessin and his sons. Joe's Judaism leaves him empty and he has a God-shaped vacuum in his heart. After he finds the real Messiah, Jesus Christ, he must win his family to Christ. His sons rebel for years, but then as it is promised in Isaiah 60:4, his sons come from afar and commit their lives to the true Messiah. Witness the power of a simple Gideon Bible hidden in a hotel drawer.



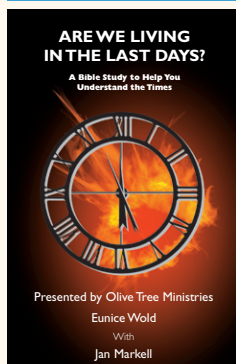
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Jan Markell traces the activity of recent U.S. Presidents and how they blessed or cursed Israel and the Jewish people (Genesis 12:3). She begins with Woodrow Wilson, as he was in office during the *Balfour Declaration*, and ends with Barack Obama. The Obama administration has been the worst persecutor of Israel in its 68 year history. Is this one reason why America is experiencing unsolvable problems? All Presidents between these two are considered in this helpful historical lesson with end-time significance.

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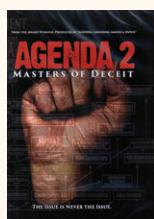
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See page 7 for full details.



## Agenda 2: Masters of Deceit

*By Curtis Bowers*

**\$18 – DVD – 85 minutes**

Filmmaker Curtis Bowers has uncovered a sinister agenda to bring America down. From the promotion of Islam to the propaganda of climate change, from the deceit of Common Core to the manufactured economic crisis, and from the manipulation of the Evangelical church to the unsustainable debt burden, it seems as if America has a hundred different enemies with a hundred different agendas. Join Curtis Bowers as he exposes the Masters of Deceit and their purposeful, premeditated, treasonous attacks on our freedom.



## Preparing for Perilous Times: Will You be Victors or Victims?

*By Eric Barger*

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The biblical truth that evil will become good and good, evil (Isaiah 5:20-21) is playing out all around us. We're now told that perversion is normal, Islam is peaceful, and Christianity is the problem. The politically correct culture now demands that no one voice dissent. Free speech is under fire and those charged with upholding that Constitutional right are leading the effort to silence any naysayers. *Persecution isn't coming - IT'S HERE.* Now the question remains: *Will we be victors or victims during the "perilous times?"* Eric Barger is our frequent radio co-host.



## Wake the Bride: Facing These Last Days with Your Eyes Wide Open

*By Jeff Kinley*

**\$15 – 215 pages – softbound**

Jeff Kinley wrote this innovative guide to the book of Revelation for the same reason the apostle John wrote the original—to arouse a sleeping church to prepare for Christ's return. Many people are unaware of the signs of the times. The church is silent about these signs. The book offers an enlightening read about Jesus and His coming again. It is an easy-to-understand review of the last book of the Bible and other last days' information. We highly recommend this book.





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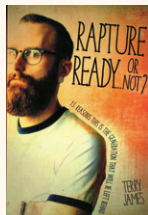
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# COMING TO A THEATER NEAR YOU

By Jan Markell

Some decades ago now, a Twin Cities' pastor called me and told me about Anita Dittman. He had heard her testimony and felt it was deserving of a book. I had written other biographies for people with amazing stories and this pastor was aware of that. Anita and I met and within minutes, I was also convinced that her story needed to be in print. In 1980 Tyndale House published the first version of *Trapped in Hitler's Hell* under another title.



Rose Reid & Anita Dittman

winners including "Alone, Yet Not Alone."

This spring a young actress was tapped to play Anita. Rose Reid resembles Anita Dittman when she was 17. Other aspects of the production are moving ahead. Escobar is trying to raise the needed \$10 million that will enable him to produce the film without Hollywood involvement.

Contact [jan@olivetreereviews.org](mailto:jan@olivetreereviews.org) for more information and how you might play a financial role.

In 2014, *World Net Daily* and [wnd.com](http://wnd.com) took the book and updated it. WND's George Escobar also made it a moving documentary. Anita's uplifting story of Holocaust survival by the grace of God has now gone around the world many times. By fall 2017, we hope it will be in a theater near you. It will be an uplifting, gospel-presenting true story of God's protection of His own.



Producer George Escobar

The producer of this film will be George Escobar who has produced other award

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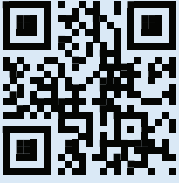
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