



The Word of God declares that in the last days, perilous times shall come.

You must agree that these are dangerous times, when man cares very little for his fellow man.

The Church Age is nearing its' end since Israel became a nation in 1948.

Israel is wanting to rebuild its' temple on , the very spot where the Dome of the Rock is today, which the antichrist will enter and sit on its' throne and declare himself "god" to the world.

But before that happens, the true church (WHO ARE FEW IN NUMBER) will be caught up to meet our Lord in the air.

Therefore, the Spirit and the Bride say, **COME!** He that is thirsty, **COME!**

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## The MAN in the MIRROR

### The Perfect Law of Liberty



The **LAW** of God was given to mankind for one purpose only: to **PROVE** to man that **HE CANNOT KEEP** God's law. The consequences for breaking God's law is **DEATH**.

"...the soul that sinneth, it shall die" (Ezk. 18:3).

The Word of God is also known as **THE PERFECT**

**LAW OF LIBERTY**. Man is not to live by bread only, "...but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of the Lord" (DEUT. 8:3); not out of the mouths of men, because:

"Every word of God is **PURE**: he is a shield unto them that **PUT THEIR TRUST** in him" (PROVERBS 30:5).

Many who read the word of God are like "...a man beholding his natural face in a glass: for he beholdeth himself, and goeth his way, and straightway forgetteth what manner of man he was" (JAMES 1:24).

The Word of God is this "**glass**" or "**mirror**" that shows our "**natural face**" but, after hearing, we

**tend** to ignore our **true nature**. This "**mirror**" is a **collection of books** that tells us how **sinful** we **really** are.

"But whoso looketh into **THE PERFECT LAW OF LIBERTY**, and continueth therein, he being not a forgetful hearer, but a doer of the work, this man shall be **blessed** in his deed" (JAMES 1:25).

Most people live a very "**religious**" life, and feel content by **doing** good deeds, but, "**pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, To visit [RELIEVE] the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world**" (JAMES 1:27). How do you measure up?

### WORDS TO REMEMBER...

- ◆ **Psalm 119:11**: "Thy word have I **HID** in mine heart, that I might not **SIN** against thee."
- ◆ **Isaiah 53:6**: "All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his **OWN** way."
- ◆ **Isaiah 64:6**: "...we are **ALL** as an unclean thing, and **ALL** our righteousnesses are as filthy rags; and we **ALL** fade as a leaf; and our iniquities, like the wind, have taken us away.."
- ◆ **Psalm 9:17**: "The wicked shall be turned into Hell, and **ALL** the nations that forget God."

### Our TRUE reflection in the mirror...

Have you ever told a lie? We all have at some point, even though we label them: little "**white**" lies, a "**fat**" lie, or even "**bending**" the truth. But to God, a "**lie**" is still a "**LIE**."

When we look into God's perfect law of liberty, it acts as a "**mirror**" and reveals to us just how wicked we really are.

The first thing we realize is that **we cannot cease** from sinning. All of our imaginations and our thoughts are evil continually.

We, through the pride of our outward appearance, "...will not seek after God: God is not in all **[OUR] thoughts**" (PSALM 10:4). Since we **will not** seek God on

our own, God seeks us through His Word. He wants us to "...serve him with a perfect heart and with a willing mind" (1 CHRON. 28:9).

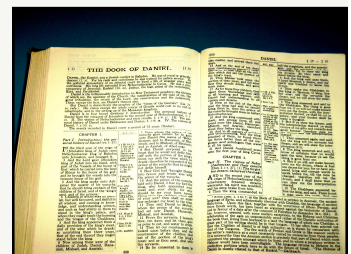
God's "**mirror**" shows mankind that his heart is desperately wicked, for out of the heart "...proceed evil thoughts, murders, adulteries, fornications, thefts, false witness, blasphemies" (MATT. 15:19).

It is man's nature to do evil, "**for all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God**" (ROM. 3:23). "...There is none righteous, no, not one: There is none that understandeth, there is none that seeketh after God. They are all gone out of the way, they

are together become unprofitable; there is none that doeth good, no, not one" (ROMANS 3:10-12).

God is very clear about the state of man's condition: "...there is not a just man upon earth, that doeth good, and sinneth not" (ECCLES. 7:20). Man **NEEDS** a Savior to keep him from the judgment, because "...all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone" (REV. 21:8).

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that **WHOSOEVER** believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting **LIFE**" (JOHN 3:16).



"For ever, O Lord, thy word is settled in heaven"  
(PSALM 119:89).

"Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path"  
(PSALM 119:105).