

"And that, knowing the Time, that now It Is High Time To Awake out of sleep: for now is our Salvation nearer than when we believed The night is far spent, the Day is at hand: let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the Armour of Light." Romans 13:11-12 KJV



While believers walk around with a “warm and fuzzy” mentality of reality, evil seditiously plans their demise and the destruction of unbelievers. We must not tolerate any evil deed or word, but are impelled to rebuke it in the name of the Most High Sovereign. *“For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strong holds: Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the Knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ; And having in a readiness to revenge all disobedience, when your obedience is fulfilled.”* Jesus was never tolerant of those that seditiously tried to change and sabotage His Word. He rebuked the Pharisees in most strident terms. *“Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For ye are like unto whited sepulchres, which indeed appear beautiful outward, but are within full of dead men's bones, and of all uncleanness. Ye serpents, ye generation of vipers, how can ye escape the damnation of hell?”* Jesus is God and speaks with all the authority of the Supreme Judge. *“For by Him were all things created, that are in heaven, and that are in earth, visible and invisible, whether they be thrones, or dominions, or principalities, or powers: all things were created by Him, and for Him: And He is before all things, and by Him all things consist.”* His Word promises we can fearlessly walk among the evil that surrounds us. *“Under His wings shalt thou trust: His Truth shall be thy shield and buckler. A thousand shall fall at thy side, and ten thousand at thy right hand; but it shall not come nigh thee. Only with thine eyes shalt thou behold and see the reward of the wicked.”* Machinations against the faithful will return upon their own head one hundred fold. God is the sole proprietor of vengeance. *“Vengeance is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord.”* I would ten-fold rather leave pay-back to God than spend my time, money, and energy on “getting even.” God doesn’t “get even.” He destroys the wicked with eternal black flame! He makes them rue their day of birth! We are on a mission for our KING and He knows our peril and has foreseen all scenarios. Rescue work is dangerous. *“Go your ways: behold, I send you forth as lambs among wolves.”* The enemy fails to take into account the fact that God walks with His own even through death’s door, and *“the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the Faith of the Son of God, who Loved me, and gave Himself for me.”* I am “bought with a Price.” Since I belong to God I can trust Him to protect me until my particular race is finished. Jesus even prayed for our safety in the hours before His death. His Loved ones were His Purpose and Focus. *“I pray not that Thou shouldest take them out of the world, but that Thou shouldest keep them from the evil. Sanctify them through Thy Truth: Thy Word is Truth. As thou hast sent me into the world, even so have I also sent them into the world.”* It’s “high time” to focus on our purpose and we have very little TIME left!

The sand of fleeting earthly time,
Will soon be gone and with it mine,
So I must haste before time’s end,
To find the ones who’ll turn from sin. –CGP

It’s not about “warm and fuzzy” when someone is hanging over hell by a single thread! Ignore the crowd and focus on the dear soul that crosses your path. They may never cross it again. *“The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few.”* Tic-Toc! A silent alarm bell is worthless!

“Also I heard the Voice of the Lord, saying, ‘Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?’ Then said I, ‘Here am I; send me.’” Isaiah 6:8 KJV