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MOMENTUM!

August world bodies have been lining up; knocking down the door - to give their weight and approval to the near-term establishment of the Nation of Palestine. The Palestinians want to see the process completed by September 2011 – just a few short months away. [Possibly after smoking the ganj bowl] the International Monetary Fund issued a report stating that the Palestinians were “*now able to conduct the sound economic policies expected of a future well-functioning Palestinian state, given its solid track record in reforms and institution-building in the public finance and financial areas.*”¹ Around the same time, the World Bank gave similar approval.² And just this week, the UN issued a report saying the Palestinians are ready for independence - and the only thing holding them back are those mean Israelis with their nasty occupation³ (of the land God gave them). *I guess the Palestinians are not doing too badly for a People that didn't even exist before the mid 1960's!* Isaiah 34:12 prophetically describes the process. “**They shall call the nobles thereof to the kingdom, but none shall be there, and all her princes shall be nothing.**”

CONNECTIONS – PART IV

What we're seeing today is nothing short of stunning. To those tuned in to just the world – it looks like nothing more than Grand Chaos. North Africa and the Middle East are in a boil. Israel and the Palestinians are getting set to go. Iran pursues a nuclear weapon while a wearied and distracted world looks the other way. Tensions are high between Islamists and secularists; between Shiites and Sunnis. Countries in Europe are nearly going under. The dollar is under assault. The US faces massive deficits that threaten to under cut 'how America is done'. Yet through it all there is a pattern – a theme that can be discerned by those who would see it. A prophetic template is being fulfilled. So too are the plans of Islam and Illuminati / One World Types. It is ALL connected!

UNVEILING CONNECTIONS

Headlines – The revolts and revolutions that some are calling the ‘Arab Spring’ are both continuing and morphing. Reuters: “Army ‘ready to use force’ to clear Cairo square.” The pro-democracy protesters may want more from their revolution: But it seems it may have left them behind.⁴ Then there's Syria. Headlines there told of the port city of Baniyas being “sealed off” and “sectarian killings by irregulars loyal” to the President – as well as slaughters by state security forces. Now Assad is sealing off more cities as the revolt spreads. In response he is mobilizing both his military and gangs of thugs to deal with the protesters calling for his ouster.^{5 6 7} NPR makes the point that the dictatorial Yemen – erstwhile US ally against al-Qaeda in the region is about to fall.⁸ Business insider opines that it is “months, perhaps weeks, away from collapse.”⁹ Even in perennially stable Jordan, the Arab Spring is having its effect. One publication asks: “Will Jordan Be the Next to Fall?”. It makes the point that the Muslim Brotherhood was behind demonstrations that left over 100 injured.¹⁰ FOX News went on to make its point in an article entitled: “Al Qaeda Capitalizing on ‘Arab Spring’ to Build Power and Shore Up Weaknesses.”¹¹

Then there are the complications. World Net Daily warns that the new Egyptian government is making military preparations to settle a water dispute with its Ethiopian neighbor.¹² And Iran and Saudi Arabia may be preparing to come to blows over what DEBKA refers to as the Saudi's de facto take over of Bahrain. They tell us that the Bahrainis king “agreed to hand over to Riyadh defense, external, domestic and financial security affairs.” Tehran doesn't like that. Saudi troops are “pouring” into the kingdom and their presence is “cutting off the main route used by Iran and Hizballah to bring over intelligence agents and military instructors to aid the Shiite opposition.”¹³ Perhaps the biggest complication – and irony (perhaps intentional in some circles) – is the fact that America is supporting opposition groups with direct links and ties to al-Qaeda groups in Libya. The rebels there have enlisted “elements” of the terror group. A 2007 study found that that small country provided 20% of the al-Qaeda fighters moving crossing from Syria to Iraq during that troubled time. It is hardly different in Yemen, where the opposition is heavily connected to al-Qaeda.¹⁴ In Egypt we supported the opposition – again, heavily influenced by the Muslim Brotherhood, which itself spawned al-Qaeda, and Hamas and Hezbollah et al. Even now persecution against Christians is erupting in Egypt. The same is the case in the Ivory Coast where our client is a Muslim whose troops went on a rampage and murdered 1,000 Christians in one village alone.¹⁵ Now here's the irony in all this. The connection between the CIA and the founding of al-Qaeda is well known. A memoir by current Defense Secretary Robert Gates admits that the CIA had a major hand in operating and aiding the Mujahadeen in Afghanistan, before and during the Soviet invasion of that country. The Mujahadeen later morphed into al-Qaeda. Kurt Nimmo of Infowars puts it this way: “*It is a well-established fact that the CIA, with*

the assistance of Pakistan's ISI and Saudi Arabia, ran the Islamic warrior network." He goes on to write: "*Zbigniew Brzezinski, Jimmy Carter's national security advisor at the time, told the French newspaper Le Nouvel Observateur in 1998 that it was all true – that creating the Mujahadeen that would later morph into al-Qaeda and the Taliban was an 'excellent idea' and he had no regrets, never mind the 400,000 who died as a result.*"¹⁶ [*So we fight them and hunt them down in Afghanistan, - spending precious American lives in the process – and arm them and support them elsewhere. Yeah, that makes sense!*]

Now shift over to Israel. **More Headlines Tell The Story** – "New European Push To Divide Israel." Along pre-1967 lines with Jerusalem as the Palestinian capital, of course.¹⁷ "EU Increases Pressure on Netanyahu to Accept Arab State Inside Israel."¹⁸ "Hamas announces truce while rockets rain on Israel."¹⁹ "The Roots of Hatred – One Third of PA Arabs Support Recent Massacre of Israeli Family."²⁰ The PA! They're supposed to be the reasonable ones. They're supposed to be Israel's 'peace partners'. "Israel and Hamas near a Spring war."²¹ (Over the recent uptick in terror and rocket attacks – of course. Something that the world at large would prefer that the Israelis just ignore.) One commentator asks: "Will The World Declare War on Israel This Fall?" This refers to the fact that the Palestinians seem to be building a time table that will have them declare statehood as early as this Fall, with the approval of the UN General Assembly. UNGA Resolution 377 would allow them to call for sanctions or military action against Israel should they fail to comply with the UN's wishes.²² As part of preparations for that war we read this: "Hezbollah prepared to send 100 missiles daily at Tel Aviv."²³ In the meantime, the *peaceful* parties supporting the *peaceful* establishment continue their plans of entrapment and annihilation against the 'Zionist Entity'. Flotillas on sea and air are being planned to bring nothing but 'peaceful' goods to the 'suffering' Palestinian population. Israeli forces recall, just intercepted a ship carrying dozens of sophisticated anti-ship missiles capable of taking out targets of up to 3,000 tons. Terrorists plant bombs and rockets are launched against civilians and school busses. [*Ah, the Party of Peace!*] And the Israelis are striking back, launching a "...global war on Hamas". A Hamas leader falls victim to an Israeli missile in Sudan and another – an engineer – is picked up in the Ukraine.²⁴ Still, despite the background of small wars and big rumors – the pressure continues to mount to declare Palestine a nation. As referenced in the article above, the World Bank, the International Monetary Fund and a special report by the United Nations all have come out in favor of 'Palestine Now'!

So what does it all mean? – The Bible has a lot to say about it. A number of scholars believe that the next war on the horizon is something called the Psalm 83 War. But there's been a bit of a problem with it. From the peoples mentioned in that portion of Scripture and elsewhere – (where it seems to refer to the same event) – it was clear that some of the nations that were to come against Israel at that time – were not actively in the enemy camp. Now Hezbollah (Lebanon) and Hamas and the PA (the Palestinians) and the Syrians have all been on board for a while now for a war at any time. But Egypt and Jordan were on good terms with Israel. So it looked like we had a little breathing space before the big event. Not so much anymore. Since the outbreak of the 'Arab Spring', Egypt is being moved into the enemy camp. Headline: "Egypt Moving to Re-Establish Ties with Iran; Peace Treaty with Israel under Attack."²⁵ Trouble in Jordan is being fomented by Muslim Brotherhood types. That would just about complete the potential prophetic line up for the next war. [*Funny how that's working out, isn't it?*]

Now while the Psalm 83 War lineup is taking shape – so are the forces scheduled for Round 2: That being the Gog / Magog Alliance of Ezekiel 38. Up until just a little bit ago, the issue there had been Turkey. The Turks and the Israelis were friends, Turkey was (and is) – a part of NATO and the Israeli and Turkish armed forces even cooperated and trained together. But after their last elections, the Turks started going Islamist. Now they are increasingly making nice with the Iranians and have cut ties with the Israelis. Ezekiel 38 references several people groups that comprise today's Turkey. Should Libya go radical, as seems likely now, that would put another nation more firmly in the column of Magog forces ready to roll.

The emergence of more radical regimes throughout the Middle East and North Africa is a trend that works to fulfill another, more secular End Times requirement. Since 1973 the Illuminati / New World Order types have made public their intention of combining the globe into 10 regional Super Nations. These Super Nations or Kingdoms are to operate above nation states, absorbing national power and eventually passing that power on to a One World Government. This has been written of openly by the globalist Club of Rome. North Africa and the Middle East are to comprise Super Nation #7. The completion of that project would fulfill the prophecy found in Revelation 17:12-13. "**The ten horns which you saw are ten kings who have received no kingdom as yet, but they receive authority for one hour as kings with the beast. These are of one mind, and they will give their power and authority to the beast.**" That same process would also fulfill the Islamic expectation of an emergent Caliphate of loyal Muslim nations that will combine for a holy war against Jerusalem, Christians and Jews in their version of the Last Days. The chaos spreading across the area is seen by Ahmadinejad and the like as symptomatic of the times – and necessary to bring about the appearance of the Mahdi. Thus there are forces that are working toward those very ends. In the end, Islamic prophecy for the appearance and career of the Islamic Messiah mirrors almost exactly that of the Biblical Antichrist. But we've covered that elsewhere. Thus the actions that we are seeing unfold before us in the news are operating on several levels at the same time – Illuminati and Islamic expectations as well as setting up for the fulfillment of Biblical prophecy. It is an amazing time in which we live. *Next time we'll look at some of the developments that are emerging on the economic front. These too have very profound prophetic implications.*

THE ENEMY WE FACE – PART V

Over the years, Christian scholars have come to a view that the Antichrist will be a European, coming from the revived Roman Empire manifesting itself in modern times in the form of the European Union. In recent years however, some scholars are giving this belief a

fresh look. They've noted the incredible similarities between the character and the actions of the Biblical Antichrist and the predicted Islamic end times Messiah, called the Mahdi. Now, events in the Muslim world are preparing the way for the ascension of this Islamic prophet. Will he arise? And will he be the one to fulfill Biblical prophecy?

A TIME OF FULFILLMENT ?

“And he said, “Go your way, Daniel, for the words are closed up and sealed till the time of the end. Many shall be purified, made white, and refined, but the wicked shall do wickedly; and none of the wicked shall understand, but the wise shall understand.” (Daniel 12:9-10)

Mahmoud Ahmadinejad has a clear prophetic vision. To the President of Iran, we are living in a time of fulfillment. Ahmadinejad believes that the Mahdi, the very Islamic Messiah, - will soon reveal himself to the world. He believes too, that he has been chosen by Allah to help bring that about. The Mahdi will unite the warring factions of Islam, (Shiite and Sunni), conquer Jerusalem and set up a global Islamic Empire. Everything that the Iranian President does is influenced by that belief.²⁶ The President is a very, (and some would argue should be), committed guy. Amir Taheri, former editor of Iran's largest daily newspaper, reports that just before making his announcement that Iran had joined the “nuclear club”, Ahmadinejad spent several hours ‘communing’ with Islam's 12th Imam, the “last of the imams (teacher) of Shiism who went into ‘grand occultation’ in 941”. That “12th Imam” is the one-day returning Islamic Messiah, the Mahdi, the “true Sovereign of the World”. Ahmadinejad is one of his chosen disciples. He knows so because of that incident in September 2005 when he addressed the UN General Assembly. On that occasion, he was bathed in a *divine light*, visible only to the Iranian President and other true followers of the Mahdi.²⁷ To those in the West this may be very strange, but awaiting the Mahdi is actually not so odd at all.

Now what was true back in 2005 has now only been confirmed and solidified since. As reported here before, Iran is now promoting – in movie form – an official national policy on the return of the Mahdi. *The Coming Is Near!* This is it in short: ‘*He's coming soon and we've (the Iranians & all Muslims) have to help him. So bring on the chaos!*’ Here's Joel Rosenberg's take on the film. “*The film is being screened throughout Iran for military officers and soldiers as well as for paramilitary units, suggesting that Iran's leaders are trying to prepare their forces for a rapidly approaching genocidal war against Israel, the U.S. and the West.*”²⁸ An Iranian defector identifying himself as Reza Khalili gave us some details of the current mindset in Tehran. He was joined on March 31st on the Glenn Beck Show by Erick Stakelbeck. Here's some of the thinking coming out of Iran. The United States is not only the Great Satan – it is – in the eyes of the Iranian government – the Antichrist itself. Go back to the 1979 revolution and you will find that Iran's goals were to “*overthrow the Shah...to establish an Islamic state...[and] to pass the flag of Islam to the last Messiah.*” (That Time of the End theme was present even back then.) Recall, in their eschatology, the Mahdi is come out of chaos, President Ahmadinejad believes that he has met the Mahdi and that he has been specially chosen to prepare the way by fomenting that chaos. Here's how Reza Khalili explained it. “*The Hadith says that 72 months prior to the reappearance of Imam Mahdi, this mythical figure Shoaib Bin Saleh takes power. And they say this mythical figure is Ahmadinejad. So, Ahmadinejad has been in office for over five years. That gives us a year timeline.*” As he explains: “*... those radicals ruling Iran are committed to Islam, are committed to Allah and they take it literally from the Quran, which demands kill all infidels until such time there are no more and all are believers of Allah.*”²⁹

The fact is, President Ahmadinejad's beliefs on the return of the Mahdi are quite mainstream within Islam. Let's explain some of those beliefs. They are based on writings taken from the Koran, the Hadith, as well as Islamic tradition. Shiites and Sunnis alike are anticipating his appearance. The Mahdi, or ‘Guided One’, is to appear suddenly during a great time of struggle between the forces of good and evil. At the end of history, he will lead the Islamic forces to victory over the unbelieving Christians and Jews. At that time, the whole world will become Muslim. During this Islamic revival, the ‘Prophet Jesus’ – or Issa - will come back to earth, and the two will march on Jerusalem, where Jesus will publicly deny that he is the Son of God. Then together they will destroy Christians and Jews.³⁰

Of course the similarity between the Islamic Mahdi and the Christian Antichrist is remarkable, as is that between the Muslim's ‘Prophet Jesus’ or Issa - and the False Prophet of Revelation. Passages from the Islamic commentaries, the Hadith point to even more similarities between the two sets of prophecy. The Hadith says, “*Imam Mahdi will...do battle with the forces of evil in one final apocalyptic battle....After the Imam Mahdi has reigned for several years, Jesus Christ will return.*” In a companion passage we are told of the Mahdi: “*He will rule for seven years*”.³¹ This directly corresponds with the length of the career of Antichrist as prophesied in Daniel and Revelation.

Now this belief is influencing the actions of the most dynamic Islamic power and sponsor of terror in the world: Iran. Led by Ahmadinejad, Iran seems to be embarking on a course which may indeed result in an epic clash between Islam and the West, represented by the US and Israel. In fact, the Iranian leader believes that he was given the presidency for the divine task of provoking such a “clash of civilizations”.³² Ideas beget actions beget consequences. The consequences of leading this terror-sponsoring, ambitious nation to arrange events to bring about the appearance of a Messianic figure, may just succeed in bringing that clash about. Ahmadinejad, (a member of the Shiite sect of Islam, as are nearly all Iranians), has now announced that the Mahdi is already here on earth, that he knows who he is and that he will make his appearance in Iran. Plans being put in place to receive him have begun. They run from such practical and mundane such as preparing railroads, and hotels and crowd control – to the apocalyptic, expressed in military / terror plans and the drive to produce homegrown nuclear weapons. Leaning on Hassan Abassi, the “Dr. Kissinger of Islam”, the hot religionist Iranian President has coldly analyzed the situation. Together they have put together a formidable strategy to enable

both the ascendance of Iran and the return of the Islamic Messiah. According to Abassi, Iran has what they believe are decisive advantages in the struggle. For instance more warriors – almost four times as many men of military age than the West. These are indoctrinated by a religion and a culture that glories in death and sees religious advantage in martyrdom.. And where the West and America can scarcely define its own culture, much less defend it: Islam breeds a hate that motivates warrior and martyr alike.³³

So for Iran; - religious beliefs are translating into power politics. Iran has become the beloved financier of the popular Hamas wing of the Palestinian cause; - the cause celebre of all Islam. They are supporters of Hezbollah and Syria. In addition Iran is a growing menace. The Pentagon believes that they will likely have a credible long-range missile threat – capable of striking the US mainland by 2015. Wed that to nuclear warheads and an ‘apocalypse now’ mentality and you have the recipe for some serious trouble. It may bring chaos and death to even millions of Iranians – but to the Mad Mullah’s and the Iranian President – it is all just part of the great End Times struggle between good (Islam) and evil (the unbelievers). As it would happen, to Ahmadinejad, the battle against The Great Satan, (America), is just part of the process of bringing about the return of the 12th Mahdi, - The Islamic Messiah.³⁴

Who Dat Man ?

“Now I saw when the Lamb opened one of the seals; and I heard one of the four living creatures saying with a voice like thunder, ‘Come and see.’ And I looked, and behold, a white horse. He who sat on it had a bow; and a crown was given to him, and he went out conquering and to conquer.” (Revelation 6:1-2)

Islamic tradition is very revealing. The Great Mahdi is predicted to make his appearance riding a white horse. Even Islamic scholars will grant that this is one area where the Bible has not been corrupted. To their way of thinking, the Mahdi will return following the opening of the 1st seal judgment described in Revelation 6:1.³⁵ Arab leaders in the Middle East are taking these prophecies very seriously indeed. Many are said to have white horses on hand, in case they are selected as ‘the One’. Forward thinking indeed!

There is much to read into that short passage of Revelation quoted above. Notice the rider will be on a **“white horse”**, have a **“bow”** and a **“crown”** and go out **“conquering and to conquer”**. Hal Lindsey helps us break that passage down. The first seal, he points out, is broken near the beginning of Daniel’s 70th week, shortly after the believing Church has been raptured. That is when both the Mahdi and the Antichrist are expected to come on the scene. Secondly, the *white horse* and the *bow without arrows* are symbolic of his *entre’* as a man of peace. Coming out of a time of turmoil, Daniel 8:25 confirms of the Antichrist: That **“by peace he shall destroy many”**. Even the Greek word for crown used in the passage denotes the crown of a conqueror not royalty. This *Prince* is a usurper. Then there is this. Lindsey sees a clue to the identity of the rider in Genesis 21:20. The first man with a bow mentioned in Scripture is identified there as Ishmael. Now Ishmael is the son of Abraham through Hagar, his servant girl; - and is the father of the Arab race. Interestingly this returning 12th Mahdi is the direct descendant of Mohammed, who is the direct descendant of Kedar, the second son of Ishmael.³⁶ There is some scriptural support for the notion that the Antichrist will be indeed be an Arab. Micah 5:5-6 identifies him as **“the Assyrian”** from the **“land of Nimrod”**. Now Assyria encompasses what is now Iran and Iraq and Nimrod, whose name means “rebel”, ruled his empire from Babylon itself, - the very symbol of mankind’s end-time rebellion.³⁷ Babylon is of course in Iraq. Saddam himself began to reconstruct the city. Revelation clearly identifies Babylon as the seat of Man’s end times anti-God rebellion. Scripture tells us that in the end, it will be destroyed.

The long-held objection to the notion of an Islamic Antichrist has been the clear understanding that he must come from the revived Roman Empire. Daniel 9:26 tells us that he shall be of **“the people of the prince who is to come [who] Shall destroy the city and the sanctuary.”** It was the Roman Army that destroyed Jerusalem and the Temple in AD 70. The general interpretation has been that the Antichrist would come from the European Union, which occupies the territory of what was the Western part of the Roman Empire. In Daniel 2, God gave Daniel a clear understanding of the general outline of history. He showed him King Nebuchadnezzar’s dream of a large statue, representing the 5 world empires that would rule over Israel: Babylon, Medo-Persia, Alexander’s Greece, Rome, and in the last days, a revived Rome. In fact the legs of the statue represented the Roman Empire. This accurately portrayed the split in the Empire between its Eastern and Western halves. Many forget that there even was an Eastern Roman Empire, ruled from Constantinople, (modern Istanbul), that outlasted the West by about a thousand years. This Eastern leg took in all of the Middle East including the territories now occupied by Syria, Iran and Iraq. This certainly opens up the possibility of an Arab / Islamic Antichrist and comports with Micah 5, quoted above.

Now according to Islamic tradition, when the Mahdi comes, he is to initiate a war that will result in the destruction of one-fourth of mankind.³⁸ Again, just look at what Scripture has to say. The opening of the Second Seal produces **“Another horse, fiery red, went out. And it was granted to the one who sat on it to take peace from the earth, and that people should kill one another; and there was given to him a great sword.”** Along with the riders of the next two horses, **“power was given to them over a fourth of the earth, to kill with sword, with hunger, with death, and by the beasts of the earth.”** (Revelation 6:4,8) It is instructive that Islamic tradition again agrees with the Bible here, telling us that the war which the Mahdi will wage will kill a fourth of mankind. With that by way of introduction, next time we’ll take a comparative look at what Islam and Christianity teach about their respective Messiahs.

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