

Rebuilding America's Walls



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The absolute purity of God's wisdom and Truth is so apparent that one can look at it as it was represented, *in action*, thousands of years ago – and we can see that it is still as relevant now as it was then!

In the book of Nehemiah, Nehemiah was deeply troubled by reports of the sad state of the city of Jerusalem and the people therein. He was determined to reestablish the "*Walls of the City*" for the glory of God! I would like to consider how that kind of concern and purpose is as relevant to the American Christian today as it was to the remnant of Jews in Jerusalem back then.

Nehemiah 1:1-3

"The words of Nehemiah son of Hakaliah:

In the month of Kislev in the twentieth year, while I was in the citadel of Susa, ² Hanani, one of my brothers, came from Judah with some other men, and I questioned them about the Jewish remnant that had survived the exile, and also about Jerusalem.

³ They said to me, "Those who survived the exile and are back in the province are in great trouble and disgrace. The wall of Jerusalem is broken down, and its gates have been burned with fire."⁴

Consider the words of Nehemiah in the aforementioned scripture. He is in Persia and he has asked about the state of the city of Jerusalem from some who had recently been there and was told that it was in an awful state. Through these reports, he was able to visualize the actual condition.

The city was desolate. There was degradation. There was danger. The streets were filled with weeds and trash and debris. The gates had

been burned with fire and the walls had crumbled! The people are discouraged and are in poverty and in hunger.

"The walls had crumbled!" In those times the safety of a city depended upon the strength of its walls and the integrity of its gates. The importance of walls around the city was literal. Today, our walls might be more figurative than literal – but the meaning, purpose and importance are every bit equal to the actual walls of a city back then.

Walls can have a symbolic as well as a literal importance. The *real* walls of Jerusalem also spoke of separation; of conservation; walls spoke of the glory of God; the protection of God and of the salvation of God! And Nehemiah had heard that the walls of Jerusalem had fallen!

One might ask, *"How does understanding this excerpt from Biblical events back then affect us today?"* In America 2011, we too have walls which are in a drastic state of decay! We have walls that are teetering on the brink of collapse, and we have walls which indeed, have crumbled!

The walls of our nation's security are being pressed as never before. America has an evil terrorist enemy which does not want a brokered peace – only a professed annihilation of our economy, our way of life and our freedom to pursue our Christian religion!

I believe that the walls of a love for God, which did once securely surround America, and which had been held together with a motor of faithful belief, in Truth and Spirit, rooted in America's fear and reverence for God is coming apart!

Some who profess Christianity today believe that the difficult times which America currently faces is representative of the *"Wrath of God!"* I do not subscribe to that notion. I believe that what America suffers today is no more than an absence of *"Blessing"* from God!

We are losing our freedoms in America day-by-day! Eternal vigilance is the price for liberty! America has forgotten how to be vigilant and we have forgotten God! And, in the last several years – what has been the result?

We have seen the collapse of morality, we have seen the destruction of the home and the family nucleus within and the murder of innocent life occurs day-after-day as though it truly *is* - just a *"woman's choice"*

and another common medical procedure and marvel of modern medicine, meant to make our lives more comfortable!

We have a "**Wall**" to protect those innocent unborn lives! It was firmly and well-built by our Founding Fathers, predicated upon the Truths and tenants of the Bible and it is called: "**THE CONSTITUTION!**"

Americans have not tended to that wall. American Christians have not tended to that wall and it is in a very serious state of decay and disrepair and in danger of crumbling!

All of my life (63 years of age) I have known of the evil of communism and the unrelenting desire by those who embrace communism and socialism, to defeat America and destroy the walls which surround her!

Unfortunately, our children have not been taught the evils of communism in school and college, or even the danger of communism!

Contrary to the *popular opinion* that emanates from our public education system and quote, "*higher education,*" in America today, Communism/Socialism is not primarily a "political party; it is not even an economic theory; it **is** – a form of **perverted religion!**

Karl Marx is their messiah and their bible is *Das Kapital!* It is a religion with a missionary message and that message is that - **there is no God!** They have to preach this; they must preach this – because if they did not – every other plank in their platform would fall! Communism is godless!

Because communism must annihilate God – man *can* necessarily be open as the next casualty! Once you can eliminate or do away with God – man doesn't really matter anymore. Man is simply that blob of matter moving along in that *ever-evolving* ooze of nothingness.

Communism dictates that man is not made in the image of God – he is just another animal – a form of sophisticated machine which can serve the State; and if he must be liquidated, then he can be liquidated! How many nations in my lifetime have suffered the godless communistic/socialistic/humanist tyrannical murder of thousands upon thousands of their own people because they were of no use to the Ruling Party?

Communism/Socialism is unspeakably immoral, murderous, wicked and evil!

...and it has gained a foothold on this side of the American **wall** of Freedom and Liberty and has become deeply rooted within the education systems of this nation and in the **Democrat political party** of America – and is tearing down the **American wall of Liberty and Freedom** – from the inside-out!

What most Americans do not understand is that communism is an idea; and you cannot kill an idea with a bullet. You must overcome an idea – with a better idea. The better idea than communism is not "Capitalism" – it is "**Christianity!**"

Our Founding Fathers understood this. They did not found a nation upon the economic principles of capitalism. They founded America based upon the Biblical principles of God and Christianity and from the purity of the **Liberty** and **Freedom** which naturally sprang from that, **Capitalism** and the **Free-Market** flourished!

If there are Americans who *know* what America was and would like to see America be returned to what it was – then there needs to be a repentance and restoration of Christianity in America today! The only answer to this sweeping godlessness of communism/socialism is a sweeping revival of **GODLINESS!**

It is commonly understood that the average age of the average nation is two hundred years! They say that a nation will begin to decay and their walls of defense will begin to crumble from within in *nine cycles*:

1. People go from bondage to spiritual faith.
2. From spiritual faith to courage
3. From courage to liberty.
4. From liberty to abundance.
5. From abundance to selfishness.
6. From selfishness to complacency.
7. From complacency to apathy.
8. From apathy to dependence.
9. From dependence back again into bondage.

It is not too difficult to see that America is somewhere between number 7 and number 9.

I believe that it is far-past time that some of us who profess Christianity do take our places along the Wall and begin to repair and rebuild America's Godly Wall of protection!

Not only are our national walls in jeopardy – our domestic walls are falling. The American home today is a disaster area. The "*Liberal-Left Ruling-Class Elite Statist*" has launched a war against the family and the home! These minions of Satan openly preach that rather than a family raising a child – the "*village*" must raise the child!

The reason that they want your children in a *communally-controlled* environment is so that – from as early as *pre-school* – they can indoctrinate your children into believing that the *only* hope for the future of mankind (saving the planet, blah, and blah, blah) resides with obedience to the **State** – rather than to **God and Family!**

Walls of decency are decaying. Pornography is everywhere! The almost exclusive theme to any current sitcom wholly resides around promiscuity, fornication, perversion and immoral sexual behavior! That's it! That is all that our entertainment culture can come up with! What are our young children to think? It is on the T.V. for all to see – **So** – it MUST be alright!

As culture, we have ceased to be shocked! What used to be shocking have now become common-place and only a stepping stone for something worse tomorrow! We no longer even blush!

Liberalism is a parasite! It has no power to build – it crawls into institutions, schools and churches, which have been built by others and it destroys the truth and the doctrines there and replaces it with its bankrupt philosophies and it has destroyed many churches in America today!

It is time that God's True people start rebuilding the walls!

Are American Christians ready? Can we muster the same *spiritually-driven* emotional actions as did Nehemiah?

Nehemiah 1:4-9 "When I heard these things, I sat down and wept. For some days I mourned and fasted and prayed before the God of heaven. ⁵ Then I said:

"LORD, the God of heaven, the great and awesome God, who keeps his covenant of love with those who love him and keep his commandments, ⁶ let your ear be attentive and your eyes open to hear the prayer your servant is praying before you day and night for your servants, the people of Israel. I confess the sins we Israelites, including myself and my father's family,

have committed against you. ⁷ We have acted very wickedly toward you. We have not obeyed the commands, decrees and laws you gave your servant Moses.

⁸ "Remember the instruction you gave your servant Moses, saying, 'If you are unfaithful, I will scatter you among the nations, ⁹ but if you return to me and obey my commands, then even if your exiled people are at the farthest horizon, I will gather them from there and bring them to the place I have chosen as a dwelling for my Name.'"

This was a prayer of contrition. American society has forgotten how to blush and the church has forgotten how to weep. When is the last time that your prayers for America; for America to come to repentance and to return this nation as a glory to God, has brought you to tears during your prayers?

Do we pray without crying, do we give without sacrifice, do we live without fasting – can it be a wonder then that we sow without reaping? There is no way that God is going to have consideration for America until America can pray a prayer of contrition!

Nehemiah's prayer was not only a prayer of contrition but it was also a prayer of confession (v. 6) – both personal and nationally! That we do not lose heart with ourselves – Nehemiah's prayer was also a prayer of confidence! (v. 8-9)

The circumstances that Christians face in America today are not different than in the days which Jesus spoke regarding the perversion of "*Liberalism*" creeping into the Church.

Revelation 2:6 "*But you have this in your favor: You hate the practices of the Nicolaitans, which I also hate.*"

I do not believe that God will favor, bless or forgive America, if we do not repent and restore, as America Christians, our spiritual beliefs in practice in the living of our lives - and that includes the governing of this nation!



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