

Pope Francis Calls for Worldwide Prayer

It looks as if I will be doing quite a few videos on this crisis in the Middle East. As you know, President Barack Obama has said he intends to declare war against Syria and to bomb Damascus, and he is seeking congressional approval, because he wants to do more than just fire a shot across the bow, as he previously declared was his only intention. And I am convinced that this will lead to the Daniel 9 war. The Daniel 9 war is very serious, because in chapter 9, verse 26, the great prophet says that Jerusalem will be destroyed. And please don't listen to the false prophets all over You Tube, who say that this war is the Ezekiel 38 war. That is a grave error. The Ezekiel 38 war refers to Armageddon and that comes at the end of the Tribulation. The Daniel 9 war comes at the beginning of the Tribulation, and that is the terrible catastrophe that is about to occur.

Pope Francis has recognized the seriousness of this war in the Middle East, and he has declared this Saturday, Sept 7th, to be a worldwide day of prayer and fasting. And I want to show you this headline from the Huffington Post: '**Pope Francis calls for peace in Syria; announces worldwide day of fasting on September 7, 2013.**' So let me read excerpts from this article: '**Pope Francis on Sunday condemned the use of chemical weapons but he called for a negotiated settlement of the civil war in Syria and announced he would lead a worldwide day of prayer and fasting for peace there on Sept 7th. My heart is deeply wounded by what is happening in Syria and anguished by the dramatic developments on the horizon, Francis said in an apparent reference to the US and France considering a military strike to punish the Syrian regime for a chemical weapons attack. Usually soft-spoken, Francis raised his voice as he declared war brings on war, violence brings on violence. His admonishment against resorting to arms as a solution recalled the repeated emotional implorations a decade ago (now listen to this, this is very interesting) by the late Pope John Paul II in a vain attempt to persuade the US administration, then led by President George W Bush, not to invade Iraq.'**

Pope John Paul II was 100 percent correct, and Pope Francis is correct now. We should never bomb Syria. This will be a worse mistake than bombing Iraq, and it is going to lead to the destruction of Jerusalem as prophesied by Daniel in 9:26. And the Pope continued: '**Francis invited Catholics, other Christians, those of other faiths**

and non-believers who are men of good will, to join him that evening in Saint Peter's Square to invoke the gift of peace for Syria, the rest of the Middle East and worldwide, where there is conflict. The deteriorating drama of Syria inspired Francis to set aside September 7th as a day of fasting and prayer for Syria. He said the prayer vigil in the Square will last from 7pm until midnight'. And that would be approximately Saturday afternoon Eastern Standard Time; of course it varies around the world. I personally will be praying a Rosary for peace in Syria.

And that leads me to my next email, and this is from DanielJohn2300, and he posted a comment on my last video and by the way DanielJohn2300 has some very interesting videos you may want to watch, and here's what he said. '**Hi William, I don't know which video to post this on, but I just listened to Catholic Answers, and they said that Genesis 3:15 should say, 'he will crush the serpent'. They did not deny that Mary along with the rest of the Church crushes the serpent too, but they did say that no Council ever approved the translating of that word as 'she' and that the correct translation is 'he'. I was wondering if you had heard anything about this.'**

Well, I have gone over this numerous times here on You Tube. The correct translation is: '**she will crush the head of the serpent**' and this is found in Genesis 3:15 as DanielJohn2300 notes. Let's take a look at that critical passage from the Old Testament. And the reason I want to look at Genesis 3:15, is because there is a reason I am praying the Rosary for the situation in the Middle East. That's because Mary is prophesied to crush the head of the serpent, and, of course, the serpent is Satan.

In Genesis 3:15, God says: '**I will put enmity between you**', that is the serpent, '**and the woman**'. The woman is Mary. Now this is the first struggle in this passage. Now let's look at the second struggle: '**and your seed and her seed**'. Now I put these in two different colors, so you can see that there are two different struggles referred to. And then God refers back to the struggle between Mary and the serpent: '**And she shall crush your head**'. He is still talking to the serpent. '**And you shall bruise her heel**'. There can be no other way to translate the word except 'she' not 'he'.

Now, in the original language it could be either. You have to go by the context. The context here is very clear. God is still talking to the serpent and the struggle is between the Woman and the serpent. And so I want to thank Pope Francis for calling for this worldwide day of prayer for peace in the Middle East and we are going to need all the help we can get. There's no doubt that President Obama is hell-bent on bombing Syria and Mary's Rosary will ultimately defeat the Antichrist, but not until after Syria is destroyed and we go through the three and one-half years of tremendous Tribulation.