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**CAN ONE BE SAVED APART FROM CHRIST & THE BIBLE?**

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The following statement is from Newsweek Online (8/14/06) via *-The Stand*: “When asked whether he believes heaven will be closed to good Jews, Muslims, Buddhists, Hindus or secular people, Graham says: ‘Those are decisions only the Lord can make. It would be foolish for me to speculate on who will be there and who won’t. I believe the love of God is absolute. He said He gave His Son for the whole world...’” In 1997 Robert Schuller interviewed Billy Graham. Schuller: “Tell me, what do you think about the future of Christianity?” Graham: “...I believe there is the body of Christ...I think everybody that loves Christ, or knows Christ, *whether they’re conscious of it or not, they’re members of the body of Christ... They may not even know the name of Jesus, but they know in their hearts they need something...and they turn to the only light they have, and I think they are saved.*” Schuller: “What, what I hear you saying is that it’s possible for Jesus Christ to come into human hearts...even if they never had exposure to the Bible.” Graham: “Yes... I’ve met people...that have never seen a Bible, or heard about a Bible, and never heard of Jesus, but they’ve believed in their hearts there was a God, and they tried to live a life that was quite apart from the surrounding community...”

Editor: I heard Billy Graham many times in the very early 1950’s. He preached sin, repentance and eternal Hell fire. He said that Christ was the only way to avoid the judgment of God and enter Heaven! This cannot be denied! It is well known that in the beginning he worked only with fundamentalists, but soon included liberal Protestants. He later invited Roman Catholics to participate in his crusades, even having Roman Catholic priests as counselors. There have been many other changes. When people start changing their theology and their fellowship, you had better be careful. (One sign of false teachers is they change their doctrine and practices to fit circumstances). There is no way to deny that Billy Graham has completely changed his beliefs and methods. For a professed Bible believer to say one can be saved without the Bible is incredible! Romans 10:17 says, **“Faith cometh by hearing and hearing by the Word of God.”** I Peter 1:23: **“Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the Word of God...”** You cannot be born again apart from the Word of God. Only the Word of God can give eternal life! Graham says, I believe people can be saved without knowing about the Bible or Christ. Who are you going to believe, Graham or the Word of God? Billy Graham or Jesus? Saved some other way than through Christ? Look at the Scriptures: **“Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: NO MAN cometh unto the Father but by me,”** ~*John 14:6*. **“Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is NONE OTHER NAME under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved.”** ~*Acts 4:12*. **“For there is One God, and ONE MEDIATOR between God and men, THE MAN CHRIST JESUS.”** ~*I Timothy 2:5*. **“Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God THROUGH OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST.”** ~*Romans 5:1*. John 3:16 says: **“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.”** Somebody is wrong! It’s not God!

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**ANOTHER GLOBALIST FOR PRESIDENT!** Just a couple of months ago, Mr. Huckabee appeared before the globalist-minded Council on Foreign Relations. And when he did, it became abundantly clear that Huckabee was a man globalists could trust. "As you read Huckabee's speech, you'll find that he is George W. Bush on steroids! This is a man who intends to meddle in the affairs of nations around the world like you can't believe. Talk about entangling alliances: Huckabee intends for our State, Energy, Housing, Education, Justice, Treasury, and Transportation departments to spend untold billions of tax dollars on just about anything and everything, including schools, medical facilities, roads, sewage treatment, water filtration, electricity, and legal and banking systems in countries all over the globe. And that is exactly the kind of man the Council on Foreign Relations (CFR) wants in Washington." We now learn that Mike Huckabee has named Richard Haass as his advisor on foreign policy. And just who is Richard Haass? He is the President of the CFR. And what does Haass believe? He believes that the United States (and every other country) must surrender its sovereignty to international or global entities. On February 21, 2006, Haass wrote a column for the Taipei Times entitled, "State Sovereignty Must be Altered in Globalized Era." This treatise is nothing more than an explicit solicitation for global government. (*cont'd below*)

## YOUTH CORNER

### FORTHOSE WHO WANT TO BE SAVED SOMEDAY!

Dr. H.A. Ironside said when he was about twelve he went to hear D.L. Moody. There were about 10,000 in the building; it was so crowded, he climbed out on a rafter. During the message Moody said: "I want every one who is a Christian, and who knows he is a Christian, to stand." Then, he said, "There are between 5,000 and 6,000 people standing. What a testimony!" He said, "Now, I want everyone who became a Christian before he was fifteen to sit down," and over half of them sat down. Then he said, "I want everyone who was saved before twenty to sit down." More than half of those remaining sat down. He went on like that moving the years up by ten... When he got to fifty, there were only about twenty people left standing in that great congregation who trusted Christ after they were fifty.

I have dealt with many young people down through the years, and even recently, who in effect said, when I get older, when I have experienced a little of the world, when I get out of college, etc. Then, I will trust Christ as my Savior. *Young person, it doesn't work that way!* Youth is the best time to get saved for in putting it off you are trifling with God and practically guaranteeing you will never be saved. Listen to God: "**He that being often reproved, hardeneth his neck, shall suddenly be destroyed and that without remedy.**" ~Proverbs 29:1. Unsaved young person, acknowledge your sin to God and receive Jesus Christ as your Savior right NOW! Again God warns you: "**Boast not thyself of tomorrow: for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth.**" ~Proverbs 27:1. You say, "Well, I am young, I've got plenty of time." The truth is, you don't know how long you have. Then, after you have done your thing, God may just let you go your own way. There will never be a better time to be saved! "**NOW is the accepted time; behold, NOW is the day of salvation...**" ~II Corinthians 6:2. Don't delay - do it NOW!

### SOME THINGS TO THINK ABOUT!

When God measures a man, He puts the tape around his heart instead of his head. People don't miss church because they live too far from the building, but because they live too far from God! Do not ask, "How far can I go into the world?" Instead, ask, "How far can I keep from it?" If you find a smooth, easy path with no difficulties, it is probably the wrong one.

The reason some people cannot find opportunity is it goes around disguised as hard work. Learn to say NO! It will be of more value to you than learning to read Latin. - Spurgeon  
Trouble is always easier to get into than to get out of.

## NEWS YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT

In his treatise, Haass writes, "For 350 years, sovereignty--the notion that states are the central actors on the world stage and that governments are essentially free to do what they want within their own territory but not within the territory of other states--has provided the organizing principle of international relations. The time has come to rethink this notion." He also wrote, "Moreover, states must be prepared to cede some sovereignty to world bodies if the international system is to function." He went on to say, "[S]overeignty must be redefined if states are to cope with globalization." Haass wrote: "Our notion of sovereignty must be conditional." -*Chuck Baldwin* (01/14/17)

**EVANGELICALS AND CREATION.** *TBC Today* (10/4/07) stated: "Although 44 - 47% of the population seems to believe in something resembling young-age creationism, probably more than 90% of Christian colleges and their professors do not...The Wheaton College (premier New Evangelical *Christian* college) newspaper shows the results of a student survey (42% of the students responding) which shows that whereas 47% believed in a young earth before entering Wheaton (same percentage Gallup finds for the public at large), only 27% believed in a young earth by the time of the survey." Ed. Of course, this is speaking of all Evangelical Colleges for I know of no true Fundamental Baptist college which teaches theistic evolution. That term stands for the belief that God created the earth, but He did it through evolution over the course of millions or billions of years. It was not held by Bible believers till after Darwin's "*Origin of the Species*" (1869). The Liberal churches soon adopted theistic evolution. When the Evangelicals decided they wanted to be accepted by the world, they also adopted it. As far back as 1961 Dr. Mixer taught it at Wheaton. It's been taught at Fuller Seminary, Gordon College, Bethel College and I believe I can say without contradiction at all Evangelical schools. Years ago Dr. Ockenga, then President of Gordon College, said it made no difference whether God did it instantly or by evolution. Billy Graham said the same thing. It may not have made a difference to them but it does to God! (See our booklet: *Creation: Does It Matter What You Believe?* \$2.00 pp.

**RICK WARREN ENLISTS NEW AGE GURU.** The following is from Lighthouse Trails Research Project, April 19, editor@lighthouse Trails.com: "While Rick Warren is gearing up to train a billion people, unbeknownst to many he has also been teamed up with New Age and contemplative promoter, Ken Blanchard, for some time now. According to a new biography on Rick Warren, *A Life with Purpose* written by George Mair, Rick Warren has solicited the services of Ken Blanchard to aid him in training leaders: 'Rick taps the

best and most famous to help train church leaders to be like Jesus. He has hired Ken Blanchard ... to come to Saddleback to help train people how to be effective leaders' (p. 193). There is countless evidence showing Blanchard sits on the New Age/mystical/ contemplative bandwagon. Blanchard believes in the benefits and use of mantra meditation, yoga and has no trouble borrowing from Buddhism. Blanchard wrote the foreword to Jim Ballard's books *Mind Like Water* and *What Would Buddha Do At Work?* He is on the front cover of *Corporate Mystic* and the back cover of Deepak Chopra's *Seven Spiritual Laws of Success* and wrote the Foreword to Ellen Ladd's (clairvoyant) book, *Death and Letting Go*. Blanchard makes no apology when he says much can be gained from Buddhism. He and his wife both encourage the practice of yoga (p. 11) and mantra meditation. Ken Blanchard, Rick Warren, and Bill Hybels (Willow Creek) have become team players at the Lead Like Jesus conferences, which take place across North America. The three also have an audio set they co-authored together." -via *FBIS*. Ed. How people who believe and teach such things and be true believers in Christ, I don't know!

**YOUR DRESS SPEAKS FOR YOU!** It is important to understand that clothing is a language. It is a "social message," a fashion "statement." The knowledge of this is the engine that drives the fashion industry, and the child of God needs to understand it as well. I need to ask myself what message is my clothing broadcasting? Wikipedia defines fashion as "a prevailing mode of expression." It acknowledges that "every article of clothing carries a cultural and social meaning" and observes that "humans must know the code in order to recognize the message transmitted." The upscale unisex Pusch brand was developed by two brothers who realized as teenagers that "music had its own sub-culture, complete with a lifestyle and a style of dress" ("*Groovin' to the Right Tune: A Lifestyle Brand of Clothes Inspired by Calgary's Music Scene Rocks the Competition*," *Alberta Venture*, October 2007, p. 12). The Pusch brand is a reflection of the rock & roll dance scene. An article in *Business Week* (5/30/05) observed that Abercrombie & Fitch is "best known for its REBELLIOUS ATTITUDE" ("Flip-Flops, Torn Jeans, and Control."). They don't merely sell clothing; they sell an attitude via a certain style of clothing. In "The World according to Abercrombie and Fitch," David Seel observed: "SUCCESSFUL BRANDS IN AMERICA DON'T SELL PRODUCTS, THEY SELL LIFESTYLES" (*Critique*, 2000). -Copied. Ed. This is so obvious that it cannot be doubted by any thinking person. Of course, the few of us who have a Church dress code and think dress should reflect worship of God are looked upon as someone from the dark ages.

## A SUBSTITUTE FOR SINNERS

When I was a boy, I saw a sight I shall never forget - a man tied to a cart and dragged, before the people's eyes, through the streets of my native town; his back torn and bleeding from the lash. It was a shameful punishment. For many offenses? No; for one offense. Did any of the townspeople offer to divide the lashes with him? No; he who committed the offense bore the penalty all alone. It was the penalty of human law. When I was a student at the university I saw another sight I can never forget - a man brought out to die...his face was as pale as death...thousands of eager eyes were upon him. Did any man ask to die in his room? Did any friend come and loose the rope, and say, "Put it around my neck, I will die in his stead?" No; he underwent the sentence of the law. For many offenses? No; just one, he stole a money parcel from a stagecoach. He broke the law at one point and died for it. I saw another sight...myself a sinner standing on the brink of ruin, deserving naught but hell. For one sin? No; for many, many sins against the unchanging laws of God. But again I looked and saw Jesus, my Substitute, scourged in my stead and dying on the cross for me. I looked and cried and was forgiven! -By Sir James B. Samson, MD (Discoverer of Chloroform). My Friend, There is only one way to escape a fiery hell, the just desserts of your sin - receive Jesus Christ as your Savior. God sent Him into this world to be your Substitute. II Corinthians 5:21 says, **"For he hath made him to be sin for us who knew no sin, that we might be made the righteousness of God in him."** Yes, Jesus took your place. Look to Him by faith; there is no other way. **"Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved."**

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## YOU ARE BEING WATCHED!

Some years ago in India, a Christian woman was conducting a Bible class for some ladies. Right in the middle of the most interesting portion of the lesson, one of the Hindu ladies got up and went out. After a short time, she returned and listened more intently than ever. At the close of the session, the teacher went over to her and asked: "Why is it you went out in the middle of the lesson. Weren't you interested in what I was saying?" The woman replied, "Oh, yes, I was so interested in the wonderful things you were saying that I went out to speak with your carriage driver to ask whether you really meant what you said and if that was the way you lived at home. He said that you did, so I came back to listen to the rest of your talk." Whether you know it or not, if you profess to be a Christian and to believe the Bible, others are watching to see if you are real; to see if you live the Bible or is it just talk. The Scriptures state: **"No man liveth unto himself, and no man dieth unto himself."** While many are just looking to find fault, there are some, perhaps only a few, who are looking for someone and something that is real. I can personally testify to that relative to my best friend. After he came to Christ, he said that he was constantly looking to see if I lived the way I talked. II Corinthians 3:2 says, **"Ye are our epistle written in our hearts, known and read of all men."** Sad to say, we have seen unbelievers turned off to Christ and the Word of God by worldly, disobedient Christians. Child of God - be real! You don't know who is watching. Dad and Mom, I can tell you some who are watching you - your children!