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## **Signs of the Times: Shining Bible Light on Current Events**

The Lord has wrought many blessed judgments in the world this week which can be seen plainly by any who have been given eyes to see, ears to hear, and a heart to understand by the gracious hand of God. **“Son of man, thou dwellest in the midst of a rebellious house, which have eyes to see, and see not; they have ears to hear, and hear not: for they are a rebellious house.”** (Ezekiel 12:2) This entire world is a rebellious house! Therefore, the Lord, the God of Israel, is punishing the people of it! Let’s view some of this week’s judgments from the proper perspective.

Each year as summer rolls around for the northern hemisphere, you can hear the buzz of global warming begin to creep back into the world’s vernacular as talk of record-breaking temperatures occur more frequently. This year is no different as last month was recorded as the hottest June on record, only to be followed by a heat wave making its way around the world this week. Multiple heat records were broken with at least 3 days making it on the list of hottest days ever recorded. In the United States alone, over 90 million people were under heat alerts. In Phoenix, Arizona, temperatures broke 110 degrees before noon on one day, while the city is on its 15<sup>th</sup> consecutive day of 110-degree Fahrenheit or higher temperatures as of this writing. Even the low has been above 90 degrees for the last 8 days. As the heat wave moves east, Europe and Asian nations are joining the fray with sweltering heat and record highs showing throughout Italy, Greece, Israel, Spain, Northern Africa, China, and Japan. The director of climate services for the World Meteorological Organization was quoted in a report published on Thursday that “this is worrying news for the planet.” However, what is more worrying is not the increasingly hotter temperature on this planet, but the out-right hatred and disobedience towards God this world has shown. And for that, it will get hotter. A lot hotter.

**“The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance. But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up. Seeing then that all these things shall be dissolved, what manner of persons ought ye to be in all holy conversation and godliness, Looking for and hasting unto the coming of the day of God, wherein the heavens being on fire shall be dissolved, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat? Nevertheless we, according to his promise, look for new heavens and a new earth, wherein dwelleth righteousness. Wherefore, beloved, seeing that ye look for such things, be diligent that ye may be found of him in peace, without spot, and blameless. (2 Peter 3:9-14)**

How much longer will the Lord tolerate the wickedness of this generation? As you stray further from God’s light, you run into the welcoming arms of sin and its ultimate outcome: eternal torment in hell. God is not mocked by your lies and wresting of His word. These adumbrations of God’s wrath will not soften the blow of His return, nor prepare you for that great and terrible day of judgment. **“And the fourth angel poured out his vial upon the sun; and power was given unto him to scorch men with fire. And men were scorched with great heat, and blasphemed the name of God, which hath power over these plagues: and they repented not to give him glory.”** (Revelation 16:8-9) In the end, every thought, every deed, and every action will be called into account against you. Therefore, repent of your trespasses against Him.

**“Let no man say when he is tempted, I am tempted of God: for God cannot be tempted with evil, neither tempteth he any man: But every man is tempted, when he is drawn away of his own lust, and enticed. Then when lust hath conceived, it bringeth forth sin: and sin, when it is finished, bringeth forth death.”** (James 1:13-15)