

THE GLOBAL VEIL

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about. Her testimony was convincing, and it made them hungry for God and His salvation. This same example is exactly what London needs; what Britain and the rest of the world need. It works, first, on the personal level, then the community and to national level, and makes the way for **the Veil to be lifted Globally!** It can truly be “a plant of rapid growth!”

Upon this taking place, then *another* prophecy earlier in the book of Isaiah will *also* take place. It says in Isa. 2: 2-4 that the nations will turn their swords into plough-blades, their spears into pruning hooks, and that they will not learn war any more! These very words are used by the Bible prophet who foretold that the Messiah Saviour (Christ) would be born in Bethlehem (Micah 4:3,4). Other Bible prophets *also* speak of this switch-over.

But Joel, “the prophet of Pentecost,” *reversed* the order (3:10), turning farm tools into weapons of war! This foretells the time when God seems to call His determined enemies into a global war. Each of us has a very simple choice; either to submit to and receive the full salvation of God or to remain in rebellion and war with God. The outcome of war against God is obvious, but **The Global Veil** keeps people from seeing this.

The fact that a person may not wear military clothes, or take military training or be part of a national or international military force, is irrelevant. If we do not

submit to God and allow Him to deal completely with sin in our lives, then we are at war with Him (See Rom. 8:7 where the old word, “enmity,” apparently means “irreconcilable and implacable hatred,”- [against God!]) - yet many “religious” people have this inside them, too!).

Actually, many who think of themselves as being *against* war are, in fact, very much at war...with God. The same applies to many who, though supporting causes like the environment, endangered species, climate, veganism and so on, are yet are at war with God. Many people may even regularly attend a place of worship, yet remain at war with God.

The only way to submit to God is on HIS terms, not our own. Unconditional surrender always works that way. God makes no exceptions. We must entirely surrender to God’s Plan of salvation. Many people try to modify and moderate their own surrender; adjusting the terms. Such will never be acceptable to God. God has made this fact perfectly clear, but, again, **The Global Veil** prevents people from understanding this.

The Lord will help you to take off **your veil**. As with The Woman At The Well, it must start individually. God gave His prophet, Ezekiel, a great vision of waters which came flowing from His throne and became waters to swim in (Chap. 47). In that chapter we see again how God is not stopped from bringing true life to the furthest places! Let’s jump into those waters and go swimming... but **without The Global Veil!!**

Jesus said “No one knows the Son except the Father. Nor does anyone know the Father except the Son, and the one to whom the Son will reveal Him” (Matt. 11:27). John 8:19 says: “Then they said [to Jesus], ‘Where is Your Father?’ Jesus answered, ‘You know neither Me nor My Father. If you had known Me, you would have known My Father also.’ ” Jesus here says that we cannot know God if we do not know Him. He said that this knowledge...which is not merely religious nor intellectual...comes to a person from God (Matt. 16:13-17 with Matt. 13:14-17) He CAN save YOU! (Jn. 3:16; 6:37).

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This article is NOT about Islam, though

much attention *has* been focused on Islam across the world for various reasons. Not so long ago, the “burkini” swimwear of Muslim women was in the news. I wrote a special article in 2006, when **the veil** on Muslim women here in the UK was much in the news.

Another veil, of a far different sort, envelops the whole world like a shroud. A shroud is defined as 1) a length of cloth or an enveloping garment in which a dead person is wrapped for burial, and 2) a thing that envelops or obscures something. Those definitions perfectly fit our world...and its human inhabitants.

Here are some verses from the Bible prophet, Isaiah, about The Global Veil:

Isa. 25: 6 “And in this mountain the LORD of hosts will make a banquet feast of fat things for all people; a banquet of preserved things, fat things full of marrow, preserved things refined. **7** And in this mountain He will put an end to **the veil that veils the face of all peoples, and the veil which is stretched over all nations.** **8** He will swallow up and put an end to death forever in victory; and the Lord GOD will wipe away tears from off all faces; and He shall take away the shame of His people from off all the earth: for the LORD has said it. **9** And in that day it will be said, ‘See, this is our God; we have been waiting for Him, and He will be our Saviour: this is the Lord in whom is our hope; we will be glad and rejoice in His salvation’... **11** And He will spread out His hands in the midst of them, as he that is swimming spreads out his hands to swim: and He will bring down their pride together with the craftily acquired spoils of their hands.”

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THE GLOBAL VEIL is the most silent and sly killer in the world—hard to detect, deadly, everywhere! Humanity sags under its load. The whole creation groans! (Rom. 8:22). Read how THE GLOBAL VEIL is revealed & removed! May God start this great work right here in London!



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In those verses from Isaiah, God informs us of a global problem and of His global cure for that problem. It is a radical, racial remedy because the problem is radical, and affects the whole human race. World history, right up to this very day, is pitiful, humiliating and irrefutable evidence of that claim.

In those same verses, God promises a feast of fat things, refined and preserved. The Bible language here portrays man—inwardly full, satisfied and preserved by the greatest richness possible to life. This is accomplished by means of the only thing that could provide it, that is, by a purified and preserved relationship with the Creator. Such a relationship neither hinders the individual nor the world in which they live. Quite the opposite. The greatest interests of both the individual and the world are met in this vast provision which God foretells by the prophet, Isaiah.

God's provision that potentially pardons, purifies and preserves man from sin took place on the cross of Christ. I say "potentially" because God does not automatically apply this provision to the human race nor to any individual or select group without them meeting His terms and conditions. Remember that.

Isa. 25:7 speaks about **The Global Veil** and its removal and destruction.

Isa. 25:8 says that death would be swallowed up in victory. Nearly 750 years after Isaiah foretold this great event, it took place in the death and resurrection of the Lord Jesus Christ. St. Paul later refers to this "victory" in 1 Cor. 15:55-57.

The Global Veil's destruction was costly. Sometimes we hear of a person dying in a pool of blood—not the kind of "pool" you would want to swim in!

Christ's suffering was horrible, yet He joyfully (Heb. 12:2) spread out His hands on the cross "as he that is swimming," as **Isa. 25:11** says, and died in a pool of His own precious blood (1 Pet. 1:19). This provided pardon and cleansing from sin, and brought humiliating defeat to Satan and to all who aid him in the rape, robbery and ruin of the human race. Christ's victory on the cross is referred to in Col. 2:13-15: "Having disarmed principalities and powers, He made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them in it" (i.e. in the cross)."

I mentioned the Muslim "burkini" on page one. My wife and I swim in public, fully and modestly clothed (in everyday clothes), as during our camping holiday. Yet, neither our modest clothes, nor a Muslim "burkini," nor good deeds, nor good conduct nor anything else can replace the need for being "clothed" with such a covering as will cover our sins from the eyes of God (Rev. 3:18; Heb. 4:13). The only covering for sin is the one that God Himself supplied in Christ.

When Jesus was crucified, the veil in the Jewish Temple was suddenly torn from top to bottom by God (Mk. 15: 37, 38). **The Temple veil** was 60 ft high, 30 ft wide and 4 inches thick. **The torn veil** gained access for all of us into the very presence of God. (See Heb. 10). Someone has well said "Before, it was death to go in (behind that veil), now it is death to stay out."

The Cross, Resurrection, Ascension and Pentecost are simply parts of God's one planned Event! About 25 years after the Cross, St. Paul spoke of the blinding veil that yet remained over the eyes and minds of the Jewish people (2 Cor. 3). He contrasted Moses' veiled face with the unveiled face of Christ

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that we may all look upon Him. What a glorious contrast! Paul called it "the glory that surpasses!" (2 Cor. 3: 10). Paul said that with the help of God's liberating and purifying Holy Spirit, we can be changed into Christ's image as we continue to look to Him, without any veil over our heart, mind or spirit (2 Cor. 3: 17, 18). Heaven-sent liberty!

Isa. 25:9 reads like the language of Christmas! Luke 1 and 2 illustrate and confirm this. Luke tells of a few precious elderly people who loved God and were waiting to see His long-promised salvation coming down to man, just like Isa. 25:9 says. Godly old Simeon knew that God's salvation for man would deal effectively with **The Global Veil** and would include everybody! He said to God "my eyes have seen Your salvation which You have prepared before the face of all peoples, a light to bring revelation to the Gentiles [non Jews], and the glory of Your people Israel." (Lk. 2: 30-32). Young Mary (Jesus' mother) blended her own God-inspired song with the high-praises of those elderly saints!

In another part of "the Christmas story," the angels told the shepherds: "Do not be afraid, for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which will be to all people. For there is born to you this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord" (Lk. 2: 10, 11). **God's Gift was Global.**

God's supreme and soul-saving Event provided that "the eyes of our understanding may be opened, that we may know" Him (Eph.1:18,19). **The Global Veil** need not keep the world blinded!

One very important and very relevant point needs to be made about the destruction of **The Global Veil**. I mentioned a radical, racial remedy. Today's world is overflowing with racial trouble, but the

foremost familiar factor is not race, but sin. And nothing stops the vast variety of vice, crime, hate, corruption, deception, pride, jealousy (and more!), as does full salvation from sin! God has provided the remedy so that **The Global Veil** can be lifted and destroyed within individuals and nations.

"The Woman at the Well" in John 4 is a magnificent Bible example of the destruction of **The Global Veil**. True, it is only seen happening on a local level. Yet, what started with this one wicked woman spread to the locals who, in fact, looked down on her! She was God's tool for great local change. But what happens individually and locally can spread nationally. With so many from so many different nations right here in London and throughout Britain, it could be easy for God to spread the lifting of **The Global Veil** internationally! The Samaritans and Jews hated each other. That example is 2,000 years old, yet today's world is no better, even with "education," "science," technology and its many other "helps."

Jesus made it clear that this "Well Woman" was not well in her "soul," nor in her spiritual understanding. By His amazing grace and love, and His perfect and persistent probing, this woman's eyes and heart were opened wide with receptivity! The floodgates of heaven swept over her until she ran to the very people that had given her enormous misery; the people she was daily trying to avoid! She went to them to share the glorious news that she had just met God's long-promised Messiah Saviour Who was to save people from sin. **Her Personal Veil** was destroyed that had kept her a captive to sin, and hating or looking down on other people. Those other people, who knew of her and despised her, came running to meet this Person she told them

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