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*“And when these things begin to come to pass, then look up,
and lift your heads, for your redemption draweth nigh” - Luke 21:28*

PSALM 83:4

‘Not anti-Semitic’: Khamenei defines Iran’s goal of ‘wiping out Israel’

November 19, 2019 -- *The Times of Israel* reports: “When Iran speaks of wiping Israel off the map, it doesn’t mean the mass slaughter of the country’s Jews but rather eliminating the Jewish state’s ‘imposed regime,’ Supreme Leader Ayatollah Ali Khamenei said Friday.

“The disappearance of Israel does not mean the disappearance of the Jewish people, because we have nothing against [Jews],” Khamenei said, speaking alongside senior Iranian officials at the so-called 33rd International Islamic Unity Conference.

“Wiping out Israel means that the Palestinian people, including Muslims, Christians and Jews, should be able to determine their fate and get rid of thugs such as [Prime Minister Benjamin] Netanyahu,” Khamenei continued, according to Iranian media.

Khamenei further argued that ‘had the Islamic world been committed to unity, there would have been no tragedy in Palestine.’ He lamented that Muslims couldn’t even adhere to what he called the lowest level of unity — non-aggression between Muslims.

‘We are not anti-Semitic. Jews are living in utmost safety in our country. We only support the people of Palestine and their independence,’ he said...” (*“Why do the heathen rage, and the people imagine a vain thing? The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the Lord, and against his anointed, saying, Let us break their bands asunder, and cast away their cords from us. He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh: the Lord shall have them in derision. Then shall he speak unto them in his wrath, and vex them in his sore displeasure. Yet have I set my king upon my holy hill of Zion. I will declare the decree: the Lord hath said unto me, Thou art my Son; this day have I begotten thee. Ask of me, and I shall give thee the heathen for thine inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth for thy possession. Thou shalt break them with a rod of iron; thou shalt dash them in pieces like a potter’s vessel. Be wise now therefore, O ye kings: be instructed, ye judges of the earth. Serve the Lord with fear, and rejoice with trembling. Kiss the Son, lest he be angry, and ye perish from the way, when his wrath is kindled but a little. Blessed are all they that put*

their trust in him.” Psalm 2:1-12.)

IRGC commander threatens to ‘destroy’ Israel

November 26, 2019 -- *Israel National News* reports: “General Hossein Salami, the head of Iran’s Revolutionary Guards, on Monday threatened that Iran would ‘destroy’ the U.S., Israel and Saudi Arabia if they cross its ‘red lines’.

Speaking at a pro-government demonstration in Tehran, Salami accused the U.S., Britain, Israel and Saudi Arabia of stoking last week’s protests over a fuel price hike.

‘If you cross our red line, we will destroy you... We will not leave any move unanswered,’ he added.

The unrest erupted on November 15, hours after it was announced that the price of gas would rise to 15,000 rials per liter (12 U.S. cents) from 10,000 for the first 60 liters, and to 30,000 rials for any extra fuel bought after that each month.

Iran has blamed ‘thugs’ linked to exiles and foreign foes – the United States, Israel and Saudi Arabia – for stirring up unrest following hikes in gasoline prices...” (**This will never happen. Almighty God has stated: “...I will give them [Israel] an**

everlasting name, that shall not be cut off” – Isaiah 56:5. Everlasting means everlasting. God promised to Abraham in Genesis 22:17: “... in blessing I will bless thee, and in multiplying I will multiply thy seed as the stars of the heaven, and as the sand which is upon the sea shore...” “And because he loved thy fathers, therefore he chose their seed after them, and brought thee out in his sight with his mighty power out of Egypt; To drive out nations from before thee greater and mightier than thou art, to bring thee in, to give thee their land for an inheritance, as it is this day. Know therefore this day, and consider it in thine heart, that the Lord he is God in heaven above, and upon the earth beneath: there is none else. Thou shalt keep therefore his statutes, and his commandments, which I command thee this day, that it may go well with thee, and with thy children after thee, and that thou mayest prolong thy days upon the earth, which the Lord thy God giveth thee, for ever” – Deuteronomy 4:37 – 40.)

U.S. general warns Iran likely still plotting major Mideast attack

November 25, 2019 -- *The Times of Israel* reports: “Iran is unlikely to have been undeterred by increased U.S. troop deployment in the Middle East and remains on track to carry out a large-scale attack in the region, the head of the U.S. military’s Central Command said in an interview published Saturday. ‘My judgment is that it is very possible they will attack again,’ Gen. Kenneth F. McKenzie told the *New York Times*.”

Over the past summer Iran shot down an American drone with no retaliation from Washington. It has subsequently been blamed for — and denied — attacking international oil tankers and destroying large portions of a major Saudi petroleum facility.

The lack of serious consequences has led Israeli officials to warn an emboldened

Tehran could seek a major attack on the Jewish state soon...” (“*Keep not thou silence, O God: hold not thy peace, and be not still, O God. For, lo, thine enemies make a tumult: and they that hate thee have lifted up the head. They have taken crafty counsel against thy people, and consulted against thy hidden ones. They have said, Come, and let us cut them off from being a nation; that the name of Israel may be no more in remembrance. For they have consulted together with one consent: they are confederate against thee: The tabernacles of Edom, and the Ishmaelites; of Moab, and the Hagarenes; Gebal, and Ammon, and Amalek; the Philistines with the inhabitants of Tyre; Assur also is joined with them: they have holpen the children of Lot. Selah. Do unto them as unto the Midianites; as to Sisera, as to Jabin, at the brook of Kison: Which perished at Endor: they became as dung for the earth. Make their nobles like Oreb, and like Zeeb: yea, all their princes as Zebah, and as Zalmunna: Who said, Let us take to ourselves the houses of God in possession. O my God, make them like a wheel; as the stubble before the wind. As the fire burneth a wood, and as the flame setteth the mountains on fire; So persecute them with thy tempest, and make them afraid with thy storm. Fill their faces with shame; that they may seek thy name, O Lord. Let them be confounded and troubled for ever; yea, let them be put to shame, and perish: That men may know that thou, whose name alone is Jehovah, art the most high over all the earth” Psalm 83:1-18.)*

FM urges international community to issue ‘military threat’ against Iran

November 21, 2019 -- *The Times of Israel* reports: “Foreign Minister Israel Katz on Thursday called on the international community to back up its warnings against Iran’s nuclear program with an ‘effective military threat,’

further upping Jerusalem’s increasingly belligerent rhetoric against Tehran.

The Islamic Republic is the ‘main threat to the region,’ he said, listing the regime’s efforts to obtain nuclear weapons capability, its ballistic missiles program and its support for terror organizations such as Hezbollah, Hamas and Palestinian Islamic Jihad.

‘The U.S. sanctions against Iran are important and effective and the maximum pressure campaign must be continued,’ he said, speaking at the *Jerusalem Post’s* Diplomatic Conference in the capital. He noted that the current civil unrest in Iran, Iraq and Lebanon shows that the economic pressure is working.

‘The publics in the Arab states and in Iran itself are rising up against Iran’s brutal oppression,’ the foreign minister said...” (Though Satan has always stood against Israel — I Chronicles 21:1 – Yahweh God will “...send a fire against Magog [Russia] and her Arabic allies – Daniel 11:40; Isaiah 17:1; Ezekiel 38:5-7 and Psalms 83:5-7. In the heat of the battle to destroy Israel – Psalms 83:4 – the enemies of God will be crushed as Jesus, the Son of God sets up His kingdom. Isaiah 59:20 states: “...the Redeemer shall come to Zion [Jerusalem], sent by His Father – Psalms 2:6 – to reign over the world from Jerusalem forever – Luke 1:32 – 33. See the next three reports.)

“Honduras stands with Israel because it’s the right thing to do”

December 9, 2019 -- *Israel National News* reports: “Honduran President Juan Orlando Hernández touted his country’s close ties with Israel Sunday, speaking at the Israeli American Council National Summit in Florida.

Hernández, who last year ordered the relocation of the Honduran embassy in Israel from Tel Aviv to Jerusalem, recalled his first trip to Israel in 1991, when he was invited to the Jewish state by the Israeli Foreign Ministry, as part

of its MASHAV leadership program.

‘I feel honored to be part of this, because it is a family that I joined when I was 22 years old in Israel,’ Hernández said, referencing the 1991 MASHAV trip.

‘The common cause [with Israel] was felt by everyone when Israel when Israel was under attack,’ Hernández continued, recalling Iraqi Scud missile attacks on Israel during the Gulf War at the time of his visit.

That sense of common cause, the Honduran president added, has only strengthened as the attacks on Israel have intensified.

‘Israel has been hit over the last two years by 2,600 rockets and mortars. Let me repeat what President Trump said last night. Israel has an absolute right to self-defense.’

‘Honduras stood with Israel, because it is the right thing to do,’ said Hernández, referring to last year’s decision to move his country’s embassy to Jerusalem...”

PM: We will act against Iran even without European support

December 9, 2019 -- *Israel National News* reports: “Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu began the weekly Cabinet meeting Sunday by addressing the Iranian threat.

‘This past week, I had important conversations with U.S. and Russian leaders. At the center of all these talks was one issue – Iran,’ Netanyahu said.

‘Iran continues its aggression in the Middle East. Yesterday there was a bloody attack in Iraq against protesters. There are indications that this murderous attack was carried out by Iranian Revolutionary Guard envoys,’ the prime minister added.

‘At this time, in the face of these murders, the pressure on Iran must be intensified and this is what I call on European countries to do. With or without the European countries Israel will not allow Iran any opportunities to develop nuclear weapons...’

IRGC commander: Our missiles are aimed at 21 U.S. bases

December 2, 2019 -- *Israel National News* reports: “General Allahnoor Noorollahi, a top advisor to the commander of the Iranian Revolutionary Guards (IRGC) Officers College, said in a speech in Bushehr this past Friday that 21 of the American bases in the region constitute targets for Iran’s missiles.

Claiming that NATO said Iran can launch 20,000 missiles per day, General Noorollahi suggested that Iran has even greater capabilities, and he said that Iran has prepared itself for ‘the greatest war against the greatest enemy.’

He stressed that Iran’s enemy is the United States and cited a speech by Supreme Leader Ali Khamenei in which Khamenei threatened to raze Haifa and Tel Aviv to the ground if Israel made any ‘mistake.’

The speech, which aired on *Bushehr TV*, was delivered at an event commemorating 40 years since the establishment of the Basij and was translated by the Middle East Media and Research Institute (MEMRI)...”

‘We’ll hit the Zionist enemy until they beg for mercy’

November 12, 2019 -- *Israel National News* reports: “The Islamic Jihad terror group threatened to expand the range of rockets fired at Israel to include Jerusalem, *Israel Hayom* reported.

The threat would be implemented Tuesday afternoon, after the conclusion of terrorist Baha Abu Al Ata’s funeral. It would increase the number of rockets fired towards Tel Aviv, and include Jerusalem in the list of targets.

Abu Al Ata was eliminated by IDF and Shabak (Israel Security Agency) forces at 4:00a.m. Tuesday morning. He was a key terrorist and a ‘ticking time bomb’ who planned and executed terror attacks, as well as trained terrorists.

A senior Islamic Jihad source told *Israel Hayom* that ‘messages were sent from Cairo to the organization’s

Director-General Ziad Nakhla regarding an immediate ceasefire on the basis of ‘quiet for quiet.’ These messages were rejected. We do not take orders from Cairo.’

‘We are ready for a long and painful battle. We will hit the Zionist enemy until they beg for a ceasefire. The gates to hell have been opened.’

According to the source, all senior Islamic Jihad officials in Gaza, Syria, and other countries have received orders to enter their underground hiding places due to concerns of targeted eliminations...” **(They may threaten Israel, but Psalm 121 states: “I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth. He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: he that keepeth thee will not slumber. Behold, he that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep. The Lord is thy keeper: the Lord is thy shade upon thy right hand. The sun shall not smite thee by day, nor the moon by night. The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil: he shall preserve thy soul. The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore.”** Notice especially verse 4 – **“Behold, he that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep.”** **During his confrontation with the prophets of Baal, Elijah mocked the prophets after they were unable to get a response from Baal. I Kings 18:27 states: “And it came to pass at noon, that Elijah mocked them, and said, Cry aloud: for he is a god; either he is talking, or he is pursuing, or he is in a journey, or peradventure he sleepeth, and must be awaked.”** God does not sleep, and He will preserve Israel. See the next two reports.)

Jordanian TV host: Gouge out the eyes of the Zionists

November 14, 2019 -- *Israel National News* reports: “Jordanian TV host Rana Hmouz said in a show which

aired Tuesday on *Jordan Today TV* that the recent transfer of the enclaves of Tzofar and Naharayim from Israeli to Jordanian control fills Jordanians' hearts with joy.

Hmouz, who used the Arabic names for the two enclaves, Baqoura and Ghumar, said that the Jordanian people want similar decisions that will allow them to trample the Israel-Jordan peace agreement, the gas and water agreements, and all of Israel underfoot. 'We want to gouge out the eyes of the Zionists and their [Arab] supporters [and to] annul the peace agreement in support of the blood of our martyrs and the Arab identity of Palestine,' she said. The comments were translated by the

Middle East Media Research Institute (MEMRI)..."

Netanyahu: Half of the Palestinians want to wipe us out

November 11, 2019 -- Israel National News reports: "Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu took part Monday morning in a Knesset meeting, organized by MK Meirav Michaeli (Labor) marking the 25th anniversary of Israel's peace treaty with the Kingdom of Jordan.

During the gathering, Netanyahu argued that there is a direct link between a resolution to the Israel-Palestinian conflict, and the larger conflict between Israel and the Arab world.

'There are two paths to advance peace,' said Netanyahu. 'If we solve the debate with the Palestinians, we can break through to the Arab world.'

Peace could be achieved in the opposite order, however, Netanyahu added.

'If we are able to achieve normalization with the Arab world, then the conflict with the Palestinians will be solved. I think that we need to do both.'

Netanyahu also discussed Israel's relations with Jordan, following a string of critical comments by Jordanian leaders, including King Abdullah, and the termination of Israel's lease over border enclaves..."

SIGNS IN THE SUN, MOON AND STARS

Beijing Says It Is Interested in Further Development of Strategic Cooperation With Russia in Space

November 27, 2019 -- SpaceDaily.com reports: "Chinese Vice Foreign Minister Le Yucheng said on Monday at a press conference in Moscow that Beijing is interested in further strategic cooperation with Russia in the space industry, noting that NATO's recent remarks on recognizing space as the alliance's operational domain represent a 'very dangerous phenomenon'.

'I think this is a very dangerous phenomenon on the part of NATO. We have always firmly opposed the deployment of weapons in outer space and the development of an arms race in space. That is why we, together with Russia, proposed the initiative to negotiate arms control in outer space and sign a relevant international document', Le pointed out.

The Vice Foreign Minister stressed that Washington rejected China and Russia's proposals and pointed out that it was necessary to prevent space from becoming a new battlefield and for Beijing to further cooperate with

Moscow in this regard..." (Jesus said: *"And there shall be signs in the sun, and in the moon, and in the stars; and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity; the sea and the waves roaring; Men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth: for the powers of heaven shall be shaken. And then shall they see the Son of man coming in a cloud with power and great glory. And when these things begin to come to pass, then look up, and lift up your heads; for your redemption draweth nigh--"* Luke 21:25 – 28. See the next two reports.)

NATO recognises space as a new operational domain says Stoltenberg

November 22, 2019 -- SpaceDaily.com reports: "The North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) has identified space as an operational domain, alongside air, land, sea and cyber area, the alliance's Secretary-General, Jens Stoltenberg, said.

'We have agreed that space should be a new operational domain for NATO alongside air, land, sea and cyber. Space is part of our daily life here on Earth.

It can be used for peaceful purposes. But it can be also used aggressively', Stoltenberg told a news conference on the results of the NATO foreign ministers' meeting in Brussels on Wednesday.

The alliance's chief continued by explaining that satellites could be jammed, hacked or weaponized, which could lead to disrupted communications and affect various services and areas.

Moreover, space was essential to NATO's defence and deterrence, such as the alliance's ability to detect missile launches and gather intelligence, Stoltenberg argued.

Stoltenberg emphasized that NATO remained a defensive alliance and did not intend to put weapons in space, acting in line with international law.

'Making space an operational domain will help us ensure that all aspects are taken into account to ensure the success of our missions', the NATO chief noted..."

Is the U.S. bracing for a space war with Russia and China?

November 13, 2019 -- SpaceDaily.com reports: "In July, the Russian

Defence Ministry lambasted American plans to use space as a theatre of war, condemning Washington for its refusal to engage in the Moscow-Beijing talks on the non-deployment of weapons in space.

The U.S. intelligence community (IC) plans to update its assessment of what it described as the space warfare capabilities of Russia and China, *Bloomberg* reports.

The news outlet cited Air Force spokeswoman Christina Hoggatt as saying that the National Intelligence Estimate on the matter is ‘being worked [out] by the IC at this time.’

The updated intelligence estimate will be used by the new U.S. Space Command ‘alongside current operations and critical information from our international, civil, and commercial partnerships, to identify and drive’ future ‘training and acquisition

requirements,’ she said.

Bloomberg cited an annual report of the congressionally mandated U.S.-China Economic and Security Review Commission as claiming that China ‘views space as a critical U.S. military and economic vulnerability and has fielded an array of direct-ascent, cyber, electromagnetic and co-orbital counter-space weapons capable of targeting nearly every class of U.S. space asset.’...”

NEWS FROM RUSSIA

Putin vows to perfect mystery rocket after engine blast

November 22, 2019 -- *BBC News* reports: “Russian President Vladimir Putin has promised to press on with the development of a nuclear-powered rocket believed to have been at the centre of a deadly accident.

Five engineers and two others died when a rocket engine exploded at a test range on the White Sea on 8 August.

Defence experts think it was part of a nuclear-powered cruise missile.

‘We will certainly be perfecting this weapon regardless of anything,’ Mr. Putin told widows of the victims.

The possession of ‘such unique technologies’, he added, was ‘in itself... a most significant and reliable guarantee for peace on the planet’.

The Russian leader was speaking on Thursday at a ceremony at the Kremlin to present posthumous awards to the dead men’s families.

He did not specify what weapon had been involved, saying only that the ‘technical ideas and solutions’ involved in the project were ‘without an equivalent in the world’...” **(Russia in Bible prophecy is the main instigator of death and suffering during Armageddon – Revelation 16:16. Ezekiel chapters 38 & 39, which I have proclaimed for sixty years, aided by Oriental and Islamic nations, bring total chaos and atomic**

devastation upon the world. Worse yet, it’s just ahead of us. Every nation I included in World War III is forming exactly as taught this global blood bath six decades ago. The only good news is that the Rapture precedes Armageddon – “Because thou hast kept the word of my patience, I also will keep thee from the hour of temptation, which shall come upon all the world, to try them that dwell upon the earth” – Revelation 3:10. Then our deliverance as believers – Revelation 4:1 and our joy because of missing Armageddon. See the next report.)

Macron says EU must be part of any future U.S.-Russia nuclear missile treaty

November 30, 2019 -- *SpaceDaily.com* reports: “French President Emmanuel Macron said Thursday that European nations should be involved in any talks to forge a new pact limiting mid-range nuclear missiles held by the U.S. and Russia, after a landmark Cold War-era accord fell apart this year.

‘We cannot just content ourselves with bilateral treaties,’ Macron said after talks with NATO Secretary General Jens Stoltenberg in Paris.

Washington and Moscow walked away from the 1987 Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces (INF) treaty in August after each accused the other of violating the terms of the deal.

Russia has called on the U.S. and

other NATO member to implement a moratorium on deploying medium-range missiles, something Stoltenberg has so far ruled out.

But Macron has made no secret of his wish to engage with Russian President Vladimir Putin on a range of disputes, saying he would raise the issue at a NATO meeting in London next week...”

Turkey didn’t buy Russian defence system ‘to keep in box’

November 29, 2019 -- *SpaceDaily.com* reports: “Turkey on Wednesday rejected criticism from the United States over its testing of a newly-acquired Russian missile defence system.

‘You don’t buy a product to keep it in a box,’ Foreign Minister Mevlut Cavusoglu told a press conference.

Turkey’s acquisition of the S-400 missile defence system from Russia this summer was met with consternation by its NATO allies and threats of sanctions from Washington.

U.S. officials had lately suggested Turkey could be spared sanctions — automatic for countries that buy Russian weapons — if it did not activate the system.

But Turkey tested the S-400 on Monday and Tuesday at a military base in Ankara province, using military jets including American-made F-16 fighters...” **(Russia is warming up for Armageddon. Soon a peace program will be contracted for the Middle**

East nations – Daniel 11: 21, 24. It will be a peace contract for seven years but broken after 42 months – Daniel 9:27. Russia is the nation that then says: “...I will go up to the land of unwallled villages; I will go to them that are at rest, that dwell safely, all of them dwelling without walls, and having neither bars nor gates, To take a spoil, and to take a prey; to turn thine hand upon the desolate places that are now inhabited, and upon the people that are gathered out of the nations...” – Ezekiel 38:11, 12. See the next two reports.)

Turkey tests Russian missile defences despite U.S. threats

November 26, 2019 -- *SpaceDaily.com* reports: “Turkey began testing on Monday its Russian missile defence system, local media reported, despite repeated calls from the United States that it could lead to sanctions.

Planes, including F-16 fighter jets, circled the Murted military base in

Ankara province to test the newly acquired S-400 system and train Turkish operators, news agency *DHA* reported.

Turkey’s acquisition of the S-400 in July was met with consternation by its NATO allies.

The U.S. argues there is a risk that sensitive technological information could be leaked if it is used alongside Western equipment such as the new F-35 jet.

Turkey has ordered 100 F-35s and its defence industry was part of the supply chain for the new jet, until it was kicked off the programme due to the S-400 purchase...”

Pompeo: Turkey test of Russian defense system ‘concerning’

November 27, 2019 -- *SpaceWar.com* reports: “U.S. Secretary of State Mike Pompeo on Tuesday voiced alarm over Turkey’s testing of its Russian missile defense system but said the NATO ally

could still return to Washington’s good graces.

‘It’s concerning,’ Pompeo told reporters when asked about reports that Turkey used U.S.-developed F-16 fighter jets to test the S-400 system controversially purchased from Moscow.

But he added: ‘We are hopeful. We’re still talking to the Turks. We’re still trying to figure our way through this thing.’

‘We have made very clear to the Turkish government our desire to see them move away from the putting into full operationalization of the S-400 weapons system,’ he said.

Turkey defied U.S. warnings to buy the weapons system from Russia, which culminated in Ankara’s expulsion from the F-35 fighter-jet program.

U.S. officials fear that Turkey’s purchase will let Russia fine-tune the S-400’s ability to counter Western jets and missiles...”

THE ISLAMIC THREAT

It Can’t Happen Here? Muslim Organization Wants International Law Criminalizing Criticism of Islam

November 26, 2019 -- *PJMedia.com* reports: “The Organization of Islamic Cooperation (OIC), which is made up of 56 nations plus the Palestinian Authority, met Thursday in Jeddah and called for the adoption of an international law criminalizing criticism of Islam. But that kind of law could never be adopted in the United States, could it? Think again.

The OIC’s secretary-general, Dr. Yousef al-Othaimeen, called upon the nations of the world, both Muslim and non-Muslim, to crack down on speech that was ‘insulting religions or prophets.’ It was clear, however, that al-Othaimeen couldn’t have cared less about speech insulting Christianity or Judaism or Hinduism or Buddhism or any of the

revered figures of those religions. He cared only about criticism of Islam.

‘There are laws against anti-Semitism and racism,’ said al-Othaimeen. ‘So we request a law against mocking religions.’ He didn’t explain why laws against racism should lead to laws against criticizing belief systems, since, after all, contrary to the assumptions of Rachel Dolezal, Shaun King, and Elizabeth Warren, one cannot change one’s race, but one can change one’s beliefs, including religious beliefs. Al-Othaimeen likely knows this, but cited racism because he knows how to pull the right strings to get the Western intelligentsia to do what he wants...”

(The American Thinker web page gives the Top ten reasons why sharia is bad for all societies:

- 1. Islam commands offensive, aggressive and unjust jihad which is a holy war**
- 2. Islam orders apostates to be killed**

- 3. Islam orders death for Muslims and death for non-Muslim critics of Muhammad and the Quran, and even Sharia itself**
- 4. Islam orders unmarried fornicators to be whipped, put to death, and adulterers to be stoned**
- 5. Islam commands all homosexuals to be executed**
- 6. Islam commands that highway robbers should be crucified or mutilated**
- 7. Islam commands that a male and female thief must have a hand cut off**
- 8. Islam allows an injured plaintiff to exact legal revenge, physical eye for physical eye**
- 9. Islam allows husbands to beat their wives**
- 10. Islam commands that drinkers and gamblers be beaten.)**

Islamic State Media Encourages Jihadis to Set Forest Fires in U.S. and Europe

November 11, 2019 -- *Breitbart.com* reports: “*Quraysh Media*, a media organization that supports the Islamic State, is encouraging ISIS followers to start wildfires in the U.S. and Europe as a new way of ‘waging jihad.’

The Middle East Media Research Institute (MEMRI) spotted four posters distributed by *Quraysh Media* since April containing the (literally) incendiary message to Islamic State devotees, or ‘monotheists’ as *Quraysh Media* prefers to call them.

Two of the posters included images of American firefighters battling wildfires.

‘Ignite fires in the forests of America, France, Britain and Germany, for they are painful to them,’ instructed the fourth poster, which was released on Monday.

Various Western media outlets speculated the Islamic State was inspired by the rash of wildfires in California, although there seems to be no clear evidence of this. ISIS has been known to celebrate American deaths in previous wildfires, and has taken credit for setting crop fires in Syria and

Iraq...” (This is nothing new, ISIS has called for attacks around the world for several years. An issue of the ISIS magazine *Rumiyah* encourages the use of heavier, deadlier trucks to carry out attacks. It states: “*The ideal vehicle,*” says the page, *has a “slightly raised chassis and bumper,” is a “double-wheeled, load-bearing truck” that “large in size, heavy in weight” and is “fast in speed or rate of acceleration.” And they are encouraged to use them in: “... large outdoor festivals, conventions, celebrations, and parades...” Killing is rewarded in Islam. Not only do they receive 72 virgins as righteous and martyred godly men, but what even more shocking is they get to choose 70 relatives and friends to go to heaven. Their plan of winning the lost is a sick one and against God’s plan which is: “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” – John 3:16. See the next report)*

Report: Taliban Overtakes Islamic State as ‘Deadliest Terror Group’

November 21, 2019 -- *Breitbart.com* reports: “The Institute for Economics and Peace (IEP) in Sydney, Australia,

on Wednesday published the 2019 edition of its Global Terrorism Index.

The survey of terrorist incidents over the past year found that the Taliban has surpassed the Islamic State as the world’s deadliest terrorist group. The Islamic State (ISIS) was seen as the deadliest threat in every edition of the report since 2013.

The rise of the Taliban and fall of ISIS in the 2019 report, which uses data from the calendar year 2018, were almost perfectly symmetrical: the Taliban racked up 70 percent more murders to reach 6,103, while the Islamic State killed 70 percent fewer people and sank to 1,328 kills. The Taliban is now responsible for about 38 percent of all terrorism-related deaths around the globe.

IEP noted the decline of the Islamic State is not even across all of its branches. Some ISIS affiliates, notably including the Khorasan Chapter that is battling the Taliban to control parts of Afghanistan, increased their level of activity during 2018. If the Khorasan Chapter is broken out from the Islamic State as a separate group, it would be the deadliest terrorist threat over the ten-year period ending in 2018, followed by Nigeria’s Boko Haram (an ISIS affiliate), the rest of ISIS, and the Taliban...”

CONTENDING FOR THE FAITH

Forbes Calls for Recognition of Christian Persecution as Global Problem

December 2, 2019 -- *Breitbart.com* reports: “*Forbes* magazine has appealed for recognition of the phenomenon of Christian persecution around the globe as a crisis demanding focused attention. Report after report ‘has been raising the issues that relate to the persecution of Christians globally,’ notes *Forbes* contributor Ewelina U. Ochab, which includes ‘atrocities that amount to genocide and crimes against humanity.’ Faith-based persecution affects Christians

more than any other religious group on the planet, Ms. Ochab observes, and therefore anti-Christian persecution deserves to be addressed as a critical issue in its own right.

Ochab cites a recent report by the Bishop of Truro for the British Foreign and Commonwealth Office, which identified ‘a global phenomenon of discriminatory behavior and physical attacks, some sadly deadly, on Christian children, women and men, often from the world’s poorest communities.’

‘Studies consistently show that Christians suffer significantly higher

levels of persecution and intolerance,’ she adds, and far from diminishing, the persecution of Christians has increased in 73 countries, according to Open Doors’ World Watch List 2019, and now affects 245 million Christians...” (“*If the world hate you, ye know that it hated me before it hated you. If ye were of the world, the world would love his own: but because ye are not of the world, but I have chosen you out of the world, therefore the world hateth you. Remember the word that I said unto you, The servant is not greater than his lord. If they have persecuted me, they will also*

persecute you; if they have kept my saying, they will keep yours also. But all these things will they do unto you for my name's sake, because they know not him that sent me. If I had not come and spoken unto them, they had not had sin: but now they have no cloak for their sin. He that hateth me hateth my Father also. If I had not done among them the works which none other man did, they had not had sin: but now have they both seen and hated both me and my Father” – John 15:18-24.)

Islamist Militants Hack to Death 12-Year-Old Christian Boy in Cameroon

December 2, 2019 -- *Breitbart.com* reports: “Jihadists from the Boko Haram terror group hacked to death a 12-year-old boy with machetes for his refusal to become a ‘child soldier’ of the group.

Although news of the slaughter has only just reached the west, the militants are believed to have abducted the Christian schoolboy in a raid on the northern Cameroon district of Tourou on or around November 19.

The boy and his mother reportedly escaped from their home as the militants began their raid on the village, going door to door looting homes of anything of value, including clothes and bedding. The jihadists eventually caught up with the boy, killing him after hearing of his unwillingness to join their army. Members of the jihadist group frequently abduct male children and oblige them to train as soldiers.

Boko Haram has been intensifying assaults on Christian villages in the far north of Cameroon in an effort to extend a west African Islamic caliphate from north-eastern Nigeria all the way to northern Cameroon.

In early November, Boko Haram militants killed retired Christian pastor David Mokoni along with a hearing-impaired Christian boy during an attack on a church in Moskota, in northern

Cameroon. A few days earlier, Islamic militants split the skull of a 15-year-old Christian boy with an axe as he slept in Kotserehé village...” (This article follows the fourth law of Islam – the killing of all infidels, meaning all non-Muslim religionists according to them. Nothing matters to these self-proclaimed holy and righteous men. How wrong they are. It is the Muslims who will be judged by the true God for the way they committed every abominable sin wicked minds created – “*Knowing this, that the law is not made for a righteous man, but for the lawless and disobedient, for the ungodly and for sinners, for unholy and profane, for murderers of fathers and murderers of mothers, for manslayers, For whoremongers, for them that defile themselves with mankind, for menstealers, for liars, for perjured persons, and if there be any other thing that is contrary to sound doctrine; According to the glorious gospel of the blessed God, which was committed to my trust” I Timothy 1:9-11.)*

Gunmen Kill 14 in Burkina Faso Church

December 2, 2019 -- *Voice of America News* reports: “Unknown gunmen opened fire on a church in eastern Burkina Faso Sunday, killing at least 14 people.

Officials say the attack took place in the town of Hantoukoura, near the border with Niger.

Soldiers are hunting for the attackers who fled on motor scooters after gunning down worshipers during a Sunday mass.

No one has claimed responsibility, but Islamic extremists are suspected...” (“*Fear none of those things which thou shalt suffer: behold, the devil shall cast some of you into prison, that ye may be tried; and ye shall have tribulation ten days: be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life.” – Revelation 2:10.)*

Most Brits don't believe the Bible is relevant to their own lives

November 6, 2019 -- *ChristianToday.com* reports: “A new study by the Bible Society has found that only a minority of Brits see the Bible as relevant to their own lives.

In the survey of nearly 20,000 adults, only 18% said that the Bible was ‘relevant to them personally’.

This was despite 40% of those surveyed saying that they were Christian.

Over half (52%) of the respondents agreed that it was important to know the Bible because it has shaped British culture, and a majority (61%) said that it was good for children to know Bible stories.

The survey underscored Britain’s increasing secularisation, with just under half (49%) saying that they were not religious, and the same proportion saying that there was ‘definitely, or probably, not a God or gods’.

By comparison, only 38% said that there ‘definitely or probably is’ a God or gods...” (What a sad state Christianity is in all the world. “*I charge thee therefore before God, and the Lord Jesus Christ, who shall judge the quick and the dead at his appearing and his kingdom; Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all long suffering and doctrine. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; And they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables. But watch thou in all things, endure afflictions, do the work of an evangelist, make full proof of thy ministry” – II Timothy 4:1-5.)*