



The Gog/Magog War (Ez. 38-39 & Rev. 20:7-8)

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I. News of the Week :

- a. **Reminder: online class notes available!!!** (www.sjcalvaryberean.com)
- b. **Understanding the Times: "A woman rides the beast"** (Mike Gendron & Jan Markell)
 - i. Today at 1:00 on 88.1 FM or anytime at www.OliveTreeViews.org or YouTube at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KF0dng6RItE>
 - ii. Could the Pope be the 3rd member of the unholy trinity (Satan, the Antichrist, the False Prophet)?
 - iii. The establishment of the 'one world religion'.
 - iv. Could the Roman Catholic Church be the 'woman who rides the beast'?
 - v. This is in fact an outreach to Catholics, but may be seen as an attack on Catholicism by staunch Catholics
- c. **Larry Pegram & Informed Parents of Silicon Valley**
 - i. www.IP-SV.org
 - ii. Focused on a family values based, child centered curriculum in our public schools
- d. **Correction/Clarification on last week's question of why Dan is not listed in Revelation 7:4-8:**
 - i. Truth is, the Bible doesn't say why Dan is not listed. Commentators have proposed the following reasons for the exclusion of the tribe of Dan:
 1. Dan's embrace of idolatry and immorality leads to its disqualification
 2. The Antichrist will come from the tribe of Dan (based on certain readings & interpretations of Genesis 49:17; Deuteronomy 33:22; and Jeremiah 8:16).
 3. By the time of Solomon, the tribe of Dan had assimilated with the neighboring Phoenicians (as hinted at in 2 Chron 2:14) and so lost their national identity.
 4. The tribe of Dan, once the 2nd most populous tribe, declined in number & stature until, by Ezra's time (400-300 BC), it had been totally wiped out. This would explain why Dan is not listed in 1 Chron 4:1-7 or Rev 7:4-8.
- e. **Is God's hand of protection on the Ukraine?**
 - i. <https://bit.ly/3KcQgNk>

II. The significance of the Russian-Ukraine War's significance to the Gog/Magog war In Ezekiel & Revelation

- a. Talk by Joel Rosenberg (author of 24 books including *Epicenter* and *he last Jihad*)
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xvo2IQGPdOs>
- b. Some key takeaways:
 - i. Two SEPARATE wars are titled the "Gog Magog War" ... one against Israel, one against Christ
 - ii. The duplicated use of the names Gog and Magog in [Revelation 20:8-9](#) is to show that these people demonstrate the same rebellion against God and antagonism toward God as those in [Ezekiel 38-39](#)
 - iii. "Gog" is a Title given to a person; "Magog" refers to a people/nation(s)
- c. Additional scriptural information on the Gog & Magog war can be found at:
 - i. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ql4bq-kZ7nA> (a good 15 min video from FaithWire)
 - ii. www.GotQuestions.org/Gog-Magog/html (good article from Got Questions)
 - iii. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c3_XU_BDbD0 (a longer 1 hour, 15 min discussion from The Bible Project)
