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## To the Greater Glory of God

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### Featured Greek Word:

αποκριμα (ap-ok'-ree-mah)  
from 611 (in its orig. sense of judging); a judicial decision:- sentence  
(II Co 1:9)

### Featured Verse:

The world cannot hate you; but me it hateth, because I testify of it, that the works thereof are evil. -- Jo 7:7  
(ου δυναται ο κοσμος μισειν υμας· εμε δε μισει, οτι εγω μαρτυρω περι αυτου οτι τα εργα αυτου πονηραν εστιν.)  
Μισει is of the present active indicative which seems to indicate that the hatred of Messiah existed at the time he said it but would not necessarily continue. When this is combined with the present infinitive μισειν however, the indication is that the continuous hatred is not directed towards the believers but towards the Messiah.. πονηραν indicates a moral degeneracy, an evil, or a sickness of the soul. It can even be culpable or vicious. Εργα is simply a deed or it can be an occupation. It seems to echo I John with it's references to making a lifestyle or occupation of our sin. Μαρτυρω seems to involve giving testimony as a witness in the court room. Is the indication that Yahushua HaMashiach gives testimony before His Father in heaven that the world is evil? Then the only hope is to befriend this witness.

## Humanity Drives

### Boldness

by Michael J. Ranck

“And he reasoned in the synagogue every sabbath, and persuaded the Jews and the Greeks.” -- Acts 18:4. These words seem to oversimplify and understate the meaning that they convey. After all, “every sabbath” is a continuous and arduous commitment. These two words do not adequately explain the mockings, the beratings, the beatings, or the rejections, that inevitably occurred Saturday after Saturday. The words, “reasoned” or “persuaded” can not express the impossible task of coming up with counter argument after counter argument or answer upon answer. Nor can the words, “Jews and the Greeks” explain what it is to be “caught in the middle” because of the claim of an impartial Elohim who forgives, all.

What could drive such passion and commitment? Romans 9 gives us a clue. Particularly verse three where Paul states, “For I wish that I myself were accursed from Christ for my brethren, my kinsmen according to the flesh...” He was speaking of the Jews of course and of his great love for them. Other passages of scripture speak of an equal love for Gentiles. The fact is that his compassion and humanity drove him onward with boldness to preach the Gospel. Even at Paul's own trial he pleaded with the judge and the prosecutors for them to receive their Messiah.

So many people hop from church to church and assembly to assembly. As soon as one person offends them or says something false or without scriptural basis they are ready to move on. What if all Christendom learned to obey the command to, “Use hospitality one to another without grudging?” Has every man forgotten to prefer his brother?

First we must realize what Messiah is worth. Then we must know that we are created in His image. To despise the least of children, women, or men is to despise YHWH Himself. He said so in Matthew 25:31-46. If you believe not then you will never see Matthew 4:24. You will never understand humanity, compassion, and love. To truly live, to truly have passion and purpose, there is a need to believe in something larger than self.

Alex Jones is famous for his speech that he gave through a bullhorn directed towards the Bilderberg Group as they met in Canada in 2006. “Your New World Order will fall.”, he proclaimed emphatically, “Humanity will defeat you.” The

concept of a New World Order is reality at least in the sense that the Prince of the Power of the Air walks about, as a lion seeking whom he may devour (I Peter 5:8). The best defense against such wide spread evil is compassion, humanity, and love. These result in a driving passion to lay down even your very life for your brother. It is the right, duty, and privilege of the Bride of the Messiah to show this Light to the world. May that Light never be extinguished but even if it is, there is One who is returning with fiery passion in his gaze. None may look upon Him and but see their own filthiness and fall before Him.



Sculpture of “The Knotted Gun” by Frederick Reuterswård located in front of the UN headquarters building in New York City

## Shifty CIFTA Treaty

by Michael J. Ranck

Global Gun Control is their ultimate aim, as is obvious by “The Knotted Gun” sculpture on American soil in front of the United Nations (UN) headquarters building. For decades they have been chiseling away at America's liberties through sell out leaders who sign on to international treaties as a back door to bypass legislation. So President Barack Obama is only following in the footsteps of republican President Bush and Democratic President Clinton and continuing the Machiavellian tradition.

During President Obama's April 2009 visit to Central America he resigned the Inter-American Convention Against the Illicit Manufacturing of and Trafficking in Firearms, Ammunition, Explosives and Other Related Materials, also known by its Spanish acronym, CIFTA. President Clinton had already tried this in 1997 but it did not receive the ratification by senate.

The CIFTA treaty is being driven by false allegations from the UN that the United States is responsible for arming 90% of the Mexican drug cartel. It is immediately ridiculous to link American legal gun owners as suppliers of the Mexican Drug Cartel because rocket launchers and machine guns are not legal weapons for America's civilians. None the less a study conducted by William La Jeunesse and Maxim Lott was recently

reported on Fox News. This study found that the United States is only responsible for 17% of their weapons. The rest originate as would be expected from: Russian crime syndicates, South America, China, Guatemala, and even from Mexico's own army.

If ratified this treaty would cause, “strict licensing requirements, mark firearms when they are made and imported to make them easier to trace, and establish a process for sharing information between national law enforcement agencies investigating [gun] smuggling.” Beyond this the real danger is that any treaty of this type would bring American Gun Laws under the jurisdiction of international treaties. When the UN pushes these treaties they are pursuing a path much different from our own Bill of Rights as is evident by their “pet” sculpture The National Rifle Association (NRA), has stated, “the NRA will continue to vigorously oppose any international effort to restrict the constitutional rights of law-abiding American gun owners.”

Meanwhile as CIFTA is stewing on the senate floor. H.R. 45 is beginning its long arduous climb in through the House of Representatives. This bill known as the Blair Holt's Firearm Licensing and Record of Sale Act of 2009 is sponsored by Chicago Democrat Congressman Bobby Rush. If CIFTA is an affront against the Second Amendment Right to Bear Arms then H.R.45 is like repealing it.

If H.R. 45 were to become law it would require a license to possess a fire-arm. Furthermore to obtain that license would require finger prints, name, address, place of birth, and passport sized photo. The applicant would have to sign a release to allow the Attorney General to access his medical records. He would also have to sign a promise to secure his firearm from children. Additionally it would be required to pass a gun safety exam.

The government would maintain records of the guns serial number and identifying information. The Attorney General may enter the property where the firearm is kept and at any time during regular business hours for inspection. This effectively forces a citizen to chose whether he wishes to have the Right to Bear Arms or protection against Searches and Seizures but he dare not retain both if this resolution becomes law. If the piece is lost or stolen it must be reported promptly or risk criminal penalties.

The problem with licensing guns is that determining who is fit to possess a firearm, quickly becomes a matter of who agrees with the

government and who does not. This mentality of demonizing political enemies already exists through the Missouri State Police MIAC report, which outlines the government's bizarre interpretation of who qualifies as a potential terrorist. According to the document this includes: anyone who is pro-life (more than 50% of America), veterans, voters for third party candidates, and those who carry a pocket constitution. They might well have written those who have blond hair or blue eyes are potential terrorist because that is how ridiculous and arbitrary the governments assessment was.

Furthermore, the rights are interconnected. To lose one of the freedoms of press, speech, religion, or the right to bear arms will lead quickly to losing the others as well. There are already assigned free speech areas. All of our communications are monitored. Every move we make is recorded on cameras.

This is no accident. The rights as listed in the Declaration of Human Right according to the United Nations are totally different from those freedoms that we have always enjoyed as Americans. So when we allow our leaders to legislate by international treaties that ignore the will of "We the People" and the dictates of the constitution then we end up with "The Knotted Gun" and next to it: "The Taped Mouth", "The Burned Book", "The Chained Rabbi", and "The Seized Children." Who was that again that said, "He that trades his liberty for security deserves neither?" Oh, yeah, that was a "Founding Father", just one of those old guys.

## The Challenge of Rachel Scott

by Michael J. Ranck

It has been ten years since the martyrdom of Rachel Joy Scott at Columbine High School, Columbine CO and I'm quite sure that the devil has lost many night's sleeps since April 20, 1999, wishing that he had just left her alone. Since she was taken home, this world not being worthy of her, the six diaries and seven essays that she had written are available to the world. Her challenge likewise is daily upon our minds and hearts. As well as the ministry, Rachel's Challenge, which was started by her father, Darrell, following the tragedy that touched 13 million lives in the last ten years, according to her father.

Instead of targeting guns, Rachel's Challenge has gone straight to the source and targeted hatred on an all out campaign to teach kindness and compassion. Rachel's brother, Craig, addressed President Bush, the US Attorney General, and the Secretary of Education, in October 2006, stating, "Kindness and compassion can be the biggest antidotes to anger and hatred, and I believe the biggest antidote to violence." This strategy has worked because students have surrendered plans for their own shoot-outs or hit lists after hearing Rachel's Challenge speak.

In fact Darrell Scott, on May 27, 1999 at a hearing on "Pending Firearms Legislation and the Administration's Enforcement of Current Gun Laws." by the House Judiciary Committee's Subcommittee, delivered a poem that condemns the over legislation of life brought on by government agencies and implies that if the government had not removed God from schools and public life in America then this tragedy may have been averted. He did not stop there. He also issued a challenge, "I challenge every young person in America, and

around the world... Dare to move in the new millennium with a sacred disregard for legislation that violates your God-given right to communicate with Him."

Of course Rachel left us with some challenges of her own. Five big ones to get us started, and who knows how many other hidden gems that reside inside of her spiritual journals and testimony. Firstly, she wishes that we, "Eliminate prejudice by looking for the best in others." Secondly, she requires us to, "Dare to dream – set goals – keep a journal." Thirdly, she reminds us to, "Chose your influences, input determines output." Fourthly, she teaches us, "Kind words and small acts of kindness = HUGE impact." Fifthly, she implores us, "Start a chain reaction with family and friends."

Some of Rachel's last formal words, given in an essay before her class were, "I have this theory that if one person can go out of their way to show compassion then it will start a chain reaction of the same... People will never know how far a little kindness can go."

Of course two thousand years before she said those words, Yahushua HaMashiach demonstrated them. She was simply quoting what she had heard in her own heart. No doubt she now has it whispered in her ear, while in the arms of the Messiah. He takes her softly on to himself and says, "My precious child, I love you."

## Mandatory "Swine Flu" Vaccines for School Children are Reactionary

by Michael J. Ranck

On July 22, 2009, the National Vaccine Information Center (NVIC) has released a statement advising against the mandatory vaccination of school children this fall in order to "protect" them from the H1N1 virus, commonly called the "swine flu." According to grade school math applied to the statistics provided in the July 23, 2009, press release, by the Food and Drug Administration Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research Office of Vaccines Research and Review, entitled Regulatory Considerations Regarding the Use of Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Virus Vaccines an insignificant, .00000004% of the world's population has been affected by this so called, "deadly virus." Citing the same paper, .0000002% of the population in America have been affected with mortality. Statistics that low should raise about as much concern as a speck of dust in a swimming pool. Furthermore the vaccination would not receive more than eight weeks and possibly as few as three weeks of testing before approval and deployment. This on the other hand is quite disturbing.

The battle cry of NVIC's co-founder, Barbara Loe Fisher, has never been a greater truth than now. She says, "If the State can tag, track down and force citizens against their will to be injected with biologicals of unknown toxicity today, there will be no limit on which individual freedoms the State can take away in the name of the greater good tomorrow."

This is because, both the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services on April 26, 2009 and World Health Organization (WHO) on June 11, 2009 declared America to be

in a state of Health Emergency. This declaration enacts Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) and Project BioShield Act of 2004 (Public Law 108–276). These allow pharmaceutical companies to be absolved of responsibility for damages caused by any vaccination's that they produce to try to remedy this situation. Other laws such as The Pandemic and All Hazards Preparedness Act of 2006 (PL 109-417) and Emerging Infectious Diseases Vo. 13, No.7: July 2007, also provide protection to corporate pharmaceutical companies who inadvertently or otherwise harm us or our children. What laws are protect the citizens for this scenario?

Nothing is being done to protect the citizens but on July 16, 2009, \$1.825 billion dollars were appropriated by President Barack Obama to be given to corporate pharmaceutical to combat this non-existent threat. This is on top of the \$7.65 billion already approved by congress for the same. If nothing else, this large sum of money demonstrates that the government is "deadly" serious about vaccinating our children this fall. That is that they are absolutely serious about vaccinating our children with an untested, unnecessary vaccination while providing corporate pharmaceutical a legal shield against any ramifications. This smells like a rat. In fact it bears the distinct odor a lab rat.



## Just for Fun

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Just for Fun. Take the following denominations of US currency: a \$5, \$10, \$20, \$50, and \$100 note. They must be of the recent series of bills, beginning in 1996, featuring the yellow numbers all over the back. Fold each one in half length-wise, so that the back side is visible. Turn the bill over so that the half that reads, "United States of America", is not visible. Rotate the bill so that the folded edge is facing you. Fold a triangle where the vertice divides the bill in half and points towards you like an arrow. Arrange these bills left to right in denominational order \$5 through \$100. Do they seem to tell a pictographic story of a recent worldwide towering event? Are the words to the left and right connected to corporations that were victims of the event? Is this a "gang-like" calling card? What are the statistics of this being a non-cryptographic event, considering that all bills are folded identically and produce a pictographic story only when the bills are arranged in denominational order?

We cannot be sure of the meanings of these phenomenon buried within the origami of American currency but they are interesting. We can be sure that it is not a tribute or commemorations since the bills first appeared in 1996 during the Clinton administration.

Regardless of whether or not you considered 911 to be a Reichstag Fire event, the Patriot Act is indeed approaching a Reichstag Fire result. This non-patriotic assault on America's liberties has yet to be remedied.

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