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Matthew 6:33; 1 John 2:6;
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TERSE SUMMARY OF THE BIBLICAL “MUST KNOW” BIG PICTURE FOUNDATIONAL UNDERSTANDINGS FOR ALL OF LIFE

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(Detailed development is found in my referenced web site documents found at the end.)

Read this Document with “Urgency” to Know the Biblical Big Picture Including for What We as Churches and Families Must “Do Now” in Preparation for Eternity, the Endtimes, and Having a Maximum Current and Eternal Relationship With God

(Urgent recommendations for church and family leaders follow in Section Two.)
(Information was taken only from the Bible, using inputs from the writings of many others.
I am willing to help train.)

SECTION ONE

SUMMARY OF THE BIBLICAL BIG PICTURE

(Including for Biblical History, the Spiritual Warfare, the Endtimes, and for Having a Maximum Relationship With God

* God has always existed (called preexistence), never having a beginning, and He has infinite perfect attributes that no one else has. For example, He works with billions and billions of people at the same time and He is everywhere that exists simultaneously. The Lord Jesus Christ also has always existed, without any beginning.

(They gave us their Holy Bible so we could know the big picture, why we are here, how to live in spiritual warfare, we need to be saved to live forever in heaven, and be trained for the endtimes, and to have a maximum relationship with them for now, but especially for all eternity.)

* God, with His infinite power and capability, created the universe, the heavens, the earth, and all people. He is in charge of our eternity. (Nothing came by evolution or by chance.) With His infinite and perfect attributes, He is the only person qualified to direct our lives.

* God placed us on the earth in a spiritual warfare environment for us, under His direction, to gain an experiential maximum spiritual maturity in Christ-likeness so we can relate maximumly to our infinite perfect God throughout all eternity. Apart from this wonderful life, especially in the eternal view, there is nothing. We must first become a Christian by believing the Gospel. The Bible signals (by removing the current spiritual warfare and our sin natures when we enter heaven), but does not directly teach, that the maturity level we have at death we will have forever, without future opportunity in heaven to increase it. We are commanded to pursue this maturity now. It is not an option.

- * **When we become Christians, we receive a new divine nature that we did not have before. It legally represents us and it cannot sin. This gives us eternal security to be with God forever. God uses it to train and bring us to maturity in Christ as we respond to Him, especially by faith and by love. We, however, retain our sin natures, and we sin when using them. Thus, we must use 1 John 1:9, asking forgiveness. Our sin natures no longer legally represent us, and they are removed from us when we enter heaven. So God, when we are in heaven, will direct us (in every thought and action) according to the maturity level we have developed in this lifetime in our divine natures at death. We will obey Him because we greatly love Him. We are here now on earth for this purpose to gain this maximum maturity. **Not to gain a maximum maturity in Christ-likeness now in this our lifetime is to pay a most terrible eternal forever penalty.****
- * **The Lord Jesus Christ is our role model. He lived by only what came from God the Father as a source - nothing from Himself as a source. When people saw Him, they did not see Him, but instead saw the Father working out through Him. We are told to live this way at His leading - today only from the Holy Bible (an accurate translation) as a source that came from Him. “We are to do nothing from ourselves or from the world as a source.”**
- * **Having this maturity (and to gain this maturity), under God’s leading, we will live to glorify God, living out only what is in the Bible that represents Him. Thus, we will live as Christ lives by only that which comes from the Father as a source. We will live properly in head-subordinate relationships patterned after those of the Father and the Son, walk by love keeping His commandments and by faith trusting God to work all things together for our good as He promises. We will build Godly families, be in ministry, know and stand on the basic Christian faith doctrines, and have daily devotions with prayer, and reading our Bibles. (We will study our Bibles to learn to walk with God, not just to gain knowledge of the Bible.)**
- * **Appreciating God’s infinite Greatness, we will love Him with out total beings. Activating our love, we will know and obey His commandments, When we do under His direction, we live holy and righteously and get to know God. We must know the commandments. We will walk by faith, at His direction, trusting God to fulfill His promises to us, not knowing in advance what He will do or what results He will bring. (Those who want to know all the details in advance before they act, that they will never get, are walking by sight and are immature people - wanting to work all things together for good themselves.) Knowing and having memorized the promises, we will activate our faith by obeying the instructions with the promises and live, trusting God to bring results. When we do, we live without sin (nothing from ourselves as a source) and we receive revelation of the Scriptures. Church leaders must train their people to live by love and by faith, and then by only what is in the Bible - nothing from people or the world as a source. We can and should share testimony.**
- * **Most importantly, we must trust God, not ourselves, to work all things together for our good. We attempt to wrongly work things together for good, when we do things from ourselves and the world as a source and not do all that God requires. We do so when**

we walk by sight and not by faith in Him to fulfill His promises. This is sin. (In the Garden of Eden, Satan deceived Adam and Eve to eat of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, so they would sin by having (wanting) an assumed capability to work all things together for good themselves.) (We with sin natures, without trusting God, most often will act wrongly to work all things together for good ourselves apart from God.)

- * We must train to have God’s excellence in our lives. Thus, we will train to do things that comes from Him as a source (nothing from us as a source) to bring Him honor, worship, and glory. We will do this because He alone knows all the truth, and we want to please Him in all areas of our lives, based on our love for Him. We can only glorify God when we do and use things directly or in application from Him as a source, that which comes from and represents Him. He does not accept glory from us such as coming from us or the world as a source. Thus, we must not use loud rock type structured music and symbols on our signs and in our bulletins that represent and came from the world. Doing these, we must change. We can use a cross that represent Him.**
- * Thus, we must train and work to become maximumly mature in Christ-likeness, not just work for some Christian growth. We must train, by obeying God, to evangelize our complete local areas, not just do some evangelism. We must use music structure in our worship services that brings worship to God “from His perspective” - that which represents and comes from Him. We must worship Him in spirit and in truth. This means we will use music with dominate melody such as in the hymns that allows us to worship Him in spirit and in truth. We will do this when filled with the Holy Spirit. If we want God’s best and His will, we will never use loud structured rock type music that is not in the Bible (thus, not from Him) such as having Voodooism as a source. Churches generally by observation do not research this music to know its source and that it is not of God. Using this loud music can bring honor to Satan, and allowing him to cause our churches to fall away. (We can use trumpet toots and drum beats to bring life and fun to the music, but they and loudness cannot be dominate - they must allow the melody to be dominate.)**
- * We must realize that 85% of the people coming to Christ do so in the age range of 4-14. “Many” key ministers, such as Billy Grahm, were saved as children. And people do as adults what they learned as children. So it is important, that if we want great adult ministries and have the children to be saved, our churches must do “major evangelizing and training” of the children world wide. Child Evangelism Fellowship does much of this. We can work with it, using its training.**
- * Being in spiritual warfare, many or most of our churches now (not being aware and not wanting to), no longer enduring sound doctrine, are sinning by falling away from God’s excellence and requirements. They are falling away, generally without their realization or desire, by: (1) working mainly for spiritual growth, and not for maximum spiritual maturity; (2) using the loud rock-type music from the world and not music that has dominate melody from God; (3) doing some, but limited evangelism, out in their**

communities, especially of the children; and (4) using paraphrased Bibles and world symbols on signs and in bulletins. They are doing good, but not great things. God’s Greatness has been lost. Thus, they have become somewhat lukewarm with much activity, but with a loss of great divine life. Being lukewarm is a sign the endtimes are coming. (None of us are perfect, but we should actively pursue living by God’s Greatness in a growth process.) Some Churches have also or only a hymn service.

- * God is using the United States (determined from a study of the wording in Revelation with that associated with the sequences used in OT Israel) now and in the endtimes in a special sequence (similar to the ones He used with OT Israel) to terminate history. In the general obedience of her people and churches, the nation has received great blessing. Now her churches are falling away, and this is allowing the country to fall away. The only thing that can restore the country (the symptom) is for her churches (the cause) to have massive revival. But this will not happen. As the total falling away crosses God’s allowable threshold, He will bring a military and many terrible situations in Calamity that will place the nation (with her churches - including all believers in the Gospel) under “divine discipline” in the endtimes Tribulation under the rule of world government.

(Our American churches, in their falling away, are the primary cause of the Tribulation coming and thus, will go through the Tribulation. Their leadership will be judged.) (By this means and other wars, God, using great Calamity, will place all the nations under this world government.) This world government and divine discipline occur in the endtimes Tribulation. When the Tribulation is over (after all people who are to live, have lived, and have made formal and binding decisions in life or by death to receive or deny the Gospel), God will bring His people to Himself by the Rapture of the Church and destroy the world government. **These can only happen after all people who are to live have made these eternal decisions.** The Church now in resurrected bodies will live forever with God in heaven and all the unbelievers will be resurrected and cast forever into the “most terrible place” of the Lake of Fire, as the alternate means for God to satisfy His justice for sin. Now eternity begins. (The church is resurrected at the beginning of the 1000 years as a day and the unbelievers are resurrected at its end. The wrath of God occurs in this period after the Rapture. **There is no millennial kingdom coming. The Kingdom of God is a relationship one ruled from heaven, not a physical one ruled from the earth. Christ has been ruling in heaven over “the relationship” Kingdom of God since His ascension. Christ directs your life, being a Christian, now in the kingdom of God.)**

- * In the Tribulation, Satan gains more authority and power as the church falls away resulting from the persecution and martyrdom. There will be a great falling away in the Tribulation because our church people have not been previously trained to know the big picture, Bible doctrines, and to walk by strong faith. This will give Satan the authority to kill one-third of the world’s population and to bring in the Mark-of-the-Beast Period.

We must learn to walk now by strong faith and become mature in Christ, so we will not fall away.

- * The Rapture can only happen after the Tribulation when the heavenly court has determined, by opening the books, that Christ has won the spiritual warfare over Satan and afterwards gives Him the authority to do so. This helps to make the warfare fair. Christ wins because, at that time, all the elect will have believed, and all of God’s work will have been accomplished. (Satan could not prevent their accomplishment.) “This decision alone teaches the Rapture can only come after the Tribulation.” **By the rules of the spiritual warfare, Christ does not have the legal authority to rapture the church and to cast Satan and unbelievers into the Lake of Fire until this heavenly court decision is made after the Tribulation and when (after) this legal authority is granted.****
- * There are over 20 Bible doctrines that singly and jointly teach unambiguously the Rapture is Post-Tribulation (see our reference document for a list and description). A Pre-Tribulation Rapture is not taught in Scripture and will not happen. For example, all saints including all believing both Jews and Gentiles are the Church and the word saints is used in the Mark-of-the-Beast Period, signaling the Church is in the Tribulation. In the Great Tribulation, a number of believers from all nations (including from Israel) die and go to heaven signaling the Tribulation is all nations in characteristic, and not exclusively Jewish that would be required for Pre-Trib Rapture.**
- * The Cross broke down barrier of the dividing wall between the Jews and Gentiles where now all believers, both Jews and Gentiles, are one in Christ and part of the Church. Both groups are here to gain maximum maturity in Christ-likeness. After the Cross, God does not have two sets of believers, such as Israel and the Church. The Church is now the sanctuary of God and is to be a living sacrifice. Thus, God will not bring back (but Satan might) animal sacrifices and physical temples. Bringing them back would deny the efficaciousness of the Cross - major sin. Christ is now married to the Church, and is no longer married to Israel. God divorced the northern kingdom of Israel in a direct statement in Scripture (Jeremiah 3:8) and the marriage to the southern kingdom of Judah was terminated when Christ died on the Cross. God has no future plans for national Israel as “a special nation” after the Cross. (But Satan uses her, bringing her back in 1948, to: (1) have the Church believe the wrong Pre-Trib Rapture so she would not prepare for the Tribulation and be caught blind sided when it comes; and (2) to bring wars that will bring the endtimes Tribulation over which his man will rule.) (God only returns Israel to her land in repentance. She is now in the land in complete apostasy with no interest in God, Christ, the Bible, or salvation.) The Church goes to live in with Christ (the time of the Rapture) at the marriage supper of the Lamb (Christ) which occurs after the Tribulation.**
- * Satan has major strategies in an attempt to keep one elect from believing and/or accomplishing one of God’s work. He used many in the OT times. He must do this to win the spiritual warfare and thus, to avoid going to the Lake of Fire forever. (However only Christ wins the warfare.) These current strategies are not explicitly taught in Scripture,**

but they are most strongly implied. These strategies include (but are not limited to): (1) have the churches do limited evangelism, especially of the children (have churches believe God will save the elect even if the churches do little, if any evangelism); (2) have the churches mainly teach the basic fundamentals so most of their people, not being maximumly matured, will not become greatly involved in ministry, and most will fall away from the faith under the persecution and martyrdom in the Tribulation. Also, over time, “very few will know the Bible in any depth” - this is happening today, especially in our younger people; (3) have the churches use loud rock beat music so their listeners will lose sensitivity to the leading of the Holy Spirit resulting in having low commitment to God and thus, not become mature in Christ and not be involved in much ministry - and not give Him sufficient actual true worship and glorification - but will give Satan some honor and worship; (4) have the kids grow up on rock music in the schools, Church Sunday Schools, and homes so churches will have to use it in order for the youth to attend; (5) have same sex marriages and abortions (unless God saves the aborted) so the elect will not be born and have the sin give Him more power; (6) have high inflation to lead to world government and so people can less afford to give money to the church, so less ministry will occur, and as a means to bring world government; (7) have many false religious systems, including in the Tribulation, so people will not know and believe the true Gospel; (8) have church people be comfortable by only attending church and not be coming involved in ministry, even though they are involved in and attend church functions; (9) have churches use paraphrase Bibles so people will not know the real truth; (10) force people toward the end of Tribulation to accept false religion in order to buy or sell or to face martyrdom; (11) do not teach prophecy in the church, unless it is the wrong pre-Trib view, so when things happen, the church people will be caught unprepared, blind-sided, and will not know what is happening when the Calamity comes that brings the Tribulation with world government (many will die without food and disease); and (12) have people somewhat know current events now in the world, but not project ahead to see where things are going to bring world government (do not have people search the Bible to see how God is using the United States in a special sequence to terminate history.) Do this so the people will not prepare for the Tribulation and will be caught blind sided and unprepared for when the Calamity comes bringing in the Tribulation.

- * Observation shows that the young adults and youth who attend the rock music services seldom come out to evening and other key church functions. They appear to lack the commitment.**
- * Satan in a major way defeated himself when He and the Jews had Christ crucified by the Romans. (Had he prevented it, he would have won the warfare because there would be no elect.) Satan and the Jews, with sin natures, not having spiritual perception of the Scriptures, did not know that Christ had to die to satisfy God’s justice for sin.**
- * When the Tribulation comes with a limited number of years, our young children will not live normal life spans. Their lives will be truncated (as will happen to us adults). (This**

is also true for a Pre-Trib Rapture.) Thus, we should now go all out to evangelize and mature the children as fast as we can using the limited time remaining before the Tribulation. We want them to be saved and have the maximum walk with God they can have.

- * Signs now signal most loudly that the Tribulation can come any time in the near future, with only God knowing the exact time. But based on biblical data, it will very likely come in some spring, the year only known by God. (Christ will return at some Feast of the Trumpets in some fall. If the Tribulation lasts an even number of years except for the extra 6 months in the Mark-of-the- Beast-Period, it will begin in some spring.) But due to the magnitude now of the joint mature signs, it might come in the spring of 2014. We must be prepared in case it does. We must not let our people be caught blind sided and unprepared.
- * These “jointly occurring mature” signs, “signally the Tribulation may come very soon,” particularly include (but not limited to): (1) great inflation; (2) “extreme” weather with flooding and fire storms; (3) our American churches are falling away (being transformed from God’s excellence to degrees of lukewarmness - no longer maturing their people; using the Devil’s loud rock beat music, and not adequately doing evangelizing out in the community); (4) acceptance of same-sex marriages (so the elect will not be born); (5) Russian and Chinese military have been training in the U.S. for some time; (6) China owns much of America’s land and has military bases in southern Mexico and Long Beach, CA, and operates the Panama Canal; (7) there is much effort to bring world government; (8) there is much false religion in America; and (9) our church leaders no longer endure sound doctrine resulting in our churches now no longer can tell the difference between the holy and the profane by using the Devil’s loud rock beat structured music (Research this Issue).

We must now be urgently prepared and ready at least before the spring of 2014 for the coming of the Tribulation, even if things happen a few years later. Only God knows the time of the Tribulation coming, but we must prepare now so our people will not be caught blind sided and unprepared. It is better to be prepared even several years early than one second too late.

SECTION TWO

WATCHMAN WARNING RECOMMENDATIONS: PREPARE OUR PEOPLE FOR THE ENDTIMES AND FOR ETERNITY

1.RECOMMENDED “URGENT ACTIONS” IN TRAINING TO “BE IMMEDIATELY CARRIED OUT” BY CHURCH AND FAMILY LEADERS

TEACH ENDTIMES PROPHECY: In overview, train your people with endtimes prophecy (Post-Tribulation Rapture View) for how the endtimes will unfold and what Christians will experience in the endtimes Tribulation. Show how God is using the United States to bring the termination of history. (Many details of Revelation are hard to grasp.) Explain the need to gain walking by very strong faith and train your people to walk by faith. Show the need

Terse Summary of the Biblical “Must Know” Big Picture Foundational Understandings for All of Life to stand strong by faith to gain more maturity and without falling away under the persecution and the most difficult coming circumstances.

PREPARE YOUR CHURCH AND FAMILY: Put in supplies for the needs of life with lighting without electricity that will last many months, even years, without the need to go to the stores or market place when in the Calamity and Tribulation.

MAXIMUMLY MATURE YOUR PEOPLE IN CHRIST-LIKENESS: Train your people to gain maximum maturity in Christ-likeness that includes doing evangelism, especially of the children (remember 85% of those coming to Christ do so in the age range of 4-14). Work with Child Evangelism Fellowship to accomplish this evangelism in after school clubs (school year) and 5-day clubs (summer). Explain the need to gain maximum maturity in Christ-likeness in order to relate to God toward his maximum now, but especially in eternity. Research the whole Bible (and share) for all the aspects that presents and describes a detailed description of what constitutes maximum maturity and for all the steps we must live out experientially to gain this maturity. Record your search results in a computer and do nothing else. Have the church congregation read the findings. This experience must include living by love keeping the commandments and by strong faith trusting God to fulfill His promises to us. (See my web site documents for a first cut of this description and steps.)

UNDERGROUND CHURCH HOME GROUPS: We should now place our church people into underground secret home groups (who live near each other) for mutual support and so the worship, needed fellowship, and ministry can continue for when our church doors are closed by the Tribulation, the government, and/or by lack of funding. We should train leaders to lead these groups. Our people can put in provisions (food etc.) for when the goods and foods will no longer adequately get to the market place. (In time, the market place may be restored. But this can take a few weeks, months, or even years.)

FOREIGN MISSIONARIES AND CHURCH PASTORS: We should encourage and help our supported missionaries and pastors to get additional means of income or funding (even jobs) “now” for the time when the church support, when the Calamity and Tribulation come, will greatly decrease or cease. If they have more funds now than they need, they can save them to be used later in the coming difficult conditions. Maybe our churches can increase their incomes now so money can be saved for the coming difficult times.

(EXAMPLE ILLUSTRATION FOR WHAT MUST NOW BE URGENTLY DONE: There is a child on a railroad track who does not see or hear the train that is coming that will hit and kill him. There is the mother near by, looking the other way, who does not realize the situation. Do we (bring a watchman warning) warn the mother to get the kid off the track before the train comes or do we watch the train kill the kid. You know my answer. This is why this report to warn us to prepare for going into the soon coming Tribulation and to gain a greater obedience to God with its great benefits.)

2. BENEFITS GAINED FROM THE TRAINING

Our people will not fall away, standing strong, when the Tribulation with its persecution

and hard times come. They will know what is happening when the endtimes come. This will allow them to gain more maturity in Christ-likeness needed for eternity. Our people will have great maturity to know and relate to God in eternity more toward His maximum (this is the main-central plan for why we are here). (Our maturity most likely will not increase in heaven - the current training environment and our sin natures will not be in heaven.) More people, especially the children and youth, will become Christians resulting from the increased evangelization out in the community. Our people will have put in needs-of- life provisions (food etc.)

3. COST TO DO THE TRAINING

Our church leaders should establish a spiritually mature leadership group (under the elders) to gain the needed curriculum (see documents on my web site under TRAINING for a start) and trainers with established urgent schedules such that the training for maturity and evangelism begins ideally in the fall of 2013 or “very soon” thereafter. We will need to bring the trainers up to speed and train them. The training of our people can be accomplished (in combination) in the pulpit, seminars, special training, and in the Sunday School. We can use CEF to help do the training for evangelism of the children such as their TCE training. This effort will require investigation, talking with others, and seeing the big picture. It will be a major effort. But all of the above should be done. You can add other needed tasks. The training must be done with urgency.

4. MOST SEVERE PENALTIES FOR NOT DOING THE TRAINING

- 1. Our people will relate to God and know Him in eternity in lessor ways depending upon their maturity in Christ-likeness. This is an eternal terrible penalty to pay if we have but little maturity. Our “infinite” God is and has all the (and the only) perfection and truth that exists. (Having much Bible knowledge is helpful, but it does not define maturity - only a mature relationship “experiential walk” does that includes by love and by faith.)**
- 2. Our people will be caught blind sided when the Calamity comes that will bring in the endtimes Tribulation. They will be unprepared (such as having insufficient food) and can fall away, die, and/or become sick under the great persecution and hard times. The can fall away during the persecution.**
- 3. The children will not be adequately evangelized and trained (discipled). If time continues, our adult ministries will suffer. (Adults do what they learned as children.)**
- 4. Our missionaries and church pastors will be without church funding. Their ministry and lives will be greatly hurt, and they can become sick and die. (Our church doors will close.)**
- 5. Not being in home groups and not putting away some supplies etc, our people will be scattered and caught most terribly unprepared. Many will die and/or become sick. Our church worship and Bible study can be greatly reduced.**

What will your church and family do to prepare, and how urgently? Will not our church leaders and pastors be greatly judged? Do you want your people

Terse Summary of the Biblical “Must Know” Big Picture Foundational Understandings for All of Life to be caught blind sided when the Calamity and Tribulation come?

MY WEB SITE REFERENCES

(Please read all these references. There are many aspects to learn and integrate.
I update them as I learn more.)

(I am able to write on the big picture, based on the methodology learned used in my satellite systems engineering training, to study and integrate the Bible.)

- 1. *God's Plan over History for Man to Become Mature in Christ Needed to Eternally Know and Relate to Our Perfect God in His Greatness***
- 2. *Keys to Becoming Mature in Christ-likeness In Godly Relationship Living (Needed for Now and in Eternity to Know and to Relate to Our Perfect God Toward His Fullness in Depth-Breadth)***
- 3. *The Pattern View of Prophecy: The Many Doctrines of Prophecy Show Clearly the Rapture Will Come Post-tribulational and the 1000 Years as a Day During Christ's Second Coming (How the United States is found in Prophecy.)***
- 4. *Doctrines (20) That Teach Unambiguously a Post Tribulation Rapture***
- 5. *Understanding the Endtimes Biblical Jewish Situation and What We Must Do Now As the Endtimes Unfold***
- 6. *Summary Presentation: How Revelation's Events Unfold and How the United States Is Found in Bible Prophecy***
- 7. *Overview Summary Document; Signs, Characteristics, Beliefs, and Practices of Being or Becoming Highly Mature in Christ-likeness***
- 8. *Living By God's Righteousness* (This is a handbook of many promises, commandments, leadership requirements, Psalms by which to praise God, the attributes of God, and aspects for needed and required prayer. It can be used in daily devotions.)**