

# Notes used in the Message

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## 16-0525 - 1977 - What Was The Reason - Wade Dale

### LEVITICUS 25:8-13

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- » **11** † A jubile shall that fiftieth year be unto you: ye shall not sow, neither reap that which groweth of itself in it, nor gather the grapes in it of thy vine undressed.
- » **12** † For it is the jubile; it shall be holy unto you: ye shall eat the increase thereof out of the field.
- » **13** † In the year of this jubile ye shall return every man unto his possession.

### 1) 60-1113 CONDEMNATION.BY.REPRESENTATION\_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN V-2 N-13 SUNDAY\_

« **35** † We will be in war with Germany. Watch Russia. (Now, that's...) Communism, Nazism, and Fascism... Watch Russia. But that is not the main one to watch. It shall--also has been an evil thing done in this country; they have permitted women to vote. This is a woman's nation, and she will pollute this nation as Eve did Eden.

Now, you see why I'm hammering the way I do. I got, THUS SAITH THE LORD.

In her voting she will elect the wrong person. The Americans will take a great beating at a place that Germany will build, which will be a great wall built of concrete (The Maginot Line, eleven years before it was ever built.) But finally they will be victors.

Then when these women help elect the wrong person, then I seen a great woman rise up in the United States, well-dressed and beautiful, but cruel in heart. She will either guide or lead this nation to ruination. (I've got in parenthesis "perhaps Catholic church.")

Also, science will progress, especially in the mechanical world. Automobiles will continue to get like egg shape. Finally they will build one that won't need a steering wheel. (They've got it now.) It will be controlled by some other power.

**Then I seen the United States as one smoldering, burnt-over place. It will be near the end. (Then I've got in parenthesis: "I predict that this will take place." Now, remember, the Lord ne... That's what the Lord showed, but "I predict this will take place before 1977.") Upon this prediction, I base, because of the onrushing slaught that's coming now, how fast that it was moving, how long it'll take till this nation meets its place.**

### 2) 60-1125 CONFERENCE\_ SHREVEPORT.LA FRIDAY\_

« **E-7** † Then I turned to look and I seen the United States was a smoldering something had burned it up. And down beneath there I said, not in the trance, but, "I predict..." (remember this, I guess this is taped too), **"I predict that these things will take place between now, 1933 and 1977."**

**Which will give us sixteen more years if my prediction strikes right.**

### 3) 60-1205 THE.EPHESIAN.CHURCH.AGE\_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN ROJC 131-183 MONDAY\_

« **46** † Then after the Ephesian Church Age, from A.D. 53 until A.D. 170, then started in the Smyrna Church Age which lasted from A.D. 170 until A.D. 312. Then come in the Pergamos Church Age, and the Pergamos Church Age begin at 312 and lasted till A.D. 606. Then come in the Thyatira Church Age, and the church age of Thyatira begin at 606 and went to 1520, the Dark Ages. And then the Sardis Church Age begin at 1520 and lasted till 1750, the Lutheran age. Then from 1750, the next age come in was the Philadelphian, Wesley age; that begin at 1750 and lasted till 1906. **And at 1906 the Laodicean Church Age set in, and I don't know when it'll end, but I predict it'll be done by 1977.** I predict, not the Lord told me, but I predict it according to a vision that was showed me some years ago, that, five of those things has (out of the seven) has already taken place. About...

**4) 60-1211E THE.LAODICEAN.CHURCH.AGE\_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN ROJC 493-550 SUNDAY\_**

« **43** † We believe that the Laodicean church started in A.D. **1906**. I predict... Now, remember, "predict," especially you listening at the tape. **I don't say it will be, but predict that it will end by 1977, that the church will go completely into apostasy and she'll be ousted out of the mouth of God. And the Second Coming, or the Rapture of Christ, might come anytime.** Now, I could miss that a year, I can miss it twenty years, I could miss it a hundred years. I don't know where it... But I just predict that according to a vision He showed me, and taking the time, the way it's progressing, I say it'll be sometime between '33 and '77. At--at least, this great nation is going to strike a war that's going to blow it to bits, see. Now that's pretty close, it's awful close. And I could be wrong, I'm predicting. Everybody understand? Say, "Amen" if you do. [Congregation says, "Amen!"--Ed.] See?

**5) 61-0806 THE.SEVENTIETH.WEEK.OF.DANIEL\_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN DA 89-141 SUNDAY\_**

« **195** † **A striking statement: From the time God made the promise to Abraham (Don't miss this.)--from the time God made the promise to Abraham, Genesis 12:3, to the time of Christ being rejected in A.D. 33, by the Jews, according to Galatians 3:16 and 17, and according to Usher's (U-s-h-e-r-s) Usher's Chronology of the Hebrews, the power of God was with the Jews exactly 1954 years. God dealt with the Jews 1954 years according to the chronology of the Jews and according to Galatians 3:16 and 17.** I got many more Scriptures, but just give that. Then after they rejected Christ, He turned to the Gentiles to take a people for His Name. You want a Scripture on that, the place? Acts 15:14.

« **196** † **Now, counting the time, we find that we have exactly (Listen.) seventeen years left, and we will have the same span of time given to us as God dealing with us in the power of the Holy Spirit since A.D. 33 until 1977, the same span of time of 1954 years. God deals with us the same as He did with the Jews. See? How about that?**

**Now, mark down in your book a little Scripture here I want to give you. Leviticus 25, begin with the 8th verse. God calls a jubilee every forty-ninth year; the fiftieth year was the jubilee. We know that. We understand that. From the first jubilee of Leviticus 25:8, in 1977 will be the seventieth jubilee, making exactly 3,430 years. Jubilee means the going up, the release.**

« **198** † **Did you get that? God has dealt with us exactly the same amount of time that He dealt with the Jews from the time He give Abraham the promise until the rejecting of the Messiah in A.D. 33, was 1954 years. And now, we have seventeen years left. We had about 1930 something years. We got seventeen years left until '77 will be the seventieth jubilee since the beginning of jubilees. And what will it be? Oh, brother. Watch close now. Don't miss it. It'll be the Jubilee of the going up of the Gentile Bride and the return of Christ to the Jews, when they go out of bondage. Amen.** Don't you see? From all the world they've gather there for that day. Oh, my. See where we're at? We don't know what time it might happen. We're at the end time.

**6A) II CHRONICLES 36:20-23**

» **20** † And them that had escaped from the sword carried he away to Babylon; where they were servants to him and his sons until the reign of the kingdom of Persia:

» **21** † To fulfil the word of the LORD by the mouth of Jeremiah, until the land had enjoyed her sabbaths: for as long as she lay desolate she kept sabbath, to fulfil threescore and ten years.

» **22** † ¶ Now in the first year of Cyrus king of Persia, that the word of the LORD spoken by the mouth of Jeremiah might be accomplished, the LORD stirred up the spirit of Cyrus king of Persia, that he made a proclamation throughout all his kingdom, and put it also in writing, saying,

» **23** † Thus saith Cyrus king of Persia, All the kingdoms of the earth hath the LORD God of heaven given me; and he hath charged me to build him an house in Jerusalem, which is in Judah. Who is there among you of all his people? The LORD his God be with him, and let him go up.

**LEVITICUS 26:32-45**

» **32** † And I will bring the land into desolation: and your enemies which dwell therein shall be astonished at it.

» **33** † And I will scatter you among the heathen, and will draw out a sword after you: and your land shall be desolate, and your cities waste.

» **34** † Then shall the land enjoy her sabbaths, as long as it lieth desolate, and ye be in your enemies' land; even then shall the land rest, and enjoy her sabbaths.

» **35** † As long as it lieth desolate it shall rest; because it did not rest in your sabbaths, when ye dwelt upon it.

- » **36** † And upon them that are left alive of you I will send a faintness into their hearts in the lands of their enemies; and the sound of a shaken leaf shall chase them; and they shall flee, as fleeing from a sword; and they shall fall when none pursueth.
- » **37** † And they shall fall one upon another, as it were before a sword, when none pursueth: and ye shall have no power to stand before your enemies.
- » **38** † And ye shall perish among the heathen, and the land of your enemies shall eat you up.
- » **39** † And they that are left of you shall pine away in their iniquity in your enemies' lands; and also in the iniquities of their fathers shall they pine away with them.
- » **40** † ¶ If they shall confess their iniquity, and the iniquity of their fathers, with their trespass which they trespassed against me, and that also they have walked contrary unto me;
- » **41** † And that I also have walked contrary unto them, and have brought them into the land of their enemies; if then their uncircumcised hearts be humbled, and they then accept of the punishment of their iniquity:
- » **42** † Then will I remember my covenant with Jacob, and also my covenant with Isaac, and also my covenant with Abraham will I remember; and I will remember the land.
- » **43** † The land also shall be left of them, and shall enjoy her sabbaths, while she lieth desolate without them: and they shall accept of the punishment of their iniquity: because, even because they despised my judgments, and because their soul abhorred my statutes.
- » **44** † And yet for all that, when they be in the land of their enemies, I will not cast them away, neither will I abhor them, to destroy them utterly, and to break my covenant with them: for I am the LORD their God.
- » **45** † But I will for their sakes remember the covenant of their ancestors, whom I brought forth out of the land of Egypt in the sight of the heathen, that I might be their God: I am the LORD.

**6) 61-0806 THE.SEVENTIETH.WEEK.OF.DANIEL\_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN DA 89-141 SUNDAY\_**

« **212** † Now, then after that, I turned and looked, and I saw this United States burning like a smolder; rocks had been blowed up. And it was burning like a--a heap of fire in logs or something that just set it afire; and looked as far as I could see and she'd been blown up. And then the vision left me. Five out of the three has happened--five out of the seven, rather, has happened.

**And here comes around and shows, and then I predicted... I never said the Lord told me that, but standing that morning in the church, I said, "The way progress..." I got back to one end of the wall and run to the other end of the wall, and I said, "The way progress is going on, I'll predict that the time (I don't know why I'm saying it.)--but I predict that that'll all happen between right now, 1933, and 1977. And not knowing it, God knows my heart, I never knewed it until yesterday, that 1977 is the jubilee, and exactly the same amount of time run out that He give with Israel and everything at the end. So we're at... And here we are at the end of the age, at the coming in of the seventieth week. We don't know what time that the church will be gone. Oh, my. What can we do, friends? Where are we at?**

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« **226** † Now, what's the next thing? The Seven Seals now. We drop right in on them when the Lord will permit. When that'll be, I don't know. Just whenever He delivers it, then we'll go right into it. Then we're going to have a long, long meeting, 'cause we're going to take from the 6th chapter through the 19th to get through it. And as slow as I am with it...

**Now, I do not want anyone to go away misunderstanding this. Tape's still playing? I don't want anyone to misunderstand it. Don't misunderstand now, and say, "Brother Branham said Jesus will come in 1977." I never said no such a thing. Jesus may come today. But I have predicted that between '33 and '77 something would take place, that these things that I seen come to pass in the vision would take place. And five of them has already took place.**

**8) « 322-4 † LAODICEAN.CHURCH.AGE - CHURCH.AGE.BOOK CPT.9**

Based on these seven visions, along with the rapid changes which have swept the world in the last fifty years, I PREDICT (I do not prophesy) that these visions will have all come to pass by **1977**. **And though many may feel that this is an irresponsible statement in view of the fact that Jesus said that 'no man knoweth the day nor the hour.'** I still maintain this prediction after thirty years because, **Jesus did NOT say no man could know the year, month or week in which His coming was to be completed.** So I repeat, I sincerely believe and maintain as a private student of the Word, along with Divine inspiration that 1977 ought to terminate the world systems and usher in the millennium.

**9) 64-0705 THE.MASTERPIECE\_ JEFFERSONVILLE.IN V-4 N-7 SUNDAY\_**

« **76** † As we see the days darkening, as we see the shadows falling! When, I predict, "It's just a few more turns of the sun. This nation is gone." Do you know...

Yesterday, fourth of July. Thomas Jefferson had signed the Declaration of Independence, him and the other board that was with him, and the Liberty Bell rang, and we was declared an independence, as a nation.

**According to history, there has never been a democracy at any time last over two hundred years. And that was 1776, July the fourth. And we're just eleven years left. Will it make it? No, can't, see. Eleven years. And, if it does, it'll break all history.**

**Gerald Rudolph Ford Jr.** (born Leslie Lynch King Jr.; July 14, 1913 – December 26, 2006) was an American politician who served as the [38th President of the United States](#) from 1974 to 1977. Prior to this he was the [40th Vice President of the United States](#), serving from 1973 until President [Richard Nixon's](#) resignation in 1974. He was the first person appointed to the vice presidency under the terms of the [25th Amendment](#), following the [resignation of Vice President Spiro Agnew](#) on October 10, 1973. Becoming president upon [Richard Nixon's](#) departure on August 9, 1974, he claimed the distinction as the first and to date the only person to have served as both Vice President and President of the United States without being elected to either office.

**Nelson Aldrich Rockefeller** (July 8, 1908 – January 26, 1979) was an American businessman, philanthropist, public servant, and politician. He served as the [41st Vice President of the United States](#) (1974–77) under [President Gerald Ford](#),

After unsuccessfully seeking the Republican presidential nomination in 1960, 1964, and 1968, he served as Vice President from 1974 to 1977 under President [Gerald R. Ford](#). Ford ascended to the presidency following the August 1974 resignation of [Richard Nixon](#) over the [Watergate Scandal](#), and Ford selected Rockefeller as his replacement, only the second vice president to be appointed under the provisions of the [25th Amendment](#), Ford having been the first.

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