

John # 43

“And Just What Am I To Do With My New Gift?”

John 3:16; Colossians 1:3-12; 1st Corinthians 2:4-14

While our nation has not yet taken to killing God’s messengers or physically tearing down any houses

of worship, we certainly have seen an uptick in a population that has rejected all that God stands for.

Failure to teach the Word of God properly is to reject the Word of God and for a society to attack those who do teach it properly is a character assassination of God-ordained pastor-teachers.

If the man in the pulpit can be discredited, his message is meaningless.

Pastors must remain steadfast in teaching the Bible to their congregations for not only the church’s stability but also its vitality.

Sadly today, the church of Jesus Christ has become dumbed down by its own neglect of biblical truth which is partially the congregation’s fault for accepting watered down milk over carefully prepared prime rib but the more obvious culprits are the clergy who Pharisaically long for the prestige of their church’s title yet they defile its office to the point that causes one to wonder if they were appointed by the grace gift of God or the whim of men.

We live in a day and time when university degrees are coveted and even bought in order to gain a prominent place in society over someone else who may be more qualified but less wealthy

or prominently connected.

This failure of the church of Jesus Christ, far more than greedy politicians, a weak economy, a catastrophic pandemic or man’s futile frantic lustful search for happiness is the downfall of God’s client nation USA as it’s the fast-track to removal of divine protection because the Lord Jesus Christ controls history.

Our sin nature is Satan’s inside agent which constantly attacks our soul, so to the extent that we find ourselves without the knowledge of God, we are setting ourselves up for a disastrous life dictated to by satanic lies and it’s not coming at us from demons per say; it’s communicated in churches formulated to teach the truth without compromise.

Thanks be to God for His remnant of exceptions in this world today!

Because, if we don’t understand the Bible, its Author, its main Character and its theme; how in the world will we understand what the will of God is, much less, do it?

This is a tall order today because God’s truth is in direct contrast to public opinion that openly or subtly hates God, His Son Jesus Christ and everything they stand for.

The world hates the message so what makes us think they wouldn't hate the messengers who bring it?