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GOLAN HEIGHTS SETTLEMENT TO BE NAMED AFTER U.S. PRESIDENT DONALD TRUMP



Israel Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said Tuesday that he intends to propose a resolution to name a new settlement in the Golan Heights after U.S. President Donald Trump to show appreciation for recognizing Israel's sovereignty over the area. The 69-year-old Netanyahu explained that he intends to introduce a resolution after the Passover holiday "calling for a new community on the Golan Heights named after President Donald J. Trump." "All Israelis were deeply moved when President Trump made his historic decision to recognize Israel's sovereignty over the Golan Heights," Netanyahu explained. Trump issued a proclamation in March recognizing Israel's sovereignty over the Golan Heights, a nearly 700-square-mile region in the Levant that shares borders with Lebanon, Syria, and Israel. Since the Six-Day War of 1967, the western two-thirds of the Golan

region has been controlled by Israel and gives the country a strategic military vantage point over Syria. The Golan Heights were annexed by Israel in 1981 after an armistice. Today, the area is home to under 50,000 people. About half of the area's population are Jewish settlers.

Netanyahu was present for the signing of the proclamation and declared that Israel "never had a better friend" than Trump. The proclamation stated that "aggressive acts by Iran and terrorist groups, including Hizballah, in southern Syria, continue to make the Golan Heights a potential launching ground for attacks on Israel." "Any possible future peace agreement in the region must account for Israel's need to protect itself from Syria and other regional threats," reads the document. "Based on these unique circumstances, it is

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ONE DEAD SAN DIEGO SYNAGOGUE SHOOTING IN POWAY, CALIFORNIA



A 19-year-old man was in custody after a shooting at a California synagogue on the last day of Passover left at least one person dead and several others wounded, the city's mayor said Saturday (27-4-19). The shooting occurred at Congregation Chabad in Poway, north of San Diego, Poway Mayor Steve Vaus said. He described it as a possible hate crime.

President Donald Trump, speaking outside the White House Saturday, told reporters, "At this moment it looks like a hate crime, but my deepest sympathies to all of those affected and we'll get to the bottom of it."

The Palomar Medical Center Poway received four patients from the shooting, according to a trauma surgeon.

One patient, a 60-year-old woman, died at the hospital, Dr. Michael Katz said. An employee of the synagogue identified the dead woman as Lori Kaye. "The other three victims are doing well with their injuries," he told reporters.

A 57-year-old rabbi who was shot suffered what looked like defensive wounds to both of his index fingers. He will likely lose his right index finger, the doctor said.

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Rev. Manuel Joseph Th.M.
Sub-editor, End-Time News

The Bible states that evil is born within our hearts and nowhere else, though many tend to believe that God is the source of evil. God, undoubtedly, is not responsible for evil; His creatures are. Everything that God created was very Good.

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Jesus proclaimed, "From within, out of the heart of men, proceed evil thoughts, adulteries, fornications, murders, thefts, covetousness, wickedness, deceit, Lewdness, an evil eye, blasphemy, pride, foolishness. All these evil things come from within and defile a man" (Mark 7:21-23).

The Bible states that evil is born within our hearts and nowhere else, though many tend to believe that God is the source of evil. God, undoubtedly, is not responsible for evil; His creatures are. Everything that God created was very Good. Everything! This is affirmed throughout the Scripture. In Habakkuk chap-

ter 1, "God is of purer eyes than to approve evil or behold evil. He cannot look on wickedness." Habakkuk chapter (verse 13). First Corinthians 14:33 says, "God is not the author of confusion." Confusion is a product of sin. First John 1:5 says, "God is light and in Him is no darkness at all." James 1:13 says, "God cannot be tempted with evil, neither tempts He any man." First John 2:16 says, "All that is in the world," all evil categori-

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LAY UP TREASURES IN HEAVEN



Steven Moore
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Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal: But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal: For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also. Matthew 6:19- 21

Jesus wants you to look not at the things which are seen but at the things which are not seen. Men spend their whole lives seeking for fame and fortune, which will last only for a few moments of time. Yet God says in the Bible that we can lay up treasure in Heaven that will last forever. Just going to Heaven is probably reward enough. Heaven is the City of God. Heaven is where God lives. The Walls of Heaven are lined with precious stones, the streets

are made of gold, and many wonderful things are seen in Heaven such as the crystal river, the tree of life and many mansions for those God loves. All these things are reward enough. You may even be surprised when you arrive in Heaven. Are you going to Heaven? You should already know. If you don't know already, then you need to find out soon. We are supposed to know ahead of time. This should be your number one priority in life. In this passage of scripture, Jesus encourages us not only to go to Heaven, but to arrive with treasures already laid up in Heaven, the ultimate eternal bank. Jesus said your true treasure is what your heart is looking for. What is in your heart, the things of this world, or the things of God. Earthly pleasures and natural treasures will pass away, but eternal things will last forever. Jesus said you can lay up treasure for yourself in Heaven. Yet, this is impossible when your heart is tied up in the things of earth. Jesus said don't lay up treasure upon earth, but lay up treasure

in Heaven. What a profound thought! Go now, ye rich men, weep and howl for your miseries that shall come upon you. Your riches are corrupted, and your garments are moth-eaten. Your gold and silver is cankered; and the rust of them shall be a witness against you, and shall eat your flesh as it were fire. Ye have heaped treasure together for the last days. James 5:1-3

In today's world, the natural man is under pressure to pay the bills and he can barely keep up with the costs of living. However, God promises the believer to meet all their needs. He even tells us God knows what we need even before we ask, so cast all your cares upon Him because He truly cares for you. How many believers trust God to meet all their needs? The natural man wants not only his needs met but he seeks for profit, pleasure and treasure above measure. God

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George Thoppuvilayil

Who is the Almighty God of the world and for the Israelites? What is his Name? He was called the "Almighty God". 1. Abraham (Genesis 17:1); 2. Isaac (Genesis 28:3); 3. Jacob (Genesis 35:11); 4. Joseph (Genesis 48:3). Moses himself seconds the claim (Exodus 6:3). We can see the usage of word "Jehovah", as it was written under the supervision of Moses and he uses the name Jehovah which was revealed to him, for writing in the OT Books (Pentateuch – Genesis to Deuteronomy).

In retrospect Moses while saving the people of Israel from Pharaoh only then he knew God as "Jehovah" (I AM THAT I AM). From that day on that name was used among them and also while writing the book also. The word "Jehovah" was used to address God from the Period of Moses to John the Baptist, as an unchangeable name among Israelites.

The most common and the most important name for God in the Old Testament is this

name that in our English versions never even gets translated. Whenever you see the word LORD in all capital letters, you know that this name is behind it. In Hebrew, the name had four letters — YHWH — and may have been pronounced something like Yahweh. The Jews came to regard this word with such reverence that they would never take it upon their

(Psalm 111:9). Isaiah spoke of "the high and lofty One that inhabiteth eternity, whose name is Holy; I dwell in the high and holy place, with him also that is of a contrite and humble spirit, to revive the spirit of the humble, and to revive the heart of the contrite ones" (Isaiah 57:15). Jesus told His disciples, "After this manner therefore pray ye:

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lips, lest they inadvertently take the name in vain. So whenever they came to this name in their reading, they pronounced the word "Adonai" which means my lord. The English versions have basically followed the same pattern. They translate the proper name Yahweh with the word LORD in all caps.

The Bible stresses the importance of respect for God by emphasizing the importance of the name of God. Solomon said, "The name of the Lord is a strong tower: the righteous runneth into it, and is safe" (Proverbs 18:10). The psalmist said, "He sent redemption unto his people: he hath commanded his covenant forever: holy and reverend is his name"

Our Father which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name" (Matthew 6:9).

In the due time, and as the fulfillment of ancient prophecy (Isa 9:6) God who is Spirit revealed himself in flesh to save the mankind, and for thirty- three and a half years He revealed Himself as Jesus (Yehoshua) and that is the gospel of Jesus Christ. The savior of the world was born in Israel and so Israelites called him Jesus Christ (Yehoshua) which is translated as God the Savior. This is the name which now the whole world needs to relate God with.

There are other names given to Jesus Christ. Lamb, Bride Groom,

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therefore appropriate to recognize Israeli sovereignty over the Golan Heights." Although praised by Israel, Trump's decision was criticized by the Syrian government, other Arab states and opponents of Israel's occupation of the region. The Syrian government called the decision a "blatant attack" on Syrian sovereignty and territorial integrity. Syria tried to wrestle the Golan Heights back from Israel in 1973 but was unsuccessful. Syria's foreign ministry said through a state news agency that the declaration makes "the United States the main enemy of the Arabs." The regional council governing the Golan Heights praised Netanyahu's suggestion of naming a community after Trump, saying that it "complements the aspiration and the goal we have set to double the number of residents of the Golan within a decade." Reportedly, the Israeli government plans to increase the Golan population to 250,000 people by 2048. Days after Trump recognized Israel's sovereignty over the Golan Heights, Netanyahu won his fifth term in office earlier this month despite facing corruption charges. According to Netanyahu's office, the prime minister thanked Trump for his support.

16 NIGERIAN CHRISTIANS SHOT DEAD BY MILITANTS AFTER BABY DEDICATION



A group of Fulani militants slaughtered some 16 Christians Sunday in the state of Nasarawa. The vicious attack, which occurred in Konshu-Numa village, took place after an infant dedication service. Tragically, the militants claimed the life of the baby's mother, Safaratu John Kabiru Ali, along with several others, some of whom were children. Those shot dead were between the ages of 10 and 80, with the baby's father, John Kabiru Ali, currently in critical condition after suffering gunshot wounds.

After the child was dedicated in Ruhaniya Baptist Church in the village April 14, which was also Palm Sunday, family and friends gathered together in the predominantly Christian neighborhood to eat and celebrate. It was at this point that a group of Fulani militants, an Islamic group known to be extremely violent toward Christians, stormed the party and opened fire indiscriminately. Among those killed was one Muslim man who was thought to be a DJ hired for the event.

Among those killed were "10 members of the Ruhaniya Baptist Church, five members of Evangelical Reformed Church of Christ (ERCC), one member of the Evangelical Church Winning All (ECWA), and a musician playing for guests."

While details still remain sketchy, Samuel Meshi, chairman of the Akwanga Local Government Council, told the outlet the group of Christians did absolutely nothing to provoke to the horrific attack. "They just started shooting sporadically on a community that was just having a feast of the dedication of a child after a church service earlier in the day on Sunday, 14 April, at a Baptist church in the area," Meshi said. "The killings occurred in the evening of that day. Unfortunately, these persons were killed in cold blood for just no reason," he noted.

According to Nigerian outlet The Punch, the governor of Nasarawa State, Umaru Tanko Al-Makura, has demanded that the perpetrators be apprehended immediately so that they justice can be served. According to reports, he has given the military just seven days to locate the attackers. He also assured the public that the government will do everything in its power to protect lives and property. "This is something we are going to take seriously. We are going to have a Security Council meeting and I have already directed security operatives to ensure that they fish out these people and bring them to book," Al-Makura said

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says those that live in pleasure are dead while they live. 1Tim.5:6 There is coming a time when you will have to trust in God to meet every need. Yet God wants to be the treasure of your heart.

Better is little with the fear of the LORD than great treasure and trouble therewith. Proverbs 15:16

In this natural world, walking with the Lord and trusting Him to meet every need is better than spending all your hours day and night trying to produce a fortune. With the fortune will come problems and double trouble. God wants to meet every need for you as you walk with Him and not be consumed with the cares of this world. This sounds like a huge challenge but it is His challenge to you. The Bible calls it the walk of faith.

For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ. Now if any man build upon this foundation gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, stubble; Every man's work shall be made manifest: for the day shall declare it, because it shall be revealed by fire; and the fire shall try every man's work of what sort it is. If any man's work abides which he hath built thereupon, he shall receive a reward. If any man's work shall be burned, he shall suffer loss: but he himself shall be saved; yet so as by fire. 1 Corinthians 3:11-15

The foundation of a house built on the rock is an understanding of Jesus. One who walks in the fear of the Lord is careful to build his eternal fortune. The Bible classifies our spiritual treasures in three levels, Silver, Gold and Precious Stones. All are fashioned by the heat that tries the heart for purity. My silver will be something I did that pleased God and when I get to Heaven it will be incredible. My gold will be pure attitudes of the heart that pleases God and when I get to Heaven they will be wonderful. My precious stones will be Things Not Seen that I learned while walking in the presence of God while on earth. When I get to Heaven they will be glorious and they will last forever. They will be my eternal crown. Then I will be glad that I gave my heart to the Lord and allowed Him to work His divine attitudes into my life.

Blessed is the man that endureth temptation: for when he is tried, he shall receive the crown of life, which the Lord hath promised to them that love him. James 1:12

Laying up treasure in Heaven isn't just an

attitude, but it is the way of Life. When we pass through the fire and come to the gates of Heaven, we don't want to just enter Heaven with all our works being burned up in the fire. God expects us to have treasure in Heaven. God wants to give us an eternal crown because we loved Him and we were willing to endure all things for Him. The walls of Heaven are filled with precious stones and Heaven is filled with precious people who have been redeemed with the precious blood of Jesus and who walk in the presence of a precious God. Every day we live we should lay up treasure in Heaven. How do we do this, by walking in His presence and loving others from our hearts. Each time we take up our cross and lay down our natural life, we walk in God's presence and learn about our inheritance of eternal life. Laying down our natural man to live by the spiritual man is the way we lay up treasure in heaven and win many unto Him.

And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars forever and ever. Daniel. 12:3

Lay up Treasure for yourself in Heaven where everything is eternal. Time flies away like a bird and then we are gone to our eternal home.

Will you go to Heaven? You should know the answer to that question.

Will you be wise and go to Heaven with silver, gold and precious stones?

Will you bring others with you?

What's in your heart?

Where is your treasure?

As you lay up treasure for yourself in Heaven you will know and be satisfied. Then God will be pleased and you knowing you have true treasure in Heaven forever and ever, will bring your heart joy!

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Savior, Redeemer, Almighty God, Mighty God, Eternal Father, Son of God, Father, King, and so to reveal the divinity of Jesus to the world. Immanuel means "God with us" and he was with us, the God savior appeared as Jesus, He came to His own, the Jews, and tried to make them understand that he was their Lord and their redeemer, though they didn't believe in Him and for the fulfillment of prophecy He laid down His own life on the cross, rose up on the third day (John 4: 23; 2 Corinthians 3:17,18). He revealed to his disciples and confirmed to them that he was

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"Asia Bibi on her way to Canada to be reunited with her daughters! Such great news!" Nadine Maenza, a commissioner on the U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom, tweeted, "Praying for her health and reunion with her family."

BPCA Chairman Wilson Chowdhry, whose organization provides humanitarian assistance to persecuted Christians in Pakistan, explained that he had been in communication with Ashiq Masih daily up until Monday. "Ashiq has always remained hopeful of an imminent release from Pakistan and we have both been shocked at how long it has taken," Chowdhry said in a statement. "Asia Bibi and Ashiq have remained resolute in their faith and have prayed daily for their release and today God has answered their prayers. BPCA [is] grateful that we have been able to be a part of this family's journey to freedom and will continue to pray for them and assist them where we can." Chowdhry told that American diplomats have been "behind the scenes from the outset."

An unnamed source mentioned that Canadian Prime Minister Justin Trudeau was "incredibly helpful" in securing Bibi's release from Pakistan. "The Pakistan army's objection was that if they let her go, and she went public rubbing Pakistan, it would be bad for all of them," the source told The Daily Mail. Bibi, a farm laborer in the Punjab province, was sentenced to death in 2010 after she was accused by Muslim women of insulting Islam's prophet Muhammad. Insulting Islam's



the 'only true God'.

So to understand & recognize that God the father (spirit) was manifested in flesh (1 Timothy 3:16, Malachi 3:1, Luke 1:35, Mathew 1:15-23) whom we know as JESUS CHRIST is eternal life.

NEPAL DEPORTS US CITIZEN AND ARRESTS 4 CHRISTIANS OVER 'FALSE' CONVERSION ALLEGATION

4 Christians have been arrested in Nepal, including a United States citizen, months after a controversial law criminalizing religious conversion went into effect in the Asian nation.

On Tuesday morning, police in the city of Ghorahi arrested a Christian society leader, an Indian national, a citizen of Colorado and a Nepali interpreter at their hotel for their alleged involvement in religious conversion by "allurement." The four of them had attended a one-day pastors' conference that took place Monday in a local church.

The human rights advocacy group reports that authorities searched hotel rooms and took bibles, cash, laptops and also cash belonging to the Christians. According to contacts who spoke with the Christian aid agency Barnabus Fund, police also confiscated a USB device, a vehicle and a nebulizer that aids breathing.

The arrested include Nepal Christian Society General Secretary Dilli Ram Paudel, Indian national Gaurav Sreevastab and Nepali interpreter Kusang Tamang.

Cinquanta told the persecution news outlet that she was held for more than 10 hours without medication and that she was deported to the U.S. "The allegations are completely false," Cinquanta was quoted as writing in a text message. "We were not distributing any Bibles or dollars." "I was visiting a church program in Dang with my travel agent and some friends," Cinquanta added. "No one was engaging in conversion." A source told the Barnabus Fund that the conference was a training course for pastors.

In Nepal, a predominantly Hindu country to



the north of India where Christians are a tiny minority, a law was implemented last August banning religious conversions and "the hurting of religious feelings." At the time, Christian leaders feared the law would be used to persecute Christians for practicing their religion as similar laws have been abused in countries like neighboring India.

Those arrested on Tuesday had not yet been charged with a crime but were still being detained. Christian leader Pratik Bista told that he and a delegation of other Christian leaders visited the Dang district police headquarters on Tuesday. He said they were told by the superintendent that the detained would be released on Wednesday. The superintendent reportedly reasoned that the Christians were arrested for "general inquiry." SW's Chief Executive Mervyn Thomas called on the Nepali authorities to drop all charges against the Christians and release them immediately. "We urge Nepal to respect the

right of all religious minorities to practice their faith or belief through worship, observation, teaching and practice," Thomas said in a statement. "Section 158 of the penal code emboldens both state and non-state actors to harass and prosecute innocent people who are simply exercising their right to freedom of religion or belief."

According to Bista, police officers took Bibles as "evidence" to claim they were carrying out conversions. He added that authorities also took U.S. dollars from Cinquanta's to suggest she was using "allurement to convert."

Nepal ranks as the 32nd worst country in the world when it comes to Christian persecution, according to Open Doors USA's 2019 World Watch List. While Christian persecution in Nepal comes largely from Hindu radicals, Open Doors notes that a new secular constitution adopted in 2015 has limited religious freedom.

ASIA BIBI REUNITED WITH HER DAUGHTERS IN CANADA

Reports have indicated that Pakistani Christian mother Asia Bibi (Aasiya Noreen), who spent years on death row, left Pakistan and arrived in Canada. A British diplomat told the London-based British Pakistani Christian Association on Wednesday morning that Bibi safely left Pakistan after months of delay following the acquittal of her blasphemy charge by Pakistan's Supreme Court

last year. Her lawyer, Saiful Malook, told the BBC that she already arrived in Canada.



She and her husband, Ashiq Masih, have been living the last few months in protective custody and under fear of death threats from Islamic extremists who have also called for the deaths of the justices that issued her acquittal.

Bibi and her husband have been waiting to leave for Canada, where her daughters have relocated.

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Erwin W. Lutzer, former senior pastor of The Moody Church of Chicago, Illinois, which Wiersbe once led, said that Wiersbe was “a master at connecting with people.” “He would walk down a half hour before the service began to shake hands, ask questions, and find out what the needs of the congregation were,” recalled Lutzer in a tribute posted to Moody’s website. “As our paths crossed in subsequent years, Warren always assured me that he and Betty regularly prayed for me and the continuing ministry of The Moody Church.”

Daniel Darling of the SBC Ethics & Religious Liberty Commission took to social media to express that he was saddened by the news of Wiersbe’s passing. “Wiersbe had a formative influence on me as a writer and pastor. A long full life of service to the church,” stated Darling on Twitter.

A native of East Chicago, Indiana, Wiersbe was born in 1929, becoming a born again Christian in 1945 after hearing a sermon by the Rev. Billy Graham. He was ordained in 1951 and served as pastor for Central Baptist Church of East Chicago, Calvary Baptist Church of Covington, Kentucky and Moody Church, as well as leadership roles for Youth for Christ International and the Slavic Gospel Association.

A prolific author, Wiersbe wrote approximately 150 books, among them being the “BE” series of expositional commentaries on Bible books. Entries included “Be Basic” for Genesis chapters 1-11 and “Be Courageous” for Luke chapters 14-24. Wiersbe was active in radio, with sermons of his broadcast on Moody’s “Songs in the Night” national radio program and later served many years at Back to the Bible Radio Ministries as a Bible teacher.

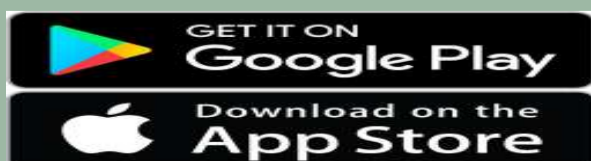
His commentaries, radio programs, and books heavily influenced large numbers of preachers, leading many to refer to him as the “pastor’s pastor.”

Sparkling Wisdom!

- ❖ “A sum can be put right: but only by going back till you find the error and working it afresh from that point, never by simply going on.” – **C.S. Lewis**
- ❖ “We fail in the work of grace and love when there is too much of us and not enough of God.” – **Suzanne Woods Fisher**
- ❖ “As long as you do things for God, you are a Hall of Famer in heaven’s list.” – **Rick Warren**
- ❖ “At least at times of loss, we are reminded of our priorities, of our many blessings. In times of gain, we can so often lose our way.” – **Mindy Starns Clark**
- ❖ “We may have done what the devil said we did, but we are NOT who the devil says we are!” – **April Cofield Essix**
- ❖ “There is nothing dreary or doubtful about (the life). It is meant to be continually joyful... We are called to a settled happiness in the Lord whose joy is our strength.” – **Amy Carmichael**
- ❖ “Be not forgetful to entertain strangers; for thereby some have entertained angels unawares.” – **Serena B. Miller**
- ❖ “Freedom is not doing what we want, but what we should.” – **Victor Manuel Rivera**
- ❖ “When you make the dream of your heart a treasure of heaven, it holds an eternal value.” – **Deborah Brodie**
- ❖ “If you can see it, you can achieve it. God helps those who help themselves. Power is in the act of humility.” – **Patricia Amis**



Abigail Thyvilayil John



ROME OPENS UP EXORCISM COURSE TO HELP CHRISTIANS COUNTER THE RISING DEMONIC FORCES

For the first time in 14 years, the Roman Catholic Church has opened up its annual exorcism class in Rome to all major Christian faiths in a bid to stem the rising tide of demonic forces around the world. "The idea is to help each other, to establish best practices if you will," Father Pedro Barrajon, 61, one of the organizers of the 14th edition of the "Course on Exorcism and Prayer of Liberation," taking place at the Pontifical University of Regina Apostolorum. "This is the first time that different denominations have come together to compare their experiences on exorcisms."

The one week course which is taught in Italian at a cost of approximately \$450 is being held May 6- 11. It is described as the first course in the world that proposes careful academic and interdisciplinary research of exorcisms.

"Expelling the devil goes back to the earliest origins of the Christian Church," Barrajon said. "The Catholic rite is very structured, whereas some of the other churches are more creative, they don't use a precise format."

More than 241 people, both lay and religious, from more than 40 countries signed up for the course this year.

"I'm here to understand the Catholic perspective. We are fighting the same enemy in the name of the Lord, even if there are some parts



of the Anglican Church that have lost belief in Satan," course participant Benjamin McEntire, a Protestant priest from Alaska, said.

They all agree that growing secularization has led to a proliferation of satanic groups, especially among young people through social media. "Many young people display a certain attraction and interest toward themes tied to esotericism, magic, the occult, Satanism, witchcraft, vampirism and contact with a presumed supernatural world," Italian Professor Giuseppe Ferrari, founder and secretary of the "Social and Religious Research and Information Group," said during his introductory speech at the

event. "Some end up accepting as spiritual leaders these characters who, while proposing a flawed liberty and false freedom, only aim at taking hold of their existence," he explained.

While critics of the course have argued that the study of exorcism has no place in modern society, organizers of the event have emphasized a multidisciplinary approach to exorcism that tackles psychology, medicine, law, sociology and criminology in order to help students better understand the changing dynamics and reality of Satanism.

TRUMP URGED TO CONDEMN CHINA'S RELIGIOUS FREEDOM ABUSES IN TRADE TALKS



The Trump administration was strongly urged by a congressionally-mandated commission to bring up the continued persecution of Christians and other religious minorities with

China's top trade negotiator during this week's trade talks in Washington.

The bipartisan U.S. Commission on International Religious Freedom, which includes

three evangelical leaders who've engaged informally with the Trump White House, called for administration officials to discuss China's systemic persecution of Christians, Uighur Muslims and others minorities with Vice Premier Liu He during his visit.

Liu's visit comes as the U.S. Department of Defense estimates that as many as 3 million Uighur Muslims have been sent to detention camps in the Xinjiang province of China, while countless Christians, Buddhists, Falun Gong practitioners and other religious adherents continue to face arrest, imprisonment and the closing of their houses of worship.

"The communist Chinese government's brutal campaign to 'sinicize' all religions is one of the worst abuses of religious freedom tak-

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A 34-year-old man and a girl had shrapnel injuries. The girl, whose age was not given, was wounded in one leg and in the face. She was transferred to a children's hospital and will be monitored overnight.

Vaus said he considered it a hate crime "because of statements that were made when the shooter entered."

San Diego County Sheriff Bill Gore later identified the suspect as John Earnest, of San Diego. Authorities are investigating to see whether Earnest is connected to arson at a mosque in nearby Escondido from last month, he said.

The mayor said the congregation was targeted by "someone with hate in their heart ... towards our Jewish community and that just will not stand." The congregation "took security very seriously," he said. Gore told reporters that the gunman was armed with an "AR-type assault weapon."

Authorities said an off-duty Border Patrol agent fired at the shooter as he was fleeing the scene, but didn't hit the suspect. Gore said it appears the agent, who the sheriff thinks is a security guard, hit the suspect's car. It is unclear why the suspect fled but it is possible his gun might have malfunctioned, the sheriff added.

The suspect fled the scene and called 911 to say he was involved and give his location, San Diego Police Chief David Nisleit said. A San Diego K-9 officer arrived and the shooter surrendered without incident, he said. The sheriff's department announced later that authorities believe the shooter acted alone.

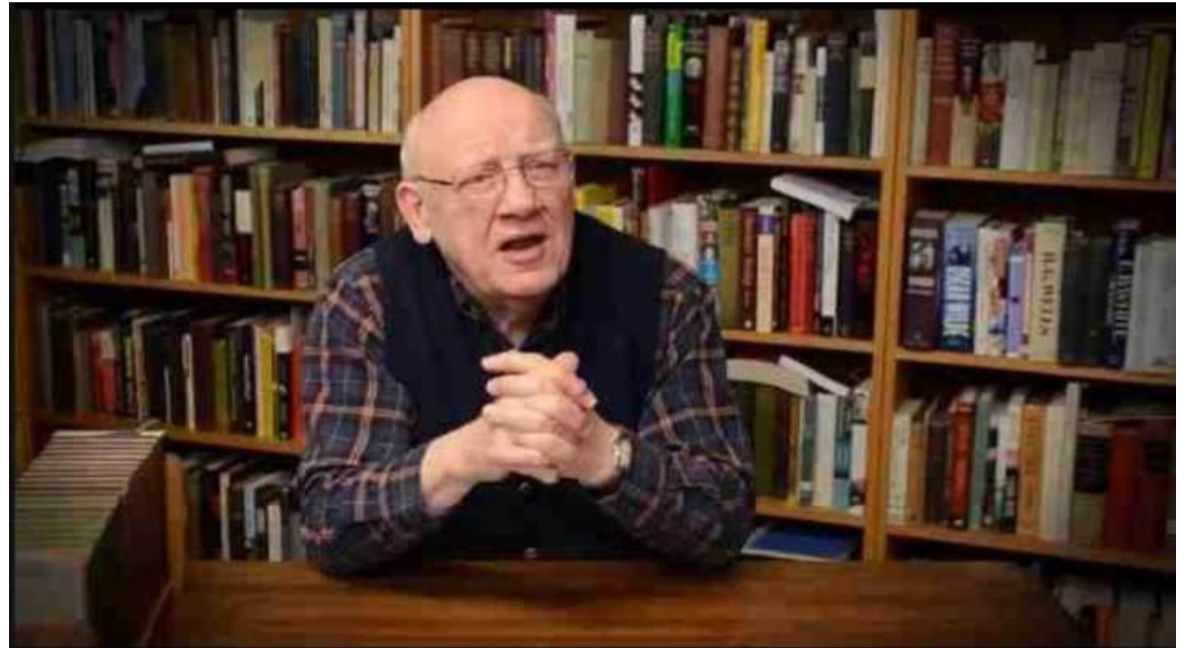
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ing place today," USCIRF Commissioner Gary Bauer, a veteran social conservative activist, said in a statement. "During these talks about our trade relationship with China, religious persecution and human rights more broadly must be on the table."

The Trump administration believed that it was nearing a trade deal with China that would have opened up the Chinese market to U.S. companies. But after days of negotiation between Liu, Treasury Secretary Steven Mnuchin and U.S. Trade Representative Robert Lighthizer, no deal was reached.

Additionally, the U.S. increased tariffs on up to \$200 billion of Chinese goods by 15 percent as China was accused of backtracking on months of negotiations when it submitted drastic edits to a draft trade agreement.

PROLIFIC BIBLE COMMENTATOR AND TEACHER, WARREN WIERSBE, DIES AT 89



Warren W. Wiersbe, a prolific author and Bible commentator who is credited with influencing thousands of pastors with his work, passed away on May 2 at age 89.

Wiersbe's death was announced by his grandson Dan Jacobsen last Thursday, with Jacobson referring to his grandfather as "a bridge builder." "When he said it, he meant that he had a knack for filling leadership roles as the interim between giants," wrote Jacobsen. "The bridges I've seen him build are far more impressive. His preferred tools were words, his blueprints were the Scriptures, and his workspace was a self-as-

sembled library." "Grandpa built bridges from the world of the Bible to the world of today so that we could get to the other side of glory in Jesus."

Many prominent evangelical leaders have expressed their condolences, with Jerry Vines, a former Southern Baptist Convention president who was friends with Wiersbe.

"I first heard Dr. Wiersbe at a Bible conference [in the early 1960s]," stated Vines, as reported by the Baptist Press. "What I heard him do with Scripture that day changed my preaching forever. He changed me from a topical preacher to a text-driven preacher."

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Chinese officials blamed the U.S. for the deal not being reached and vowed to counter the U.S. tariffs.

USCIRF and other religious freedom advocates have long called for the U.S. government to include religious freedom concerns as part of the U.S.' ongoing trade discussions with China and other countries called out for religious freedom violations. At an event on Capitol Hill last week, Bauer said that trade negotiations with China should be more than just about "tariffs and jobs" but should also ensure that the Chinese people are allowed to worship the way that they see fit.

"This is about the right of every man and woman, whether Muslim or Buddhist or Christian or Falun Gong, to worship as he or she sees fit," Bauer argued in a statement Friday. "At a time when the lives and freedoms of millions of Chinese people are under at-

tack by their own government, we must put religious freedom and human rights on the agenda, too."

China has been labeled as a country of particular concern by the U.S. State Department for the past 20 years, a designation given to countries with some of the most severe violations of religious freedom.

In March, U.S. Ambassador-at-Large for International Religious Freedom Sam Brownback spoke in Hong Kong and contended that the Chinese government "is at war with faith." "The Chinese Communist Party must hear the cry of its people for religious freedom," Brownback said.

Friday afternoon, Vice President Mike Pence met with USCIRF and responded in a tweet that the Trump administration would defend religious freedom.

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cally, “the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, the pride of life is not of the Father.” Psalm 5:4, “You are not of God who has pleasure in wickedness, neither will evil dwell with you,” (Psalm 5:4). In fact, in Isaiah 6, the shout of the angels was that God was holy, holy, holy.

What can we do about the evil within us? Is there anything we can do about it? Definitely! We can take evil thoughts captive and replace them with good thoughts before they bear evil actions (2 Corinthians. 10:5; Philippians. 4:8). Here Paul indicates that the enemy invades our minds, our imaginations. He does this through opinions, convictions, and feelings that exalt themselves against the knowledge of God. These satanic thoughts or attitudes are designed to affect or alter first our minds and then our behaviors. Satan did this to Eve in the Garden of Eden (Genesis 3:1-6). So such thoughts should never be entertained, but rather the thoughts we have must be based on the word of God. It’s because God’s primary means for giving us guidance is the Bible. The Bible is our rule book of faith and practice. If we know and understand the scriptures, we will be well on our way to having God-honoring thoughts. It is true that He never guides His people contrary to the clear principles of His written Word (Ps. 37:23; Prov. 16:9; Prov. 1:33; Isa. 48:17).

God will help us know ourselves and recognize evil. God knows our hearts (John 2:25). He knows our inclination to be evil. His response is to redeem us personally and change our hearts. Jesus sought to fulfill what the prophet Ezekiel prophesied: “I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you; I will take the heart of stone out of your flesh and give you a heart of flesh” (Ezek. 36:26). Proverbs 3: verses 5 and 6 say, “Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding: in all your ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct your paths. This means that you are not only to know God, but to trust Him implicitly. Every aspect of your life is to reflect His sovereignty over you. “In all your ways acknowledge Him,” means in your work, in your family, in your personal life, in your thought life, in your recreation, in everything you do, you acknowledge that God is in control of you. Then, lean not on your own understanding. If you think you know all the answers, if you

100 MILLION WOMEN ‘MISSING’ WORLD-WIDE TRAPPED IN SEX SLAVERY, KILLED BY ABORTIONS OR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE



As many as 100 million women and girls are estimated to be “missing and unaccounted for” — mostly in Asia and Africa — as the quantitative impact of sex-selective abortions, sex slavery and horrific abuses against women is shown in available data, a new report claims.

Christian humanitarian agency Gospel for Asia released the report “One Hundred Million Missing Women” this week to provide an overview of the population crisis arising worldwide. The new report cites experts who have used data available dating back to the 1980s to determine that between 90 to 100 million women and girls who should be alive today “simply do not exist.”

According to GFA, census studies on gender ratios in Asia show that there are 106 males to every 100 females. GFA founder K.P. Yohannan contends that while such a discrepancy might not seem like much, it actually speaks to the inequality and neglect that has led to the “excessive mortality of women.” “As we celebrate Mother’s Day, the devaluation and horrendous treatment and abuse

have everything all figured out, then you are leaning on your own understanding. If you trust God, acknowledge Him in the way that you live, and do not lean on your overconfidence or past experience. Let Him guide you. While it is easy to point at other people and

of women and girls is a global crisis,” Yohannan said in a statement. “In the poorest regions of the world, and especially in Asia, women’s lives are threatened from the womb to widowhood — and millions of these precious girls will not survive to become mothers.”

Author Karen Mains, who wrote the GFA report, said the devaluation of women and societal discrimination frequently faced by women is creating the global crisis.”

“The irony of the missing-women demographics — enabled by entrenched cultural attitudes and systemic discrimination against the female sex — is that many places in the world with a skewed sex ratio are now experiencing such high female shortages that there are no longer enough women to mate in marriage with the existing male population,” she wrote.

There are a number of different factors that play into the “wild imbalance” in sex ratio for certain countries. According to Mains, there is a general consensus that the factors that are at play include female infanticide, sex-selective abortions, domestic violence, inadequate health care, lack of pregnancy and childbirth training as well as the “booming sex-slave industry.” Mains estimates that about 34 million women and girls are caught in the sex trafficking trade globally, including 16 million in India.

see their imperfections, Jesus asks us to look at our own hearts. The first step toward combating evil is recognizing that the problem is within us. Once we recognize the source of evil in our hearts, it is much easier to refuse evil and embrace goodness by trusting in divine guidance.

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ABORTION BANNED IN GEORGIA ONCE HEARTBEAT IS DETECTED

Georgia Gov. Brian Kemp angered abortion supporters Tuesday when he signed a bill into law that bans abortion once a fetal heartbeat has been detected and recognizes fetuses as natural persons. "Georgia is a state that values life," Kemp said as he signed HB 481, also known as The Living Infants Fairness and Equality Act, into law. "We protect the innocent, we champion the vulnerable, we stand up and speak for those that are unable to speak for themselves."

Republican State Rep. Ed Setzler, who also spoke at the bill signing, called the legislation a "common sense issue," saying that a preschooler would recognize a fetus as a baby.

"The Living Infants Fairness and Equality Act is a bill that recognizes something that many have known for years. It recognizes that science tells us that children in the womb are living distinct human beings that are worthy of full legal protection. It recognizes what law tells us. We follow the dictates of solid law in the foundations that even our United States Supreme Court has said that if any recognizes the personhood of a child in utero that life gets full protection of our federal Constitution and that's what the Living Infants



Fairness and Equality Act does today," he said.

"And finally, common sense tells us, if you look at a child in the womb, with a beating heart, with a distinct blood type and you ask a preschooler, a small child, what are you looking at, they would look and say 'that's a baby.' When you recognize what science, law and common sense tells us today, that those in utero in Georgia, with a human heartbeat, with a full circulatory system, and all the components of humanity should get full protections of our laws. It's on that foundation that we stand today."

The move also drew support from pro-life supporters such as Live Action founder and

President Lila Rose. "This is a huge win for life. Georgia is the fourth state this year to pass a heartbeat bill, joining Kentucky, Mississippi, and Ohio. This law acknowledges the scientific fact that the pro-abortion movement tries desperately to ignore: This is a unique, individual human life in the womb, not a 'clump of cells;' and just three weeks after fertilization, the child's little heart is already beating. It's time for society and our laws to acknowledge that there are two human beings in a pregnancy - a baby and his or her mother - and both deserve protection," Rose said in a statement to The Christian Post.

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