

The Muslim Antichrist

Okay so here is even more proof of a Muslim Antichrist. I am not sure how the preachers and prophecy teachers of old have missed this but it is Islam that will play a huge role in the time of the end.

Since money is not really based or backed by anything anymore since 1971 and Bretton Woods. Gold and silver prices are flying off of the charts and oil is through the roof. The only real commodity that is in sufficient supply, gold and silver are not, and who controls most of the world's oil. Islam is the controlling mechanism.

The early church fathers and those down through the ages have not missed this fact that Islam is where the man of sin will come from. Look at these quotes from church leaders down thru the years to get a feel for this teaching:

JOHN WESLEY

Indeed, the iron teeth closely match Islam. John Wesley explains, "Ever since the religion of Islam appeared in the world, the espousers of it...have been as wolves and tigers to all other nations, rending and tearing all that fell into their merciless paws, and grinding them with their iron teeth; that numberless cities are raised from the foundation, and only their name remaining; that many countries, which were once as the garden of God, are now a desolate wilderness; and that so many once numerous and powerful nations are vanished from the earth! Such was, and is at this day, the rage, the fury, the revenge, of these destroyers of human kind."

BISHOP FULTON J SHEEN

"Today (1950), the hatred of the Moslem countries against the West is becoming hatred against Christianity itself. Although the statesmen have not yet taken it into account, there is still grave danger that the temporal power of Islam may return and, with it, the menace that it may shake off a West which has ceased to be Christian, and affirm itself as a great anti-Christian world Power."

SIR ROBERT ANDERSON

Sir Robert Anderson, perhaps one of the leading scholars of prophecy who unlocked the seventy weeks of Daniel stated: "Verse 7 indicates that the rise of all these kingdoms was future." He continues: "In the history of Babylonia there is nothing to correspond with the predicted course of the first Beast, for it is scarcely legitimate to suppose that the vision was a prophecy of the career of Nebuchadnezzar. Neither is there in the history of Persia anything answering to the bear-like beast with that precision and fullness which prophecy demands. The language of the English version suggests a reference to Persia and Media but the true rendering appears to be; 'It made for itself one dominion,' instead 'it raised up itself on one side.'"

CYRIL OF JERUSALEM, (315-386)

Amazingly, even before the advent of Islam, there were those who looked toward the Middle East for the fulfillment of the Antichrist prophecies. Cyril was a distinguished theologian and Father of the early Church. In his *Divine Institutes*, Cyril discusses the fact that the Antichrist will proceed forth from the region of ancient Syria, which extended from modern day Syria well into portions of Asia Minor (Turkey): "A king shall arise out of Syria, born from an evil spirit, the over thrower and destroyer of the human race, who shall destroy that which is left by the former evil, together with himself... But that king will not only be most disgraceful in himself, but he will also be a prophet of lies, and he will constitute and call himself God, and will order himself to be worshipped as the Son of God, and power will be given to him to do signs and wonders, by the

MAXIMUS THE CONFESSOR (580-662)

Maximus was an important theologian and scholar of the early Church who helped defeat the Monothelite heresy, which claimed that Christ only possessed a divine and not a human will. Maximus witnessed the rise and spread of the Islamic Empire in his day. He described the invading Muslims as "a people who... delight in human blood... whom God hates, though they think they are worshipping God." He also referred to the Muslim invasions as "announcing the advent of the Antichrist." And so we see that even at such an early period of Islam's growth, a clear association of Islam with the Antichrist prophecies was being articulated. 24

JOHN CALVIN (1509-1564)

John Calvin also determined the Antichrist Kingdom would consist of both the Western Roman Catholic Church and the Eastern Ottoman (Muslim) Empire. To Calvin, both the Catholic Church and Islam were equally deserving of the title of Antichrist: "As Muhammad says that his Qur'an is the sovereign wisdom, so says the Pope of his own decrees. For they be the two horns of Antichrist." 29 Elaborating on the prophecy of Daniel 7, Calvin commented that, "It does seem that the fourth iron kingdom was in fact both the pre-Papal and the pre-Islamic undivided Pagan Roman Empire, as well as the later Western-Roman Papal and the contemporaneous Eastern-Roman Islamic Empire into which it then subdivided... Thus they correspond to the two legs of the later Roman Empire – Islam and the Papacy."

These quotes show that it is actually the Western European view that is only 70 years old or so. Most teaching on the Antichrist and his origins was all around Islam.

Keep looking up!