

# GROWING IN GOD

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## GIG256 – Understanding Revelation and Deception About Israel

I do not know if this will end up being a podcast or not. One thing I want to say is that I am so thankful for the revelation that God has allowed us to have of Israel. The fact that we see and perceive the Scriptures, and what they are saying, and how they are written, is huge to me, because I realize how many people do not have that, even people within the body of Christ. I do not want to overkill, so I would say it is fairly limited within a lot of the body of Christ to understand the place that Israel has in the end-time, and the importance that it still has. There are many churches which still hold to having replacement theology, and there are some churches within specific denominations that actually their whole mission is against the Jewish people and against Israel; maybe you know that, maybe you do not. But I have actually been in contact with that, and it is rampant, and it is amazing to me. I really feel just a broken humility of heart, the fact that God would grant us to have eyes that see and ears that hear what we do. I am not saying we have perfect clarity, but I am saying that the revelation about Israel, about what the Scriptures say about who these people are and His relationship and calling to them – I am just thankful to the Lord that we have it. I am thankful to John Stevens, because I know that his teaching guided us and brought us into this kind of revelation and openness. I am very thankful to Shlomo Hizak, who has taken us into a lot of these revelations, and was patient to teach us and guide us, and bring us to Israel and train pastors and elders into these things. So, I am just wanting to say that I am very thankful for it.

Secondly, I would just say that I am very, very concerned about what is going on in the United States, things that have transpired just recently, as you, I am sure, are aware. There was a couple who worked for the embassy and were killed on the steps in Washington DC recently, gunned down to the cries of “Free Palestine.” There was recently in Colorado an attack on a synagogue, throwing Molotov cocktails and trying to kill Jews, one of which happened to be a Holocaust survivor who was lit on fire with the Molotov cocktail. And just within the last day or so, there was a pro-Israel event that was scheduled in Texas; the venue had to be moved one time already, and then it was scheduled in Arlington, Texas at another facility that was willing to house it. But because of the threats that were brought against it, the event itself was canceled – and these threats were directly from Jihadists in America that were giving very specific details of how they were going to attack this event and the people that were attending the event. And so, we are talking about the United States of America now is having to cancel events because of jihadist activity within our borders.

I just am so concerned about it, that we, number one, have to wake up. We have had years of open borders in this country, and it has not been people coming in just to make a better life and get better work than what they can find in their home countries; this has been very planned out, very specifically executed, to have jihadist groups come in and move into this country. So I am just saying we need to open our eyes, because what has happened in Israel is happening in this country. Because after killing the Jews, then their plan, very openly published, is to kill Christians. There are parts of the world where this is happening now by jihadis in places in Africa, where Christians by the thousands are being killed. Part of their doctrine is, “After we destroy the Saturday people, we go after the Sunday people.”

So, we are seeing this, and what concerns me is we are dealing with a mentality that is deeper than what we understand; and maybe it is just that we do not want to believe it is true. One of the things that we heard so much on this trip about the events of October seventh when the attack happened on Israel, from many people, from just citizens, Israeli citizens to security people to government people, is, "They told us they were going to do this, and we just did not believe it. We just did not believe it. Now we believe it." I do not want that to be the course that we are on in America to say, "Oh, well, we can't believe that about Islam," or, "We can't believe that about these peoples," or whatever. It is like listening to that ten-year-old in Bethlehem saying, "No, there is no peace as long as there is a Jew alive in the land of Israel. The only peace is when every last Jew has been removed from Palestine." Look at the education that has happened over the last seventy years. We are celebrating the state of Israel's existence into seventy years now, and during that time, there has been a tremendous educational program that has been going on; a lot of it funded through the United Nations by UNRWA, or UNRA, as people refer to it. The textbooks are there about killing Jews, and how to kill them, and what has to be done. This is what the United Nations has promoted, has financed. We have to stop saying, "Oh, I just can't believe it. I can't believe the United Nations is doing that, or would do that." No, they have already done it. They have done it within the last seventy years. This has been very calculatedly carried out. You are dealing with people who do not have another way to think, they do not have another way to believe.

I was watching a YouTube video, the title of it is, *Pro Palestinian Nearly PASSES OUT After Learning Palestine is Fake!*<sup>1</sup> If you just go to YouTube and type that in and look up this, you can see the guy's face, so you will know when you are on the right channel. Listen to this interview. This is an interview at an AIPAC conference where there was this whole Palestinian confrontation going on. When you listen to this guy, and he is Jewish, I think he is Israeli, but he is talking to this girl who is there as part of the protest. This is an American girl who is at this AIPAC conference, out front protesting for Palestine; listen to her rhetoric. But when you listen to it, listen to her absolute inability to listen to reason or facts. And these are not religious facts. They are not Jewish facts. We are talking about history.

For God's sake, if you are going to go out in the streets and protest and yell your lungs out about something, and shout against the Jews, and say "the Jews need to be killed," and "From the river to the sea" – and you guys all understand "the river to the sea," right? Even if they do not know what they are saying when they are saying it, what you are saying is from the Jordan River to the Mediterranean Sea, they want the land cleared of Jews. Well, that is the whole land. Somebody asked the question today, "Where does the term 'West Bank' come from?" If you look at a map and you see the country of Jordan, which was invented after the war, by the way, it never existed; so the country Jordan is on the East Bank of the River Jordan, when you are standing in Israel, and Israel is on the West Bank of the River Jordan. And so, the West Bank became a term for a certain area, which is stupid. It is a stupid terminology, because if you say "West Bank," then all of Israel is on the West Bank of the River Jordan, if you are standing there at the river. And so, when you shout, "From the river to the sea," you are saying, "Clear the whole land of any Jews." It is not talking about a two-state solution; which, by the way, you will not find a Palestinian who wants a two-state solution. They want a one-state solution, which is an Arab Muslim state under Sharia law. That is their solution to the problem. So, what is scary to me is listening to this girl, because the guy is trying to reason, and I thought the facts he is bringing out are really just

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like baby step facts about the truth. Like she is saying, "Well, it's Palestine," and he is replying, "No. Do you realize that Palestine was the name given to the land by the Romans when they came in and took over the land, and slaughtered the Jews and kicked all the Jews out of their land?" They then, as a slur, called it Palaestina. It was a slur because the Philistines hated the Jews and were always trying to destroy them; they called it Palestine as a slur, while they are killing the Jews and kicking them out of their land. So there is no such thing as the land of Palestine. There is no such thing as a group called Palestinians. They are Arabs.

If you go back, there are so many facts about this. Go back to the Balfour Declaration, where it was declared that this was going back to be the homeland of the Jewish people. That was ratified, comically enough at this point, by the United Nations, who adopted what had been chosen or decided by the countries of the Allied forces who won the war. The United Nations, when it was first created, adopted what had been accepted, that Israel was to get these lands. And so, he is trying to tell her this, and she is saying, "Oh no, that is a lie! You have just been brainwashed into this"; and I am sitting there going, "Oh my God, they do not want reason, they do not want facts. They do not want truth, and they cannot hear truth anymore, because they are so demented by the spirit behind this thing." It is literally scary.

I want to read a Scripture. Actually, there are a couple of Scriptures. I will give you references and then you can look them up later, I am not going to read all this because we are going overtime. Romans 1:16:16-32 is a good Scripture to read, along with 2 Timothy 3:7-17. What these are dealing with is this idea of having your mind taken over to the point where you cannot see the truth, hear the truth, or know the truth anymore; and I think we are there. I really do think we are there. Timothy starts out in verse 7 this way, "Always learning and never able to come to the knowledge of the truth. Just as Jannes and Jambres opposed Moses, so these men also oppose the truth, men of depraved mind, rejected in regard to the faith. But they will not make further progress; for their folly will be obvious...." Lord, please, let the folly of this thinking be made obvious. "...just as Jannes's and Jambres's folly was also. Now you followed my teaching, conduct..." So it goes on, and just read the rest of it, because it is talking about this idea of having a depraved mind. Something happens, and that is what Romans goes into more.

In Romans 1:24-26 it says, "Therefore God gave them over in the lusts of their hearts to impurity, so that their bodies would be dishonored among them. For they exchanged the truth of God for a lie, and worshiped and served the creature rather than the Creator, who is blessed forever. Amen. For this reason God gave them over to degrading passions...." So there is something you have to realize, that this is not something where you can just reason this out with people. It is beyond reason, it has gone into a depravity of mind where the ability to hear or listen or know the truth is gone.

I do not know how many of you know this, I actually learned it myself not too long ago. But after World War 2, when we won the war and Japan signed over the peace treaty, one of the things that happened was they took over the Japanese education system; because where the war came from was years of having been taught imperialism, that Japan had a divine mandate from the heavens to take over and rule the world. That mentality is what allowed what happened with the Japanese in the war. After the war it was recognized, "Hey, if we are going to stop this from ever happening again, you have to go in now and take the children and take over the educational system, and educate them in a new and different way without teaching them this." Well, listen, friends, we are facing the same thing in the Arab nations. And I would just say it is much broader than Gaza; it is across a lot of the Arab world where the education of this thinking is that, starting with Israel, you have to get rid of the Jews, you have to get rid

of the Israeli state, you have to kill these people. But you read the Koran – please, I know you love your Bible; go read the Koran. It is very clear that Islam has a mandate to take over the world. It sounds very much like what was in the thinking of the Japanese that created the events that happened in World War 2. And this is what we are up against. It is not just a religion, it goes beyond that. It is a way of thinking.

One of the things that was told by one of the officials that we were talking to in Israel, and they have not published this a lot, but he said that the IDF have not gone into one home in Gaza where there was not on the wall of the home a picture of Al Aqsa Mosque with the wording about the fact that this war is about taking back Al Aqsa. Well, Al Aqsa, that is the Temple Mount; and that was the point of October 7<sup>th</sup>, it had that same war cry. There is a very specific Arabic cry about taking back Al Aqsa Mosque and taking over. Well, you cannot do that without coming from Gaza all the way through the land of Israel, taking over Jerusalem and the Temple Mount. And they are saying that not one, not one home that they went into, did not have this on the wall with the war cry about taking back Al Aqsa. So, it is something that has been bred into children all of their life, all of their life.

This war in Gaza is not going to be won by going in and getting rid of quote, unquote, Hamas, because this thinking is bred deeper into the situation than you realize. You have to understand, Hamas is the rightfully elected government by free elections. When Gaza was given free elections after Israel pulled out of Gaza, they elected Hamas. It is their government by choice. So there is a lot more truth here that is not being told, does not want to be told; and what was scary to me about watching this video is that even when you tell it, people do not believe it. It has gone past a point of reason. I think that is important for us to know, for us to understand. That is why I asked Charlie to read that Scripture, Ezekiel 38:23, because what we see is that God comes on the scene and He magnifies Himself before the nations, He sanctifies Himself before the nations. I think that God is the only one who has a solution to this problem. He is the only one who loves everybody enough to bring about a solution that would be justice, because God is justice. He is not going to violate Himself, His personality, and His principles in His moving. And so, we need to pray; we need to pray for the peace of Jerusalem, and know that the King of kings will bring about that peace. It will happen. It is promised to happen, it is prophesied to happen, and God will honor His Word, He will fulfill His Word. We want to be the force of prayer, intercession, and prophecy; and we have to keep our own hearts clean from ulterior motivations, or wrong thinking, or just picking sides. There is one side to take in this, that is God's side; and what we normally find is that His thoughts are not necessarily our thoughts, and His ways are generally not our ways. But we have an ability to put the force of our hearts and our spirits, our prayer, our prophecy, behind Him and His ways and His purposes to see them fulfilled.

Christ taught us a wonderful, wonderful prayer: "Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven." I think that prayer is still fitting after all these years, and maybe it is more important now than it ever has been. But let us continue to be that force of faith and continue to pray for the peace of Jerusalem, because I do not think there can be peace in Jerusalem without there being peace in the world.

So, I bless you. I hope this is meaningful to you guys, and we just want to keep the flow of our prayer going. Thank you again for all of your support financially, it has been just a blessing how you guys have helped with this trip. I know that we are still in need of finances; we did things that were not necessarily planned, like giving that soldier that MacBook computer so he could get retrained. He was one of the "lone soldiers," which means he was Jewish, but when the war broke out, he came on his own. He has no family in Israel, no friends in Israel; he came to fight. Amazing. There are so many of those. When we

were there in the hospital, the therapy director came to me and just said, "Is there any way? This guy has no family, no support. We are trying to retrain him, but if we cannot send him home and he does not have a computer, how is he going to do what we are training him to do? Is there any way?" And so, we did, we came up with a computer, thanks to Mordecai. He was great, he went out and shopped it for us, and haggled it for us, and all of that. I think we paid \$1,020 US dollars for this brand-new MacBook Air to give to him, and then we made a trip back to the hospital to give it to him, to hand it to him. So, anyway, there are things like that that we did which were not necessarily part of the plan, but it is why we were there; and I was just thankful we could touch people the way we did.

Anyway, I love you guys. I know we could go on for hours and hours talking about this trip, and maybe we will talk about it some more on our next call. Think of your questions and be ready for them. But I love you guys, I appreciate you, and we will just keep moving forward in all that we are trying to do to see God's Kingdom come forth on this earth. Amen.

All right, love you guys so, so much. Thank you. We bless every one of you. Lord bless these ones. Bless their hearts, their spirits. Continue this spirit of revelation and wisdom that comes as a gift of the Holy Spirit to have understanding of the times. That is what Daniel had, was understanding of the times. Give us, Lord, give these people understanding by Your Spirit. Give them faith. Bless their families, bless their finances, Lord, let everything in their lives work in a way that allows them to focus their energy and their time into Your Kingdom. I bless you guys, love you very much, and we will see you all soon.

Shabbat Shalom.