

PRAYER WARRIOR ALERT!
Thwarting The Triad of Evil in Yah'shua's Name
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This prayer alert is going out to all Believers who pray and intercede.

We have never before sent out an urgent call to prayer such as this.

This teaching contains intelligence that may be new and unnerving to some of you, but it is *imperative* that you pray about reading this article in full and then, intercede as NEVER BEFORE.

First, let's examine some these Scriptures:

7 And they slew the sons of Zedekiah before his eyes, and put out the eyes of Zedekiah, and bound him with fetters of brass, and carried him to Babylon.

8 And in the fifth month, on the seventh day of the month, which is the nineteenth year of king Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon, came Nebuzaradan, captain of the guard, a servant of the king of Babylon, unto Jerusalem:

9 And he burnt the house of the Lord, and the king's house, and all the houses of Jerusalem, and every great man's house burnt he with fire. – 2 Kings 25:7-9

Many of you may already know about the strange “occasion” that is coming up in a week or so. It is on the Jewish calendar, known as ***Tisha B'Av*** (the 9th day of the month of Av). The Jewish calendar cycles differently than the Gregorian calendar (or Roman one) does. That is, after all, because the Hebraic calendar was set by YHWH, and is based follows Yahuweh's Biblical Feasts that follow a *lunar* cycle.

Because the Hebrew calendar (which was originally set up by the Creator Himself) is lunar, every year these occasions land on different dates in the secular calendar. This year, *Tisha B'Av* begins on the evening of July 28 and goes till sundown of the 29th (In the Bible and hence in Hebrew thinking, days begin and end at sundown [see **Gen. 1:5**]).

While some of this information is not in the Bible, it IS history and it is history to which we need to attend. Biblically and historically, this date is considered the anniversary of one of the greatest tragedies in the history of Israel. It is the date that the Great Temple that King Solomon built was destroyed by King Nebuchadnezzar in 423 BC.

This temple was THE wonder of this time in history. This is partially because of its stunning size and architectural beauty, but more importantly because the **Presence** of the Living YHWH of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob dwelt in the Holy of Holies (*Kadosh Kadoshim* in Hebrew). However, beginning with its builder (Solomon) and continuing from there, Israel slid further and further into apostasy.

Even though Solomon was the wisest man of his day, he still fell into idolatry and was led astray by his MANY pagan wives. He actually built smaller temples to pagan gods like Molech and Chemosh (**1 Kings 11:1-8**). Because of this, he was told that the kingdom he inherited from his father, David, would be torn apart after his death (**1 Kings 11:9-13**). This is why after Solomon there was the northern kingdom commonly known as Israel (made up of more or less ten of the tribes) and the southern kingdom known as Judah (made up of the tribes of Judah and Benjamin with most of the Levites as well).

Though Judah's slide into idolatry took longer than the northern kingdom's (which was conquered and dispersed by Assyria in 720 BC) it still degenerated spiritually. Prophets would come and preach

revival and there would be brief periods of repentance, but the people – and even the monarchs – kept falling into sin.

Finally, the Almighty's patience wore out and judgment fell on the city of Jerusalem and the temple, and the events described in the verse above took place. The temple was destroyed on the day of *Tisha B'Av*. However, the story does not end there.

Eerie Coincidences?

We need to go back in time to the book of **Numbers 13-14** where the people of Israel lost heart and refused to go in and claim the Promised Land. From time immemorial, Hebrew sages have taught that this failure took place on *Tisha B'Av*.

Fast forwarding to apostolic times, we find the historical fact that the second temple (the one in which Yah'shua taught) was destroyed by the Romans – as He prophesied – on **the 9th of Av in 70 AD**. Unfortunately, most the leadership of Israel at the time did NOT recognize Yah'shua as their Messiah and so apostasy resulted in the destruction of the temple a second time.

At this time, it became customary (though not in the Torah) for Jews to fast on *Tisha B'Av* to mourn and commemorate the destruction of both temples.

The evil reputation of this date continued to increase during the Bar Kochba rebellion. Simon Bar Kochba (this was a title, meaning "Son of the Star") led a revolt against the Romans in 132 AD. He claimed to be Messiah and because of this, the Messianic Believers in Israel refused to join forces with him, since they were followers of Yah'shua, the **TRUE Messiah**. Bar Kochba's revolt failed, and in 135 thousands of Jewish refugees fled to Bethar. The emperor Hadrian and his troops followed them there and there was a massacre of Jews **on the 9th of Av in that year**. Every Jew was killed, and the Romans would not allow them to bury their dead for six days!

Things got demonstrably worse for the Jewish people of the Roman Empire after this. The Romans plowed Jerusalem with yokes of oxen. Many Jews were sold into slavery and deported to Egypt. Jerusalem was turned into a pagan city called Aelia Capitolina and no Jewish person was allowed to live there. They were only permitted to enter the city on *Tisha B'Av* to mourn their losses.

After this, Hadrian really stepped up the persecution of both Jews and the early Christians. But he especially reserved his ire for Torah observant Jews, who were seriously discriminated against. He passed laws against synagogue worship, the Sabbath and Torah study. Unfortunately, many Jews assimilated and many others were martyred including the celebrated sage, Rabbi Akiva. This horrid persecution lasted until Hadrian's death in 138.

Strangely enough, almost a thousand years later, the Jews were expelled from the nation of England on the 9th of Av in 1290. Then, in 1492, King Ferdinand issued a decree on March 31 that all Jews had to either convert to Catholicism or leave Spain. He gave them four months to leave, which meant that the final date of expulsion was exactly *Tisha B'Av*.

Finally, many historians, both Jewish and otherwise, would tell you that the First World War and the subsequent Treaty of Versailles (which imposed extreme punitive sanctions on Germany) were the proximate cause of Hitler's rise to power and the Holocaust. World War I began on July 28, 1914 that was the 9th of Av for that year!

These are just TOO MANY coincidences! **No wonder most Jews view *Tisha B'Av* as a day of special ill omen!** The three weeks before the date, many devout Jews begin praying and afflicting their souls (**Lev. 23:27**) - working up to the 9th of Av when they fast and pray almost as severely as they do on Yom Kippur (the Day of Atonement)!

Strongholds and Batteries

Now, even the Scriptures are relatively silent about *Tisha B'Av*, those who understand how these things work can see what has happened. In some of my other teachings, I have discussed the power of **egregores**. In magick, an egregore is a thought form. It is **an IDEA that is given power over time**. Usually this power is demonic. A Biblical word for egregore would be stronghold (**2 Cor. 10:4**). Here is how it works.

Any bad idea or form of worship starts out small; like Allah, for example. He started out as a rock – a stone idol. He was the god of Mohammed’s tribe. But Mohammed started Islam as a worship of Allah and began adding thousands of followers. Today there are more two billion Muslims. Since Islam was created in the 6th century, untold *millions* have given their worship to this rock. When the sin of idolatry is committed, it invites demons. More and more demons come to inhabit the rock or whatever. Eventually, it becomes a strongman named Allah and has a stronghold called Islam. Today, that egregore is VERY powerful because of billions bowing down toward Mecca five times a day and praying to it.

I believe the same thing is true of *Tisha B'Av*. Because devout Jews (mostly NOT Believers in Yah’shua) have invested the date with these ominous associations down through the centuries, it has acquired *a power all its own*. A spirit of fear has taken residence within it. It becomes like a self-fulfilling prophecy. As Job said, “*For the thing which I greatly feared is come upon me...*” (**Job 3:25**) Even Believers can create egregores, but that is a discussion for another day.

The problem with an egregore is that it becomes a sort of spiritual perpetual motion machine. It just keeps running and gaining power. Others, not of the Jewish (or whatever) faith, who recognize this principle, can tap into its power. THIS is the concern. I KNOW, for example, that Illuminati leaders in the Middle East have tapped into the vast power of the egregore or strongman of Islam and used it to manipulate world events for their own purposes. Egregores can be like spiritual “batteries” that can be “charged” by worship, adulation or ceremony. Then their power can be tapped for (usually bad) purposes.

In like manner, evil people have begun harnessing the power of the stronghold of *Tisha B'Av* for working magick against the Hebrew people and the world at large.

This brings us to an even *older* stronghold that is coming upon us. Many of you may have heard the expression, “the Dog Days of summer.” The main origin of this odd expression is the fact that anciently, the Egyptians worshipped a god (with the head of a dog) named **Set**. This was one of the oldest cults in the history of Egypt. It probably predated the time of Moses. OTO leader¹ and occult scholar Kenneth Grant discusses the cult of Set in his books, notably in **THE MAGICAL REVIVAL** and **ALEISTER CROWLEY AND THE HIDDEN GOD**. To this day, one of the major satanic organizations in North America, second only to the Church of Satan, is called the Temple of Set.

¹ The OTO (*Ordo Templi Orientis* – Order of Eastern Templars) is a ceremonial magick society of a decidedly dark, Rosicrucian, Masonic character. Aleister Crowley, the notorious 20th century occultist, was made its head for the English-speaking world. They practiced sexual magic and taught that the “Christian Aeon” was over, being replaced by the Aeon of Horus, the “Crowned and Conquering Child.”

Without going into all the details,² Set is a dark god – a being of ill omen indeed. He is associated with the star called Sirius (Sothis in Greek). This star is the brightest visible star and is in the constellation that has been known as Canis Major (the Big Dog) for millennia. Thus, there is an association between Set and the dog. Set and Sirius came to associated with evil because when that star/constellation is in its ascendancy is around July 23, the middle of the “Dog Days.” In Egypt, it was a time of blistering, blasted heat when the Nile was at its lowest ebb. Note that date! July 23!

Because of this association, many satanic groups, including the Illuminati, have built up a powerful association or egregore with the date of July 23. Of course, now this date is right in the middle of the three weeks preceding *Tisha B’Av*. They often use this date and its surrounding orb for black magical rituals (an ORB here is a term from astrology meaning the three days to either side of a given date).

Forming a Trine of Evil

As of this writing, a very tense situation has broken out in the Middle East involving the probable fall of the Syrian government AND a terrorist attack on **Israeli** young people in Bulgaria by Muslim terrorists, as well as a deadly shooting in a Colorado cinemaplex. These events are typical of the kind of spiritual backscatter you see during the Dog Days and/or *Tisha B’Av*. Decent people do not understand this, but Satanists will use any shedding of innocent blood (death by war, terrorism or even things like abortion) as a way to fuel the power of their egregores.

Believe it or not, just as there are what might be called “Christian Satanists” (meaning Satanists who couch their symbolism and ritual in perversions of the Christian or Catholic faith) so there are also **Muslim** Satanists, who take the “sacred”³ things of Islam and twist them to their own occult ends. These people worship a being known as **Iblis** or **Shaytan**. When I was into the dark arts, I knew a couple of these people, and they were scary – even for me.

[Special note for prayer warriors: IF you feel so led by the Holy Spirit (Ruach ha Kodesh) and ONLY if you do, you can pray against these two entities for they are certainly strongmen over the darkest underbelly of Islam. But caution is advised. If you are not a seasoned intercessor, seek the counsel of your pastor.]

People do not realize that Islam is rooted in very powerful Arabic sorcery that has been around for millennia. Islamic Satanists USE this sorcery for their own wicked ends. It would not be above such creepy folk to attack innocent people and then feed on the energy from the shedding of their blood. I do not know this, but it is possible that many of these “Islamic terrorists” are actually being egged on by Islamic Satanists.

This brings us to the **THIRD** component here, which is a different form of satanic ritual, the **Grand Climax**. It takes place on July 27! It is from what might be called Western European Theistic Satanism. These are Satanists who actually BELIEVE that the devil is the supreme lord of the universe (as opposed to Church of Satan – LaVey types who claim to only view the devil as an archetype).

The Grand Climax is a time where Satanists are commanded to offer blood sacrifice and sexual ritual. It is a very important feast to the Illuminati and this year it is VERY close to *Tisha B’Av*. Of course,

² See my book, MASONRY BEYOND THE LIGHT, especially pp. 101, 156-157

³ I use the word “sacred” here not because anything in the Islamic religion is sacred. It is not! It is deception. But I am using the word to distinguish what mainstream Muslims would regard as sacred things or practices from the perversions that these Islamic Satanists would perform.

these folks believe that the more blood and sexual perversion the better, so they are hoping to generate a bloodbath on or about the twenty-seventh of July.

One possible target is the coming **2012 London Olympics** (July 25-August 12). Two things factor in here. One is the large amount of “chatter” (perhaps valid, perhaps not) about there being a terrorist attack planned for the Olympics. This would be understandable as London is FULL of Muslims of various persuasions, from moderate to extreme. When I was over there ministering in 2001, I was astonished at how many old churches had the crosses knocked down from their steeples to be replaced with the star and crescent. A successful attack on the Olympics would be a huge coup for terrorists.

The Illuminati (some of whom are Islamic Satanists and some Western European Satanists) would be delighted to engineer a massacre at the Olympic games. They would then feed on the “energy” from all the lives lost and offer the energy to their master, Satan. Blood sacrifices do not have to take place in a dank, satanic dungeon. They can take place at the Twin Towers or the London Olympics.

The OTHER component here is the fact that the Olympic games have gotten increasingly more pagan and occult over the decades. Of course, the concept itself is rooted in ancient pagan Greece. The very term “Olympic” relates to **the supposed home of the Greek gods, Mt. Olympus**. Many Believers who are discernment ministries have noted that the opening ceremonies, etc. of previous Olympic games in the past 20 years or so have been disturbing in their level of glorification of occult, New Age or pagan concepts.

Of course, these Greek gods are – themselves – *strongmen*. Their power has diminished for lack of interest over the centuries. Like an old battery, egregores can eventually lose their power. But to the extent that the Olympics glorify the Greek pantheon, they get some of their power back.

Are You a “Copper-Top?”

So, here is what we have. Prayer warriors need to understand that the USUAL level of dark, evil power that is generated by the **combination** of *Tisha B'Av*, the Dog Days of Sirius and the Grand Climax is going to be amped up by all the “energy” going into the Olympics. All you have to do is attend a major sporting event such as pro football or soccer to see the HIGH level of enthusiasm being generated. Remember, enthusiasm is rooted in the Greek word meaning to be possessed by a god (*enthousiasmos*). And the word “fan” is just short for “fanatic.”

Please realize that much of the “hype” that is created in the media about sports, film, “reality” TV shows or pop music is intended – by the Illuminati – to create **HUGE** amounts of human energy. As a young man (and a witch), I was a high school band director. I was in charge of the “pep band” which would play at school sporting events to rev up “school spirit.” Being “psychically attuned” at that time, I was amazed at the level of raw human energy generated by even a small high school basketball game. *Imagine how much energy a pro soccer event or the Olympics would create!* I would suggest you ask yourself why often such large sporting events end with violence or even riots.

Mind you, there is certainly nothing wrong with sports, per se – as long as folks do not put them above YHWH and His Word. But people need to understand that sometimes the power elite is using them like “copper-top batteries.” That is what we called people when I was in the Illuminati: **copper-tops**.

In typical Hollywood fashion, the celebrated *MATRIX* trilogy of films offered a thinly veiled truth. The machines (fallen angels) need us mere humans to feed them energy. Both the fallen celestials and

their master Satan are finite, miserable creatures that must constantly vampirize others to keep their power up. They feed on rock concerts, sporting events, riots and – *sadly* – wars. ALL of these things involve tremendous (and often tragic) expenditures of human energy. This is what the ancient Romans called “blood and circuses.” The fallen celestials were around *then* to feed and they are still around today.

Before we return to the main thrust of this article, I would invite you to ask yourself, “What are you **enthusiastic** about?” Another way of putting the question would be, “By which god are you possessed?” Do you get more excited about *American Idol* (note that name) or the Olympics than you do about serving Yahushua and studying the Bible? Do you realize that there are churches in the US that cancel their services on “Super Bowl Sunday” just so their members can stay home and watch the game? This is part of the reason this country is in such deep, spiritual trouble!

What could be going on here with the 9th of Av, the Grand Climax and the Dog Days is a true **Trifecta** of evil power! When you add the seething tensions in the Middle East to the mixture, things could boil over – both spiritually and literally. Jews have understood, at some level, the realities of this for almost two thousand years. Even though most of them have rejected their Messiah, they are still the chosen people of YHWH. They are still very attuned spiritually.

Strategies for Victory!

Down through the centuries, Jews have done certain prayer practices that even “gentiles” can profit from learning about. As a Believer, you would have more power in your prayers than would a Jew who does not necessarily accept Yah’shua as Messiah.

For example, wearing a *Tallit* (Prayer shawl) can provide additionally spiritual “covering” while in prayer. It can be thought of as applying **the cloak of zeal (Is. 59:17)** – a little known and very powerful part of the Armor of YHWH. The tallit is a symbol both of protection and of healing – read **Malachi 4:2** and realize that what is being discussed there is the *Tallit* of Messiah! The word in the verse for “wings” (Hebrew: *KANAPH*) is also used for the *Tallit*. Yah’shua fulfilled the words of Malachi when He healed the woman who touched the fringe of His garment (called *tzit-tzit* in Hebrew). These blue and white fringes were and are part of the clothing of observant Jews (**Num. 15:38**) and are on prayer shawls.

Wearing the *Tallit* can be a protection for you and your family. Many Messianic Jews will pray for their wives and children and Sabbath eve and other times by wrapping them in their prayer shawls as a symbol of the protective covering of Messiah.

Another helpful tool is to understand cycles of the year as set up by the Creator. As mentioned in the outset of this article, Israel runs on a lunar calendar. As this article is going out, we are extremely close to the New Moon (*Rosh Chodesh*). This is the beginning of the month of Av and it starts when the first sliver of the New Moon is sighted over the Temple Mount in Jerusalem.

For thousands of years, devout Jews have prayed the Hallel Psalms on *Rosh Chodesh* as a way of “setting” the month for good things to happen in the coming weeks. Hallel means “praise” and is the root of the familiar word, Hallelujah (Praise YAH!) They are Ps. 113-118 and are some of the most powerful praise passages in the Word. Those of you who receive this, **PLEASE** pray the Hallel Psalms on the feast of the New Moon this month, as a way of counter-acting the dark forces converging on us in the coming days. Rosh Chodesh will probably be Saturday, the 21st of July. Remember, the servants of the evil one spend many hours building up their power and ritual workings for him and his will. I KNOW, I used to be one of them.

Can Believers not work and pray as hard for the truth as cultists do for a lie? It is not that praying or doing good to others saves us. We are saved by faith in the finished work of Messiah on Calvary. (**Eph. 2:8-9**) But as Wesley said, we are saved TO do good to and for others.

Right now, for some many reasons, Believers need **to pray like never before**. Beyond this tense season of *Tisha B'Av*, we have the coming election and we need miracles there as well. Neither candidate is really a set-apart person and only YHWH can set this nation back on track.

If you are able to procure one and blow notes on it, a **Shofar** is another powerful tool from Israel. It is the war trumpet of the King of Kings. Many times, just sounding the shofar will pierce the soul and shatter strongholds that no other force can penetrate. Think how much more effective it would be if it were played by a Believer in Yah'shua! There is so much more that could be said about the Shofar as a spiritual warfare tool, but space does not permit here. If you have a Shofar, I would recommend blowing it prayerfully every day during the days of Tisha B'Av. If you feel led to fast on the actual day and are able to do so, that would also be helpful.

Speaking of sounds, another stronghold-shattering prayer that can be used is to recite the SHEMA out loud in the morning and at night before you go to bed (**Deut. 6:4-9**). Proclaiming it in English is good, but doing it in the actual language of the Torah – Hebrew – is better. Even if you just proclaim the two main verses, that is powerful. Here is how to say it phonetically in Hebrew:

SHAY-MAH, YIS-RAEL, YAHU-WAH ELO-HAY-NU, YAHU-WAH ECHAD!

BA-RUCH SHEM KA-VOD MAL-CHUTO LE-O-LAHM VAED.

**“Hear O Israel, Yahuwah our Elohim, Yahuwah is One.
“Blessed be the Name of His glorious Kingdom for all eternity.”**

If you wish to sing it, which is better, there are many sites on YouTube and elsewhere that would give you examples of how it is sung. If you do not feel comfortable singing it, that is fine. Just saying it is very powerful. Why?

It is the central verse of the Torah, not in terms of placement, but in terms of importance. It is like the “John 3:16” of the Hebrew Scriptures. Now, talk about an egregore – for GOOD! The SHEMA has been said or chanted by millions of Jews for thousands of years.

But even beyond that, the SHEMA is a declaration of the absolute **UNITY** of the Creator. See, the Greek word for devil is DIABOLOS. That word is rooted in the term for two, or for division. The devil seeks to **divide!** That is what he does. He will split up families, churches and even nations if we let him. His number is two. YHWH's number is one.

By strongly, vibrantly proclaiming the SHEMA out loud, we are shattering the devil's strongholds of war, division and chaos in our lives, our families and our nations. We are echoing the powerful prayer of our Master, Yah'shua in John 17:21,

That they all may be one; as thou, Father, art in me, and I in thee, that they also may be one in us: that the world may believe that thou hast sent me.

When we proclaim the SHEMA, we are aligning ourselves with the deepest meaning of that prayer! We move our families and ourselves closer to its fulfillment. What could shatter the darkness more than that?

Brothers and sisters, pray like never before. Pray for the Shalom of Jerusalem and for unity in our land (Notice how politicians have been seeking to **DIVIDE** us on the basis of race, ethnicity or money? That is literally diabolical!) Pray for the plans of the adversary to be shattered before the cross of Calvary and the truth of His **D'var** (Word). Pray for the protection of the athletes and spectators at the Olympics and pray for the unfruitful works of darkness to be exposed (**Eph. 5:11**). Believe me, Beloved; it is already starting to happen! But we need to stand together and sound the Shofars and SHEMA that the walls of the enemy might come down. In the words of David,

“Is there not a cause?” – 1 Samuel 17:29