

Mt. Pleasant Bible Institute

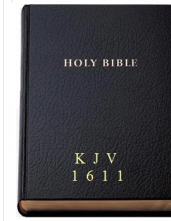
www.kjbstudy.com

Study to shew thyself approved unto God" (2 Tim 2:15)

Dr. Joseph Speciale, Instructor

A ministry of the
Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church

Lee Swor, Pastor

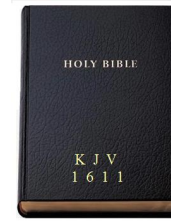


Mt. Pleasant
Bible Institute
www.kjbstudy.com

Bible Prophecy

The United States In Scripture

The United States In Scripture



Mt. Pleasant
Bible Institute

- Regardless, the formation of the USA progressed down two parallel, but diametrically opposed, paths- one based on Biblical Christianity, the other on paganism and ancient mystery religions (e.g.- Catholicism and Freemasonry)
- As the Lord sowed the “wheat” of born again believers in the “field” of the USA, so Satan concurrently sowed the “tares” of religious unbelievers

Matt 13:24-30

24 Another parable put he forth unto them, saying, The kingdom of heaven is likened unto a man which sowed good seed in his field:

25 But while men slept, his enemy came and sowed tares among the wheat, and went his way.

26 But when the blade was sprung up, and brought forth fruit, then appeared the tares also.

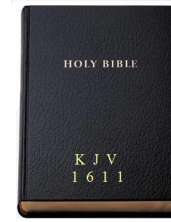
27 So the servants of the householder came and said unto him, Sir, didst not thou sow good seed in thy field? from whence then hath it tares?

28 He said unto them, An enemy hath done this. The servants said unto him, Wilt thou then that we go and gather them up?

29 But he said, Nay; lest while ye gather up the tares, ye root up also the wheat with them.

30 Let both grow together until the harvest: and in the time of harvest I will say to the reapers, Gather ye together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them: but gather the wheat into my barn.

The United States In Scripture



Mt. Pleasant
Bible Institute

- The Biblical path was paved by true born again believers who, in the spirit of Hebrews 11:13-16, left all they had, spent all they had, and risked all they had to flee the severe religious persecution waged against them by the various state churches in Europe (both Catholic and Protestant alike) to come to the “New World” where they could have true religious freedom

Heb 11:13-16

13 These all died in faith, not having received the promises, but having seen them afar off, and were persuaded of them, and embraced them, and confessed that they were strangers and pilgrims on the earth.

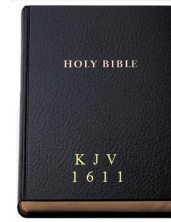
14 For they that say such things declare plainly that they seek a country.

15 And truly, if they had been mindful of that country from whence they came out, they might have had opportunity to have returned.

16 But now they desire a better country, that is, an heavenly: wherefore God is not ashamed to be called their God: for he hath prepared for them a city.

- These true born again believers held to the “Baptist distinctives” and established church based colonies (e.g.- Providence, Rhode Island)

The United States In Scripture



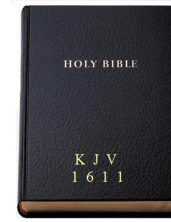
Mt. Pleasant
Bible Institute

- The Lord's plan for the USA did not involve establishing a new nation that would have a covenant relationship with him like Israel, but establishing a new nation that would provide a safe and free haven for those ALREADY under covenant with him (i.e.- born again believers) (Heb 10:16-17) in order to carry out the Great Commission (Matt 28:19-20)
- As the NATION OF ISRAEL was to be witness to the Gentiles of the one true God, so the true CHURCH (composed of all born again believers) is to be a witness to all the world of the gospel of Jesus Christ (Acts 1:8)
- The Lord chose the USA to be the primary “base of operations” for the spreading of the gospel in the last days
- In contrast, the pagan/occultic path was paved by Rome, the Freemasons, and others steeped in the mystery religion of ancient Babylon, who in the spirit of Matthew 13:33, sought to expand their power and riches and lay the foundation for a new world order

Matt 13:33

Another parable spake he unto them; The kingdom of heaven is like unto leaven, which a woman took, and hid in three measures of meal, till the whole was leavened.

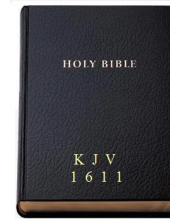
The United States In Scripture



Mt. Pleasant
Bible Institute

- The Reformation and the Renaissance brought Europe an apparent respite from the spiritual and cultural bonds of the Roman Catholic Church but also paved the way for the “Age of Enlightenment”
- While persecuted believers sought America for religious freedom and advancement of the kingdom of God, very powerful institutions sought America for riches and advancement of an ancient and occultic agenda
- It is no coincidence that Adam Weishaupt officially founded the *Order of the Illuminati* on May 1, 1776 just over two months before America’s declaration of independence
- The Illuminati, Rosicrucians, and Masons are examples of VERY POWERFUL and influential secret societies based on ancient mystery religion and the occult
- These institutions, along with the Roman Catholic Church played as much, if not more, of a role in the formation of the USA than Biblical Christianity
- These are the “tares” that the enemy sowed among the “wheat”, creating the MINGLED “field” that is the checkered history and present of the USA

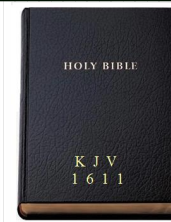
The United States In Scripture



Mt. Pleasant
Bible Institute

- Christians today believe most of the founding fathers were born again Christians but evidence suggests that most were Deists who favored traditional Judeo-Christian principles
- A much larger proportion were Freemasons rather than born-again Christians
- The influence of Freemasonry, the occults, as well as Roman Catholicism in the formation of the USA is visibly evident
- The capital city named after the “father of our country” is located in the District of COLUMBIA and the layout bears a striking similarity to that of ancient BABYLON (i.e.- a squared city adjacent to a river)
- *Columbia* is the feminine version of *Columbus* and the historic and poetic name used for the United States of America; it is also the name of its FEMALE personification
- The District of Columbia is situated between the states of MARY-land and VIRGIN-ia, implying a connection to the Catholic “queen of heaven” (Jer 44:17)

Note: Although Sir Walter Raleigh named the state of Virginia after Queen Elizabeth I, the VIRGIN queen, it is not a coincidence that the name also applies to the Catholic queen of heaven



Mt. Pleasant
Bible Institute
www.kjbstudy.com

Please visit our website at:

www.kjbstudy.com

for access to 1000 audio lessons