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can clearly see a trick. But I'll be praying for the Lord's voice to be heard by those people fasting and praying. May the Holy Spirit touch their hearts. And may the people not be deceived by spiritual traps.

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**Posted by: Noahswife Feb 21 2007, 04:41 PM**

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**Posted by: lurker Feb 21 2007, 04:47 PM**

It doesn't sound voluntary either does it? What pressure to put these people under. I too will be interested in knowing if the bigwigs will be fasting with the troops.

To be one in spirit with the Lord....or one in spirit with Danny and the Shelton Gang?

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The "possibility for restoration?". Is that what Jesus would do, say that He would possibly restore? Sad, these people are truly a hot mess.

BTW, it actually sounds like a trap... btjm

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**Posted by: ida Feb 21 2007, 04:53 PM**

There must be some among them who are honest at heart. May the Lord hear their prayers.

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**Posted by: awesumtenor Feb 21 2007, 05:06 PM**

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**Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Feb 21 2007, 05:09 PM**

It seems our mission during those hours is clear as well. I would like to suggest that we set aside that time to join together in written prayers and fasting (to those who are able and so inclined) - no discussion or debate, just prayers that we can post, read together and ask the Holy Spirit to carry to our Father.

We know the issues. We know that there are truth seekers among the employees at 3abn that need protection. We know there are victims that need restitution and healing. We know that some in the ministry of 3abn need to set pride aside and truly repent so that the health of the ministry can be restored.

If no one else starts the topic tomorrow morning, I will do so.

Prayer is powerful!

PB

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**Posted by: LaurencED Feb 21 2007, 05:23 PM**

I think it's a good idea and wish them only the best experience. If I may, I'd like to suggest a few things that may benefit their mission to *"root out the enemy within"*:

1. Drink plenty of water.
  2. Balance the time spent in prayer with time spent in reasonable and fair discussion. Depth perception can only be acquired when both the eye of faith and the eye of reason are fully functioning together.
  3. While praying for the Holy Spirit, expect the presence of Jesus as EGW says of the early disciples--they sensed the presence of the one who had left them.
  4. After receiving the gift of the spirit, use this test to make sure it's the spirit of Jesus--and not his counterfeit: Acts 2:44 *"And all that believed were together and had all things in common."*
  5. While holding all things in common, let no one withhold confidential information, but fully disclose all in truth to one another. Let everyone examine all legal documents of each other, and every evidence held in secret by one another.
  6. At the end of the session, do not eat a late meal as the benefits of fasting may be interrupted.
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Mr. J,

Thank you so much for this group of statements! As the Sabn department heads meet in prayer tomorrow, I hope they have this counsel before them.

I am often in prayer about my participation on this forum, seeking God in order to make certain I am doing His will. As I read Isaiah 58:6-7 it struck me and affirmed for me that this is what our mission is here on the Sabn Forum!

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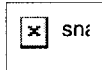
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**Posted by: PrincessDrRe Feb 21 2007, 10:00 PM**

Mercilations!




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**Posted by: Lee Feb 21 2007, 11:33 PM**

Does anyone here remember how to talk like a Christian?

This thread is a shame to true Christian love and courtesy. You take an assumption, then believe it as gospel truth.

3ABN is no more a cult or Koresh compound than the pope is SDA! Get a grip people. GET A GRIP on yourselves.

Of course 3ABN has not made this solemn time of fasting and prayer manditory. Has anyone bothered to find out by asking them? Of course not or you'd not be saying these things.

In the Name of the Lord God of Heaven, please STOP IT!

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**Posted by: Aletheia Feb 21 2007, 11:40 PM**

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Cindy, you have spent the last 3 weeks trying to justify Tommy's extramarital homosexual proclivities and exploitations ... so you don't get to get indignant.

Your trying to paint Tommy's victims as consenting partners tops the list for negative and unloving replies... and given that you continue to try to discredit those very victims... it's plain you aren't past anything at all... so don't whine when you reap what you have sown.

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seraph|m is am Mrs. J. □

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Where on earth do you come up with this stuff? It is unbelievable. Anyone that wants to can join with fasting and prayer, just like churches that take a day and invite their members to do so. Either your imagination has completely gotten out of control, or, you do this on purpose just to plant your spoiled seeds.

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**Posted by: wwjd Feb 22 2007, 01:02 AM**

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Thank you, Mr. J! And Thank you also, PB!

3lessings!

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**Posted by: Richard Sherwin Feb 22 2007, 01:56 AM**

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**Posted by: Denny Feb 22 2007, 07:06 AM**

**QUOTE(Pickle @ Feb 21 2007, 10:26 PM)**

A friend sent me the following.

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Satan's attack? Web of lies?

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I received a pm from someone, who may not be a from the US, who believes that 3ABN can do whatever they want regarding employees laws, racism etc. According to this pereson, they can do what they want because they are a non-profit religious org., so, the equal opportunity employment act does not apply to them. **Not her exact words**




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**Posted by: watchbird Feb 22 2007, 07:50 AM**

All words in dark-red below are by 'wwjd' date='Feb 22 2007, 02:02 AM' post='179928':

Just when we think that you can't scrape any lower, you succeed. in doing so.

Isn't it a coincidence.... this is exactly what many of us think with each post that you write, and each pity-party that you hold.

Why would you post something like this?

I did not consult with each one here who posted, but it is most likely because they were each to polite to say what they really thought.

How and why would you take a simple day of prayer, fasting and worship and try to turn it into something bad and evil.

Because of scriptural principles.... that true prayer, fasting, and worship, cannot originate or be participated in by those with evil hearts.... which at least some in the group that announced this publicity event have sufficiently revealed so as to justify calling them evil.. for it is out of the abundance of the heart that the mouth speaketh (or the keyboard typeth).

The Lord has this to say about those who engage in fasts while still living in their sins....

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Cry loudly, do not hold back;  
 Raise your voice like a trumpet,  
 And declare to My people their (B)transgression  
 And to the house of Jacob their sins.

And he describes them thusly.... and do note how He moves into ironic tone.....

Yet they seek Me day by day and delight to know My ways,  
 As a nation that has done righteousness  
 And has not forsaken the ordinance of their God  
 They ask Me for just decisions,  
 They delight in the nearness of God.

And then repeats their question about why He seemingly does not hear or even notice them.....

'Why have we fasted and You do not see?  
 Why have we humbled ourselves and You do not notice?'

And then answering their question....very directly and in detail....

Behold, on the day of your fast you find your desire,  
And drive hard all your workers.  
Behold, you fast for contention and strife and to strike with a wicked fist  
You do not fast like you do today to make your voice heard on high.

And then God moves to question mode again... first challenging what they call a "fast"....

Is it a fast like this which I choose, a day for a man to humble himself?  
Is it for bowing one's head like a reed  
And for spreading out sackcloth and ashes as a bed?  
Will you call this a fast, even an acceptable day to the LORD?

And next, still in question mode, but describing what He, God, considers an acceptable "fast"....

Is this not the fast which I choose,  
**To loosen the bonds of wickedness,**  
**To undo the bands of the yoke,**  
**And to let the oppressed go free**  
**And break every yoke?**  
Is it not to divide your bread with the hungry  
And bring the homeless poor into the house;  
When you see the naked, to cover him;  
And not to hide yourself from your own flesh?

And only after all of this does God begin to mention the blessings that will follow.... and note the "if/then" conditions set forth.... first the implied "if all of the above"....

**Then** your light will break out like the dawn,  
And your recovery will speedily spring forth;  
And your righteousness will go before you;  
The glory of the LORD will be your rear guard.  
Then you will call, and the LORD will answer;  
You will cry, and He will say, 'Here I am '  
**If you remove the yoke from your midst,**  
**The pointing of the finger and speaking wickedness,**  
**And if you give yourself to the hungry**  
**And satisfy the desire of the afflicted,**

And do not, I adjure you by the Living God, turn this around to say that God is speaking of those of us who point out wickedness... for in the very first verse He has plainly commanded us to do just that.

It is to YOU he is speaking, Danny Shelton and all other leaders of 3abn, who gather in pity parties and "tut tut" your wagging tongues over those who are exposing your perfidies.



FIRST.... "remove the yoke" from your workers... and your ex-workers

FIRST.... stop falsely "speaking wickedness" against those who are innocent of your charges.... including and especially your ex-workers.

FIRST.... "satisfy the desire of the afflicted"... those YOU have afflicted... for freedom from your continued attacks and freedom from fear of what you have threatened and demonstrated by your doing in the past against them.

THEN.... and only then.... can you expect the blessing of the Lord as He goes on to promise....

Then your light will rise in darkness  
 And your gloom will become like midday.  
 And the LORD will continually guide you,  
 And satisfy your desire in scorched places,  
 And give strength to your bones;  
 And you will be like a watered garden,  
 And like a spring of water whose waters do not fail.

Until you have satisfied the conditions... do not complain if we refuse to call evil good and call your announced day of "fasting and pray" anything other than an additional abomination unto the Lord.

All Ministries that I know of set aside days for this purpose. Most churches that I know of do so as well. This shows how desperate you have become for dirt.

This shows how desperate you have become for defense... but save it, can it, put it away.... pretense is no defence when it comes to dealing with the LORD himself.

Your insinuations towards this day proves how willing you are to judge the hearts and motives of people you don't even know.

Give it up.... your actions through the years have more than provided us with evidence of your characters... we don't have to look on the inside to know what is there.... "out of the abundance of the heart"..... etc.

Really, we should be glad that you did this. People that are wondering about all this stuff will see the attitude and motives that are behind what you are doing. You have crossed many lines where 3abn is concerned but this time you have crossed God's line. He has ask us in his word to come to him in fasting and prayer. "where two or three are gathered"...you know the rest. You have shown those who are watching your little show that everyone can fast and pray except for 3ABN. Unbelievable....

Not even a "good try", dannyscribe..... As I have shown... God himself has very negative things to say about those who fast and pray while at the same time doing wickedly.

And while yes, there are times when he mentions "fasting and prayer" as being needed.... there are also times when he says his people's prayers are an abomination. There are times when He says plainly there are things that we should NOT pray for.

And don't consider that "two or three" as any magic incantation.... Our God is not a God who depends on numbers. God and ONE human is a majority.... Actually, God Himself, by Himself, is a majority, and fully able to act on his own cognizance.

So save the weeping, wailing, sackcloth and ashes, and crying aloud on the streetcorners.....

Ain't none of it workin here.... 

**Posted by: awesumtenor Feb 22 2007, 08:04 AM**

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This is why this prayer and fasting day is going to be a colossal waste of time. If your desire was the will of God, your focus would be more akin to this:

2Co 10:3-5 For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war after the flesh: (4) (For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal, but mighty through God to the pulling down of strongholds;) (5) Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ;

But instead, you continue with the same carnal mess you came into this forum with... and yet you wonder why God seems afar off? Maybe you should ask the prophet Isaiah:

Isa 59:1-8 Behold, the LORD's hand is not shortened, that it cannot save; neither his ear heavy, that it cannot hear: (2) But your iniquities have separated between you and your God, and your sins have hid his face from you, that he will not hear. **(3) For your hands are defiled with blood, and your fingers with iniquity; your lips have spoken lies, your tongue hath muttered perverseness. (4) None calleth for justice, nor any pleadeth for truth: they trust in vanity, and speak lies; they conceive mischief, and bring forth iniquity. (5) They hatch cockatrice' eggs, and weave the spider's web: he that eateth of their eggs dieth, and that which is crushed breaketh out into a viper. (6) Their webs shall not become garments, neither shall they cover themselves with their works: their works are works of iniquity, and the act of violence is in their hands. (7) Their feet run to evil, and they make haste to shed innocent blood: their thoughts are thoughts of iniquity; wasting and destruction are in their paths. (8) The way of peace they know not; and there is no judgment in their goings: they have made them crooked paths: whosoever goeth therein shall not know peace.**

In His service,  
Mr. J

**Posted by: Clay Feb 22 2007, 09:11 AM**

dannyscribe...  I like that WB... you have just created a new word for the bsda

dictionary..... dannyscribe.....

**Posted by: Pickle Feb 22 2007, 10:43 AM**

**QUOTE(Lee @ Feb 21 2007, 11:33 PM)**

3ABN is no more a cult or Koresh compound than the pope is SDA! Get a grip people. GET A GRIP on yourselves.

So are you suggesting that 3ABN has now officially repudiated the idea that Danny is the untouchable-by-man Lord's Anointed, and that it's wrong to disagree with him? If they have officially repudiated that idea, which they broadcast to the world on August 10, 2006, then I would agree with you that they are probably not a cult.

**Posted by: LaurenceD Feb 22 2007, 11:00 AM**

In all fairness, I think what some people are objecting to here is not prayer and fasting per se, or whether there's a blessing in it. What's creating doubt (at least for me) is this: why would an organization fast and pray about something they could easily understand w/o prayer and fasting...simply by reading something like Barbara Kerr's letter ( <http://www.blacksda.com/forums/index.php?showtopic=10489&hl=Kerr> ) to the group and perhaps inviting her to an open session at the table for an honest discussion about leadership and public relations.

This could be more revealing than all of the prayers combined, esp if done in the spirit of openness. And it could serve as a metaphor for other similar situations plaguing the organization. Religious organization that have nothing to hide would do well to read their own state's Open Public Meetings Act (aka the "Sunshine Law") and take a serious lesson.

**Posted by: inga Feb 22 2007, 11:05 AM**

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**Let's pray that the Holy Spirit will work mightily at 3ABN. "And when he is come, he will reprove the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment." (John 16:8)**

Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Feb 22 2007, 11:31 AM

QUOTE(wwjd @ Feb 21 2007, 11:48 PM)

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wwjd,

Many of us here sincerely hope and pray that the day of fasting and prayer being held in the Thompsonville church will bring restoration and healing to the ministry of 3abn. I am reposting the "Special Request" below to call attention to a specific area that causes concern to many here:

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It is a great and important goal of this fasting and prayer day to seek God's guidance. Where it becomes a cause for concern is what does the announcement mean by "- asking Him to outline our plan of defense against Satan's attack, praying for Him to root out the enemy from within (giving them a change of heart and possibility of restoration)"

By this are they recognizing that something is amiss amongst them, that someone is following Satan's lead (perhaps Danny or other leaders) and they want God to move on those hearts and realize their need of repentance? Are they really asking for God to reveal, root out, the true enemy within their ranks?

Or are they asking God to help them root out the employees who they have concluded are betraying the ministry by speaking out against injustice and sin?

It really does make a difference what their motivation is as they fast and pray. I pray that they are motivated to hear God's voice, the Holy Spirit, with open minds and hearts so that the true source of the problems at 3abn will be clear to them and they will have the courage to follow the guidance God will provide.

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**Posted by: Pickle Feb 22 2007, 11:48 AM**

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In my Christian experience I have learned from Scripture that we should not approach God with preconceived notions, but with an open mind to find out what is right in the eyes of God. How will God bless us if we make demands on Him? This might be what certain people teach, but I have always been taught this is far from the beliefs of the Church which 3ABN claims to support in doctrine. How can 3ABN claim to proclaim beliefst they denounce when they fast and pray?

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For one, 3ABN is not a church, nor is Danny Shelton an Adventist minister by any stretch of the imagination.

I know of a company that provides a friendly work environment and supplies one of their largest board rooms every Wednesday for bible study to anyone who wants to attend. The company even provides lunch. However, that company does not require its employees to sign anything that requires the employee to attend mandatory prayer sessions. And to do so is an infringement on the rights of those employees who may not even believe in God.

The God I serve does not force anyone to worship him. You could not pay most of us on BSDA to work for 3ABN under it's current "leadership", because most of us know he is not God.

Wwjd you came into BlackSDA the same way Danny did, with a lying tongue and you have yet to stop lying. With that said, you are hardly in a position to demand anything of anyone on BSDA, so you need to hush your mouth talking about making judgements.

Get thee hence, and return to your place in communion with the father of lies. Lurkers, per wwjd suggestion, click here <http://www.blackstda.com/forums/index.php?s=&showtopic=12629&view=findpost&p=180032> to see who wwjd is, in his own words.

Be Blessed

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**Posted by: princessdi Feb 22 2007, 12:53 PM**

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**Posted by: Aunt B Feb 22 2007, 07:59 PM**

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Thank you very much for this opinion, LawrenceD and princessdi. I agree with it, and it is for the above stated reason that I feel unease with the whole notion. The whole idea somehow seems manipulative.

Aunt B

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**Posted by: daylily Feb 22 2007, 08:09 PM**

PrincessDi, that's an interesting story. Thanks for sharing that. I have been in situations myself where certain parties seemed so right and yet when it all comes out in the wash, so to speak, they were very wrong.

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I prayed for 3ABN today. I just wonder how the prayer and fasting time turned out for them. Anyone know?

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**Posted by: PrincessDrRe Feb 22 2007, 10:11 PM**

**QUOTE(seraph|m @ Feb 22 2007, 01:01 AM)**

Does anyone here remember David Koresh, Jim Jones, or Baghwan Shree Rahjneesh?

Hummmm..... Interesting!

**QUOTE(Denny @ Feb 22 2007, 09:06 AM)**

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I agree and do believe you have hit it dead on.





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I only caught the last ½ hr, unexpectedly, of the full 2 hour *3ABN Today LIVE - God's Grace And Law w/Jim Gilley* broadcast tonight. Jim did a pretty good job reassuring DS that everything works out good for those who love the Lord--in spite of all the criticism, the beating, and false accusations one must take while ministering to a sinful world. Jim had been removed from high office himself and reinstated. DS seemed encouraged to hear that.

I got a little uncomfortable listening to these two talking about their wives. DS mention something about his "young" wife...and I marveld at the ease with wich he could talk. My mind kept wondering back to that bible verse in Mat 24 that describes the last days when people will be "marrying and giving in marriage." Really quite remarkable. I wonder what it must be like to be LS or B. Kerr listening to someone like that, yet being able to see so well beneath the surface from first hand experience. Truely remarkable, but that's TV business I guess.

DS did mention he'd been fasting and praying all day...that it wasn't his idea, but his department heads, SQ and M, etc.

I see on the 3abn website there are reruns scheduled for the middle of the night, tonight.

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**Posted by: sonshineonme Feb 22 2007, 10:53 PM**

**QUOTE(LaurenceD @ Feb 22 2007, 08:40 PM)**

Where can one view a transcription?

I only caught the last ½ hr, unexpectedly, of the full 2 hour *3ABN Today LIVE - God's Grace And Law w/Jim Gilley* broadcast tonight. Jim did a pretty good job reassuring DS that everything works out good for those who love the Lord--in spite of all the criticism, the beating, and false accusations one must take while ministering to a sinful world. Jim had been removed from high office himself and reinstated. DS seemed encouraged to hear that.

I got a little uncomfortable listening to these two talking about their wives. DS mention something about his "young" wife...and I marveld at the ease with wich he could talk. My mind kept wondering back to that bible verse in Mat 24 that describes the last days when people will be "marrying and giving in marriage." Really quite remarkable. I wonder what it must be like to be LS or B. Kerr listening to someone like that, yet being able to see so well beneath the surface from first hand experience. Truely remarkable, but that's TV business I guess.

DS did mention he'd been fasting and praying all day...that it wasn't his idea, but his department heads, SQ and M, etc.

I see on the 3abn website there are reruns scheduled for the middle of the night, tonight.

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**Posted by: wwjd Feb 22 2007, 10:56 PM**

**QUOTE(Pickle @ Feb 22 2007, 11:48 AM) □**

I think you are mistaken. I was not the one calling for a day of fasting and prayer in order to reveal which workers didn't agree with management in regard to how things have been handled, things like:[list]

You prove yet again, you are a master at stating things that have not been stated. You, concluded the above statement. 3ABN never made it. You did. You once again, took your opinion and stated it as fact. It then becomes a lie. 3ABN never ever called this day to reveal workers.....blah blah You knew that when you wrote this. It is rather obvious that You are out of control with the "pickle spin"

**Posted by: Pickle Feb 22 2007, 11:01 PM**

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If I'm wrong, it's a mistake, not a lie. You do know the difference, don't you?

The email I received said, "Our goal is to seek God's guidance—... praying for Him to root out the enemy from within (giving them a change of heart and possibility of restoration)...."

I honestly don't know how to take that any other way. Your suggestions?

If you have no suggestions, **What Would Jesus Do?** He would suggest to you that you apologize to me for accusing me of telling a lie, and of intentionally stating a falsehood. And I ask the same.

For if you can't think of any other suggestions, then the only possibility is that you erred in what you said. And if you can think of other suggestions, you still may have erred.

**Posted by: Ralph Feb 23 2007, 12:40 AM**

**QUOTE(sonshineonme @ Feb 22 2007, 09:53 PM) □**

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he can find this in <http://www.blacksda.com/forums/index.php?act=print&showtopic=12591&view=findpost&p=179240>. (click underlined words) This is from the second hour of the broadcast.

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**Posted by: seraph|m Mar 16 2007, 03:53 PM**

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 Psa 55:2 Give heed to me and answer me; I am restless in my complaint and am surely distracted,  
 Psa 55:3 Because of the voice of the enemy, Because of the pressure of the wicked; For they bring down trouble upon me And in anger they bear a grudge against me.  
 Psa 55:4 My heart is in anguish within me, And the terrors of death have fallen upon me.  
 Psa 55:5 Fear and trembling come upon me, And horror has overwhelmed me.  
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 Psa 55:7 "Behold, I would wander far away, I would lodge in the wilderness. Selah.  
 Psa 55:8 "I would hasten to my place of refuge From the stormy wind {and} tempest."  
 Psa 55:9 Confuse, O Lord, divide their tongues, For I have seen violence and strife in the city.  
 Psa 55:10 Day and night they go around her upon her walls, And iniquity and mischief are in her midst.

continue through verse 23...

May the blessings be upon those employees who stand firm in their personal convictions and are not threatened by the deceptions of the deceiver, in Jesus name. Amen

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**Posted by: PeacefullyBewildered Mar 16 2007, 03:55 PM**




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**Posted by: Fran Mar 17 2007, 09:29 PM**

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What beautiful, Words. May the Lord hear this even today. We could all use such protection from the enemies of God. However, those at 3ABN need immediate help for their protection. Let us continue to pray.

I believe more than ever that Jesus will come sooner than we think.

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**Posted by: Johann Mar 19 2007, 10:01 AM**

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**QUOTE(Fran @ Mar 18 2007, 05:29 AM)**

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