

Prophet's Column

"The King Of Babylon"

Special To The Post
(First in series)
I hope that you are tuning in each Sunday morning and listening to our late pastor L.R. Shelton on The Voice of Truth at 7:30 a.m. over WAGI-FM, 105.3, and over WAGL 1560 at 8 a.m. on AM. He is bringing the series of messages on the Book of Revelation. Those messages will be a great blessing to your heart if you are saved, if you are awakened, they'll encourage you to turn to Christ.



J. M. Little

First in series

There are only two souls walking the face of this earth; the saved, and the lost. Which are you? Do you know Christ? I'm glad I know the Lord. The greatest thing in all this universe is just to know Christ as my Lord and my Saviour. And praise the Lord, He is soon coming for me. Is He coming for you? One day, I shall overcome, all the trials will be over, away from all the hatred of unsaved men, away from all the strife of tongues. Safely home with my Lord. You know that's something to look forward to isn't it? I look forward to the soon appearing of my Lord. And I can say with the beloved Apostle John; "...but I know that, when He shall appear, I shall be like Him; for I shall be like Him, for I shall see Him as He is." What glory that shall be! My friends, I'm talking to you about the invisible realities of another world. The bornagain believer is the overcomer. If I were not looking for the coming of my Lord I would have no hope. Just to think that the Lord of all glory chose me before the foundation of the world, set His love upon such a hell-deserving sinner as I, is beyond all my understanding. And one day I shall rule and reign with Him. First the Lord must come for His saints,

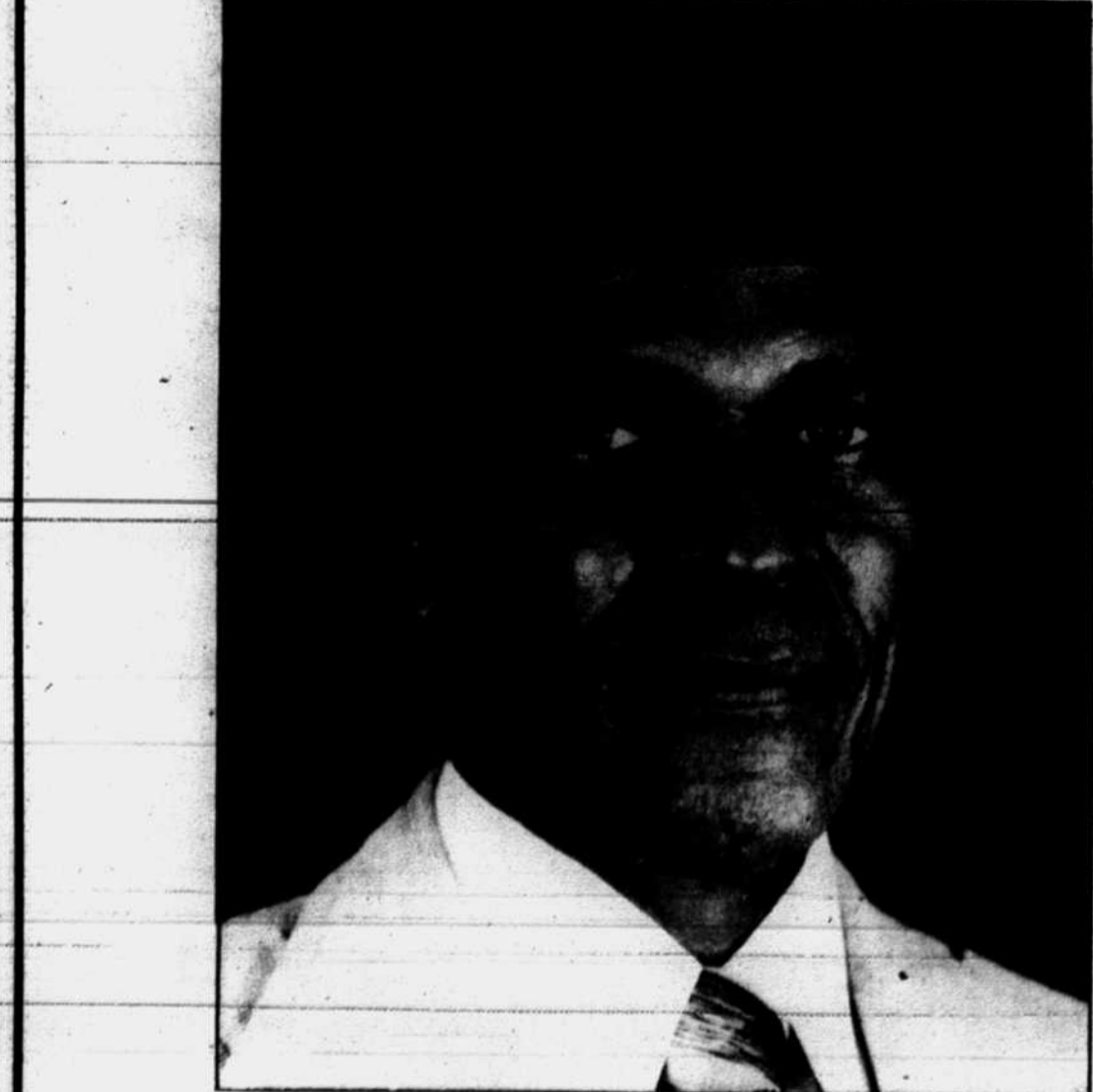
then He shall come with His saints and we'll rule with Him for a thousand years on this earth. (Rev. 20). Deny that to the damnation of your poor, lost soul. God's Word is true whether you believe it or not. Let me say this also; EVERY BORNAGAIN BELIEVER IS EASILY ENTREATED! The reason you are hard and cussed is because you are not bornagain, you don't know Christ. As someone rightly said of a man here; "he is not bornagain." Then again; A BORNAGAIN BELIEVER WILL NOT FIGHT ANOTHER BORNAGAIN BELIEVER." Your fighting the believer is the concrete evidence of your unsaved and unforgiven state. I would not exchange what I have in

Christ for ten million worlds. You'd give everything to just know Christ. Now, I just wanted to throw that in as my personal testimony. Our subject at this time is: THE SOVEREIGNTY OF GOD." It is God who made the entire universe including everything in it. God is omnipotent; which means He is all powerful. God is omnipresent; which means He is present everywhere. God is omniscient; which means He knows everything. I want to look at this time at the sovereignty of God in the life of King Nebuchadnezzar of Babylon. Babylon was a world power during the time of Nebuchadnezzar's reign, no nation could successfully challenge the power of mighty Babylon. In Daniel chapter 3 we have the story of the heathen king of Babylon setting

up a golden image and commanding that all fall down and worship his image. "Then an herald cried aloud, To you it is commanded, O people, nations, and languages, That at what time ye hear the sound of the cornet, flute, harp, sackbut, psaltery, dulcimer, and all kinds of music, ye fall down and worship the golden image that Nebuchadnezzar the king hath set up: And whoso falleth not down and worshippeth shall the same hour be cast into the midst of a burning fiery furnace." (Dan. 3:4-6). Babylon, being a heathen nation, worshipped idol gods. But this one idol, the king's golden image was set up to be worshipped above all others. So the decree was sent out by the messengers that at the time the musical instruments began to sound, all the people were to fall down and worship the golden image. The Jews were in Babylonian slavery at this time. The Lord had permitted them to be carried away in Babylonian slavery because of all the sin and rebellion of the chosen people, the Jews, the Lord has His faithful remnant. In the midst of all the idolatry of the great world power, Babylon, there remained a few faithful to the Lord. In the midst of the idolatry of America, which is just as idolatrous as Babylon, the Lord has a faithful few. Are you in the number of the faithful few? Satan, in his fight against the Lord's faithful, sent spies to watch the faithful few. It was a group of Chaldeans who reported to the king of Babylon that three of the Jewish captives would not fall down and worship the king's image. When this message was brought to the king he was very angry. THE SOVEREIGNTY OF GOD.

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