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"Cry aloud, spare not, lift up thy voice like a trumpet." Isaiah 58:1

GOD'S WONDERS WHILE WE SLEEP BAGE 6

Editorial

Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty. On the Last Great Day, when He appears in majesty and great glory, the very power of His holiness will strike woeful, unspeakable terror through the hearts of the unsaved. Oh, the weeping and wailing of doomed souls!

"For the Lord your God is God of gods, and Lord of lords, a great God, a mighty, and a terrible." Deuteronomy 10:17.

Our mighty God – powerful in holiness. Powerful to save. Powerful to create wonders innumerable. Powerful in Judgment. Our mighty, omnipotent God reigneth over all. Let all flesh tremble and bow before Him.

This is decision time—a time of preliminary judgment, a time to prepare to meet thy God and to flee from the wrath to come. Choose this day whom ye will serve. God is sifting the nations and sifting religious professions. He is "not willing that any should perish but that all should come to repentance" and be saved.

Forsake all sin now and walk in obedience to God's commands, lest His unmitigated wrath be your portion and you find yourselves among those who weep and wail on the Great "Day of God."

"Surely I come quickly. Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus." Revelation 22:20.

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ARMAGEDDON NEWS

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In many ways, it is the same oldsame old at the battle's front these days, yet, somehow more sinister. Somehow increasingly more evil. But not subtle. The devil forswore subtilty long ago. Why need he be subtle, when he has such broad support among the assembled masses? They shout, they foam out their own shame, and we would fain retire to our bed, rather than our writing desk, if only for a moment of reprieve from the stupefying clamor of the doomed hoards outside. The firm application of a pillow to one's ear might bring such relief to yours truly, but alas, we must report to you the news and other such outrages. And with that, we wearily present the following:

Not What You Were Expecting

If you are a UK male between the ages of 12 and 55 in need of a scan (Xray), be prepared to tell the radiographer whether or not you are expecting. That's right. The good (?) people of the National Health Service (NHS) have recently rolled out guidance that requires males to fill out a pregnancy form. Of course, this has been standard for females for nearly the entire and storied history of radiology. Radiation can harm a baby in utero; so, men, know before you go!

The guidance, a nod to the modern gender confusion movement that has taken the western world by storm, has caused something of an outrage among male patients. According to *The Telegraph*, there are reports of irate men storming out of offices and neglecting scans altogether, unwilling to take the insult to their anatomy and intelligence. The NHS has cast too wide a net, it appears, one that strains out the gnat and swallows the proverbial camel. Or, to put it another way, they have thrown out the men with the bathwater that never had a baby in it. Ouch!

Experts and staff are warning the NHS that the policy is hurting patients more than helping them, as men cancel or otherwise decline to schedule a scan. Certainly, this is not what the NHS was expecting.

Something Save the King!

In further news related to our friends across the pond, *The Christian Post* reports that there are now more people in the UK who do not believe in God than those who believe. Explaining Atheism, a program overseen by Queen's University Belfast recently reported the following interim findings of their three-year study:

- •From 2008 to 2018, the number of those who disbelieve climbed from 35.2% to 42.9%
- •In the same period, the number of those who believe dropped from 41.8% to 37.4%
- •Those who say they don't know if God exists actually dropped from 21.7% to 18.2%

Researchers point out that they are

"limited" in being able to account for this shift, but believe it has a lot to do with socialization. "Our results show that the extent to which one is socialized to be a theist (mainly by parents, but also by wider society) is the key determining factor," explained Professor Jonathan Lanman, a member of Explaining Atheism's core team.

Now, everyone knows that the Church of England has been in dire straits for decades, and the King of England is the head of said church. But with numbers like these, we are made to wonder how long it will be before the first word of the national anthem must be changed to something a bit less divine. Odd, maybe?

Catholic Confusion

Pope Francis is at it again. The aging Pontiff, despite the increasing frailty of his health. continues to wreak havoc both within and without the Roman Catholic Church with his off-the-cuff remarks and personal support of practices inimical to the church's doctrine. In September of this year, he traveled to Singapore, where he addressed an inter-religious meeting of young people. In published remarks posted on the Vatican website, Francis told the assembled youth, in part, "All religions are paths to God. I will use an analogy-they are like different languages that express the divine...[T]here is only one God, and religions are like languages, paths to reach God. Some Sikh, some

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In another recent (but persistent for Francis) episode, the Pontiff encouraged Ugandan LGBTQ activist Clare Byarugaba, to "keep fighting for your rights." In a video posted on X, Francis is seen greeting Byarugaba. She says the Pope told her that "discrimination is a sin and violence against LGBTIQ communities is unacceptable." Others present at the meeting came away encouraged to keep fighting against Uganda's new Anti-sodomy Law, which prohibits same-sex relations under penalty of imprisonment and, for some cases, death.

Faithful Catholics may well scratch their noggins in wonderment and ask, "Does the Pope even read the catechism?" Readers of the Armageddon News, on the other hand, ask, "If the Father of the church has gone so far astray, can the children be far behind?"

And now, our task being completed, we withdraw ourselves, dear reader, from the fray-but for a moment-but for the twinkling of an eyelid and one Z. Certain we are that the cries and screeches of the motley crew will again reach fever pitch and awaken us, warranting another run of the presses. Babylon never disappoints.

Without Spot or Wrinkle

"Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it...That he might present it to himself a glorious church, not having spot, or wrinkle, or any such thing; but that it should be holy and without blemish." Ephesians 5:25, 27

A glorious church, without spot or wrinkle; holy and without blemish – in every sense holy, pure, and perfect. Now it was for this purpose that Christ gave Himself for the church; and for this purpose He continues the different ordinances which He has appointed, and, particularly, the preaching of the Word–the doctrine of reconciliation through faith in His blood.

And it is in this life that all this purification is to take place, for none shall be presented at the Day of Judgment to Him who has not here been cleansed, washed, made glorious, having neither spot, wrinkle, blemish, nor any such thing.

How vain is the pretension of multitudes to be members of the true church while full of spots, wrinkles, blemishes, and many such things, fondly supposing that their holiness is in their surety, because not in themselves! Reader, lay thy hand on thy conscience and say, "Dost thou believe that this is St. Paul's meaning?" — Adam Clarke GOD IS INFINITELY, ETERNALLY, AND INFLEXIBLY HOLY. To this the Scriptures testify again and again. "The Lord is righteous in all his ways, and holy in all his works" (Psalm 145:17), and again, "God reigneth over the heathen: God sitteth upon the throne of his holiness." Psalm 47:8. "Who is like thee, glorious in holiness, fearful in praises, doing wonders?" Exo. 15:11.

Both the prophet Isaiah and the Apostle John described visions of the Almighty sitting upon a throne of awful splendor and surrounded by living creatures who were so overcome by the wonders of His holiness that they could only power and glory, is what we must meet when we come face to face with holiness at the Judgment bar of God.

God has never tolerated unholiness. When He separated to Himself a people in the Old Testament, God gave them very specific, detailed instructions of how they ought to live, and He instituted definite consequences for those who would offend. "Ye shall be holy," He warned, "for I the Lord your God am holy." Lev. 19:2. The punishment for disobeying God's law was serious. More than one individual who took God's holiness lightly was killed on the spot (see Lev. 10 and 2 Sam. 6). It was God's holiness that drove Adam and Eve from the Garden of Eden, and it was God's holiness that destroyed nearly the entire world of Noah's day, wiping it clean of unrighteous men.

A man cannot possibly sin against a holy God and not be affected in his relationship with God. Hebrews tells us

THE HOLINESS OF GOD

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exclaim in unceasing reverence, "Holy, holy, holy!" (Isaiah 6:1-5; Rev. 4).

It was God's holiness that drove Adam and Eve from the Garden of Eden. It was God's holiness that destroyed nearly the entire world of Noah's day, wiping it clean of unrighteous men. Again, it was God's offended holiness that spilled over in flaming wrath to consume the wicked cities of Sodom and Gomorrha. So great was God's holiness, that it compelled Moses to remove the shoes from off his feet before approaching the burning bush. So terrible was His glory revealed at Mount Sinai, that it caused Israel to quake and tremble, keeping a respectful distance from the mountain for fear of losing their lives.

This same presence, in multiplied

Scripture says of God, "Thou art of purer eyes than to behold evil, and canst not look on iniquity." Hab. 1:13. Impurity is to Him so repugnant that He must turn His eyes away. Each sin is a stink in His nostrils, and He will not overlook a single transgression of His law. While He bears with the sinner and while His mercy pleads with sinners to turn from their course, His wrath is building up a store of judgment which, as a cup filled drop by drop, will eventually overflow.

"For thou art not a God that hath pleasure in wickedness: neither shall evil dwell with thee. The foolish shall not stand in thy sight: thou hatest all workers of iniquity. Thou shalt destroy them that speak leasing: the Lord will abhor the bloody and deceitful man." Psalm 5:4-6.

Christ is "holy, harmless, undefiled, separate from sinners." Heb. 7:26. Clearly, there is an antagonism between God and sin which makes fellowship between God and sinners impossible. We read in Isaiah, "But your iniquities have separated between you and your God, and your sins have hid his face from you, that he will not hear." Isaiah 59:2. Sin stood between these people and God. It put a gulf between them, so great that He hid His face from even hearing them. Just as Adam, by one sin, found himself cut off from communion with God in the garden, the soul who sins but once-no matter how high his religious profession-is out of harmony with His Maker and unable to live in peace with Him either in this life or in eternity. 🗾

GOD'S WONDERS WHILE WE SLEEP

God doeth great things past finding out; yea, and wonders without number. Job 9:10

I STAND IN AWE AT THE WONDROUS works of God throughout His great creation. How little of them has yet been discovered, for they are indeed "wonders without number." Yet, despite myriads of evidence all around us attesting to an omnipotent and omniscient Creator God, masses suffer evolutionary blindness– that God-cancelling, heretical teaching of ancient pagan days, reintroduced by Darwin in the 1800s.

Nature defies such a teaching. The things He made prove "His eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse...Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools." Rom. 1:20 and 22.

Consider the human body itselfthat amazing structure of numberless miracles. Are we to believe that the eye somehow just haphazardly evolved? Really? The immune system? The brain? Methinks I can hear God shout, "Fool, fool, fool!"

I stand in awe when I contemplate how God so "wonderfully made" the human body. Even in our sleep, He is at work. "Researchers have examined the physiological and psychological aspects of sleep for over a century with studies consistently showing how sleep plays a critical role in our health. When you sleep well, the body undergoes essential repair processes, everything from consolidating memories and flushing out toxins to repairing damaged cells and DNA–all crucial for delaying the onset of age-related diseases." ¹

Hormones Released for Our Health

The pineal gland in our brain helps control the circadian cycle of sleep and wakefulness. It releases four hormones every night:

I. *Serotonin*—regulates mood for happiness and well-being.

2. *Melatonin*—a fix and rejuvenate hormone, responsible for healing, rest, and rejuvenation.

3. *Arginine vasotocin* puts us into a deep sleep. It is a natural pain killer. If you have pain of any type and go to bed early, this natural pain killer will kick in. Then there will be waste from its use. Next night, it won't release more, but exercising during the day will remove it from the body.

4. *Epithalamin* increases learning capacity. Students that go to bed late cannot concentrate the next day in school. This hormone also slows down aging.

These daytime activities help stimulate the release of these hormones:

Sunshine, drinking water, getting to bed early, good nutrition and regular mealtimes, exercise, avoiding technology, and abstaining from caffeine and alcohol (as they drop the production of these hormones 41%).²

These hormones are released during the night due to our circadian rhythm, or internal clock. God made the night and the day, intending the night for our sleep. Getting sun early in the morning helps regulate our circadian rhythm and prepare for sleep at night. This rhythm is especially aligned with light, and "is incredibly influential in our quality of sleep."¹

In the morning, look directly at

the sun briefly to sync your circadium rhythm. Light goes through the optic nerve to the pineal gland. This prompts our body to release melatonin at the right time, making it easier to fall asleep and stay asleep. When disrupted with late nights, jet lag, or shift work, it can lead to poor sleep, various health disorders, and premature aging.

The key to having the full advantage of the many health benefits of sleep is to go to bed early-not appealing, I know, for our 24/7, tech-addicted generation!

If an individual goes to bed at midnight, even if he sleeps till 8, he misses the pineal gland secretions. Sleep deprivation and the consequent circadian clock disruption has become an emergent health problem.

Regular late nights have a similar effect on the body as alcoholism and drug addiction, because it does not allow the body to revive and recharge every night.²

The Hazards of Blue Light

The blue light from screens-TV, phones, computers, tablets-especially in the evening, suppresses natural melotonin production, causing sleep disruption, which increases the risk of heart disease, cancer, and eye health.

We do get blue light from the sun, but along with it, 42% infrared light, so it is a natural safe balance. Humans are not designed to withstand all the melotonininhibiting blue light we are getting from our devices. LED lighting in our homes poses the same health hazards.³

There are reasons that we are seeing an epidemic of insomnia.

Filing, Learning and Emotional Processing

There is a short-term memory unit at the base of the brain called the hippocampus that transfers memories of the day and files them in the cortex at the top of the brain for long-term storage. The hippocampus is also involved in learning and emotional processing, including anxiety.

There is an amazing order to the filing of these memories. Negative things are filed together and the positive things are filed separately. Dreaming is involved in the process. Then a consolidation of all that is learned throughout the day takes place.

The body also repairs and regrows tissues, builds bone and muscle, and strengthens the immune system.

God's love for His creatures is evident in His vast creation, even while we sleep. A veritable spa of wellness treatments awaits those willing to retire early enough. For adults, it is said we should have 7 to 9 hours of quality sleep. Chronic sleep loss impacts health, being linked to heart disease, obesity, diabetes, reduced immune function and even accelerating how fast you age. ¹

Your Nightly Brain Bath

With no room in the skull for the lymphatic system, God, whose ways are past finding out, designed another marvelous wonder to detox the brain.

"During sleep, special cells found alongside blood vessels, pump cerebrospinal fluid from the edges of the brain to its center. The brain's neurons actually shrink to permit the fluid to rush through the tiny spaces between cells where it picks up and carries off metabolic waste products." 4

One evolutionary scientist said that the lymph system evolved, and then credited the brain itself for somehow solving "the problem of waste clearance."

"The fool hath said in his heart there is no God." Psalm 14:1.

Are humans but the products of time

Insomnia is a worldwide problem.

According to the National Institute of Health, 10 -30% of the global population struggles with insomnia.

1 in 3 Americans don't sleep enough.

1 in 4 Americans develops insomnia yearly.

Less than 6 hours of sleep increases mortality risk by 13%.

According to recent evidence, the proportion of people getting less than the recommended hours of sleep is rising and is associated with lifestyle factors related to modern 24/7 society, with its psychosocial stress, unbalanced diet, lack of physical activity, and excessive electronic media use.

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and chance, as declared by evolutionists? Can it be that we really are the result of random processes operating over billions of years? I declare that this takes far more "faith" to believe than to believe in God.

This writing touches only upon some of God's wonders worked while we sleep. His glory is manifest everywhere in this universe, and were one to honestly consider His divine, exquisite engineering and creative craftsmanship in all things, the scales of evolutionary teaching would fall from their blinded eyes. 🔊

— Sis. Susan Mutch

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ARE YOU WITH HIM OR AGAINST HIM?

EXCERPTS FROM THE ELDER BROTHER BY E.P. TENNEY

THE TEACHING OF JESUS IN regard to advancing the kingdom of God, implies a state of warfare, in order that men of good will may be at peace: "first pure, then peaceable." Jesus never taught that it was a matter of indifference how men were related to Him. They must decide against Him, or be on His side. Jesus joined issue with the world, the flesh, and the devil.

— Dean Stanley—

With a majestic self-assertion of His claims, with great boldness identifying Himself with the work of the Father and Moral Governor of mankind, Jesus spoke with authority, with a certain urgency, in an aggressive spirit, bringing matters to a crisis in respect to personal allegiance or hostility.

Did He not test the multitudes with such doctrines that many left Him? He sifted them. Men were to be attached to Him by the truth or not at all. "Come unto me," He said, "Take my yoke upon you." But they had to leave Mammon behind them; He would allow no divided service. "He who is not with me is against me, and he that gathereth not with me scattereth abroad."

The teaching of Jesus was preeminently incisive. His appeals were direct, personal, pointed, practical; inviting men to immediate action for or against, the kingdom of God.

On one occasion, Jesus startled His

hearers by turning round in the face of a crowd who were following Him, and saying abruptly, "If any man come to me, and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren, and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple." This was His text, and the men pricked up their ears to hear the short and pithy sermon or explanation he made of the text. They were given to understand that this business of chasing round in a crowd after a popular favorite, was a very different thing from taking up the true work of disciples. He would not have a wavering unreliable mob at his heels, when they ought to be at the work of godly decision and self-denying service.

And He finished up His remarks to

them on that occasion by using what seems to have been a favorite form of speech with Him: "Salt is good: but if the salt have lost his savor, wherewith shall it be seasoned? It is neither fit for the land, nor yet for the dung hill; but men cast it out. He that hath ears to hear, let him hear." Then he went on His way again.

That His hearers should make good use of their ears, and hear pungent

He would not have a wavering unreliable mob at His heels. He that was not ready to forsake all he had could never become a disciple.

things, He was determined. He made the men about Him know what they would be at. If they would follow Him, He said that He had not so much of a home on this globe as the foxes had. No man putting the hand to His plow was permitted even to look as if he would go back. Whoever would build must first count the cost and do it intelligently. He that was not ready to forsake all he had could never become a disciple. "Seek ye first," said Jesus, "the kingdom of God, and his righteousness": God first, and man second; or there is no disciple.

When Jesus saw crowds gathering together in the name of religion, He knew that they might side with the enemies of God when there should come up test questions, and He would have men out and out His, or not His—"Whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple."

It was this close and sharp personal preaching, that separated out from the aimless multitudes a handful of men, who began to conquer the world for their Master.

Deny Yourself

JOHN WESLEY

"Then said Jesus unto his disciples, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow me." Matthew 16:24

If any man *be willing* to come after me – none is forced, but if any will be a Christian, it must be on these terms: Let him deny himself, and take up his cross–a rule that can never be too much observed. Let him in all things deny his own will, however pleasing, and do the will of God, however painful.

Should we not consider all crosses, all things grievous to flesh and blood, as what they really are, as opportunities of embracing God's will at the expense of our own? And consequently, as so many steps by which we are perfected? We should make a swift progress in the spiritual life if we were faithful in this practice.

Crosses are so frequent, that whoever takes advantage of them, will soon be a great gainer. Great crosses are occasions of great improvement, and the little ones, which come daily, and even hourly, make up in number what they want in weight. We may in these daily and hourly crosses make effectual oblations of our will to God, which oblations, so frequently repeated, will soon amount to a great sum.

Let us remember then (what can never be sufficiently inculcated) that God is the author of all events: that none is so small or inconsiderable, as to escape His notice and direction. Every event therefore declares to us the will of God, to which thus declared we should heartily submit. We should renounce our own to embrace it. We should approve and choose what His choice warrants as best for us. Herein should we exercise ourselves continually. This should be our practice all the day long. We should in humility accept the little crosses that are dispensed to us, as those that best suit our weakness. Let us bear these little things, at least for God's sake, and prefer His will to our own in matters of so small importance. And His goodness will accept these mean oblations; for He despiseth not the day of small things.

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Far too many who are outside of the black community, until recently have not been in the position where they had to seriously consider the effects of slavery on them and their people. They have failed to realize that slavery has had and continues to have a profound impact on them. *Hustlin' Backward* educates us on how the sensitive, controversial, and never-reconciled black/white issue should be viewed and handled so as not to abuse anyone or to perpetuate oppression.

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REGRESSIVE PROGRESSION: THIS IS THE STORY OF FREEDOM...CAPTURED

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"And next unto them the Tekoites repaired; but their nobles put not their necks to the work of their Lord." Nehemiah 3:5

Among the words that can be used for the Hebrew word '*addîyr*, translated in this verse as "nobles," are the following: powerful, excellent, famous, gallant, glorious, goodly, lordly, mighty, noble, principal, and worthy. This list seems to suggest that every noble's journey to nobility was well-earned, as opposed to being contrived by stealth and corruption, as we see too frequently in our governments today.

At one point, these men were valiant and selfsacrificing and deserving of the honour bestowed on them. But then, somehow along the way, they slacked off. They started indulging in ease and relaxing in the shadows of their immaculate reputations. They also began to care more about their fame and majesty and richly embroidered robes and comfortable mansions, and less about the work of restoration. Eclipsed by a frigid, corpselike, still form, their passion for brave deeds and noble actions cooled off. The title of nobility became no more than that–a mere title which offered no evidence of the process required to obtain it.

Additionally, the Hebrew word for which the translators used the word "necks," in the phrase "put not their necks to the work" is used "in the sense of binding; the back of the neck—as that on which burdens are bound." Essentially, these nobles lost the burden. Somewhere along the way, their focus had selfishly shifted to themselves. They were doing work with their hands to maintain the pretense of nobility, but without a true burden. Their sacrifice was not tied to the altar in permanent knots of reckless abandonment.

May we not be discovered as hypocritical nobles! Instead, let us be bound to God's work and "addicted to the ministry of the saints" (I Cor. 16:15), that we be not left without reward!

The First Montréal Meeting **REVELATION:** God's Narrative for His Church

Friday, September 20 through Sunday, September 22, 2024, a historic church meeting took place in Montreal, Quebec, Canada. Apostle Ray Tinsman preached four services at the invitation of Bro. Carlos Norbal, apostle of New Creation Churches in Quebec. The meeting was advertised and promoted as a convergence meeting rather than a conference. The reason for this, Bro. Norbal pointed out, is that after a conference, participants return to their pre-meeting places without maintaining contact and cleaving to one another. The purpose of this meeting, from its inception, was for those invited to come together and become one. This is exactly what happened.

Each time we gathered, the anointing of the Holy Spirit accompanied the preaching of Apostle Tinsman and Apostle Norbal in a wonderful way. The

saints from Montreal were

thrilled at the understanding and enlightenment that came during the four services held at this meeting. The saints from Ohio and Ontario relived their own initial joy at receiving sound preaching from Revelation, and the bonding and mutual rejoicing was strengthening to all. The final service culminated in a message regarding the church and her current prophetic position in this end time.

Every service was punctuated with exclamations of amazement. Saints were seen holding both hands to their heads, as if holding themselves together, as hailstones of truth hit. The congregation was often on its feet, and shouts of praise and encouragement to the preacher were almost continual.

Every service included music from the hosting saints, while in the final service, singers from the Montreal and Ohio congregations joined together in worship, which appropriately culminated in a moving version of Amazing Grace.

Dancers with colorful flags ministered beautifully during the weekend. God was worshiped and His angel ministry honored, specifically Apostles Tinsman, Hildebrandt, and Norbal, by flag presentation during the meeting.

Bro. Carlos, deeply moved by the support for the meeting from saints of all ages (who had traveled, on average, twelve hours with their families) declared that he has waited for 30 years in hope to experience the oneness of fellowship and brotherly love that was demonstrated, freely offered, and gladly received and reciprocated during this blessed weekend.



Report by Mother Roz Sims

The hosting saints from Montreal showed impeccable hospitality to those visiting. Meals and refreshments, valet parking, honoring presentations, and continual demonstrations of love and appreciation were included in every gathering.

In the closing session of the meeting, Apostle Tinsman, visibly and audibly emotional, declared that his heart is broken afresh, and he now leaves a part of it in Quebec with the saints who are under the watchcare of Apostle Norbal.

The saints parted with strong embraces, tear-filled eyes, prayers for safe travel.

a n d spoken h o p e and determination t h a t t h e y would be together a g a i n soon.



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