

A Check-up to See How Much You Are in the World System

On the 14th June 2014 I was given the revelation that whatever stance the Kingdom has on anything, it cancels the stances of the church, society and a person's mind on that point. Before Donald Trump became president of the USA, the expression I was given was: "The Kingdom trumps¹, church, culture and the person". From this, the following diagram was produced and distributed.



I don't know how many people who have seen this graphic have actually followed through and made sure they adhered to the Kingdom's stance on everything. I expect most won't, because they can't. The indoctrination of the church has been so strong that their teaching will be maxims they follow – i.e. standards that they've been told are immutable. Their education and training at home and school, as well as the workplace, will seem so normal and natural to them that to change them will cause the person to stop being themselves – their identity in these will stymie any changes. It will only be what they see and perceive as 'evil' that they will pull back from. This ultimately means that their understanding of the Kingdom is a theology, not a current reality.

The Old Covenant (OC) was made between Abraham and his descendants and related to the establishment and maintenance of the kingdom of Israel. This contract is now defunct. We live in the New Covenant (NC), not the OC. This new contract was made between Father and the human race (through the death and resurrection of the man Jesus) and relates to the re-establishment and maintenance of the Kingdom of Heaven on Earth. Many Christians don't really understand that they are in the NC because their pulpit teaching trains them not to have any conception of it. This is further 'cemented' by their OT Bible reading, so that for them, to give up everything and surrender to the Kingdom of King Jesus is virtually an impossibility.

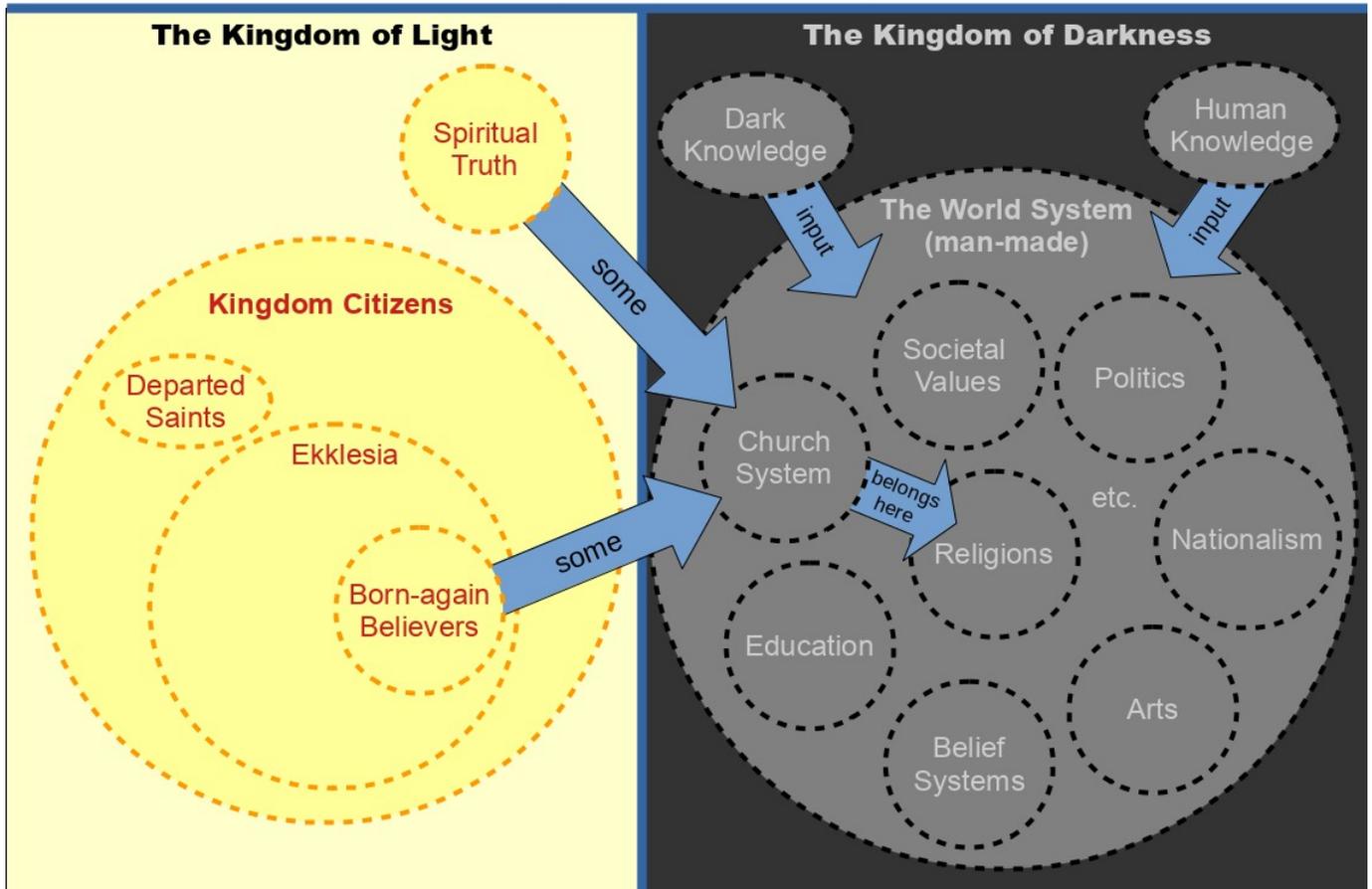
To assist with an understanding of what it means that the Kingdom trumps everything else, a person must become savvy with spiritual reality. The natural creation is the ground for a war between 2 spiritual kingdoms: the Kingdom of Light (Heaven's kingdom) and the Kingdom of Darkness (Satan's kingdom). These are the only 2 kingdoms of any significance, and they each control segments of creation. A person is in one of these kingdoms by default or by choice. They cannot be neutral, 'sitting on the fence' in regard to which side they belong to. Jesus made it very clear: You are either for him or against him.² If you're not for him then you're automatically (by default) against him. A person may consider that they are in a kingdom other than these two because they don't recognise the spiritual reality around them (i.e. those who adhere to evolution, atheism, Communism, Buddhism, etc.), but this is a mirage.

(See the diagram over the page)

1 – A card-playing term meaning that what cards a person has is of higher value than everyone else's cards and therefore it wins the current hand.

2 – Luke 11:23

There are only 2 kingdoms controlling the Earth



Following on from Jesus' statement that you're either in Father's Kingdom (now his Kingdom) or not – there's no other option – something radical becomes apparent. This can be seen in the diagram I've created above to make it absolutely clear. It is this: The world system created by humans with the influence of the enemy does not belong in the Kingdom of God. That means that everything people think up and set up or produce doesn't belong to the Kingdom. Even if the inspiration originated from Heaven it is not a Kingdom entity unless the Kingdom is fully involved in every process after the inspiration – that includes the validation of the total inspiration. Any input from the human mind taints (corrupts) the entity – whatever it happens to be.

This is why the church system doesn't belong in the Kingdom. The *ekklesia* started out as a work of the Spirit, but by the end of the 1st century it had been corrupted into a religion called Christianity with their man-made 'church' – and we know that the Kingdom doesn't produce religion. Religion at any level is mankind doing what they think pleases God rather than finding out from him what he wants and doing it exactly his way. Anything we do that the Spirit tells us to do but we do it our way, or we do it in our time, is still not a Kingdom activity. Grace causes God to overlook our deviations from his perfect will, but we must remember this:



So, back to the reason for the topic: What attitudes do I have and what positions do I take that originate in the world system and not the Kingdom?

Here's my short (incomplete) check list of 50 things for you to consider:

1. The criteria for the person to marry is the one you fall in love with
2. Vote for the politician of the political party you align with
3. Young children should go to Christian schools to get a proper education
4. The ideal vocation is chosen from what a person likes doing
5. Adolescents should go to university after Year 12
6. Rely on your job for the money to live on
7. Give money to good causes that align with your worldview
8. Choose the suburb to live where you have the right prestige
9. Buy the house that you like and which meets your needs
10. Holidays are for travelling overseas
11. Income insurance is critical in case you can't work
12. Rely on your GP to keep you healthy
13. House & property insurance is essential for your well-being – it makes you feel safe & secure
14. Rely on the government to provide the needs that you can't supply
15. Party with friends on the weekend to unwind and socialize
16. Become a sports fan
17. Prepare for the end of the world as a 'prepper' by living on a block in the country
18. Playing the share market is a suitable source of income
19. Put an extension on the home to make room for family needs
20. Buy an investment property to put variety in your retirement 'nest egg'
21. Children should be seen and not heard
22. Men should stand up when a woman enters the room
23. Eat your food slowly
24. Limit the number of children you have to what can be supported by the family income
25. Play sport to keep healthy
26. Husband and wife both need to work to pay off the mortgage
27. Everyone in the family needs to have their own car for transport
28. Don't consume sweet food and drinks for health reasons
29. Plan to have only one child for the benefit of the planet
30. A house needs a lawn and a lovely garden
31. Work your way up the promotion ladder at workplace as quickly as possible
32. Marry a rich person
33. Live with a partner so you can "try before you buy"
34. Support the Olympic Games
35. Stop working for others as soon as possible and start your own business
36. Demonstrate in the streets for climate action
37. Eliminate salt from the diet to stay healthier
38. Eat with a knife and fork, not the fingers
39. Shop at Woolworths because they are an Australian company
40. Always eat healthy food
41. Put money in the bank for safe keeping
42. Go to church every Sunday – God is pleased with this

43. The lawn and hedges must be kept neatly trimmed to demonstrate care for the property
44. Support the local AFL team
45. Save the trees by not buying anything in a cardboard container
46. Keep the car washed and polished to protect it
47. Feel-good movies are the only ones worth watching
48. Modern music is the devil's music
49. Change and wash the bed linen every week
50. Having sex is ungodly

Question: Which ones of these attitudes belong to the Kingdom?

Answer: None of them.³ They all originate in people's thinking.⁴

Absolutely anything that is not from and of the Kingdom is not a Kingdom entity. It may be a good thing or its intention may be good, but goodness is not the criteria that the Kingdom uses as its measurement of things on Earth.⁵ The Kingdom evaluates things differently to the way Christians do – e.g. “What's the heart attitude?”⁶, “Does it align with Heaven?”

Can you now see that the Kingdom must trump everything else IF we are going to align with Heaven?

We live in the world, but we must be separated from it in our heart. We must **not** voluntarily withdraw from the world, otherwise we can't impact it and be part of the movement to expand it so it fills the whole Earth. To help us, the Lord is using the current world chaotic situations to shake the world system, and our reliance on it, out of us.⁷

Read Louis Posthauer's article 'Prophetic Word for 2020: 'My Church Will Burn Brightly in the Coming Darkness''⁸ for a detailed prophetic message about what our King is going to do to remove the world system from the *ekklesia* during the dark days ahead.

IMPORTANT: Being a friend of the world (system) makes you an enemy of God.⁹

James 4:4 (TPT¹⁰) – *You have become spiritual adulterers who are having an affair, an unholy relationship with the world. Don't you know that flirting with the world's values places you at odds with God? Whoever chooses to be the world's friend makes himself God's enemy!*

How much of your life is under the control of the Kingdom?

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3 – 1 John 2:16; 2 Peter 1:4

4 – 1 Corinthians 3:19

5 – Matthew 19:17

6 – The heart is important, but it's not the be-all-&-end-all (see 1 Samuel 16:7; Matthew 5:28; 15:19)

7 – “He's Shaking the World out of Us” canberraforerunners.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Hes-Shaking-the-World-out-of-Us.pdf

8 – www.charismamag.com/blogs/prophetic-insight/44236-prophetic-word-for-2020-my-church-will-burn-brightly-in-the-coming-darkness

9 – James 4:4

10 – The Passion Translation

World System Check List

Here's my check list of 110 items. Print it off and only tick off the ones that you live by.

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51. Australia Day should be celebrated on the 26 th January each year	
52. Join the #MeToo movement to protect women from harassment by men	
53. A new outfit needs a new pair of shoes	
54. Homework is unhealthy – it encroaches on the lives of developing children	
55. Give a child a tablet or phone to play with when they are bored	
56. Horse racing is glamorous and exciting	
57. Bible reading is the best way to allow God to speak to you	
58. Children should decide whether they stay home from school on any day of the years	
59. Soft porn is OK	
60. Parents shouldn't tell children what to do	
61. Australia is a free country so everyone is free to do what we want	
62. An international government is needed to solve the world's problems	
63. Eating out once a week builds family relationships	
64. Be an individual	
65. Career comes before marriage and children	
66. Sell all you have and give the money to the poor	
67. Parents must not smack their children	
68. Identity is found in a person's status in life	
69. A parent's will should bequeath all the estate to their children	
70. The government doesn't run people's lives	
71. A neighbour breaching local council laws should be reported	
72. Make a lot of money and retire young	
73. The prime minister should be held accountable for everything done wrong in their life	

74. Boozing with mates at the pub after work is a man's right	
75. Bigots who disagree with me should be attacked	
76. Australia's ancient forests need to be reclaimed and replanted	
77. A family should eat the evening meal together at the table	
78. Multiculturalism brings harmony in a nation	
79. Celebrate friends' birthdays with gifts and a party	
80. A young person should give their bus seat to an elderly person	
81. Equality between men and women in every area is mandatory	
82. Plastic bags should be recycled	
83. Politicians must resign if they do what the electorate disagrees with	
84. An employee who repeatedly fails to fulfil their job description should be sacked	
85. Retirement is for spending the remainder of life relaxing	
86. Dogs are better company than people	
87. Chocolate is better than sex	
88. Abortion to save the life of the mother is sound advice	
89. Never park in a person's driveway when visiting them	
90. Christmas is a holy time of the year	
91. Out of courtesy, give way to pedestrians at all road intersections	
92. Never marry a gorgeous looking woman	
93. Australia is a democracy so the people tell the government what to do	
94. Year 12 students should aim for at least 90% in their final results	
95. The more qualifications a person has the better the job they can get	
96. Australia should become a republic	
97. It is essential for Christians to celebrate Easter	
98. Trees should be trimmed 1m from power lines to prevent fires	
99. Australia should accept every refugee who wants to come here	
100. We should look after the welfare of our returned defence force personnel	
101. Have a shower and use deodorant every day	
102. Live with second-hand furniture until new ones can be afforded	
103. Always wear underclothes	
104. 'The Bold & The Beautiful' is must-watch TV	
105. Use E10 petrol to help preserve fossil fuel (crude oil)	
106. A woman looks more beautiful with long hair	
107. Wear a hat in the sun to protect the skin	
108. Breakfast is the most important meal of the day	
109. Every person needs at least 8 hours sleep a night	
110. Use what you need, share what you can	

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