



The Epic Battle for Planet Earth

Laurence Smart
25-2-2020
(www.CanberraForerunners.org)

PHOTO: upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/9/97/The_Earth_seen_from_Apollo_17.jpg [public domain]

The slides in this presentation mostly contain statements of fact which I don't qualify. The reason being that they are already established in our bank of Kingdom knowledge. If any of them need explaining or justifying, please email me with your question.

command-post@canberraforerunners.org

**There are 2 spiritual
kingdoms battling for
control of the Earth –
only 2**

The Kingdom of Light

(The Light Kingdom)

The Kingdom of Darkness

(The Dark Kingdom)

There is no neutral position – you serve either one of these **2 kingdoms only**

**The default is the
Kingdom of Darkness
because we are born in
the lineage of 'fallen'
Adam**

**Sometime in our lives we
affirm which kingdom we
belong to**

**Making no decision keeps
us in the Dark Kingdom**

9
**Like the Battle for Middle Earth,
opposing kingdoms use physical
beings to do all their fighting**

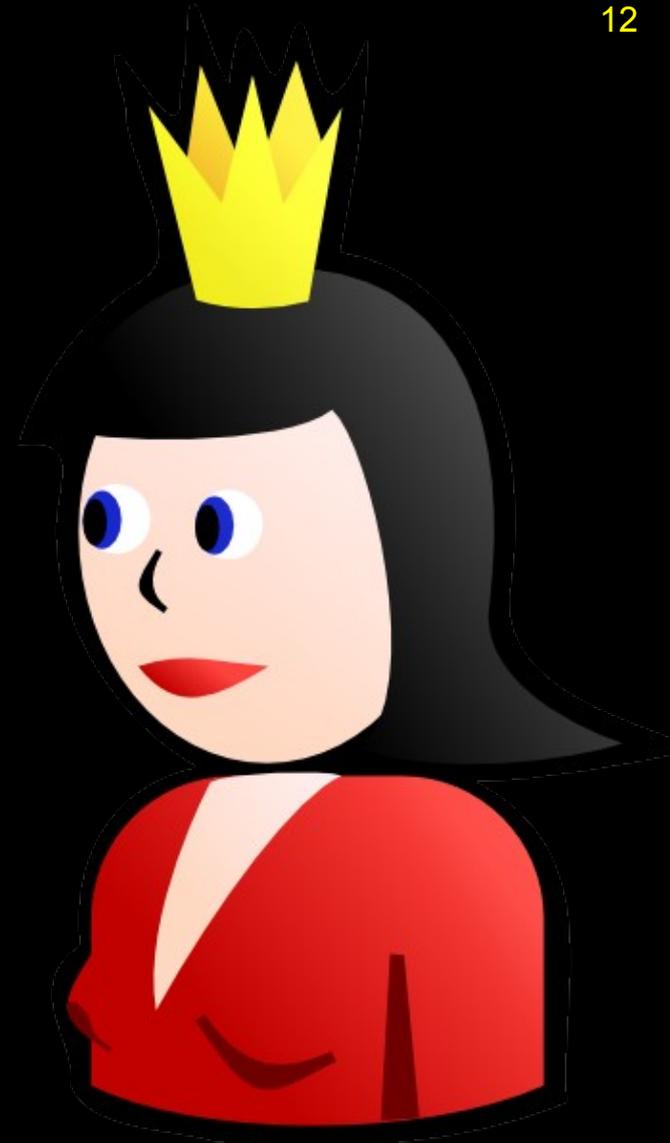


**However, this is a covert
war to take complete
control of Earth – i.e. the
battle is not visible**

**The battle is conducted
using the hearts, minds &
spirits of the planet's
ruling life form...**



i.e.
human
beings



**Humans were created a
little lower than El's
heavenly counsel of sons
*[not angels]***

(Psalm 8:5)

**They were given
responsibility to manage
the planet through their
vice-regal rulership**

**However, they gave away
their rulership when they
disobeyed God and ceded
their governance to
Lucifer**

**But, their right to be
autonomous managers of
the planet was never lost
– only their rulership**

**Both kingdoms work to
win over these planet
managers to their side**

**The covert war occurs
inside and between these
planet managers**

**The war will cease when
one side of the planet
managers takes full
control from the other side
– there is no surrender**

**What does this covert war
look like?**

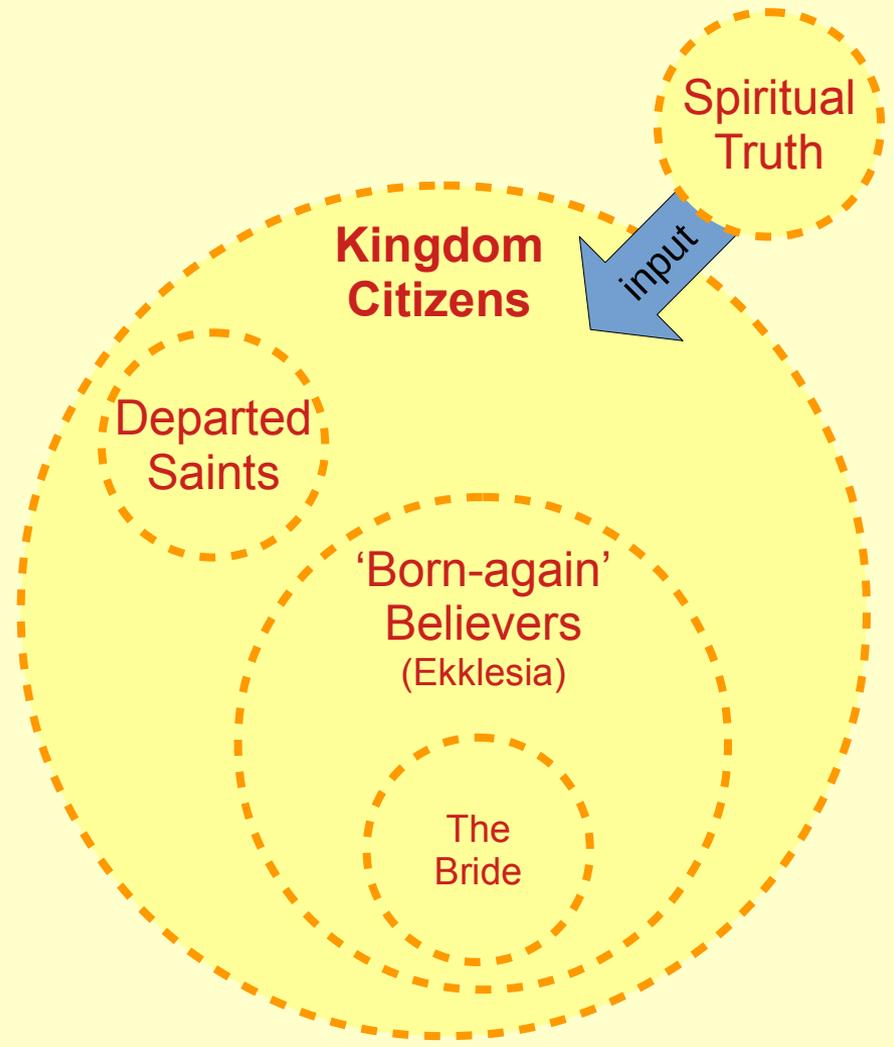
**Both sides have already
set up their kingdoms on
Earth – i.e. their
‘fortifications’**

**These fortifications can't
be seen with the natural
eye – they exist in the
spirit realm**

**Both kingdoms have
manifested themselves in
the natural realm – their
impact can be clearly
seen**

**What do these
manifestations look like?**

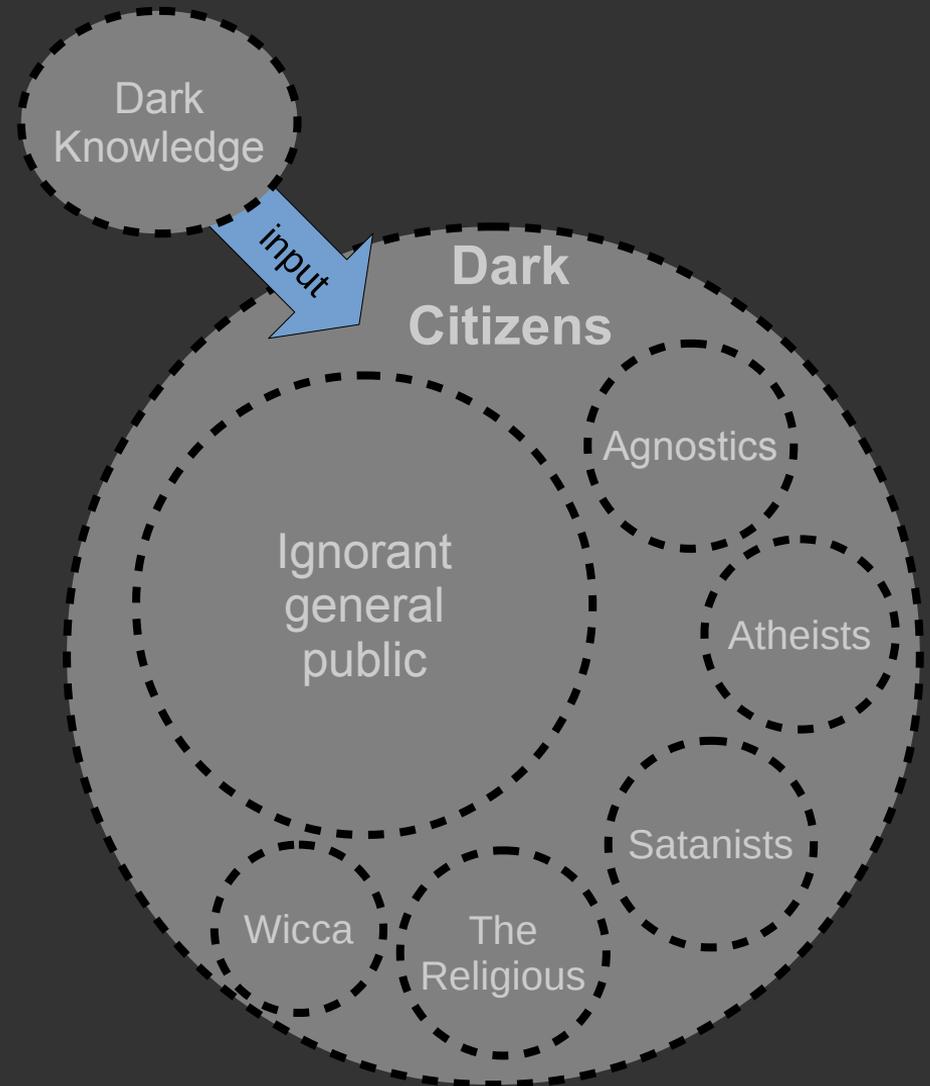
The Kingdom of Light



**Manifests
inside people
who positively
impact the
world around
them for their
King**

**Manifests
inside people
who impact the
world around
them negatively
and create
structures to
serve their ruler**

The Kingdom of Darkness



**Each supreme leader
seeks to influence people
to change the dynamics
of the war**

The 2 kingdoms are mutually exclusive but there are exchanges between them

**The Kingdom
of Light**

**The Kingdom
of Darkness**



MOVEMENT OF PEOPLE

**One task of those in the
Light Kingdom is to
defend against personal
attacks**

**Another task is to know
the tactics of the enemy
so they aren't tricked by
them**

**Their task is also to help
rescue those who are
slaves of the Dark
Kingdom**



Everything not
in the Light
Kingdom

originates in the Dark
Kingdom or in the human
mind

**Some things clearly
originate in the Light
Kingdom**

**Life itself is God's gift –
it's not evil**

Union, reproduction and family all originate with God – they are righteous

**Food and eating both
originate with God – they
are righteous**

**Working and managing
the planet were directives
from God – they are
righteous**

**What the Dark Kingdom
does is pervert these by
unrighteous use – the
activities then become
unrighteous**

**Following The Fall we
created society and set
up systems to live in the
'fallen' world**

**This human construct
is known as
'the world system'**

This is what "world" refers to in 2 Corinthians 10:2 (NIV)

**The world system was
created by 'fallen' people
in the 'fallen' physical
world**

The world system by default is not in the Light Kingdom because it originated outside of that kingdom

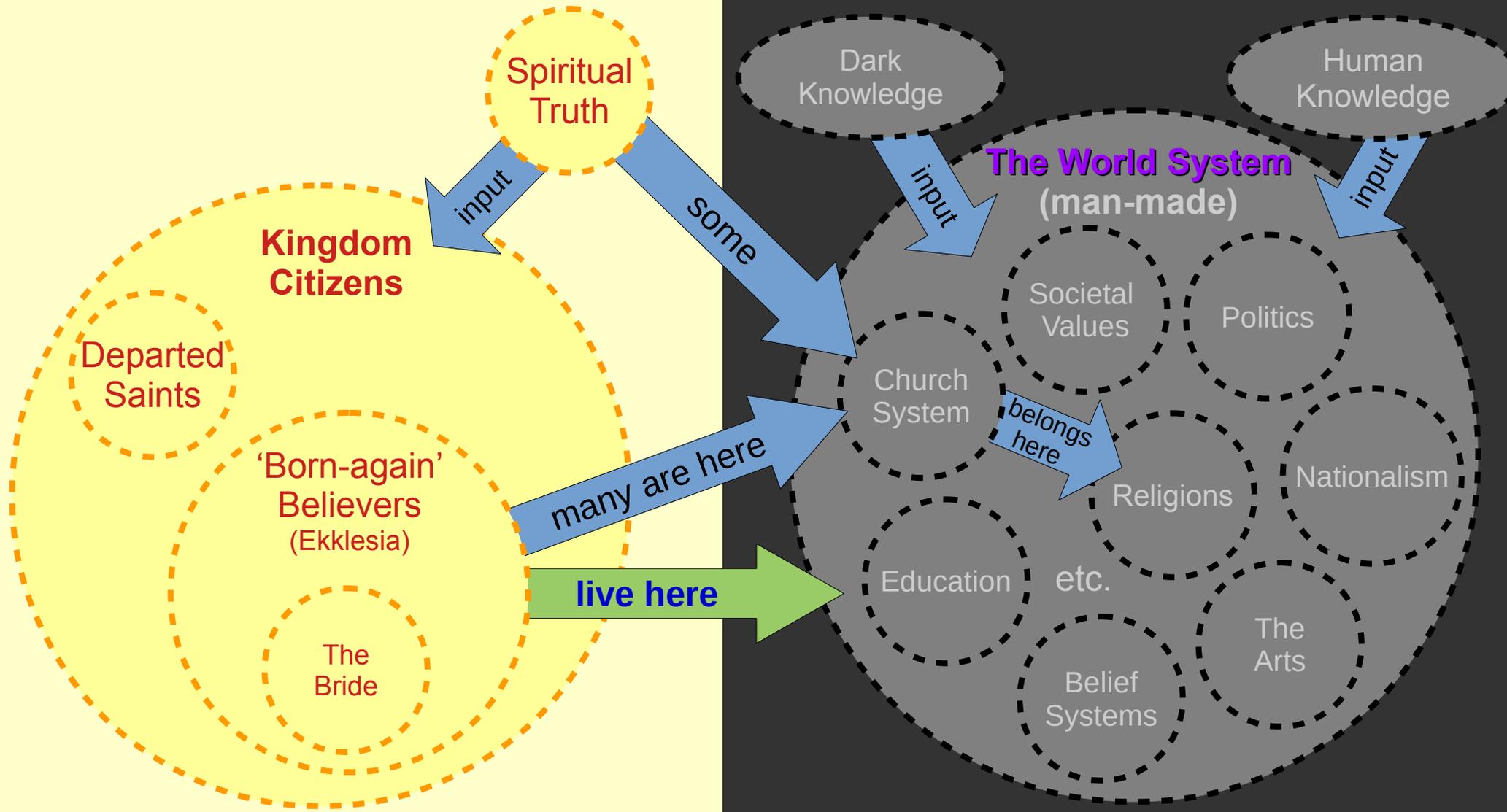
**Because the world
system is run by Dark
citizens it's under the
control of the Dark
Kingdom**

**How does the world
system fit in with both
kingdoms on the planet**

IT DOESN'T

The Kingdom of Light

The Kingdom of Darkness



**Those not in the Light
Kingdom are in the world
system – this is the
default position**

**Humans set up cities to
provide protection and
community in the 'fallen'
world**

**The society we live in,
including cities and
homes, are not part of the
Light Kingdom**

**Humans always set up
systems – the Dark
Kingdom uses those
systems for its purposes**

**The 2 kingdoms are
mutually exclusive but
they interact**

**How does all this
impact us?**

**When we are spiritually
reborn we are brought
back into a position of
sonship and rulership**

**We then go through a
long process to mature
as sons so we can rule
as kings over our
personal domains**

**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**

This is done by living the Kingdom life and properly overseeing their personal domains – these must be ruled for our King

Every weakness or ‘open door’ gives access to the enemy – these must all be closed and guarded

**We don't follow the world
system which we live in –
we are Kingdom citizens
(Full stop!)**

What does this mean?

Our guiding lifestyle is this:



**This is why you've heard
it said: "We are in the
world, but not of the
world"**

**Kingdom citizens
shouldn't have any affinity
with the world system –
even though they live in it
and operate there**

**We aren't to withdraw
from "this evil world" –
our martial mandate is to
take it over for our King**

**In doing so we are to be
led by the Spirit – it's a
spiritual war**

**In our engagement with
the world system we are
not to be drawn into its
unrighteous ways**

**This is a clear warning
outlined in many places
in the NT**

“See to it that no one takes you captive through hollow and deceptive philosophy, which depends on human tradition and the elemental spiritual forces of this world rather than on Christ.”

“you were dead in your transgressions and sins, in which you used to live when you followed the ways of this world and of the ruler of the kingdom of the air, the spirit who is now at work in those who are disobedient.” →

→ *“All of us also lived among them at one time, gratifying the cravings of our flesh and following its desires and thoughts. Like the rest, we were by nature deserving of wrath.”*

Ephesians 2:1-2 NIV

“I beg you that when I come I may not have to be as bold as I expect to be toward some people who think that we live by the standards of this world.”

2 Corinthians 10:2 NIV

This is why...

**“Whoever chooses to be
the world’s friend makes
himself God’s enemy!”**

James 4:4 TPT

**This includes any form of
religion**

“Since you died with Christ to the elemental spiritual forces of this world, why, as though you still belonged to the world, do you submit to its rules: “Do not handle! Do not taste! Do not touch!”? →

→ *“These rules, which have to do with things that are all destined to perish with use, are based on merely human commands and teachings.”*

Colossians 2:22 NIV

**Remember, we are in the
world to impact it with
the presence of Heaven
– we aren't to copy the
world & its system**

“I wrote to you in my letter not to associate with sexually immoral people – not at all meaning the people of this world who are immoral, or the greedy and swindlers, or idolaters. In that case you would have to leave this world.”



Important

**We must discern
what activities in life are
suitable for Kingdom
citizens and what are not**

**Just because we always
did something or
because Christians do it
doesn't mean it's
appropriate for us**

Why?

Because some things are neutral but many are not – many things don't appear to be evil but they are

**How do we work out
what is unrighteous and
what isn't?**

Test questions to ask:

- **Is it's source evil**
- **Do we love it too much**
- **Are we able to give it up**
- **Are we dependent on it**
- **Are we using it unrighteously**

It's all about mixture

***Mixture is mainly caused
by our ignorance***

**Mixture of all types is a
'crack' in our defence
system which the enemy
can use – ignorance
doesn't matter to him**

““Don't you know that a little yeast affects the whole batch of dough? You must clean out the old yeast so that you can become a new batch of dough. For you are without yeast, because Christ, our Passover Lamb, has been sacrificed.” Leaven is most often used as a metaphor for corrupting influence, especially false teaching.”

(TPT – notes for 1 Corinthians 5:6-7)

“In this age, the Gospel of the Kingdom is being⁸⁶ revealed to apostolic and prophetic leadership. The intent and purpose of this revealing is to bring forth the full reality of God and His Kingdom of righteousness, peace, and joy to the glory of God. However, the tainting misconceptions of religious and secular thinking mixed in with the pure revelation is thwarting the true wisdom and power of the glorious fullness of the Kingdom of God on Earth.”

(Ron McGatlin www.openheaven.com/2020/03/13/crossing-the-line-into-fullness)

**We don't recognise some
things in the world
system as sinful because
we have an OT
understanding of sin**

**‘Sin’ in the NT Greek
means ‘missing the mark’
(an archery term) – it’s
not referring to breaking
God’s commandments**

**In the Kingdom sin is
anything that is out of
alignment with Heaven**

**How much of your life is
missing the standard set
by Heaven?**

**How much of your life is
NOT under the control of
the Kingdom?**

Take the 'check-list' test and find out

(Print off and fill in "World System Check List" here:

canberraforerunners.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/World-System-Check-List.pdf

**That list is a small
selection of ideas, rules
and maxims that people
choose to live by**

**They all belong in the
world system – none are
from the Kingdom or
belong there**

**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**

The Kingdom evaluates things differently to the way Christians do – viz.

“What’s the heart attitude?” & “Does it align with Heaven?”

**So, how much of what
guides your life is
derived from the world
system?**

**Can you now see the
difference in mindset
between the world
system and
the Kingdom?**

**To change and
completely live by
Kingdom knowledge and
principles will be
extremely difficult for you**

Your education and training at home and school, as well as the workplace, will seem so normal and natural to you that to change will cause you to feel that you're not "being yourself"



**You are now
aware of the
reality of the world
system in which you live**

**You are now accountable
for what you know**

**Don't confuse
grace for
approval**

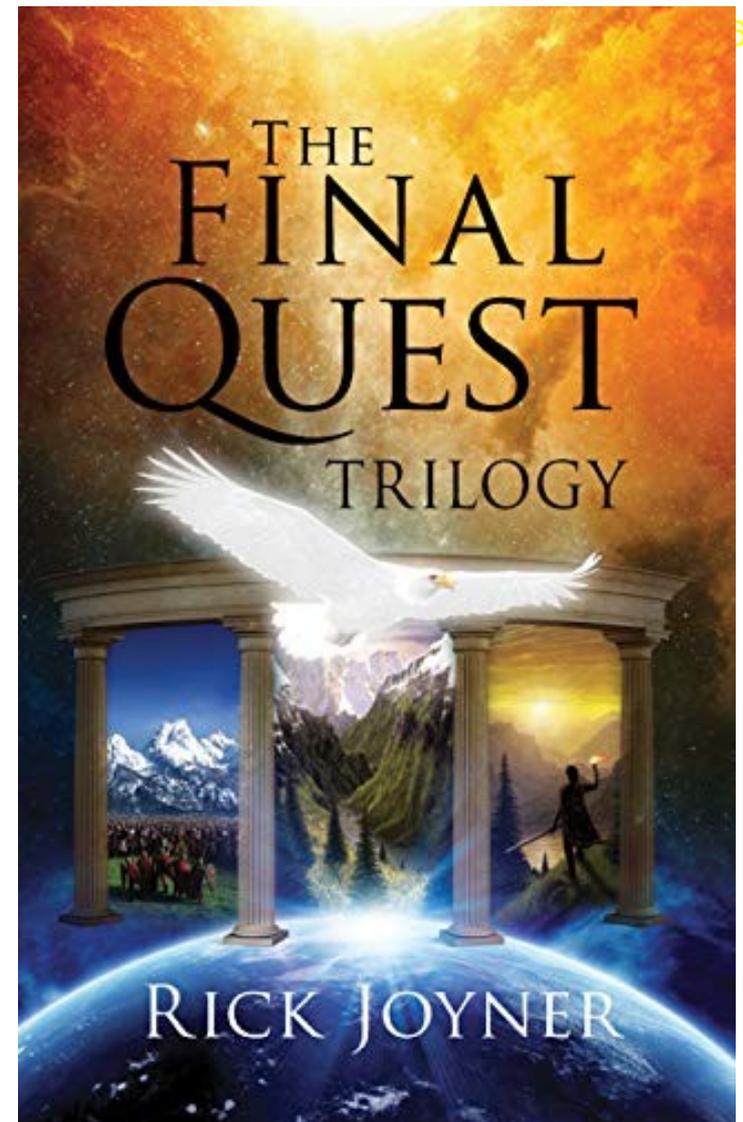
Now read my teaching article:

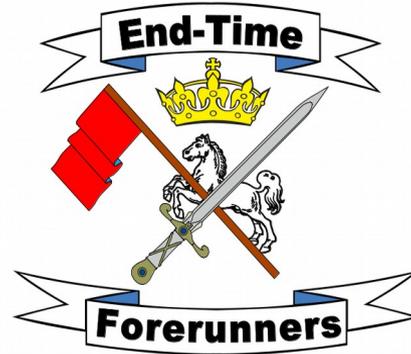
*“A Check-up to See How much You Are
in the World System”*

LINK:

canberraforerunners.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/A-Check-up-to-See.pdf

To see how serious
this spiritual war is
and how life in the
world is so deceptive,
read this collection of
prophetic visions by
Rick Joyner





L.D. Smart

COPYRIGHT

All quotes are copyrighted to the authors credited.

Free graphics are from www.clker.com & free photos are from commons.wikimedia.org.

This document is free to copy, republish and distribute, but only 'as is'.

All Canberra Forerunner documents are licensed under

Creative Commons Attribution-NonCommercial-NoDerivs 3.0 Unported License