

with nuclear weapons, they are no longer impossible. The expressions of some of the parts of the Book of Revelation may well be a picture of Communist attack and Communist aggression ahead for us. We cannot say for sure whether that is what is pictured in these parts of the great book of the Apostle John or not. This we can say, that Revelation, like the rest of the Bible, plainly teaches that God is on the throne. Satan could not move an inch unless God permitted. Communism cannot destroy one soul or wreck the life of one man, except as God permits. God is controlling all things. Though it may be hard to understand them now, we know that His purposes are best. We know that He makes all things to work together for good to them who love Him. Turmoil and torture, pain and possible death, lies ahead of us, if our nations allow the Communist menace to grow to the point where it can unleash irresistible terror upon us. It is only in Christ that we can have confidence and hope.

The Christian knows that God has a plan, that His plan is going to work and that when man has done his worst, God will step in and put things to right. He knows that our Lord Jesus Christ will descend from heaven with a shout in His own time, at a time which has not been revealed to us.

The Historic Christian Faith offers the best promise of alleviating those conditions; which promote Communism, and would do so in the countries under the heel of Roman Catholicism, if it could be freely preached there. It offers the hope ~~for~~ of eternal life to those behind the iron curtain, if only the force that holds them in slavery might be destroyed and freedom given for us to send missionaries who might enter with the free preaching of the Gospel into the lands behind the Iron Curtain. If our leaders, through fear or treachery, fail at their task, and Communism gains such strength that it sweeps everything before it we can still have hope in Christ and know that His purpose is best. In this terrible situation which may lie ahead of us, if our elected leaders fail to do their duty, the Historic Christian Faith offers the only hope.