

LETTER TO EDITOR

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has made in the past, to rectify the situation immediately.

The country that was instantaneously chopping at the bit to attack Iraq was the United States. This from a country that has a history of destruction of native peoples dating back to the wanton and deliberate destruction of Native Americans, the pilfering and wholesale murder of Africans on the African continent, and the systematic and continuous assassination and destabilization of every Third World nation which does not bow down to it and accept it as their masters.

This nation should be the **TEACHINGS**

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unrighteous). If our new residence is in Paradise we will have privileges not given us if our new residence is Spirit Prison. The spirits in Paradise continue serving God, help teach the gospel to the spirits in prison, and will receive a more glorious resurrection than those spirit persons who are wicked.

After the crucifixion of Jesus Christ, and during the three days that Christ's earth body lay in a tomb, His Spirit Person was in the spirit world teaching spirit persons whose earth bodies had died from the time of Adam to then. "He (Christ) went and preached unto the spirits in prison." (1 Peter 3:19-20) "Say to the prisoners, to them that sit in darkness (in Spirit Prison, but who have not accepted the fullness of the gospel): Go forth (out of prison). They shall not (spiritually) hunger nor thirst; for he who has mercy on them shall lead them...he shall guide them." (Isaiah 49:9-11) Jesus informed them of great news: because he died for all mankind, (1) their earth bodies would be resurrected and receive immortality, and (2) those who believed with faith unto total righteousness, had repentance of sins, accepted water baptism and other covenants of righteousness done by proxy for them by someone on earth (temple ordinances), could fulfill all the requirements of being spiritually born again and becoming sanctified. They could thus qualify for eternal life, even if they had ever known of Christ and His gospel while living on earth. This means that all races and peoples, of all times, receive the same respect from God, and His plan of eternal life/exaltation salvation is for all mankind.

.....to be continued next week.

last one to ever get in a war over aggression until it has cleaned up its own act. Indeed, it is time that the American people realized that the enemy is not 8,000 miles away, but right here at home sitting at 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue. It is time indeed to support the troops of America by bringing those troops home. There are enough problems here for them to work on, they do not need to travel 8,000 miles to die in a desert in a war that they neither comprehend nor which the majority wish to be in.

Finally to give some idea of just how bankrupt morally this country is, we now have a situation, while there is no draft by lottery there is definitely a draft by poverty; those who are poor and have no outlook for gainful

employment, those who are Black, those who are Latino, and those who are Pacific Islanders have no choice but to join the United States armed forces and after so joining and being told that they will be trained to "be all they can be," they are now sent to fight in a war 8,000 miles from these shores.

Certainly not defending the United States, but defending George Bush's friends oil interests and now all they can be, will be dead in a body bag shipped back to the United States. Somewhere this madness must end, hopefully it will end in time that neither too many Iraqi or American lives will be lost.

James S. Tate Jr., M.D., President, Charles I. West Medical Society

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makers Board and the Catholic Community Services Advisory Board. She also is program chairman of the School District Payback Program.

She previously taught in the Clark County Community College Re-entry Department and has lectured at numerous seminars conducted by the Chamber of Commerce Women's Council Education Committee of which she is a member.

"Through my work with displaced homemakers and other disadvantaged persons I know firsthand that the needs of many of our residents are not being addressed by all politicians," she

said. "I want to change that. We need to help people improve their own status in life so they in turn can become more productive citizens. This has to start at the neighborhood level."

She wants to improve the image of North Las Vegas and help the residents there develop a better feeling about their community.

"North Las Vegas is a great place to live and we should not feel like we are a stepchild to Las Vegas," Duncan-Daniel said.

Duncan-Daniel is a native of Arkansas. She attended Northeastern University in Boston. She has been a resident here since 1971.



U.S. Senator Harry Reid met with Rev. A.J. and Bee Thompson during their trip to Washington, D.C. Rev. Thompson and his wife traveled to the nation's capital to attend President Bush's annual Prayer Breakfast. As pastor of the Victory Baptist Church in Las Vegas, Rev. Thompson joined other prominent religious leaders invited to the inspirational breakfast. While in Washington, they also toured the Capitol, visited the Federal Bureau of Investigation and spent time with Senator Reid's staff.

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