
CHAPTER SIX

JEHOVAH'S
WITNESSES

IN WHOM DO YOU TRUST WITH YOUR SOUL?

GOD OR MAN?

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THE WATCHTOWER

A MUST-READ

According to the Watchtower Society, Jesus is not coming back—he’s already here! Since his return, he’s been directing JW leaders from the clouds o’er New York. How does he do it, you may wonder? That’s where the angels come in. Jesus sends them down to the Watchtower headquarters in upstate New York with divine truths to print in *The Watchtower* and *Awake!*, etc.

ANGELS DELIVER WHAT IS PUBLISHED¹

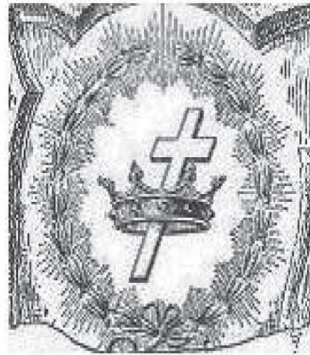
- “This is proof that the interpretation of prophecy does not proceed from man, but that the Lord Jesus...sends the necessary information to his people by and through his holy angels.”²
- “Christ Jesus, the Court’s official mouthpiece of interpretation, reserves to himself that office as Head of Jehovah’s ‘faithful and wise servant’ class. He merely uses the ‘servant’ class to publish the interpretation after the Supreme Court by Christ Jesus reveals it.”³
- “Nothing is interpreted but the interpretation comes from God and is then published.”⁴

THE FOUNDATION

Notice the similarities between the emblems of the Luciferian Freemason Society and the Watchtower Society. For 40 years, the first logo was printed on the *Watchtower* magazines. It was quietly removed in October 1931.



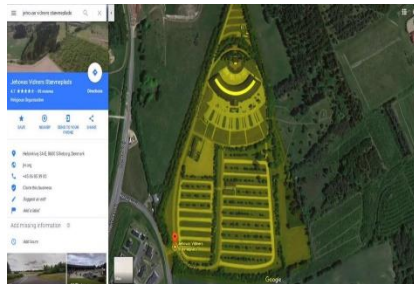
Former Watchtower icon



Knights Templar badge



Russell's Gravesite



Assembly Hall (Google Earth)

IS THE WATCHTOWER'S BIBLE THE WORD OF GOD?

- No other religious group recognizes it.
- The translators were Nathan Knorr, Albert Schroeder, George Gangas, M. Henschel, and Fred Franz. Four of these five men only had a basic high-school education; the “scholar” Franz was a dropout from Greek class at the University of Cincinnati.
- Franz was asked, under oath in a Scottish courtroom, to translate a passage from the Bible: Genesis 2:4. He couldn't. Actually, he was ignorant of both Hebrew and Greek, the original languages of the Holy Bible.
- Kindly see link below : “Is Watchtower Involved in Spiritism?” (No affiliation.)

<http://avoidjw.org/en/avoiding-witnesses/watchtower-involved-spiritism/>



THE FOUNDER

IS THE FOUNDER, CHARLES RUSSELL (1864–1916),
STILL THE GENERAL MANAGER?

“Though Pastor Russell has passed beyond the veil, *he is still managing every feature of the Harvest work.*”⁵

IS “PASTOR” RUSSELL FOUND IN THE BIBLE?

- “The Scriptures indicate that Russell was chosen of the Lord from his birth. The two most prominent messengers were Paul and Pastor Russell. Russell is the servant of Matthew 24:45-47.”⁶
- “Pastor Russell’s mission, in large part, was to advise Christendom of its impending end, in the time of world-wide trouble. It is the Divine judgment upon the nations.... There will be no chance of escaping from destruction, through the nations... The trouble is due to the dawning of the Day of Christ, the Millennium. It is the Day of Vengeance, *which began in the world war of 1914...*”⁷ (emphasis added).

THE RULES

NO INDEPENDENT THINKING ALLOWED

- “We must be like an ass, be humble, and stay in the manger; and we won’t get any poison.”⁸
- The Watchtower (JW organization) is “an organization to direct the minds of God’s people.”⁹
- “Fight against independent thinking.”¹⁰
- “If some tinge of doubt about Jehovah, his Word, or his organization has begun to linger in your heart, take quick steps to eliminate it before it festers into something that could destroy your faith... do not hesitate to ask for help from loving overseers in the congregation. They will help you trace the source of your doubts, which may be due to pride or some wrong thinking... act quickly to rout out of the mind any tendency to complain, to be dissatisfied with the way things are done in the congregation. Cut off anything that feeds such doubts.”¹¹

WE ARE NOT ALLOWED TO CELEBRATE:

- Birthdays
- New Year’s Eve or New Year’s Day

- Thanksgiving
- Mother's Day or Father's Day
- Independence Day

WHY IS BOOZE OKAY, BUT WE'RE NOT ALLOWED TO:

- own a Smurf;
- play chess;
- say "bless you" when someone sneezes;
- tell ghost stories;
- salute the flag;
- be a police officer;
- use pet foods made with blood?

REVELATIONS FROM JEHOVAH?

DO ULTRAVIOLET RAYS HEAL?

“The earlier in the forenoon you take the sun bath; the greater will be the beneficial effect, because you get more of the ultra-violet rays, which are healing.”¹²

DOES KEROSENE HEAL CUTS FASTER?

“...a drop or two of kerosene [is] excellent for quickly cleaning sinks and bathtubs; it cuts the dirt immediately and leaves no odor; and when applied to cuts, the cuts heal sooner. Try it.”¹³

ARE ALUMINUM UTENSILS A CURSE TO HUMANITY?

“[Aluminum cooking utensils are] a curse to humanity and their manufacture and use should be forbidden by law.”¹⁴

IS IT TRUE THAT THERE IS NO SUCH THING AS RABIES?

“Rabies! When it has been shown conclusively that there is no such thing as rabies!”¹⁵

IS IT TRUE THAT GERMS DO NOT CAUSE DISEASES?

“It has never been proven that a single disease is due to germs.”¹⁶

ARE BABY PACIFIERS A MAJOR CAUSE OF MANY DISEASES?

“The use of pacifiers by babies is one of the chief causes of diseased and enlarged tonsils and adenoid growths, which result from the suction.”¹⁷

ARE VACCINATIONS EVIL?

- Vaccinations are called a “great evil.” “Vaccination has never saved a human life. It does not prevent smallpox.”¹⁸
- “Vaccination is a direct violation of the everlasting covenant that God made with Noah after the flood.”¹⁹

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IS THE MEDICAL PROFESSION SATANIC?

- “Readers... should also know the truth about the medical profession, which sprang from the same demon-worshipping shamans (doctor priests) as did the ‘doctors of divinity.’”²⁰
- “If any overzealous doctor condemns your tonsils, go and commit suicide with a case-knife. It’s cheaper and less painful.”²¹

DID YOU CONSIDER THE SHAPE OF YOUR HEAD?

- “Some have a strong desire to worship God, others have a weak desire, and others have no desire at all. This difference is due to the *shape of the brain*. Mankind are born with differences in this respect”²² (emphasis added).
- “A man with a head of a given shape cannot think with the same breadth of mind as a man with a better shaped head – *a man who is less fallen*. Some have lost more, others less, of the original perfection, of the original intelligence, given man in his creation”²³ (emphasis added).

A CRASH COURSE

WHO IS JESUS?

He is the same as Michael, the archangel:

“So the evidence indicates that the Son of God was known as Michael before he came to earth and is known also by that name since his return to heaven where he resides as the glorified spirit Son of God.”²⁴

WANT TO SEE JEHOVAH?

“The constellation of the seven stars forming the Pleiades appears to be the crowning center around which the known systems of the planets revolve... one of the stars of that group is the dwelling-place of Jehovah and the place of the highest heavens.”²⁵

SO JEHOVAH LIVES IN THE PLEIADES?

- “The face of the deep, of course, would be toward the Pleiades, which are claimed to be the habitation of Jehovah.”²⁶

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- “But the greatness in size of other stars or planets is small when compared with the Pleiades in importance, because the Pleiades is the place of the eternal throne of God.”²⁷



IS SPACE TRAVEL A SICK HOAX?

“Man on earth can no more get rid of these demonic ‘heavens’ (the organization of wicked spirits) than man can *by airplane or rockets* or other means *get up above the air envelope* which is about our earthly globe and in which man breathes”²⁸ (emphasis added).

BLACKS

JEHOVAH LIKES BLACKS, BUT...

“The elect Church will probably be composed chiefly of the highly favored white race....”²⁹

NOT TO WORRY, JEHOVAH WILL RESTORE THEM
TO THEIR ORIGINAL COLOR!

“How could all men be brought to perfection and which color of skin was the original? The answer is now provided. God can change the Ethiopian’s skin in his own due time... Julius Jackson, of New Frankfurt, Mo., a negro boy of nine years, began to grow white in September, 1901, and is now fully nine-tenths white. He assures us that this is no whitish skin disease; but that the new white skin is as healthy as that of any white boy, and that the changed boy has never been sick and never has taken medicines.”³⁰

DRAPER NO LONGER BLACK—THANKS TO
PRAYERS!

“Though once as black as charcoal, the Rev. Mr. Draper is now white... his color was changed in answer to prayer.”³¹

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NO SERVANT LIKE A GOOD BLACK SERVANT

“They have been and are a race of servants... There is no servant in the world as good as a good Colored servant, and the joy that he gets from rendering faithful service is one of the purest joys there is in the world.”³²

NO COMMENT

“It too often happens that, while the Negro rapidly masters the rules and regulations of the Christian religion, he still continues to be gross, immoral, and deceitful... While it was apparent that not one particle of true religion had made its way into their gross minds, it was also evident that the spirit of sturdy manliness which was present in their savage forefathers found no place in their false, cowardly natures.”³³

JEWS

LOVE LETTERS TO HITLER

- “Jews [are] no longer important to God... during the World War the Jews received recognition of the heathen nations. In 1917 the Balfour Declaration, sponsored by the heathen governments of Satan’s organization, came forth, recognized the Jews, and bestowed upon them great favors... The Jews have received more attention at their hands than they really deserved.”³⁴
- “Be it known once and for all that those profiteering, conscienceless, selfish men who call themselves Jews, and who control the greater portion of the finances of the world and the business of the world, will never be the rulers in this new earth. God would not risk such selfish men with such an important position.”³⁵

In spite of throwing buckets of red meat to Hitler, German forces still rounded up cult members. Nazi persecution is currently a big selling point for Jehovah’s Witnesses.

PROPHECIES

NEW LIGHT?

According to the “new light” doctrine, failed prophecies aren’t false – they are just getting brighter. This convenient doctrine is a corruption of Proverbs 4:18, which states: “But the path of the righteous is like the bright morning light, growing brighter and brighter until full day” (NET©). There is nothing in this text about fixing lies and errors, or re-calculating failed prophecies.

Here are a few examples.

MEN OF SODOM

- **First light (1879):** “The men of Sodom WILL be resurrected” (*The Watchtower*. July, 1879).
- **New light (1952):** “The men of Sodom WILL NOT be resurrected” (*The Watchtower*. June 1, 1952).
- **More light (1965):** “The men of Sodom WILL be resurrected” (*The Watchtower*. August 1, 1965).
- **New light? (1988):** “The men of Sodom WILL NOT be resurrected” (*The Watchtower*. June 1, 1988).

ROMANS 13:1

- 1916: “Higher powers” refers to governments.
- 1943: “Higher powers” refers to Jehovah God and Jesus Christ.
- 1964: “Higher powers” refers to governments.

WHEN WILL THE SEPARATING OF THE SHEEP AND GOATS TAKE PLACE? (MATTHEW 25:31–46)

- 1919: after the time of tribulation
- 1923: before the tribulation
- 1995: after the tribulation

WHO IS “THE LORD” OF ROMANS 10:12–16?

- 1903: Jesus
- 1940: Jehovah
- 1978: Jesus
- 1980: Jehovah

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JEHOVAH KEEPS CHANGING HIS MIND ON IDOLATRY!

- “We may as well join with the civilized world in celebrating the grand event on the day which the majority celebrates—“Christmas day.”³⁶
- Four presidents of the Society celebrated Christmas. Now, celebrating Christmas is strictly forbidden!



ORGAN TRANSPLANTS

- **In 1967:** The Society decreed that organ transplants are prohibited.
- **Between 1967 and 1980:** Because of this divine law, many JW's lost their loved ones. Many were innocent children.
- **In 1980:** Organ transplants became a matter of personal conscience.

RESETTING THE DOOMSDAY CLOCK

1910:

- Expected “Rapture of the Saints,” based on measurements in a corridor of the Great Pyramid of Giza.³⁷ (Omitted in post-1910 editions.)

1914:

- “We see no reason for changing the figures—nor could we change them if we would. They are, we believe, God’s dates, not ours. But bear in mind that the end of 1914 is not the date for the beginning, but for the end of the time of trouble.”³⁸

1915:

- “We find it to be 3457 inches, symbolizing 3457 years... Thus the Pyramid witnesses that the close of 1914 will be the beginning of the time of trouble....”³⁹
- “The ‘battle of the great day of God Almighty’ (Rev. 16:14) which will end in A.D. 1915 with the complete overthrow of earth’s present rulership, is already commenced. The gathering of the armies is plainly visible from the standpoint of God’s word.”⁴⁰

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1918:

- “We have no doubt whatever in regard to the chronology relating to the dates of... 1918... It was on this line of reckoning that the dates... 1918 were located; and the Lord has placed the stamp of his seal upon... 1918 beyond any possibility of erasure. What further evidence do we need?”⁴¹

1925:

- “Have we more reason, or as much, to believe the kingdom will be established in 1925 than Noah had to believe that there would be a flood?... Our thought is, that 1925 is definitely settled by the Scriptures, marking the end of the typical jubilees.”⁴²

1975:

- “In what year, then, would the first 6,000 years of man’s existence and also the first 6,000 years of God’s rest day come to an end? The year 1975.”⁴³

WHEN PROPHECIES FAIL

- The day after: “Some anticipated that the work would end in 1925, but the Lord did not so state.”⁴⁴

- “We did not say positively that this would be the year.”⁴⁵

BLAME THE DEVIL

- “It is to be expected that Satan will try to inject into the minds of the consecrated, the thought that 1925 should see an end to the work.”⁴⁶

BLAME “THE SLAVES”

- “Some anticipated that the work would end in 1925, but the Lord did not state so. The difficulty was that the friends inflated their imaginations beyond reason; and that when their imaginations burst asunder, they were inclined to throw away everything.”⁴⁷

GOD WARNS US: (DEUTERONOMY 18:20-22)

“But the prophet, which shall presume to speak a word in my name, which I have not commanded him to speak, or that shall speak in the name of other gods, even that prophet shall die.
¹And if thou say in thine heart, How shall we know the word which the LORD hath not spoken? ²When a prophet speaketh in the name of the LORD, if the thing follow not, nor come to pass, that is the thing which the LORD hath not spoken”

DISMANTLING THE WATCHTOWER WITH ONE ARROW

WHO IS “THE FIRST AND THE LAST” OR THE “ALPHA AND OMEGA”?

“Thus says the LORD, the King of Israel and his Redeemer, the LORD of hosts: ‘I am the first and I am the last; besides me there is no god’” (Isaiah 44:6 ESV).

Answer: Jehovah.

THE “ALPHA AND OMEGA” OR “THE FIRST AND THE LAST” SAYS— “I AM COMING SOON”

“Behold, I am coming soon, bringing my recompense with me, to repay everyone for what he has done. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end” (Revelation 22:12–13 ESV).

WHO IS COMING SOON?

“He who testifies to these things says, ‘Surely I am coming soon.’ Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!” (Revelation 22:20 ESV).

Answer: Jesus.

STILL NOT SURE IF JESUS IS “JEHOVAH” INCARNATE?

“When I saw him, I fell at his feet as though dead. But he laid his right hand on me, saying, ‘Fear not, *I am the first and the last*, and the living one. I died, and behold I am alive forevermore, and I have the keys of Death and Hades” (Revelation 1:17-18 ESV; emphasis added).

Jesus is “Jehovah” incarnate.

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