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The 'Man of Sin' of Bible Prophecy and his activities and career - Part XVII

Antichrist: A Certain Individual Only?

First, from the News Headlines:

'Former Trump Advisor Steve Bannon Crucifies the Catholic Church.' Antichrist? Date 9/ 10/2017 written by Barbie Latza Nadeau, the Daily Beast. <http://www.thedailybeast.com/former-trump-advisor-steve-bannon-crucifies-the-catholic-church?yptr=yahoo> . Barbie Latza Nadeau wrote:

“ROME – Let’s be clear: Steve Bannon is no fan of the Catholic Church he currently belongs to. For years, the Breitbart chief and now former special advisor to President Donald Trump has been shooting poisoned arrow at the Catholic leaders in America and, lately, at Pope Francis directly. . . .

“Charlie Rose [anchor of CBS’ ‘60 Minutes’] needles Bannon with a pointed question. ‘Can I remind you, a good Catholic, that Cardinal [Timothy] Dolan is opposed to what’s happened to DACA ?’ asks Rose, referring to the Obama administration program that gave some 800,000 of undocumented immigrants who arrived in the U.S. as minors the chance to work and study legally.

“Bannon immediately took the bait. ‘The Catholic Church has been terrible about this,’ he said. ‘The bishops have been terrible about this. By the way, you know why? You know why? Because unable to really—to—to—to come to grips with the problem in the church, they need illegal aliens, they need illegal aliens to fill the churches. That’s—its obvious on the face of it. That’s what—the entire Catholic bishops condemn him...They have an economic interest. They have an economic interest in unlimited immigration, unlimited immigration.’

“CBS doesn’t reveal exactly where the conversation goes from there except to quote Bannon saying the immigration issue is not a matter of Catholic doctrine, but rather the church is *‘just another guy with an opinion’* on the issue [italics mine].

“Dolan responded to The Catholic Channel on a Sirius XM interview calling Bannon’s claims ‘preposterous’ and ‘insulting’ and not worthy of comment. The cardinal then seems to agree with Bannon that the church’s view on immigration is, indeed, not doctrine. But he does say it is just as important as a matter of faith,

quoting the Bible and making the point that the church is built on accepting the 'weak' and the 'poor.'

"Francis, who is in Colombia on a peace mission, has not commented publicly on the scuffle, but has been very outspoken on this issue, *telling the U.S. Congress* in 2015 that 'we are all immigrants' and more recently telling followers to put human rights over concerns for national security when it comes to accepting refugees.

"His surrogates may also hold the key to just why Bannon lashed out. In July, one of the pope's closest allies, Antonio Spadaro, wrote a damning article attacking Bannon in the Vatican-endorsed publication *La Civiltà Cattolica* in which he accuses Bannon by name as a sort of **anti-christ** and the '**supporter of an apocalyptic geopolitics.**'

"Vatican insiders say that Spadaro's comments came from an ongoing battle that started back in 2014, when Bannon came to Rome to cover John Paul II's canonization for Breitbart, and, according to an expose by *New York Times*, used the opportunity to buddy up to American Cardinal Raymond Burke who represents a *powerful faction of the ultra-conservative cardinals* who could well be considered *the Catholic alt-right*. [itals. mine]

"Burke, especially, has spearheaded a relentless drive to discredit Francis by calling for a public clarification of some of his more liberal-seeming views on *divorced Catholics and gays*, and generally questioning his leadership, as he did when he called the church under Francis, 'a ship without a rudder,' not long after Francis was *crowned*.

"Burke is widely thought to be behind a poster campaign in Rome last year that featured dour-faced Francis with accusations of a number of misdeeds and 'lack of mercy.' Francis does not seem to be a huge fan of Burke, either, sidelining him not long after he was elected by removing him as head of the **Supreme Tribunal of the Apostolic Signatura**, the *Holy See's prestigious judiciary* arm.

"Breitbart's correspondent in Rome, Thomas D. Williams, a former priest who left the clergy after *he fathered a child with the daughter of an American ambassador to the Holy See*, has been in a long-standing battle with some of the more liberal *Vatican experts*.

"In a public forum-style debate with Austin Ivereigh, the author of *The Great Reformer: Francis and The Making of a Radical Pope*, the two regularly spar and block each other, although they recently made peace long enough to consider what Bannon's comments mean.

'Do you regard Bannon's remarks a slur on Catholicism that deserve strong repudiation, as the U.S. Bishops have done?' Ivereigh asked Williams after unblocking him from a previous argument.

"After thanking Ivereigh for his unblock, Williams responded in direct contradiction to his boss, 'Despite the large sums involved, I do not believe that

the Bishops' support for immigration is principally economic in nature,' he wrote, perhaps identifying more as a former priest than as a Breitbart reporter. "It was moreover not a criticism of 'the Church' but of motivations behind a political position. I disagree with this criticism.'

"The *Jesuit* magazine *America* makes an entirely different point in its criticism of Bannon's charges, stating in an article over the weekend that the Catholic Church doesn't differentiate between Catholic immigrants and those of other religions in its charity.

'While much of Latin America remains overwhelmingly Catholic, Latinos who live in the United States present a much more complicated picture of the faith. A 2014 report from the Pew Research Center found that just 55 percent of Latinos living in the United States identify as Catholic,' the author writes. 'The Church's support for migration is also more complex than Mr. Bannon suggested. Pope Francis, for example, has repeatedly spoken about the need for the church to welcome refugees from predominantly Muslim countries, going so far as to bringing Muslim families to Italy with him on a papal plane.' (end of news quote).

YahooNews, reporting on the same story, 9/7/2017, reported it with the following heading: "**Steve Bannon: The Catholic Church 'needs illegal aliens' to fill its pews.**" <https://www.yahoo.com/news/steve-bannon-catholic-church-needs-illegal-aliens-fill-pews-133900995.html>.

"Former White House chief strategist Steve Bannon says its 'obvious' why *top members of the Catholic Church would be involved in President Trump's decision* to end the Deferred Action for Children Arrivals program.

'They need illegal aliens to fill the churches,' Bannon said in an interview with Charlie Rose set to air on CBS's '60 minutes' on Sunday. 'The Catholic Church has been terrible about this'

"It's not surprising that Bannon, a right-wing Catholic and provocateur, would take on the more liberal Catholic Church, especially under the direction of relatively *political figures like Pope Francis in Rome and Cardinal Timothy Dolan in the United States.*" (end of news quote).

'**Pope, Orthodox leader blame 'moral decay' for ecology crisis.**' This was the AP news headline 9/1/2017, written by Nicole Winfield:

"VATICAN CITY (AP) – Pope Francis and the spiritual leader of the world's Orthodox Christians issued a joint appeal Friday for political leaders to 'support the *consensus of the world*' that climate change and other environmental ills have created an ecological crisis that is harming the world's poorest the most.

"*Francis and Patriarch Bartholomew I called for urgent action to 'heal our wounded creation,*' warning that generations to come will suffer unless concrete and collective action is taken.

“They blamed the current state of *degradation on ‘moral decay’* and ‘our insatiable desire to manipulate and control the planet’s limited resources, and *our greed for limitless profit* in markets.’

“Christianity’s top spiritual leaders issued the appeal **Friday**, which both Catholic and Orthodox churches **mark as a day of prayer for God’s creation**.. The administration of President Donald Trump has announced it is withdrawing the United States from the Paris climate accord, which seeks to curb emissions of heat-trapping gasses in the atmosphere.

“**Trump has described man-made global warming as a hoax**, and he has moved to delay or roll back federal regulations limiting greenhouse gas emissions, arguing they made American industries uncompetitive. “ (end of news quote).

WGM COMMENTS:

1 . On “healing our wounded creation”--- caused by “moral decay and insatiable desire to manipulate and control the planet’s limited resources and our greed for limitless profit in markets.”

Lest anyone dare forget or choose to ignore—from the numberless multitudes of the laity to the papacy: God the Father in heaven, sees everything in heaven, in the unfallen universe, and in fallen earth; He knows exactly what is on everybody’s mind---by the work of His numberless guardian-recording angels “that excel in strength,” the “ministering spirits” He created, appointed, and empowered to “keep us in all our ways.” Fallen earth is that “one lost sheep” in the parable whom the shepherd “went in search of in the dark of the night and in the wilds, “leaving the ninety-and-nine in the safety of the fold.” Man is the object of the gospel and plan of redemption.

During young King Solomon’s dedication and consecration of God’s temple He gave him the privilege of building instead of David, his father, “because he had blood on his hands” as a mighty warrior. Now notice what God promised Solomon, thus, all leaders of a people who are called by God’s name or profess to be Christians, particularly in these last days:

2 Chron. 7: 11-14, K.J.V:

v 12 “The Lord appeared to Solomon by night, and said unto him, I have heard thy prayer, and have chosen this place to Myself as an house of sacrifice.

v 13 If I shut up heaven in that there be no rain, or I command the locusts to devour the land, or if I send pestilence among My people;

v 14 **If My people, which are called by My name**, shall [1] **humble themselves**, and [2] **pray**, and [4] **seek My face**, and [4] **turn from their wicked ways**; *then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.*”

As divinely specified, *four conditions* (number four being the Biblical number for universality) are to be met and satisfied if anyone expects their “wounded land” to “heal”—and all only through the enabling grace of God in Christ imparted by

the Holy Spirit to the humble and penitent seeker of forgiveness, healing, and restoration..

And regardless of all the endless debate, semantics, and jarring rhetoric of politics, and yes, “greed,” beautiful planet earth has been ravaged since the fall of man by Satan, his evil angels with rapacious, greedy, sin-hardened wicked men. Endless wars, from the stone-age quality to the nuclear-hydrogen earth-quake-causing magnitude to devastating ground-water polluting oil fracking technology, etc., and billions of tons of toxic wastes being released into the atmosphere is not only “wounding” but literally permanently destroying the earth. Mankind itself is self-destructing.

“Wounding of creation”

God’s word is clear and to the point when addressing the global problem of the “wounding of the creation” of God, not man---and His divine solution that remains as unchanged as His character is. To be more clear, God is God who alone is worthy of worship, adoration, and loving obedience “with all the heart, mind, body, soul and strength” primarily because He alone created everything from nothing, both heaven and earth, animate and inanimate. Man was the crowning act of His creative power, created towards the end of the sixth literal day of creation—the only creature “created in the likeness and image” of the God---both male and female.

Adam was originally designed to be the Creator’s created vicegerent of the *then* perfect earth---his dominion, and the Garden of Eden being his home. We all know the mysterious and sad experiment of our first parents’ fatal curiosity, disobedience, presumption, and started the self-justifying original blame-game—and fall—over such a seemingly “no-brainer” simple test of loyalty!

From *My Life Today* (Devotional) by Ellen G. White, p. 126:

**“And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness.”
Gen. 1: 26, K.J.V.**

“Man was the crowning act of the creation of God, made in the image of God, and designated to be a counterpart of God Man is very dear to God, because he was formed in His own image [moral character] Man came from the hand of God perfect in every faculty of mind and body; in perfect soundness, therefore in perfect health.

“God endowed man with *so great vital force* that he has withstood the accumulation of disease brought upon the race in consequence of perverted habits, and has continue for six thousand years

“If Adam, at his creation, had not been endowed with *twenty times* as much vital force as men now have, the race, with their present habits of living in violation of natural law, would have become *extinct*.” (end quote from MLT)

But first, Apostle Paul wrote in his time, and prophetically, much more applicable and relevant to our present time of global distress. Moral decay is caused by *indwelling sin* in everyone and anyone regardless of religious persuasion or faith, venerated leaders and professed guardians of souls and their faith or their poorest and unrecognized millions of adherents—whether Roman Catholic, Greek Orthodox, Jew, Protestant, Evangelical, Pentecostal, Adventist, etc., etc.

It is, as Paul abundantly makes clear to anyone seeking for *the truth as it is in Jesus*, not according to the clashing and confusing interpretations of the world's religions and the soaring and verbose language of the venerated assertions of "higher criticism." I will quote from the epistle to the Romans, chapter 8: _____:

v 1 There is therefore now no condemnation to those who are in Christ Jesus, who do not walk according to to the flesh, but according to the Spirit.

v 2 For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus has made me free from the law of sin and death.

v 3 For what the law could not do in that it was weak through the flesh, God did by sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh, on account of sin: He condemned sin in the flesh,

v 4 that the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us who do not walk according to the flesh but according to the Spirit.

v 5 For those who live according to the flesh set their minds on the things of the flesh, but those who live according to the Spirit, the things of the Spirit.

v 6 For to be carnally-minded is death, but to be spiritually minded is life and peace.

v 7 Because the carnal mind is enmity [hatred] against God; for it is not subject to the law of God, nor indeed can be.

v 8 So then, those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

v 9 But you are not in the flesh but in the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you. Now if any man have not the Spirit of Christ, he is none of His.

v 10 And if Christ be in you, the body is dead because of sin; but the Spirit is life because of righteousness.

v 11 But if the Spirit of Him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, he that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies By His Spirit that dwelleth in you.

v 12 Therefore, brethren, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live after the flesh.

v 13 For is ye live after the flesh, ye shall die: but if ye through the Spirit do mortify the deeds of the body, ye shall live.

v 14 For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are they are the sons of God.

v 15 For ye have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear; but ye have received the Spirit of adoption, whereby we cry, Abba, Father.

v 16 The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God.

v 17 And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with Him, that we may also be glorified together.

v 18 For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us.

v 19 For the earnest expectation of the creature waiteth for the manifestation of the sons of God.

v 20 For the creature was made subject to vanity, not willingly, but by reason of him who hath subject the same in hope,

v 21 Because the creature itself also shall be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God.

v 22 For we know that the whole creation groaneth and travaileth in pain together until now.

v 23 And not only they, but ourselves also, which have the firstfruits of the Spirit, even we ourselves groan within ourselves, waiting for the adoption, to wit, the redemption of our body.” Rom. 8: 8-23, K.J.V. (Authorized Version).

Bannon- sort of an antichrist?

The article above says that “In July, one of the pope’s closest allies, Antonio Spadaro, wrote a damning article attacking Bannon in the Vatican-endorsed publication *La Civiltà Cattolica* in which he accuses Bannon by name as a sort of **anti-christ** and the ‘supporter of an apocalyptic geopolitics.’”

Who, once more is the Antichrist revealed in the Bible, and taught by the Protestant Reformers---before the movement was weakened with the introduction of the Preterist and Futuristic interpretation of prophecy by two Spanish Jesuit priest, Alcasar and Ribera, respectively—which interpretations were deftly designed to deflect the klieglights of prophecy away from the papacy.

The following quotes below are from *Facts of Faith* by Christian Edwardson, chapter “**The Antichrist. Defining the Name Antichrist**”, pp. 196-198: Southern Publishing Associatin (Revised) Nashville 8 TN, U.S.A: 1943.

“The name ‘antichrist’ is found in only three chapters of the Bible, and in every instance it was emphatically stated that *he was already in the world*. We read:

‘Ye have heard that antichrist shall come, even now are there many antichrists . . . Who is a liar but he that denieth that Jesus is the Christ? He is antichrist, that denieth the Father and the Son.” 1 John 2: 18, 22. “This is that spirit of antichrist, whereof ye have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world.’ 1 John 4: 3. “For many deceivers are entered into the world, who confess not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh. This is a deceiver and an antichrist.” 2 John 7.

“How can anyone, in the light of these plain texts, say that the antichrist here spoken of is not yet come, when the very texts declare that he is here already?

“These texts also reveal the fact that the apostle did not believe antichrist to be only *one individual*, but rather an *antichristian tendency in the church; an organization dominated by ‘the spirit of antichrist,’ have a man at its head, so that when he died another would take his place, and the antichristian system*

would continue. Thus there would be ‘many antichrists,’ as the apostle says, but only *one* system; and this system had already made such progress before the apostle died, that it was about to capture the church. *Its leader would not accept the Apostle John* [emphasis mine], one leader ‘forbiddeth them that would, and casteth them out of the church.’ 3 John 9, 10. This accounts for the warnings in John’s epistles against those ‘many antichrists’ 1 John 2: 18.

“The Apostle Paul, during his last journey among the churches, gathered the ‘elders,’ or bishops, and warned them against the coming *apostasy of the church*, which was to be brought about by its leaders. He says, ‘For I know this, that after my departure shall grievous wolves enter in among you, not sparing the flock. Also *of your own* selves shall men arise, speaking perverse things, to draw away disciples after them.’ Acts 20: 29, 30. Later the apostle reminded the believers, that the day of Christ’s return was not then at hand: ‘For that day shall not come, except there come a *falling away* first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition, who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God [the church, 1 Cor. 3: 10, 16], showing himself that he is God. Remember ye not, that, when I was yet with you, I told you these things? For the mystery of iniquity doth already work.’ 2 Thessalonians 2: 3-7.

“These prophecies point out clearly that the ‘elders’ (later called bishops) would ‘draw away’ the people from the truth of the Bible, to follow men, and that this ‘falling away,’ which had ‘already’ begun in Paul’s day, would develop, until a ‘man’ would exalt himself to take the place of Christ in the church. Every thoughtful student of prophecy can see that this points unmistakably to the Papacy, and it accords exactly with the significance of the name ‘antichrist.’

“Dr. James Strong says that ‘antichrist’ comes from two Greek words, *antee* and *khristos*, and gives the following definition of *antee*: “Opposite, i.e., instead or because of, . . .for, in the room of. Often used in composition to denote . . . substitution.’ –*Exhaustive Concordance, Greek Dictionary, entries Nos. 500, 473.*

“Thomas Sheldon Green says: ‘Anti, prep, over against; hence, in correspondence to; in place of . . .’ *Greek-English Lexicon, p. 14. Boston: 1896.* The meaning, therefore, of ‘antichrist,’ as it is used in the New Testament, is a *rival* to Christ, or one who attempts to take the place of Christ as His ‘vicar.’ This significance of the prefix ‘anti’ is also seen in the word ‘anti-pope.’ (For further information on this point see ‘The Papacy is Antichrist,’ by J.A. Wylie, pp. 2-18. Edinburgh: George M’Gibbon.)

“We shall now see that this exactly the position which Catholics claim for the pope, that he holds the place of Christ on earth. Rev. T. L. Kindkead says:

‘Our Holy Father the Pope, the Bishop of Rome, is the vicar of Christ on earth and the visible head of the Church.’

‘“Vicar’---that is, one who holds another’s place and acts in his name.’ – ‘*Explanation of the Baltimore Catechism,*’ p. 130. *Benziger Brothers.*

(Sanctioned by Cardinal Gibbons, five archbishops, nineteen bishops, and other dignitaries.)

“Rev. William Humphrey S.J. [Jesuit], says:

‘A vicar is put in place of him whom he represents. He is invested with his power, he is furnished with his authority. . . . He personates his principal . . . The master, by his appointment of a vicar, binds himself to ratify his vicar’s acts, and to recognize them as his own.’ -- *The Vicar of Christ*, p. 4. New York, Benziger Brothers, 1892.

“Thomas Morell, D.D. and Prof. John Carey, L.L. D., says:

‘Vicarius, a, um. adj. That is in stead, or place of another; that supplies another’s room; a deputy, a substitute.’ – *An Abridgement of Ainsworth’s Latin Dictionary, Designed for the Use of Schools*, p. 603. London: 1826.

“When the force of this similarity between the antichrist of prophecy and the pope of Rome dawned upon the mind of Cardinal Newman, he declared:

‘The gibe, If the Poe is not Antichrist, he has had bad luck to be so like him,’ is really another argument in favor of the claims of the Pope; since Antichrist simulates Christ, and the Pope is an image of Christ, Antichrist must have similarity to the Pope, if the latter be the true Vicar of Christ.’ – *Catholic Encyclopedia, Vol. I, p. 561, art. ‘Antichrist,’*

“Thus it is claimed that the pope is the vicar of Christ on earth. **But Christ left an altogether Vicar, or Representative, in His place; namely, the Holy Spirit.** (John 14: 15-18; 16:7.) [bold emphasis mine]. Of this Representative Christ says: ‘He shall teach you all things.’ ‘He shall guide you into all truth.’ John 14: 26; 16: 13. (Compare 1 John 2: 20, 27.) The Holy Spirit, being the author of the Bible (2 Peter 1: 21), certainly should be the proper interpreter of it. To this the Roman church answers:

‘Nor can it be said that being a divinely inspired book, its prime Author, the Holy Spirit, will guide the reader to the right meaning.

‘The Church which made the Bible, likewise interprets the Bible.’---*Things Catholics Are Asked About*,’ Martin J. Scott, S.J. Litt. D., pp. 119, 120. N. Y.: Kenedy: 1927.

“Pope Leo XIII says:

‘But the supreme teacher in the Church is the Roman Pontiff. Union of minds, therefore, requires, together with a perfect accord in the one faith, complete submission and obedience of the will to the Church, and to the Roman Pontiff, as to God Himself.’ – *The Great Encyclical Letters of Pope Leo III*,’ p. 193. New York: Benziger Bros. 1903.

‘We hold upon this earth the place of God Almighty.’ – *Ibid*, p. 304.

“We have now seen from authentic Catholic sources, that the pope arrogates to himself the ‘place of God Almighty,’ the office of Christ on earth, and the prerogatives of the Holy Spirit, as sole teacher of the faithful, and interpreter of

the Holy Scriptures. What more is needed to fulfill the prediction of 2 Thessalonians 2: 3, 4, and the prophecies of the Antichrist?

‘ALL AGREED ON THE ANTICHRIST

“Up to the close of the Reformation God’s people were generally agreed that the Papacy was the Antichrist foretold in prophecy. The Waldenses taught it. (See p. 122 of this book). About 1383 A.D. John Wycliffe wrote a book against the papal system entitled: ‘Of Antechrist and His Meynee.’ In fact, the English Reformers,---Tyndale, Cranmer, Latimer, and Ridley,--all agreed in pointing to the Papacy as the Antichrist. John Huss of Bohemia, in his ‘De Anatomia Antichristi,’ did the same. Turning to Germany we find Dr. Martin Luther strong in his convictions on the subject. He says:

“The Pope is . . . the true Antichrist, of whom it is written, that he sitteth in the temple of God [the church], among the people where Christ is worshipped . . .

‘But Papists want to diver this passage from themselves, and they say that Christ and Paul speaks about the temple at Jerusalem, and that Antichrist shall sit there and rule [emphasis mine] ; that will not do . . . It cannot be understood otherwise than of the new spiritual temple, which he says we are.

“There shall the Pope sit and be honored, not above God, but above all that is called God . . . So also we see it before our eyes, that many princes of the world regard his law higher and more than the commandments of God . . . Cannot this rightly be termed exalting and honoring Antichrist above God?’ ---‘*Luther’s Church Postil, ‘Gospels,’ 25th Sunday after Trinity, par. 24, 25, part 2, pp. 734, 735. Stavanger, Norway: 1862.*

“Luther further declares:

“Therefore, let whosoever will doubt, God’s word and the proper divine worship convince me sufficiently that the Pope is the Antichrist, and the ecclesiastical orders are his disciples, which deceive the whole world.’ --*Id., part 1, p. 379.*

“I hope that the last day is at the door. Things could not become worse than the Roman See makes it. It suppresses the commandments of God, it exalts its own commandments above God’s. If this is not Antichrist, then someone else must tell what it is.’ -- ‘*Luther’s Reformatory Works, p. 250. Copenhagen: 1863.*

‘The Pope is the real Antichrist.’---*Id., p. 278.*

“Dr. Charles H. H. Wright, in speaking of the Bible prophecy of ‘antichrist,’ says:

‘In all ages of the Church, from the days of Gregory the Great down to the present, men have pointed to the Papacy as the fulfillment of the prophecy. The interpretation is set forth in the Homilies of the Church of England and by all the Reformed Churches. The interpretation, however, has been ignored or rejected by critics, for reasons which need not be specified, It can, however, stand all the tests of criticism.’ -- ‘*Daniel and His Prophecy, p. 168. London: 1906 (See also Catholic Encyclopedia, Vol. I, p. 561, art. ‘Antichrist.’)*”- end of quote from Facts of Faith.

(To be continued next month)