

## Zion, After World War III – Part 1

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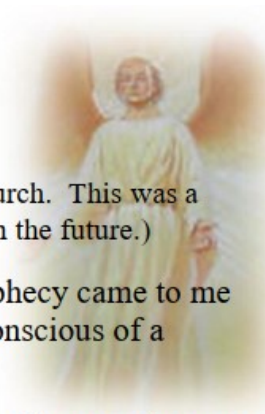
(An experience given to Bro. White in 1941 while attending a prayer service at the Stone Church. This was a critical year for America as Hitler was overtaking country after country. World War II was looming in the future.)

I stood to bear my testimony. I had spoken for a few moments, when the spirit of prophecy came to me in a great power. Never had I felt such power before in my life! At this moment, I became conscious of a heavenly angel standing by my side and speaking to me ... His first words were:

**“Behold, thus saith the Lord unto you My people. It was I who hung upon the cross for you, that you might receive eternal life. Tonight, I pled with you to come unto me. Oh will you come unto me? For verily, thus saith the Lord, the day of the Gentiles is over. From now on, they shall go down and down, until there shall not be one left against Me, saith the Lord. You could have escaped this hour, but ye would not. Now you will have to bear the burden and sorrow of this hour, for My judgments are upon the Gentiles and all the ungodly. My Zion waits for a later day, and thou art caught in the judgments of the Gentiles. Yet will I spare thee.”**

At this time the angel quoted a part of Sec. 102:2 (See Front of Card). The scripture quoted by the angel read a little differently than the Doctrine and Covenants. *“Behold, I say unto you, were it not for the transgressions of My people, Zion could have been redeemed long ago. But behold, they have not learned to be obedient to the things which I require at their hands.”*

At the time this was taking place the Second World War lay at my feet – but seemly it was nothing compared to what was yet to come. Here again the angel spoke to me saying not to fear this, but that which is to follow. (To be continued on Joseph White card #2)



## Joseph White Card II – Part 2

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(An experience given to Bro. White in 1941-Continued from card #1)

Here at this time I seemed to be looking down on a scene that was being shown to me ... the next scene that came before me was the general priesthood of the Church-both appointees and local priesthood members ... I did not know any of these men ... As I stood viewing these men , I was made to know and understand their condition. They were weak and very pale looking, not measuring up to their calling which God had placed upon them. The scene changed from the priesthood to the saints of the church ... They too looked weak and pale ... here the angel said to me, “My people cannot rise to the higher ground of righteousness until My priesthood are living and ministering up to their calling.”

Here the scene change from the condition of the Church to the war with Russia. It was shown to me in a spiritual sense, although I knew I understood, while under the Spirit. It came like a flash of lightening from a great storm. I heard howling and moving wind. Great and terrible was this hour. I trembled as I looked upon it. I knew it was the Third World War. There are dim thoughts and scenes in my mind yet today (1976). I cannot reveal, neither can I utter them for they have been closed up like a book.



Great and terrible was this hour (I feel it to be) the darkest hour for civilization, this side of the days of our blessed Lord. **As I viewed this hour, I felt America came very close to being over thrown. I was made to understand that because of the Kingdom (Zion), America would be spared** ... I was made to know in this experience we would not do much in building the Kingdom until the Third World War was over. **May God bless all who believe in the redemption of Zion and minister to that end.**