

Is our state of current events in sync with biblical prophecies?

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MOBILE, AL, July 13, 2009—Author Victor Schlatter has just written his latest book *Nineveh: a Parody of the Present*. This book is an out-of-the-box panorama of America's waning days as a superpower, comparing her current state with the demise of five ancient kingdoms that have long since trodden the same downward spiral—Nineveh, Babylon, Persia, Greece, and Rome. It's anything but heavy-handed history, laced with tongue-in-cheek quips and prickly truth that the Western World needs to know.

Nineveh: a Parody of the Present will awaken the reader to the reality that we are not living in ordinary times. This book is not about challenging the political posturing of the nations. The extensive research in this book points to biblical clues on the rise and fall of America, yielding unique comparisons of the superpowers from the beginning, starting with Nineveh. "What was yesterday is yet a part of today, and will still be here tomorrow."

After a seven-year career as a nuclear chemist, Victor pursued his divine calling. He studied linguistics in the late 1950s, and he and his wife, Elsie, moved to the Highland of Papua New Guinea where they translated the New Testament and portions of the Old Testament into the Angal Heneng language. They also planted churches that have now grown to more than 120 congregations with over 10,000 indigenous believers. Today Victor is the director of South Pacific Island Ministries and is the South Pacific Island representative of the International Christian Embassy, Jerusalem.

Victor explains, "I relate what I know to the state of current events, linked to repeated Bible prophecies. I want to awaken the frustrated to the fact that these are not ordinary times; I want to enlighten those deluded by the humanistic mindset of Greek thinking that we can somehow change the present demise by petitioning your government to see it your way. Caesar is not particularly interested in what you think. I hope to encourage the fainthearted that a believer's intimacy with the Most High is the only fire escape in these troubled days."

"Victor Schlatter addresses a topic most of us would consider impossible: the rise and fall of America! This book is not for the fainthearted or the optimists who see everything through rose-colored glasses. It is a compelling 'warts and all' account of the current state of play in the world. I sense it is Victor's deepest desire that this book challenge one and all to an intimate relationship with our Creator and ultimate Judge." --Bruce Garbutt, *International Christian Embassy, Jerusalem*

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