

The Great Reset = Babylon the Great? **by Yahweh and Joshua Shonio**

The following is a brief summary of The Great Reset and how it compares to the Bible's description of Babylon the Great. The Great Reset is the major project of the World Economic Forum, which is led by its founder, Klaus Schwab. A man named Yuval Noah Harari is Klaus's main advisor and spokesman. He travels the world, telling people about the goals of The Great Reset and how they plan to accomplish their dreams.

Harari: "Just as socialism took over the world by promising salvation through steam and electricity, so in the coming decades new techno-religions may conquer the world by promising salvation through algorithms and genes.

"Despite all the talk of radical Islam or Christian fundamentalism, the most interesting place in the world from a religious perspective is not the Islamic State or the Bible Belt, but Silicon Valley. That's where hi-tech gurus are brewing for us brave new religions that have little to do with God, and everything to do with technology."

"At the end of *Homo Deus*, Harari provides his three main points:

1. Science is converging on an all-encompassing dogma, which says that organisms are algorithms and life is data processing.
2. Intelligence is decoupling from consciousness.
3. Non-conscious, but highly intelligent algorithms may soon know us better than we know ourselves."

Harari: "The new powers that we are gaining now, especially the powers of biotechnology and artificial intelligence, are really going to transform us into gods. And I don't mean this as a kind of literary metaphor. I mean it in a literal sense that humans are acquiring divine abilities, especially the ability to create and design life."

"And then you have a modern ideology, like liberalism, and it tells you, 'No, the source of authority is not the Bible, the source of authority is human feelings. You just need to consult your own feelings. If something makes you feel happy, and you don't harm anybody, then there is nothing wrong with it. Go ahead and do it. If it feels good, do it. This is the basic story of liberalism, that the highest source of authority is not God, it's not the Bible, it's human feelings."

Interviewer: "We are creating artificial intelligence. We are changing our genes.

Are we building ourselves into gods, or are we building new gods?"

Harari: "We are doing both. History is messy. It's difficult to bring it all into a single compartment. So we are moving along two simultaneous tracks. On the one hand, we try to enhance and upgrade homosapians and give homosapiens divine abilities. At the same time, we are also creating new external gods - like the big data algorithmys. And part of the conflict of the 21st century is going to be a conflict between these two new gods. Would it be the upgraded humans, or would it be the big data algorithmys?"

Harari: "Most people, when they think about nature, what they think is more about biology, and if you think in terms of biology, in terms of biochemistry, of organisms, of natural selection, then no, artificial intelligence and technology in general are going to break out of this limited realm of organic biology and create something completely new."

Harari: "And then the last revolution, which began about 500 years ago - and which we are still, really, just in the beginning of it, is the scientific revolution. Again, humankind gains immense new powers, such big powers that you can say they might really transform us, not only from just apes into the rulers of the planet - they might transform us into gods. And this is meant literally, not some kind of metaphor, but humankind are now in the process of acquiring divine abilities through scientific research and technological development.

"If in the Bible God creates animals and plants and humans according to His wishes, so now humankind is gaining the ability to start redesigning and creating other animals and plants and also ourselves according to our wishes."

Harari: "Everything that the old religions promised - happiness and justice and even eternal life - but here on earth with the help of technology, and not after death with the help of some supernatural being."

"Getting control of the world outside us did not really make us satisfied. Let's now try to gain control of the world inside us. This is the big project of science and technology and industry. In the 21st century it will be to try to gain control of the world inside us to learn how to engineer and produce bodies and brains and minds. These are likely to be the main products of the 21st century economy."

"All of life, for 4 billion years - dinosaurs, amoebas, tomatoes, humans - all of life was subject to the laws of natural selection and to the laws of biochemistry. But this is now about to change. Science is replacing evolution by natural selection

with evolution by intelligent design - **not the intelligent design of some God above the clouds - but our intelligent design and the intelligent design of our clouds (the I.B.M. cloud, the Microsoft cloud).** These are the new driving forces of evolution. And at the same time, science may enable life, after being confined for 4 billion years to the limited realm of organic compounds, science may enable life to break out into the inorganic realm."

The bold section reminds me of Revelation 13:13-15. Yuval Harari is known for stating that those who don't go along with the plans of the Great Reset will be viewed as the "useless class". This seems similar to the view that the Antichrist will have concerning those who are born again and maintain the word of their testimony.

*Very small elite vs. a very large obsolete group.

Genesis 6:4 - The Nephilim were on the earth both in those days and afterward, when the sons of Yahweh came to the daughters of mankind, who bore children to them. They were the powerful men of old, the famous men.

Daniel 2:40-43 - Finally, there will be a fourth kingdom, strong as iron--for iron breaks and smashes everything--and as iron breaks things to pieces, so it will crush and break all the others. Just as you saw that the feet and toes were partly of baked clay and partly of iron, so this will be a divided kingdom; yet it will have some of the strength of iron in it, even as you saw iron mixed with clay. As the toes were partly iron and partly clay, so this kingdom will be partly strong and partly brittle. And just as you saw the iron mixed with baked clay, **so the people will be a mixture and will not remain united, any more than iron mixes with clay.**

The Nephilim will be on the earth in the last days shortly before Yeshua defeats all of His enemies and establishes His Kingdom on the earth. It seems that the leaders of The Great Reset are working toward bringing these entities back to the earth as part of their "new species".

Maya Angelou is quoted saying: "When people show you who they are, believe them the first time."

The system that is setting up this new world order seems like it could be Babylon the Great in the making. One of the components of this system is something called "The Digital Identity Working Group (DIWG), chaired by Australia's Digital Transformation Agency--whose member countries also include Canada,

Finland, **Israel**, New Zealand, Singapore, the Netherlands, the United Kingdom, and the World Bank (through observer status)."

They "initially met in 2020 to 'share experiences and opportunities for the use of digital identity initiatives.'

"They state their agenda: 'to understand how digital identity is being used and the models that might enable mutual recognition and/or interoperability, to share respective governments' experiences with digital identity including in the COVID-19 response, and to understand what is required to enable mutual recognition and/or interoperability between DIWG member countries.

"The overall conclusion is that digital ID is a necessity for humans to share data in the 'New Normal.' The report concludes: Ultimately, when applied, this enables the benefits unlocked by both mutual recognition and interoperability to be realized, including more efficient government interactions and increased support for people traveling internationally. In the future, this could also feasibly enable broader recovery from COVID-19, such as strong, mutually recognized and trusted vaccination certificates to enable safer cross-border movement."

This is a fancy way of saying that they want to be able to quickly and easily know what is happening in the bodies and brains of the people in their member countries under the banner of health and well-being protection.

Notice that Israel is one of the countries involved in and investing in this new technology. If this system is part of the formation of Babylon the Great, Israel is already involved in very concrete ways.

Revelation 18:1-20

Then I heard another voice from heaven:

"Come out of her, My people, so that you will not share in her sins or receive any of her plagues. For her sins are piled up to heaven, and Yahweh has remembered her crimes. Pay her back the way she also paid, and double it according to her works. In the cup in which she mixed, mix a double portion for her. As much as she glorified herself and indulged her sensual and excessive ways, give her that much torment and grief. For she says in her heart, 'I sit as queen; I am not a widow, and I will never see grief.'"

For this reason her plagues will come in just one day--death and grief and famine. She will be burned up with fire, because the Lord God who judges her is mighty. The kings of the earth who have committed sexual immorality and shared her sensual and excessive ways will weep and mourn over her when they see the smoke from her burning. They will stand far off in fear of her torment, saying, "Woe, woe, the great city, Babylon, the mighty city! For in a single hour your judgment has come."

The merchants of the earth will weep and mourn over her, because no one buys their cargo any longer--cargo of gold, silver, jewels, and pearls; fine linen, purple, silk, and scarlet; all kinds of fragrant wood products, objects of ivory; objects of expensive wood, brass, iron, and marble; cinnamon, spice, incense, myrrh, and frankincense; wine, olive oil, fine flour, and grain, cattle and sheep; horses and carriages; and slaves--human lives.

The fruit you craved has left you. All your splendid and glamorous things are gone; they will never find them again.

The merchants of these things, who became rich from her, will stand far off in fear of her torment, weeping and mourning, saying, "Woe, woe, the great city, dressed in fine linen, purple, and scarlet, adorned with gold, jewels, and pearls; for in a single hour such fabulous wealth was destroyed!"

And every shipmaster, seafarer, the sailors, and all who do business by sea, stood far off as they watched the smoke from her burning and kept crying out: "Who was like the great city?" They threw dust on their heads and kept crying out, weeping, and mourning,

"Woe, woe, the great city, where all those who have ships on the sea became rich from her wealth; for in a single hour she was destroyed. Rejoice over her, heaven, and you saints, apostles, and prophets, because Yahweh has pronounced on her the judgment she passed on you!"

Then a mighty angel picked up a stone like a large millstone and threw it into the sea, saying, "In this way, Babylon **the great city** will be thrown down violently and never be found again. The sound of harpists, musicians, flutists, and trumpeters will never be heard in you again; no craftsman of any trade will ever be found in you again; the sound of a mill will never be heard in you again; the light of a lamp will never shine in you again; and the voice of a groom and bride will never be heard in you again. All this will happen because your merchants were the nobility of the earth, because all the nations were deceived by your sorcery. In her was found the blood of prophets and saints, and of all those slaughtered on the earth."

Verses 21-23a describes the intensity of the destruction of "Babylon the great city", then verses 23b-24 explain the reason for its destruction.

17:1-18 - Then one of the seven angels who had the seven bowls came and spoke with me: "Come, I will show you the judgment of the notorious prostitute who is seated on many waters (many peoples or nations). The kings of the earth committed sexual immorality with her, and those who live on the earth became drunk on the wine of her sexual immorality. Then he carried me away in the Spirit to a wilderness.

I saw a woman sitting on a scarlet beast that was covered with blasphemous names and had seven heads and ten horns (the Antichrist kingdom). The woman was dressed in purple and scarlet, adorned with gold, jewels, and pearls. She had a golden cup in her hand filled with everything detestable and with the impurities of her prostitution. On her forehead was written a name, a mystery: **BABYLON THE GREAT THE MOTHER OF PROSTITUTES AND OF THE DETESTABLE THINGS OF THE EARTH.** Then I saw that the woman was drunk with the blood of the saints and with the blood of the witnesses to Yeshua. When I saw her, I was greatly astonished.

Then the angel said to me, "Why are you astonished? I will explain to you the mystery of the woman and of the beast, with the seven heads and the ten horns, that carries her. The beast that you saw was, and is not, and is about to come up from the abyss and go to destruction. Those who live on the earth whose names have not been written in the book of life from the foundation of the world will be astonished when they see the beast that was, and is not, and is to come. This calls for a mind that has wisdom.

The seven heads are seven mountains on which the woman is seated. They are also seven kings: Five have fallen, one is, the other has not yet come, and when he comes, he must remain for only a little while. The beast that was and is not, is itself an eighth king, but it belongs to the seven and is going to destruction. The ten horns you saw are ten kings who have not yet received a kingdom, but they will receive authority as kings with the beast for one hour. These have one purpose, and they give their power and authority to the beast. These will make war against the Lamb, but the Lamb will conquer them because He is Lord of lords and King of kings. Those with Him are called, chosen, and faithful."

He also said to me, "The waters you saw, where the prostitute was seated, are peoples, multitudes, nations, and languages. The ten horns you saw, and the beast, will hate the prostitute. They will make her desolate and naked, devour her flesh, and burn her up with fire. For Yahweh has put it into their hearts to carry out his plan by having one purpose and to give their kingdom to the beast until the words of Yahweh are fulfilled. **And the woman you saw is the great city that has royal power over the kings of the earth.**"

I used to think that Babylon the Great is one city in one country because it is called "the great city", but I now know that all of the land mass that made up the cities and nations of Nimrod's empire was known as a "great city". His empire spanned from the plain of Shinar in central Iraq to Turkey, which was an enormous area of the Middle East.

Revelation 17:15 tells us that "the waters you saw, where the prostitute was seated, are peoples, multitudes, nations, and languages."

Verse 18 of the same chapter says that **"the woman you saw is the great city that has royal power over the kings of the earth."**

Like Nimrod's "great city", the Great Reset could be "the great city" described in Revelation 17:18.

Barack Obama too.

The leaders of the Great Reset include high profile individuals such as Justin Trudeau (Canada), Joe Biden (U.S. president), Bill Gates (a leader in technology), Ursula von der Leyen (president of The Netherlands), Elon Musk (a leader in technology and mechanics), King Charles III of Britain, Xi Jinping (president of China), Klaus Schwab (its founder and leader, also the founder and leader of the World Economic Forum), and more. These people can be considered to be among "the nobility of the earth" (18:23). Their plan is to obtain complete control of those who submit to their system and strongly punish those who don't. They want to achieve "international cooperation" toward building a "global economy".

I suspect that this is, in fact, Babylon the Great. If they achieve their goals, it will be an ideal situation for the Antichrist to step into and take their power and authority for himself and his agenda (Revelation 17:12-13).

For those who want to read the remaining Bible passages that discuss Babylon the Great, here are the ones not used in this teaching.

Revelation 9:1-11, 13:11-18, 14:6-12, 16:12-21

Isaiah 13:1-22, 14:3-23, 47:1-15, 48:12-15, 48:20-22

Jeremiah 50:1-46, 51:1-64

Here are a couple of Bible passages to remember in these difficult times:

James 4:1-12 - What is the source of wars and fights among you? Don't they come from your passions that wage war within you? You desire and do not have. You murder and covet and cannot obtain. You fight and wage war. You do not have because you do not ask. You ask and don't receive because you ask with wrong motives, so that you may spend it on your pleasures.

You adulterous people! Don't you know that friendship with the world is hostility toward Yahweh? So, whoever wants to be the friend of the world becomes the enemy of Yahweh. Or do you think it's without reason that the Scripture says: The Spirit He made to dwell in us envies intensely? But He gives greater grace. Therefore He says: "Yahweh resists the proud, but gives grace to the humble." Therefore, submit to Yahweh. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. Draw near to Yahweh, and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, sinners, and purify your hearts, you double-minded. Be miserable and mourn and weep. Let your laughter be turned to mourning and your joy to gloom. Humble yourselves before the Lord, and He will exalt you. Don't criticize one another, brothers and

sisters. Anyone who defames or judges a fellow believer defames and judges the law. If you judge the law, you are not a doer of the law, but a judge. There is one lawgiver and judge who is able to save and to destroy. But who are you to judge your neighbor?

5:7-11 - Therefore, brothers and sisters, be patient until the Lord's coming. See how the farmer waits for the precious fruit of the earth and is patient with it until it receives the early and the late rains. You also must be patient. **Strengthen your hearts, because the Lord's coming is near.**

Brothers and sisters, do not complain about one another, so that you will not be judged. Look, the judge stands at the door!

Brothers and sisters, take the prophets who spoke in the Lord's Name as an example of suffering and patience. See, we count as blessed those who have endured. You have heard of Job's endurance and have seen the outcome that the Lord brought about--the Lord is compassionate and merciful.

Recommended Reading:

Homo Deus: A Brief History of Tomorrow - Yuval Harari

Sapiens: A Brief History of Humankind - Yuval Harari

21 Lessons for the 21st Century - Yuval Harari

The Great Reset: And the War for the World - Alex Jones

Numbers 6:24-26 - May Yahweh bless you and protect you; may Yahweh make His face shine on you and be gracious to you; may Yahweh look with favor on you and give you peace.