**WHERE HISTORY IS TAKING US!**

All of history is moving towards Zechariah 12. It is moving towards Jerusalem, with all the world rallied against the Jews. It is moving towards God’s supernatural intervention, resulting in the physical deliverance of Israel. It is moving towards the ultimate restoration of the Jews spiritually. And, then comes THE GOLDEN AGE of the KINGDOM!

With the unfolding of last days events will come repentance in Israel and the resultant spiritual cleansing.

**Zechariah 13:1 (NKJV)**

**1** “In that day a fountain shall be opened for the house of David and for the inhabitants of Jerusalem, **for sin and for uncleanness**.

**Romans 11:26 (NKJV)**

**26** And so all Israel will be **saved**, as it is written: “The Deliverer will come out of Zion, And He will **turn away ungodliness** from Jacob;

God will respond to Israel’s repentance with spiritual cleansing. And, this will usher in the Second Coming of Christ.

Many of us believe that even now the stage is being set for this Last Days’ finale, which will follow the Rapture of the Church. We currently live in the time of “stage setting” in which the world is being set up for the last day’s finale. Here is the order of events (as I see it) as generally outlined in the Bible.

**Stage setting… (we are here)**

**Rapture of the Church (always imminent)**

**7-year Tribulation**

**Second Coming**

**Kingdom**

As we await, Isaiah 62:7 says:

**Isaiah 62:7 (NKJV)**

**7** And give Him no rest till He establishes And till He makes **Jerusalem a praise in the earth**.

We are constantly to be praying for the peace of Jerusalem (cf. Ps. 122:6). We are to constantly be praying to God to restore Jerusalem. He will do this at the Second Coming, when The Times of the Gentiles will be brought to an end (cf. Lk. 21:24).

**Joel 3:16–17 (NKJV)**

**16** The Lord also will **roar from Zion**, And **utter His voice from Jerusalem**; The heavens and earth will shake; But the Lord will be a shelter for His people, And the strength of the children of Israel.

**17** “So you shall know that I am the Lord your God, **Dwelling in Zion My holy mountain**. Then **Jerusalem shall be holy**, And no aliens shall ever pass through her again.”

Even so, come Lord Jesus!