

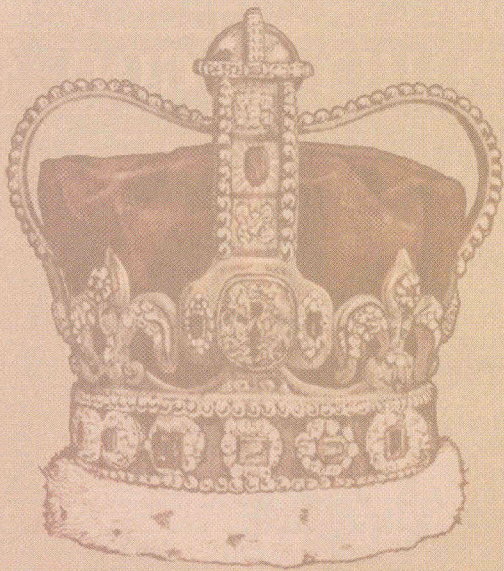
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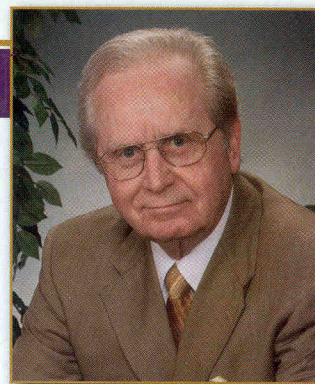
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A Strong Vatican Ally

THE GERMAN POLITICAL SCENE IS A MESS.

If you watch closely and you understand Bible prophecy, you can see Satan orchestrating the whole thing.

Germany's election produced no clear victor. The two largest parties are being forced to come together in a grand coalition that will be handicapped by compromise.

At the beginning of November, Edmund Stoiber withdrew from the situation completely. He is a smart politician. He has his sights set on a goal far higher than just being the economic minister within a government that is doomed to fail very quickly.

One day after making that move, Stoiber traveled to the Vatican for a personal visit with Pope Benedict XVI. He brought a staff of 160 people with him. After the pope met with all of them, he had a private meeting with Stoiber for about 10 minutes.

Why? Stoiber doesn't even have a job in the new German government. What did they talk about? I guarantee they talked about a lot more than just the pope possibly making a visit to Bavaria, which is what the press said.

I'm sure the pope is very interested in the political crisis in his home country. I strongly suspect he would use his influence to get Stoiber, who is a strong Catholic, into office. The pope knows Stoiber would be a strong ally of the Vatican.

When Ratzinger became pope, Stoiber said, "I am certain that the new pope will be able to win over and rally all the world's Catholics, not only because

he is *the most brilliant theologian of all time*, but also because of his human and pastoral qualities."

It seems clear that if Stoiber ever came to power, he would be very loyal to the pope and supportive of his ambitions.

Is it possible these two men have forged some kind of agreement—the pope to boost Stoiber's bid for power and Stoiber to do the bidding of "the most brilliant theologian of all time"?

At our ministerial conference in January—before Pope John Paul II's death—I said it seemed likely that Joseph Ratzinger would become pope. "[W]hat would a German do in that office, do you think? What could he do, maybe, to help that man of sin come on the scene? He certainly would know quite a lot about German politics, I would think."

Later in that message I said, "I think the Vatican is going to be working behind the scenes. They may have a pope to help them do it who really knows the German system and begins to get the leader in there that can really swing things around, a good strong Catholic.... I think that the Vatican is going to help to bring that man... on the scene, and that's when you're going to really see the fireworks."

When I wrote that message up for the *Daniel Unlocks Revelation* booklet, I wrote, "We need to watch the European Union for a man stepping in and seizing control of that entity through flatteries. He is going to hijack the EU. WE NEED TO WATCH THE GREAT WHORE FOR SIGNS OF HER RIDING THE BEAST." That is exactly what we are seeing!

"I am certain that the new pope will be able to win over and rally all the world's Catholics, not only because he is the most brilliant theologian of all time, but also because of his human and pastoral qualities."

• Edmund Stoiber •



The fact that Edmund Stoiber visited Rome is the greatest sign yet that he may be the political leader of the last head of the Holy Roman Empire!

During the visit, Pope Benedict praised Bavaria, where he and Stoiber both come from. It is the strongest Roman Catholic part of Germany. The pope said it “unites a heritage of generosity and a *rich religious harmony*: elements which hold *real promise for the future*.”

Both Benedict and Stoiber want Europe’s future to be dominated by that “rich religious harmony” that the Catholic Church has a history of enforcing.

Daniel 11:21 says that the head of the beast will gain office “by flatteries.” He won’t be voted in.

With German politics in such chaos right now, I can’t imagine a better scenario for a leader to obtain the kingdom by flatteries.

And, knowing that the woman will be riding the beast, I’m certain the Vatican will make it happen.

THE FACT THAT EDMUND STOIBER VISITED ROME IS THE GREATEST SIGN YET THAT HE MAY BE THE POLITICAL LEADER OF THE LAST HEAD OF THE HOLY ROMAN EMPIRE!

That visit probably increased Stoiber’s chances to come to power through flatteries by about 99 percent.

Why? Because Satan is behind it! He is orchestrating the whole picture, bringing two men together who will fulfill his will for the beast power. Revelation says that the leader of the beast and the leader of the false church both *worship the dragon*!

Why do I feel so strongly about Stoiber? He is tied right back into the Elijah work.

Herbert W. Armstrong thought Franz Joseph

Strauss would be the leader of the beast power. Remember that Strauss visited Ambassador College, and Mr. Armstrong told him, Hitler was a great man—but look what happened to him with all that power. You could come into power yourself. If you do, you’d better be careful how you use it.

That was God’s apostle—the man God used powerfully to tell this whole world about the Holy Roman Empire.

Stoiber was Strauss’s protégé—his number-one pupil! That strongly indicates that Stoiber is probably the man. I won’t be upset if he isn’t, but it may well be a coded message from God.

But even if it isn’t Stoiber, the Holy Roman Empire is still right there before us! A political-religious powerhouse is rising up. Soon some man is going to hijack that—not by votes but by flatteries—get control of the most powerful economy in Europe, and quickly rise to become the most powerful in the world! When he does so, he is going to do some deadly things!

STOIBER’S VISIT TO THE VATICAN COULD BE MORE SIGNIFICANT THAN 10,000 KATRINAS!

A storm much stronger than Katrina is coming. God is against the peoples of Israel, and *He* is raising up the Chaldeans against them.

The book of Revelation says that both the political leader and the false church worship the dragon! And you can be sure they will not like our message.

The great false church looks like a lamb and speaks like a dragon. It has a history that is soaked with the blood of the holy ones. Satan’s empire is going to destroy the mighty and holy people. That’s what will happen to God’s Laodiceans in the Tribulation. They’re going to have to stand up in the face of death and obey God—to the death!

We have to warn the Laodiceans what is coming.

We also have to tell the beast and the false church how God is going to correct them. And we have to tell the world what the beast is going to do to it! That is our commission from the great God! □