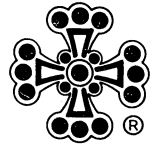




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SAYINGS IV OUT: PROPHECY BEING PREPARED

Following readings given during the December seminars held in Reno, and in particular the annual meeting of the ORDER of the HOLY CHILD on December 1, VOLUME IV of The IMAGE and the WORD was prepared for publication and released to each Monk de Jure within the field. Associates are reminded that the ORDER of the HOLY CHILD was formed by command of the holy messenger, CHRIST CHILD, JAMIL, and that admission to the ORDER is an essential step in the life of each aspiring Minister of Christ. The "Sayings" contained within The IMAGE and the WORD are periodically released for the specific purpose of guiding this Ministry and the Community forward into the Light of God.

Also following the presentation given by Reverend Savoy on Sunday, December 2, initial production was begun on The PROPHECY of the END TIMES. The printing and release has been temporarily delayed, so that important editorial changes and final touches may be accomplished. The volume is expected to be released to Associates sometime in May of 1980. Associates are also reminded that publication of material so sensitive and volatile demands that the final copy be especially well-prepared and presented at exactly the right time.

This revelation, being far more detailed, specific, and vivid than those presented in times past, and which so clearly gives dates, cycles, and the future of our planet through 1999, must be presented to the world in accordance with those dictates of time, which are multi-dimensional, and which must be followed if maximum impact upon mankind is to be achieved.

PROJECT X IN CHINA

To comply with the directives of the SECOND PROPHECY of the AMERICAS, Ministers and Associates of The International Community of Christ accompanied Gene Savoy to mainland China between January 28 and February 12, 1980.

Those accompanying Right Reverend Savoy were his wife, Sylvia; Phillip Snyder; Elena Baugh; Roger Weld; Clare Mead; Tyrus Peace; Arline Peace; Katherine Miner; Lee Strekow; Gerald Warne; Herman Aggenbach; John Gould; and Jan Gould.

The visit was also in coincidence with Community cycles established by events surrounding Jamil in 1962, and which may be reviewed in the Community's publication, JAMIL the CHILD CHRIST.

Briefly, those events would include

- 1—Midnight, January 29-30, 1961, the Passing of the Child following a four-month stay in the Andes.
- 2—Intermediary events.
- 3—February 2, 1962, Jamil's Appearance and Proclamation of the Sun of Righteousness.
- 4—February 4, the Sun and Six Planets Conjoin in Aquarius and accompanied by manifestations of the Antichrist.
- 5—February 6, The Great Work Begun.

The itinerary in China began with a three-day stop in Shanghai where Community members toured a workers' residential area, a farming commune, and the beautiful Yu

Gardens. Of course, there were no flowers blooming within the gardens, but Associates were observant of the close-knit architecture and walled-in aesthetics of the Chinese designers. There were pools and piscine gargoyles, stately trees and circling paths. Other events in Shanghai included a performance by the Chinese Acrobatic Team, sights downtown, and a visit to the famous Jade Buddha Temple.

The Associates then travelled by train to Nanking, a city in the southern province of Kiangsu dating back approximately twenty-five hundred years, and noted for its massive twenty-four city gates. The three days spent there involved visits to the Sun Yat-Sen Mausoleum, the Nanking Zoo, and the Ming Tombs, the latter dating from the year 1380.

Nearby, the Associates visited the impressive Yangtze River Bridge, which is the Chinese version of the Golden Gate, being 22,110 feet long with parks at both east and west entrances.

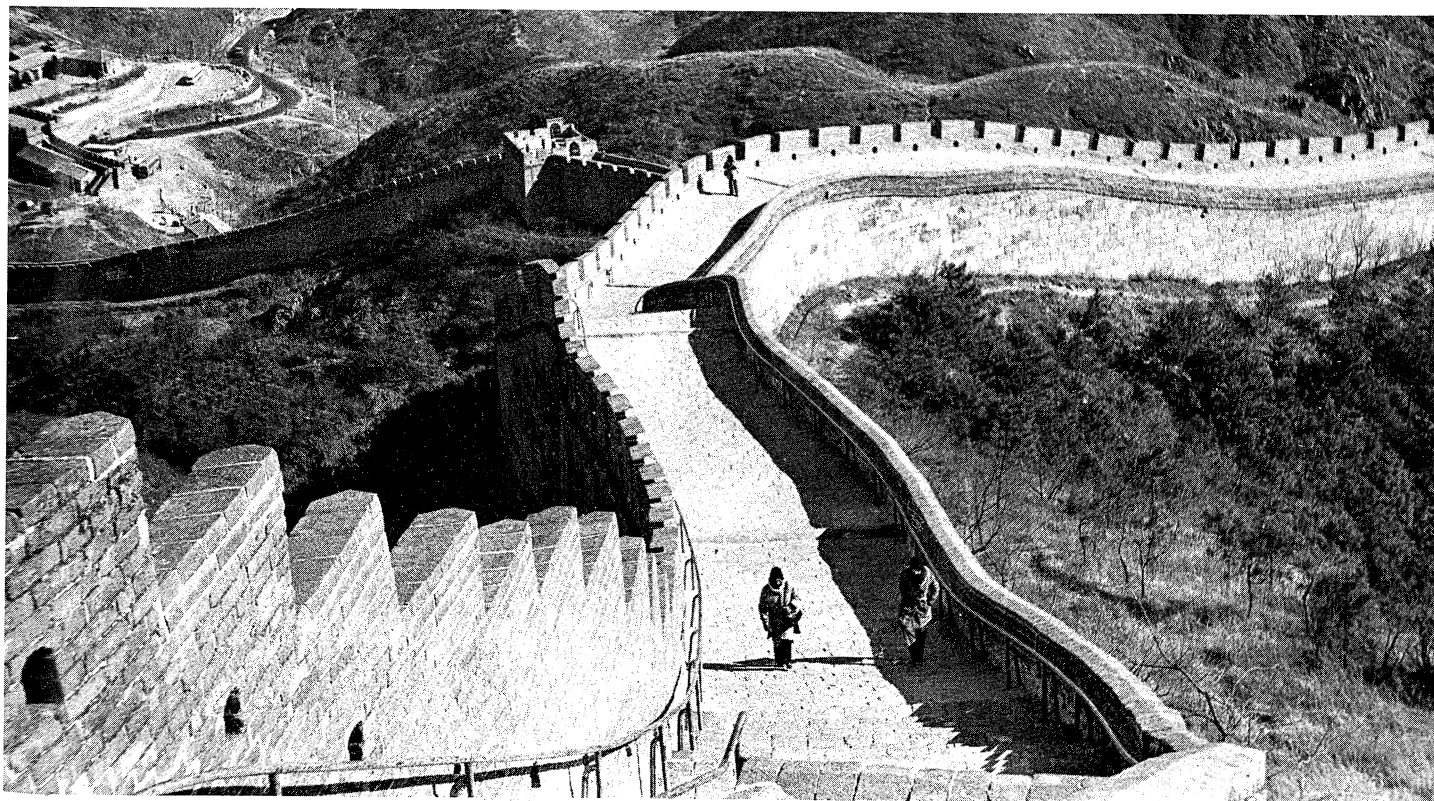
Another train ride found the Associates in Wuxi near beautiful Taihu Lake. The "Big Lake" is thrice the size of Lake Geneva and is one of China's greatest tourist attractions. In addition to that excursion, members of the guild visited a silk factory, a convalescent hospital, a stone-carving factory, and a clay-figurine manufacturer. Several of the Associates were particularly taken by a visit to the Huai Shan Gardens, Park, and Temple. The Temple is sixteen hundred years old and is accompanied by a monastery on nearby Huai Shan Mountain (Tin Mountain), which is some three miles high. Associates came upon a Bodhi tree in the Gardens at Wuxi, and the guides there vigorously related various legends and mythologies concerning the religious sight.

Following a rapid flight from Wuxi, three more days were then passed in Peking. Accommodations there were at the Friendship Hotel, formerly a compound for personnel of the local Russian Embassy built in the early 1950s.

With a population of well over seven million people, Peking dates back to prehistoric times. Highlights of the sojourn there were inclusive of a visit to the Peking Ming Tombs, the Temple of Heaven, the Summer Palace, the much publicized Forbidden City, and the Peoples' Square.

Outside of Peking the group visited the historic Great Wall, where Reverend Savoy was seen running along the top with great zest. During the trip, Reverend Savoy did receive much information, and, once again recorded further inspirational materials for the Community's series of revelations and prophecies. No doubt, much of this information will be coming out in future seminars. Moreover, it goes almost without saying that contact was established with Chinese adepts.

Immediately prior to their return, the team of researchers held an assembly and banquet in Peking. It was at this time that Associate Gerald Warne delivered a well-prepared toast, which was just as well received by all those in attendance, and which aptly expressed the feelings of the Cosolargists and their Chinese hosts. All those involved in the China adventure were tremendously thrilled and exhilarated by the trip. They, as members of The International Community of Christ, were in a somewhat different position from that of the average tourist inasmuch as the responsibilities involved and the IF received and shared were of a markedly different nature than that perceived in general.



STATE OF THE WORLD MESSAGE

Excerpts from recent lectures and revelations presented by Right Reverend Gene Savoy, Head Overseer, The International Community of Christ

This Time, This Year, 1980, the Nineteenth Year of the Great Work, is the most crucial of World History in terms of negativity confronting both the Community, Church of the Second Advent, and the World at large. 1980 is a critical year of transition. Whether Light or Dark is to influence the World will depend upon how the Community is able to influence the Sun of Righteousness and counter-act the Dark aspects of the Material Sun.

Man, being subject to the laws of the sun, and being in possession of spiritual consciousness, continues to act upon the sun directly, and allows his thoughts to act upon all living things within his environment. All are subject to the Cosmic Laws of the Sun of Righteousness and inherent Justice.

On the planet, as elsewhere in the Universe, Unity is being tested as never before. Associates continue to observe the turmoil—of political unrest, exemplified by the Islamic fervor and consequential volatility of the Iranian position;—of militancy, underscored by the invasion of Afghanistan;—and of heroic struggle, this very moment being expressed by thousands of immigrants in Pakistan, Cuba, and in other regions.

Geophysically, the earth is synergetically experiencing the traumas of earthquakes, volcanic eruptions, floods, drought, and unusual climatic patterns.

As an epilogue to the visit to mainland China in early February, the total Solar Eclipse, which occurred on the Chinese New Year, February 16, and the ensuing sunspot activity, were but physical symbols of this continuing critical condition. Other like occurrences must include the planetary conjunctions of Jupiter and Mars with the Moon, which culminated on the calamitous day of February 29, and which

during both February and March did much to reinforce the cycles of turbulence and darkness which were, and to large degree still are, manifesting.

Cosolargists must continue to reflect positively and bear the responsibility of overseeing these conditions. The foremost Law of all is Unity, and the establishment upon this globe, of a singular, Universal Religious Consciousness subservient to the Will of God.

The Dimensions will be upon us very shortly; the lines have been drawn.

On the personal levels, many Associates, in empathy with their brothers and sisters in the World, are experiencing the bombardment of Fourth-Dimensional Intelligences. The Prince of this World, the Antichrist, is seeking full expression. These attacks will not cease for quite sometime, but may be overcome through God's Messianic Sun and the blessings of Metanoia, and will to some extent subside by the end of 1980.

Educational Humanism and Technocratic Impotency: this Year will see their ultimate confrontation with the Emerging Spirit of Christ. The aged pseudo-religions of Academicism and Scientific experimentation in our society will come face-to-face with the True Image and Word of God. Third-Dimensional Man, under the yoke of Fourth-Dimensional Demi-Urge, must give way to the Truth of Innocence, the Expression of Beauty, the Marriage of Heaven and Earth: Parousia. This greater Love is the only force that can change people and the World to prevent the present disorder, anarchy, and return to old-world religious speculation, with its emphasis upon sorcery, witchcraft, raising of the spirits and demonology.

The Perfect Vision, the Holy and Immaculate Comforter, Jamil the Child Christ, is with us.

SEMINARS ANNOUNCED

As in previous years, Seminars will be held in Reno at the Chancellery during three different periods this year.

The SOLAR CULTURES of CHINA Seminar has been scheduled for June 21 through 28, 1980. Associates will be receiving a cover letter concerning the details of this event, and inclusive of information regarding accommodations at nearby Lake Mill Lodge where a block of rooms has been reserved for Community members.

It is anticipated that during the June Seminar, make-up tapes of previous Seminars, such as the Solar Cultures of Israel, I & II, Color & Sacred Imagery, I & II, and Residence Training, I & II, will be made available to Associates.

Other Seminars are planned for September and December, 1980.

ORDINATION

On the morning of Saturday, April 12, 1980, Associate RANDY ELIOT ROGERS was Ordained to the Ministry of the Church of the Second Advent, by Right Reverend Gene Savoy, in chambers at the Rectory-Abbey at Carmel, and following the weekly Communion Service.

BIRTHS & CHRISTENINGS

Born to Robert and Belinda Chauvin
on January 8, 1980:

Christina Belinda Chauvin

Born to Michael and Judy O'Neal
on February 5, 1980:

Austin Scott O'Neal

Christened on Easter Sunday, 1980,
in services held at the Rectory-Abbey:

Christina Belinda Chauvin

Thomas Christian Chauvin

Danyel David Chauvin

David Michael Chauvin

CHILDRENS' SCHOOL PRESENTS PROGRAM

On Sunday, March 2, following the return of Community members from the visit to China, the Childrens' Tutorial School of Light presented a program on Oriental Studies. The students in the school are Geno Savoy, Erica Snyder, Sean Savoy, Jalayne Grady, Michelle Carrothers, and Shane Grady.

A luncheon of eastern foods was prepared at the Rectory-Abbey under the supervision of Associate Ferida Duchesneau, who is originally from Java. The children, attired in appropriate costumes designed by their teacher, Barbara Snyder, served the meal.

Prior to the luncheon, an art show of original drawings, poetry, books, and various items from the Orient, was presented in the foyer.

Following the luncheon, Japanese legend with song and Korean song with dance were performed by the children. This part of the program was under the direction of Associates Sung Cha Staver and Sun Huss, who, in collaboration with Reverend Jackie Carrothers, had taught and prepared the students.

At the conclusion of the program, a most informative talk was given by Associates Gary Huss and Ted Staver on Korean Culture. A question and answer period marked the end of a tremendously exciting afternoon.

The presentation came towards the end of several weeks' study of Oriental art, literature, dance, music, and religion, undertaken by teachers and students in the Community's school facilities at the Rectory-Abbey. It was an event sponsored and financed by Reno Associates on a volunteer basis.

NEW RENO RESIDENT

Associate Bob Petrovich, from Milwaukee, Wisconsin, has now established residence in Reno, having arrived here the first of March, 1980.

Coming from a Serbian Orthodox background, Bob has a Bachelor's Degree in Comparative Literature, and is now assisting in the Editorial Department. Having been an Academy student and corresponding associate in the Clergy Program, Bob is now actively involved in-residence contributing to the work of the Church of the Second Advent.

PROJECT X APPEARS IN EAST-WEST JOURNAL

Published in the March, 1980, edition of East-West Journal, a ten-page article was presented by the International Community of Christ for international circulation.

Under the heading, PROJECT X, the presentation is an embellishment upon materials presented earlier in East-West, and copywritten 1977 by the Community.

The new advertisement makes available to prospective applicants a variety of books and services, which include

- 1— A revised SAAT with Reading
- 2— A CONFIDENTIAL PROSPECTUS and Curriculum Guide
- 3— A LIGHT—BODY COLOR ANALYSIS
- 4— The texts:
 - a. THE DECODED NEW TESTAMENT
 - b. THE LOST GOSPEL OF JESUS
 - c. THE ESSAEI DOCUMENT

Copies of the East—West article, if not available locally, may be obtained from East—West Journal, Incorporated, 17 Station Street, Brookline, Massachusetts, 02146.

In addition, the Community's advertisements continue to appear in the well-known PSYCHOLOGY TODAY magazine.

PRODUCTION MOVE NOW COMPLETE

In the last Communique it was announced that The International Community of Christ had acquired a building located directly across the street from the Chancellery, 643 Ralston Street, Reno, Nevada, 89503.

The Chancellery Annex has now been totally renovated, and is now occupied by the Production Department.

Thanks to the efforts of Associate Nelson Duchesneau and others in the Church, both the Chancellery and Annex now have identical iron fences, which do much to enhance the physical appearance of the properties and emphasize the unity of the two facilities.

Efforts are now being made to further renovate the Chancel room within the Chancellery, and to roof both buildings with cedar "shake" shingles.

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