

Brain Massage®: Show No. 873 The Truth Is Breaking Through / Seeing Through the Propaganda Fog / Can Christians Support War?

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1 Segment.01 Hello. I'm Dr. Jerry Scheidbach, pastor of the
2 Lighthouse Baptist Church in Santa Maria, CA—and your brain
3 masseur—get ready for your brain massage.

4 After I offer an overview of my muse on the news, we'll dig into to
5 issues of great concern to all God fearing patriots, namely:

6 How to see the truth through the fog of propaganda, which is
7 probably one of the most important skills Americans need right
8 now; and ...

9 What about war? The invasion of Ukraine by Russia forces upon us
10 the prospects of WWIII — and the question of war and the
11 Christian ethos.

12 Okay, my friends — it's time for your brain massage.

13 [TRUTH]

14 My muse on the news:

15 The Kremlin offers a statement on Biden: apparently, they agree
16 with my own assessment of der Betrayer in Chief — with
17 Americans forsaken behind enemy lines — I'll summarize: Biden is
18 a nasty guy! They refer to his statements about Putin as "insults"
19 and, "given such irritability from Mr. Biden, his fatigue and
20 sometimes forgetfulness ... fatigue that leads to aggressive
21 statements, we will not make harsh assessments, so as not to cause
22 more aggression."¹ Putin is trying to position himself as the bigger
23 man, the gentleman, dismissing Biden as just being a tired old
24 irritable guy. These two — it's like when mom and dad are having a
25 fuss, when one of the kids walks in, it's all hugs and smiles, and

¹ <https://news.yahoo.com/kremlin-accuses-ukraine-trying-drag-094340538.html>

26 when they leave, the bitter feud resumes, only with these to bro's it's
27 the opposite. In the cameras they fuss and quarrel and hurl their
28 insults, but when the "children" aren't looking, they are sipping
29 banned Russian vodka and yucking it up — interesting expression!
30 A Yuck is something or someone that is disgusting; it is used to
31 dismiss something as a joke.² But to *yuck it up* means to laugh
32 boisterously—like Kamala. She is a real yuck! Anyway...

33 Come on man! The Demoncrats and their demented-rats have
34 been in bed with Marxist Communism and in love with mother
35 Rocea, with their hearts "back in the USSR—You don't know how
36 lucky you are boys, back in the USSR," with the Ukraine girls, and
37 the Moscow babes, the Georgia on their mind — Beatles — you
38 know the bug — it's the one so like a roach you have to have them
39 side by side to see which has the SMALLER HEAD — that's the
40 beetle, by the way! But spelled Beatle — that's what happens when
41 your brain is addled with alcohol and you are trying to come up
42 with a name for your band inspired by Buddy Holly's Crickets.³
43 Haha! But that is all so, uh, Yesterday! Like when then Sen. Ted
44 Kennedy corresponded with the Kremlin on ways and means to
45 undermine Ronald Reagan, like when Hunter Biden took a million
46 dollars from the wife of Moscow's mayor for, well, services
47 rendered? Like when providing anything like REAL support for
48 Zelensky is quashed—intel has bubbled up saying Putin is
49 intercepting weapons sent to Ukraine—the person reporting this
50 thought that was a good thing...but more on that in a bit.

51 But the two stories that seem to have knocked Ukraine off the front
52 pages are ...

53 Lia Thomas — the celebrated tranny dude-to-dudette that blew out
54 all the competition in the 500 yard free-style swim competition at
55 NCAA championships. By the way, a point is made of the fact that

² <https://idioms.thefreedictionary.com/yucking+it+up>

³ <https://www.cheatsheet.com/entertainment/how-did-the-beatles-get-their-name.html/>

56 this confused, and wicked man—only someone very wicked would
57 destroy women's athletics and like a BULLY, force his perversity
58 into women's sports, STEALING FROM WOMEN THEIR
59 DIGNITY, THEIR HONOR, stealing any hope any woman might
60 have had to win scholarships, and appropriate honors for their
61 hard work — this is EVIL! And everyone who supports it is a
62 JERK. (Remember, class, I never use words frivolously, or merely
63 to "call names." The word comes from the sixteenth century
64 meaning a stroke of a whip — by 1935 it came to be used among
65 carnies to speak of a tedious and ineffectual person, an
66 abbreviation of an 1890 Jerkwater, which means petty, inferior and
67 insignificant — that's enough history — any one who supports a
68 jerkwater like Lia Thomas, a male who cannot compete with MEN
69 and so has to compete with women to enjoy STOLEN HONOR,
70 honor that he BULLIED out of other worthy women — imagine
71 how beat up you would feel if you were a woman that worked hard
72 almost all your life to achieve something in competition with your
73 peers only to have it STOLEN from you by some BRUTE that calls
74 himself a woman so he can unfairly compete against *weaker vessels*
75 — I say such a man is a JERK-WATER. I think the word fits his
76 character and aptly describes his behavior. And all who support
77 this jerk-water are JERKS.

78 According to the good book, the BIBLE, the book cherished and
79 revered by Americans for centuries until lately, as according to
80 GOD'S WORD, all things work together for good — consider!
81 America's God hating secularists, the raging unbelievers, chaffing
82 against the bands and cords of the LORD JESUS CHRIST recoiled
83 with disgust the TRUTH that men and women were created male
84 and female, and despised the biblical truth that the woman's body,
85 though made from man, is DIFFERENT in almost every particular,
86 and among the differences, this, the woman is the WEAKER
87 VESSEL. You can deny reality, but you can't CHANGE it. Men
88 competing in women's sports should be considered shameful for

89 the man as it is hurtful to the woman. Lia Thomas should be
90 ashamed; he should be endure the just ridicule and scorn of all
91 men, until he crawls up into a fetal position somewhere in
92 embarrassment and self-disgust! He is a JERK-WATER and
93 deserves NO HONOR. But the jerks, the haters of GOD, the
94 deniers of JESUS CHRIST as LORD, laud and applaud such
95 perversity because they want to break the bands and cords of
96 CHRIST from our culture — while Satan lurks in the background
97 holding the bands and cords of slavery, and tyranny, and
98 oppression, salivating at the expectation that soon he can set his
99 filthy clutches upon the whole of American culture — and that is
100 why "they" revel in the notice that Lia Thomas is a Quaker — of
101 course he is! All Quakers should be embarrassed. But they must
102 celebrate such things because it declares their VICTORY over
103 Christ, their triumph over GOD and HIS SON — they not only
104 steal the honor of women but also the honor of CHRISTIANITY.

105 Who will come to rescue this culture from the inane, and insane
106 nonsense gaining influence over our culture from the darkness we
107 have encouraged by our cowardice — we have dimmed and in
108 significant measure TURN OUT THE LIGHTS — no wonder the
109 creatures of darkness, the children of darkness, have risen to
110 positions of power and influence all around us.

111 But, one thing should encourage you. When Lia was declared the
112 winner, the CROWD BOOED, and the second runner up, a REAL
113 WOMAN, was CHEERED WILDLY — folks, listen, AMERICA IS
114 NOT WHAT THE DARK LORDS TRY TO MAKE YOU THINK
115 IT IS. There is still some strength remaining, not a lot, but there is
116 some light flickering, the salt has lost much of its savor, but not all.
117 STAND, WRESTLE and RESIST is the call of LBC this year — hear
118 and heed the call.

119 One last top of news musing: and it follows my commentary on
120 shameful Lia Thomas — New York Times is scrambling to save

121 what face it has remaining by coming out strong with the
122 admission that Hunter's laptop is not some Russian disinformation
123 operation, but it's REAL! Just like we knew already, but the 30% of
124 our population that are like bobble heads and continue to believe
125 those that have been repeatedly exposed as liars — now have to
126 hear one of their beloved and trusted news sources admit, AGAIN,
127 that they got it totally wrong—Hunter's laptop is exactly as vile,
128 and filthy, as is that man's soul. And this explains something Biden
129 said a few days ago — this past Wednesday, as a matter of fact!

130 PINO Biden (thank you Bongino), talking to very supportive
131 Dems, Demoncrats, and DementedRats — introducing a "new civil
132 rights cause of action" — something else the left can distort and use
133 to harass the righteous while protecting the wicked in the name of
134 protecting, in this case, WOMEN — what a JOKE, or, what a
135 JERK! Yeah, in an event celebrating the VIOLENCE AGAINST
136 WOMEN ACT (which is something we should be concerned
137 about, it's too bad the Dems care nothing about protecting women
138 from having their space invaded, and violently robbed of any
139 dignity in athletics, and ... well, I need to go to my point here!)

140 Celebrating the reauthorization of the Violence Against Women
141 Act, and introducing a new civil rights cause of action, added to
142 that ACT, Biden explained why all should support the idea of
143 criminalizing taking lewd photos of people and using them for
144 blackmail — that's the new "civil rights cause of action" — Election
145 theft, plagiarist, betrayer Joey said, and I quote: “How many times
146 have you heard — I bet everybody knows somebody somewhere
147 along the line, that in an intimate relationship, what happened was
148 the guy takes a revealing picture of his naked friend, or whatever,
149 in a compromising position and then literally in a sense blackmails

150 [un clear–her-?] or mortifies that person ... sends it out, put it
151 online,”⁴ said Biden!!!!

152 Well, we all know that Joe knows someone just like that. Any
153 takers on a bet the head of the Biden crime family knew the New
154 York Times was going to cave on the Hunter Laptop coverup and
155 spill the beans and this was Joe's effort to get ahead of that and lay
156 down some cushioning for what few followers he still has — how
157 does anyone — no wonder the LIBS are trying to bring back
158 masking, these people don't want to show their faces in public.

159 Oh yeah, phony Fauci has announced a likely return to lockdown
160 mentality — are they getting ready to shift again? It was all
161 lockdowns, mandatory vaccines and masking, and then that died
162 off as they shifted our attention on the pains of Ukraine — and
163 suddenly that virtually DISAPPEARS from the news, and Fauci
164 toddles out there with his announcement that COVID panic will
165 "possibly" resume in a county near you! THIS HAS GOT TO
166 STOP, and it WILL NOT STOP until Trump comes out of EXILE
167 and resumes his rightful place in the White House. PRAY.

168 Okay, in the next segment — brilliant bursts of insight will be
169 released as the Brain Masseur uses words like fingers to work into
170 the deepest recesses of your mind/soul/spirit biblically inspired
171 logic to deep massage your brain, stimulating the pituitary to signal
172 the adrenal to release norepinephrine neurotransmitters and to fire
173 these neurons through the sympathetic nervous system affecting
174 the heart, releasing all five types of dopamine to give you a sense of
175 euphoria — a Eureka moment, when TRUTH radiates its sparkling
176 glory throughout your soul — haha! Hold on through the break. I'll
177 be right back!

178 Segment.02 Hello. Welcome back! I'm Dr. Jerry Scheidbach, pastor
179 at the Lighthouse, your brain masseur, and Paul Revere's lantern

⁴ <https://dcweekly.org/2022/03/16/joe-biden-i-bet-everybody-knows-somebodythat-in-an-intimate-relationship-the-guy-takes-a-picture-of-his-naked-friend-and-then-blackmails-video/>

180 lighter, lighting the lamps in the church belfry arch, signaling the
181 enemy is on the march, an enemy that would steal from us our
182 liberty.

183 How to see the truth through the fog of propaganda, and what is a
184 proper Christian perspective on war?

185 First, let's talk about how to keep your eyes on the TRUTH when
186 navigating through the FOG of propaganda.

187 Remember that propaganda is about getting you to not see what is
188 plainly in front of you. Dishonest people use propaganda to
189 advance their agenda, and unsuspecting, simple minded, but often
190 otherwise honest people are easily duped into repeating it. Learn
191 how to stay on the ball of TRUTH even when chasing it in a thick
192 cloud of smoke surrounded by fun-house reality distorting
193 mirrors.

194 It helps to understand the phenomenon of original awareness. It
195 has been proved that anything that triggers original awareness will
196 not be forgotten.

197 When you hear a story that gives you a sense of epiphany — like
198 you discovered something, especially some secret — a story that
199 stimulates intrigue, fascination, that draws hard upon your natural
200 curiosity, and makes you feel like you have just been let in on the
201 hidden truth — that story will stick, it will embed deeply into your
202 psyche.

203 This is a good thing, if what you are encountering is TRUTH. But
204 if it's a lie, it becomes a formidable stronghold against the TRUTH.
205 If you add to this a powerful motivation, if the lie supports
206 something you strongly desire, it's nearly impossible to overcome.
207 People will hang tightly to a welcomed and useful delusion.

208 I've noticed that people don't need facts to support a lie they are
209 intensely motivated to believe, they just need a reason to believe it.

210 The Bible says through desire a man will seek and "intermeddle
211 with all wisdom" (Proverbs 18:1), that is, they will twist reality into
212 pretzels before they give up on a LIE that supports an agenda that
213 serves their desire.

214 But Christians are different, or they should be. And this bothers the
215 children of disobedience because it is harder to deceive them. The
216 Holy Ghost Who guides us to "all" TRUTH, can break the power
217 even of the most powerful deception. So here are some principles
218 to guide you through the smoke and mirrors of the propaganda
219 illusionists.

220 Always reason from the foundation of what you know for sure.

221 Therefore, first, get a biblical perspective on the issue. In some
222 cases, this will allow you to categorically dismiss the "narrative" as a
223 lie. Sometimes it's not that simple. Nevertheless, you will use the
224 framework of biblical truth to test this or that story. One current
225 example: looking at the Russia Ukraine situation; this can be
226 bewildering. So, what does the Bible say that can help us?

227 Psalms 120:1-10 "In my distress I cried unto the LORD, and he
228 heard me. Deliver my soul, O LORD, from lying lips, *and* from a
229 deceitful tongue. ... Woe is me, that I sojourn in Mesech ...! My
230 soul hath long dwelt with him that hateth peace. ***I am for peace:***
231 but when I speak, they *are* for war."

232 *Mesech*, same as *Meshech* in Ezekiel 38, refers to the children of
233 Japheth that descended into the Slavic people that were the
234 progenitors of the Russians. These Scriptures, Psalm 120 along
235 with Ezekiel 38-39 that tells us in the future Russia will invade
236 Israel, informs us that deceit and aggression are characteristics
237 generally common to these countries. It is not true of every
238 individual in the country, of course.

239 A prophecy in Daniel 7 informs us Russia in alliance with Iran
240 (Persia) will be vicious in the latter days, and rise up to "devour
241 much flesh."

242 For this reason, we are not surprised that Russia and Iran are
243 characteristically deceitful and aggressive.

244 So, that's biblical INSIGHT, next depend on FACTUAL
245 EYESIGHT.

246 See what is in front of you, and sort it out by setting in order what
247 you KNOW is TRUE. Don't get bogged down into trying to
248 understand all the whys and wherefores yet.

249 Begin by SEEING what is happening in front of your eyes. Let me
250 illustrate this.

251 1. Russia invaded Ukraine. That's a fact! Why and wherefore is very
252 complicated, but whatever you decide about the whys and
253 wherefores must include reference to what you KNOW is TRUE.
254 What we KNOW is, Russia invaded Ukraine.

255 2. Russian missiles destroyed a school, and a hospital, and a theatre
256 used for a bomb shelter, along with other civilian targets. This is a
257 FACT. What I can't say for certain, with the information I have at
258 present, is whether Russians purposed to hit these civilian targets.
259 So, that is not the question here. We are assembling FACTS. The
260 FACT is, these civilian targets have been hit by Russian ordinance.

261 And, of course, we can go on in this way laying down FACT after
262 FACT — without asserting anything as FACT that we don't know
263 for sure.

264 After you have established biblical insight, and factual eyesight,
265 take into consideration factual hindsight. What do you know
266 historically about the players.

267 We know Putin is a liar, and a murderer. We have a huge amount
268 of evidence supporting this conclusion.

269 We don't know of any conversion story. We have no reason to
270 think he has changed.

271 Also, we know he wants to recombine the old Soviet Union in a
272 "new order," under the influence of Russia. He has not made any
273 secret of that ambition.

274 Furthermore, his actions over the last few decades affirm this.

275 You can include all of those FACTS in your list of what we know
276 for sure. Now, if you want to add stuff like Putin once patted the
277 head of a child, expressed kindness to some babushka, that's okay
278 too. They are facts. It's also a fact that Hitler was kind to a child or
279 two along the way, and could be very warm and loving to those
280 who admired him. Right?

281 Okay, then you can collect the FACTS concerning Zelensky, that
282 he is Ukrainian, not Russian, he is a Jew, he ran on a platform
283 promising to clean up the corruption in Ukraine (but so did others
284 before him who proved to be corrupt), but he seems to have acted
285 on this at first, but backed off after the 2020 steal. Add all the facts
286 that you have.

287 Then you can add a long list of corruption that has been going on
288 in Ukraine for a long time, you can include in that list Burisma,
289 Hunter Biden (Oh, wait, he is American), and Joe Biden's
290 meddling with their internal affairs, and Hillary Clinton who
291 received more dirty money from, or through, Ukraine than from
292 anywhere else, and you can from these FACTS conclude
293 UKRAINE is corrupt, but in honesty you will have to conclude
294 AMERICA is corrupt and that in fact America contributed
295 significantly to the CORRUPTION of Ukraine — or you can be
296 more honest and admit, Ukraine and America are not corrupt —
297 their governments are, and not everyone in their respective
298 governments, but there are corrupt actors on each side that have
299 their own agendas.

300 And you follow the most reasonable course of logic to a conclusion
301 that is supportable by all that you DO KNOW for sure. Okay, let's
302 talk about war and the Christian Ethos.

303 We are looking down the barrel of WWIII—because of the
304 bungling and betrayal of PINO (president in NAME ONLY—
305 Thank you Bongino!), Joe Biden, and his puppet master, Obama.
306 We'll only have time to get started. Now, what is a Christian view
307 of war?

308 First, Jesus told us there would be wars and rumors of wars
309 continuously until He returns. But even during that time, He rules
310 with a ROD OF IRON, which means with authority and force, and
311 while that kingdom enjoys a thousand years of peace, it is not
312 without unrest from time to time. It cannot break out into war
313 because Satan is for that time bound in the bottomless pit.
314 However, at the end of the thousand years, he is released, and stirs
315 up the nations against Israel, so the Millennial concludes in a
316 massive WORLD WAR of, let's say, biblical proportions.

317 So, war will be part of our lives in this world till Jesus Comes. This
318 does not make war a good thing — we should do all in our power
319 to avoid war, and we should avoid being manipulated into a world
320 war. I think our prayers are being answered, but hold on, we are
321 not through this yet.

322 Second, Jesus did not require soldiers to abandon their
323 commissions in order to be Christians. Cornelius is the greatest
324 example (Acts 10).

325 Third, Jesus did not teach Christians could not participate in war—
326 supported by the observation given already, that He never required
327 soldiers to surrender their sword and shield to follow Him; and
328 second, Romans 13 tells us that in our current dispensation, these
329 men are ministers of GOD to us for good. What is good and right
330 is defined in the context of Scripture.

331 When armies step outside the ordaining authority of CHRIST over
332 all governments, they are in violation of the KING's ordaining
333 authority and must be reprov'd.

334 No CHRISTIAN can follow the command of a wicked ruler that
335 requires him to deploy his sword in the service of evil.

336 Nuremberg trials established that as a universally accepted
337 International rule — every Russian soldier who obeys a command
338 to fire on a hospital, or school, or other civilian targets, is
339 responsible for whatever war crimes they commit and must accept
340 their punishment with their leaders. They stood with their leaders
341 in committing these atrocities, and so they must stand with their
342 leaders in accountability for them.

343 Fourth, there are just wars! God Himself will raise one or more
344 nation to bring His judgment upon evil and wicked nations, and
345 any such war is by definition, JUST. Israel was commissioned by
346 GOD to execute HIS wrath against the wicked Canaanites—that
347 was a JUST WAR!

348 Consider that God made clear to Israel His use of them to execute
349 His wrath against those nations was not on account of their
350 righteousness, but on account of the egregious wickedness of all
351 the inhabitants of Canaan.

352 God warned Israel that if they adopted the evil practices of
353 Canaanite culture, they would also be destroyed. And this is what
354 happened. But my point here is that GOD will raise an army to
355 execute HIS wrath upon unreasonable and wicked rulers and their
356 nations and such wars are just.

357 Understand that what defines the character of any war is not the
358 character of those who call for it, or even the character of those
359 who engage in it — it is the character of the cause that determines
360 the justness, or unjustness of war.

361 Anyone who looks at Ukraine and says, it's a wicked nation and
362 deserves to be destroyed by Russia, must answer the question, is it
363 more wicked than Russia.

364 Neither biblical insight nor FACTUAL EYESIGHT supports that
365 characterization of Rosh. What we know is Russia is the aggressor
366 and also Russia the chief source of propaganda. (American media
367 is looking increasingly like Russian media.)

368 From a biblical perspective, specifically, Daniel 7, I think the
369 alignment of Russia, Iran and the CCP is the prince of Gog, the
370 spiritual demonic power Daniel said would rise out of the sea,
371 taking into its mouth the three ribs that will say to the BEAR arise,
372 devour much flesh.

373 And yet, the CHURCH, the real one, not that whore that drinks the
374 blood of martyrs and fornicates with the raging kings and rulers of
375 this world who hate Christ Jesus and want to usurp His place and
376 supplant Him in the earth, but the real church that has the actual
377 keys of the kingdom and is comprised of an assembly of KINGS
378 and PRIESTS UNTO GOD with the HOLY GHOST, the SPIRIT
379 OF CHRIST the KING residing in them, and flowing from them in
380 this world TO REBUKE THE WORLD OF SIN,
381 RIGHTEOUSNESS AND JUDGMENT, and to RESTRAIN the
382 spirit of antichrist attempting to bring the world under satan's
383 power, CHRIST'S CHURCH MUST wake up, STAND, WRESTLE
384 and RESIST this and push that bear, and I'm talking about the
385 spiritual power attempting to rise up, push that devil back down
386 into the sea — YOU WILL RISE ONE DAY, BUT NOT TODAY!

387 Come to the LIGHTHOUSE this Sunday where I'll be speaking to
388 these things more fully!

389 I have lit the lamps in the Church belfry arch and now you let me
390 know if you see them.

391 Email me by going to our web site at brainmassage.net. That's
392 brainmassage.net. Find the CONTACT button and send me an
393 email.

394 You can leave a message on our Lights On hotline: 805.314.2114.

395 God bless you. God bless America! I'll see you in Church.