

## CONSTANT VIGILANCE IS THE PRICE OF SECURITY!

—Is Your Home Secure Right Now?

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1. Since security is a very vital issue, I think we should perhaps take time to make sure we're going to behave & arrange ourselves in such a way that we'll be able to continue to study & be prepared at any time to give an answer for whatever!—1Pet. 3:15. Amen? Somebody made out a very nice list & summary of the security rules that you discussed the last time, & perhaps I should help you understand the cause in order to get the right effect. (See No.1607)

2. Did you get a pretty good rundown of what happened in this last faux pas that made us have to evacuate an entire field? It's bad enough to have to evacuate fields because it's the fault of the government or the fault of a war or something like that, but when it's our own fault, that's almost inexcusable!—Especially when it's the fault of maybe just one Home that brought down the wrath of the System on the whole area. That's really sad, amen?

3. Peter asked me the question, "Should we be prepared for a warning in which we have a little time to get ready, or

should we be prepared for the knock at the door?"—And what did I say, Peter? (Peter: Both!) The most serious trouble often begins with our enemies instigating or encouraging bad publicity, bad-mouthing us & publicising it so that they stir up the public & more enemies to needle the government & stir them up against us. This has been the pattern for the Devil's operation for ages, from the very beginning. I've given Daniel as an example & I've given Jesus as an example. The enemies stirred up bad publicity & aroused the public to pester the government until they did something about it, the same old method they always use.

4. It can start off with only one parent getting mad about their child's joining us & raising such a fuss & even going to the newspapers & howling so loud that the newspapers decide it's a good news story & fit to print! "Here's a common problem of all parents, these terrible cults! Here's another cult come to town!"—Whereas their religions are the worst cults of all! But they're big & powerful & recognised & accepted with influence even over the government, so that the Whores of religion ride on the backs of governments & have the reins & control them.

5. So don't think that any country, wherever you go, is going to be any exception. Thank God for the countries we've gone to where they have received us, at least for a time, with open arms, at least the common people, even as they did Jesus. But sooner or later you're going to offend somebody, especially if you have done a good job & you have spread the Word & won enough souls & friends to make the Devil really mad & begin to really fear that you're going to steal his sheep or steal his field. And the Lord knows by that time you have saturated the field, you've done a good job & it's time to make you move on.—And if you don't get the point & do it voluntarily, He'll send out the hounds of Hell to go after you to drive you to the next field!

6. But in some cases we have lost a good field that was still receptive & responsive! They were booming in Indonesia!—Especially with the Tape Ministry, that's where it virtually began. But they themselves by their own foolish ways & lack of security, lack of awareness & lack of wisdom, lost us that whole