

The Heart of the Matter

Would you be surprised to learn that the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, the sex scandals wracking the Catholic Church and the great economic collapse of 2007-2009 are profoundly related?

This relation becomes amazingly clear when the three events are viewed through the prism of the Message of Fatima. This Message is the key to understanding our present history and how our future will be determined—a future that promises either worldwide deep and lasting peace and prosperity, or death and destruction on a scale never before seen.

We have been given a choice—two paths to follow: one prescribed at Fatima by Heaven, and the other charted by human folly and demonic intelligence. The first will lead us to salvation, here and hereafter; the second, to untold suffering for all in the near future, and, for many now living, to suffer horribly for all eternity.

This latest edition of *The Devil's Final Battle* places this choice before us in the plainest and most compelling terms.

The Mother of God warned us when She came to Fatima, Portugal, over 90 years ago, in a series of apparitions authenticated by a public miracle without precedent in world history. Since that time, the published prophetic admonitions in the Message of Fatima are either being fulfilled in an ongoing manner or have already been fulfilled—save for one: “various nations will be annihilated”. Our Lady of Fatima with great sadness warned that this would be one of the most terrible consequences of ignoring or despising Her requests.

The Fatima apparitions have been deemed authentic by a series of Popes and are now commemorated in the Roman Missal (the basic book of Catholic worship) by the decree of Pope John Paul II. And yet, in what must be seen as a mystery of iniquity, the Virgin's simple requests remain unfulfilled due to conscious decisions by some of the highest-ranking prelates in the Catholic Church. The result, just as She predicted, is an ever-deepening crisis in the Church and the world, accompanied by a growing sense, even among non-Catholics, that we are witnessing the beginning of an apocalypse.

Yet, Fatima remains the Only Solution that will deliver mankind—and each one of us—from the otherwise inevitable disaster NOW overtaking us.

The Fatima solution is opposed by various people. Some are what the enemies of Fatima would call “useful idiots”, some are simply ignorant or else misinformed; but there is a hard core of very intelligent, very knowledgeable people who set themselves deliberately against Our Lady of Fatima and Her Peace Plan from Heaven.

Their opposition is as REAL as it is FOOLISH. Especially foolish for those present-day powerful prelates who oppose the Fatima peace plan because they have been warned by Our Lord Jesus Christ Himself that for their opposition they will reap misfortune for themselves similar to Louis XVI, the beheaded King of France.

The vision of the bishop in white and the other bishops being killed by a band of soldiers which the Vatican released on June 26, 2000 is the prophecy of the kind of deaths awaiting the Pope and Vatican prelates who still now obstruct obedience to the Message of Fatima. Thus it is also in charity for

them, to help save them, that this book continues to be published.

Some readers might be tempted to think that such type of Vatican prelates can't really exist or be so stupid. That is why this book explains the various methods and motives of the opponents of Fatima, drawn from their own published words.

This book also teaches us that we are not mere spectators in this cosmic drama. We each have an essential role to play—one assigned to us by the Queen of Heaven Herself. *The Devil's Final Battle* shows us what must be done and what we can do to avert these looming disasters before they progress beyond all human remedy.

Since the first publication of this book, and largely because of it, events have taken place that have moved us significantly closer to the end of this crisis. Almost 200,000 copies of *The Devil's Final Battle* were put into circulation and its arguments convinced people in all walks of life that Fatima is our only way out.

This latest edition incorporates crucial developments during the past 7 years that demonstrate several breakthroughs for the forces of truth.

The facts in this book incontrovertibly prove that the Vatican apparatus—starting at least with the Secretary of State—continues to hide the essential elements of the Third Secret of Fatima while claiming all has been released; continues to refuse to obey Our Lady's and Our Lord's command that the Pope and the Catholic bishops together consecrate specifically Russia to the Immaculate Heart of Mary while pretending that they have already obeyed.

This two-fold disobedience and deception is causing graces from God to be withheld—and will lead to the certain “annihilation of nations” in the near future and, if God allows it, to the Great Apostasy and the Apocalypse of One World Government with One World Religion under the Antichrist.

The Mother of God came to earth with our present circumstances clearly in view, and with the solicitude of a mother, She offered us a way out—the way chosen by God Himself for our time. That being the case, one cannot understand the state of the Church and the world today without understanding what happened at Fatima.

In the fulfillment of the Message of Fatima lies the end of the crises in the world and the Church. In the denial of that Message lies, in great measure, the origin and intensification of both.

The events at Fatima represent a heavenly focal point in the battle now raging for the Church and the world. Both the crisis in the Church and the crisis in the world center on the divine truths summed up with heavenly concision in the Fatima apparitions.

One must also understand the strange and systematic effort by certain Catholic churchmen to obstruct fulfillment of the heavenly imperatives of the Fatima Message, including: the triumph of Our Lady, which will be seen in the consecration of Russia to the Immaculate Heart of Mary; the miraculous conversion of Russia to Catholicism; and the consequent period of deep, lasting world peace.

The central importance of Fatima in the scheme of current world events is only demonstrated by the recent, almost frantic, efforts of certain Vatican officials to “deconstruct” and “demythologize” Fatima. The pages that follow present evidence against the most prominent churchmen involved

in this campaign against Fatima, laying at their feet a large portion of the responsibility for the ecclesial crisis and the world crisis we must all face.

This edition answers its critics and continues to place the objective MORAL responsibility on powerful prelates in the Vatican and other influential persons.

To those who might say that our undertaking to expose their campaign against Fatima is “scandalous,” we can only reply with the words of the Virgin Herself: “If My requests are heeded, Russia will be converted, and there will be peace; if not, she will spread her errors throughout the world, causing wars and persecutions against the Church. The good will be martyred; the Holy Father will have much to suffer; various nations will be annihilated.”

Russia has not converted. Russia’s errors, including the holocaust of “legalized” abortion, have spread throughout the world. There is no peace. And today, even non-Catholics and unbelievers live in fear of the annihilation of nations. To echo the words of Pope St. Gregory the Great, it is better that scandal arise than that the truth be hidden—especially when, as in this case, the truth can avert global disaster.

We submit this work to the judgment of the Pope and to the judgment of you, the reader. We submit this work publicly because innumerable private entreaties to high Church authorities over the past four decades have all been unavailing. Meanwhile, the Vatican bureaucracy that surrounds the Pope continues to render him effectively incapable of responding to petitions from rank-and-file clergy and laity. As the decades-long episcopal cover-up of sexual scandals among the priesthood demonstrates, in present circumstances the public forum is the *only* forum open to Catholics who seek redress of just grievances affecting the whole Church.

Our motive in presenting this book is that of loyal sons and daughters of the Church, who know and love the Faith and believe in conscience that the course still being followed by certain Church leaders is gravely mistaken, as recent events in the Catholic Church should make clear to any objective observer.

If a reader thinks we have erred or committed any injustice in what we have written, it would be the reader’s duty to offer us, not invective or empty denunciations, but legitimate correction based upon *facts*, for our own sake and the sake of the Church. But if the case we present is well-founded, then the reader has a different obligation to God, himself and his fellow man, namely: the duty to *act* upon the evidence we present—now, while there is still time.

As Sister Lucy (†2005), the last surviving seer of Fatima commenting on Our Lady’s message, said:

The devil is in the mood for engaging in a decisive battle against the Virgin. And a decisive battle is the final battle where one side will be victorious and the other side will suffer defeat. Also from now on we must choose sides. Either we are for God or we are for the devil. There is no other possibility.

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