

Cryptocurrency: A New Digital Madness???

We obviously recognize the fulfillment of these scriptures below to take place during the final seven-year “tribulation” period.

However, prior to their “fulfillment,” there will most likely be an introductory and developmental period or, better yet, a transitional period setting the stage for the final fulfillment of the events described below. It’s highly possible we are officially entering this introductory or transitional era of a new financial currency system that finds its ultimate fulfillment during the final seven-year period of time. A type of monetary system the man of sin will either establish or certainly even tweak and solidify at his coronation as he oversees his platform of complete global dominance and power.

This is interesting prophecy in light of the current global attitude towards a new monetary currency system (cryptocurrency) that will forever transform the financial markets and the entire global banking system as we know it today. Digital money is here to stay. Seven nations have already gone cashless. The beast is now growling, anxious to be unleashed.

An excerpt from *Keil and Delitzsch OT Commentary* — Ezekiel 7:19, “They shall cast their silver in the streets, and their gold shall be removed: their silver and their gold shall not be able to deliver them in the day of the wrath of the LORD: they shall not satisfy their souls, neither fill their bowels: because it is the stumblingblock of their iniquity.”

In this state of anguish, they will throw all their treasures away as sinful trash (Ezekiel 7:19). By the silver and gold which they will throw away, (Ezekiel 7:19) we are not to understand as [any] idolatrous images particularly - seeing these are first spoken of in Ezekiel 7:20 - but rather the treasures (of precious metals themselves) on which they had hitherto set their hearts. They will not merely throw these (precious metals) away as worthless but look upon them as “niddâh,” - filth, an object of disgust, inasmuch as they have been the servants of their evil lust. The next clause, "silver and gold cannot rescue them," is a reminiscence from Zephaniah 1:18 — “Neither their silver nor their gold shall be able to deliver them in the day of the LORD’S wrath; but the whole land shall be devoured by the fire of his jealousy: for he shall make even a speedy riddance of all them that dwell in the land.”

But Ezekiel gives greater force to the thought by adding, "they (precious metals) will not appease their hunger therewith," - that is to say, they will not be able to protect their lives thereby, either from the sword of the enemy (see the comments on Zephaniah 1:18) - or from death by starvation, because there will be no more food to purchase within the besieged city in that day rendering gold and silver as valueless commodities. MARANATHA!!!

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