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Explaining the prophecies and the scriptures to all who desire to hear them. (Mosiah 27:35-36)

Why the US hasn't been destroyed yet

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A lot of people are praying for God to bring
peace to this country. You are asking for what is

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contrary to God's will, because it violates his laws. He will not give you peace in exchange for wickedness.

There have been times past when the prayers of the righteous have preserved an otherwise wicked land. In our days--the last days--the situation is slightly different. God is preserving this land while the people he has sent here at this time prepare and preach his word in greater completeness and simplicity than has ever been given since the foundation of the world.

As is always the case, the more concentrated God's word, the less likely people are to notice. The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness perceives it not.

The light begins like a sunrise does--

imperceptibly. It gradually increases both in intensity and speed of increase. Those who recognize it earliest will gain the most.

Due to immutable eternal law, the greater degree of truth and the more plainly it is taught, the greater the consequences. You are held accountable for what you know *and* what you have access to.

As more light comes forth, greater affliction will be poured out. Those who have acknowledged and obeyed God's word will have the tools needed to persevere in joy, even if their obedience to God requires their life. And, for many, it will indeed cost their lives.

Have you repented of all your sins? If not, the reason is that you still prefer things and people

over God.

To help you, God is going to remove those things. He will do so through a mix of:

- 1) Revealing to you why they are not reliable.
- 2) Revealing to you why they are not valuable.

This will be a process that is as painful as your preference for them over God. The righteous will rejoice as Babylon falls. The wicked will weep for the loss of their idols.

The earlier you exercise faith by believing the words he has provided that explain that these things and people are not as reliable or valuable as he is, the more joy you will have, and the more unnecessary suffering you will avoid.

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Everything will be shaken globally until only Christ's kingdom remains. Many places will be shaken in our generation, and much of this shaking will occur before the destruction of the United States, but the full destruction of the United States will be the first notable completion of the process.

The destruction of this country has been decreed in heaven, and nothing will turn it away. Now is the time to decide, through your obedience to God and effort in seeking him, how that goes for you.

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