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Video of Michael Gantt's keynote at  
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“The Cross Is the Main Thing”

**Because of our terrible, national sins;  
because of the fact that as a nation  
we have essentially given God  
the middle finger of disdain  
for His Person, His character, and His laws  
there is no defense to be made.**

**Michael Gantt**





**We must now realize that Islam  
is not our enemy,  
the militant LGBT bloc is not our enemy,  
nor is Planned Parenthood  
(the chief purveyor of the murder  
of our children) our enemy.  
The sad fact for America is that  
our sin has made God our enemy.**

Michael Gantt





**Because of the rejection of God  
and His Word  
and because we have exchanged  
the God of Life for the gods of death  
and perversion,  
America is already under  
the Hand of God's judgment.**

**Michael Gantt**





**If there is no national confession of sin  
and if we cannot find a heart of repentance,  
a Holy God will complete his judgment;  
either by the complete annihilation or  
subjugation of what was once a great  
and godly people or by rendering it  
completely irrelevant on the world stage.**

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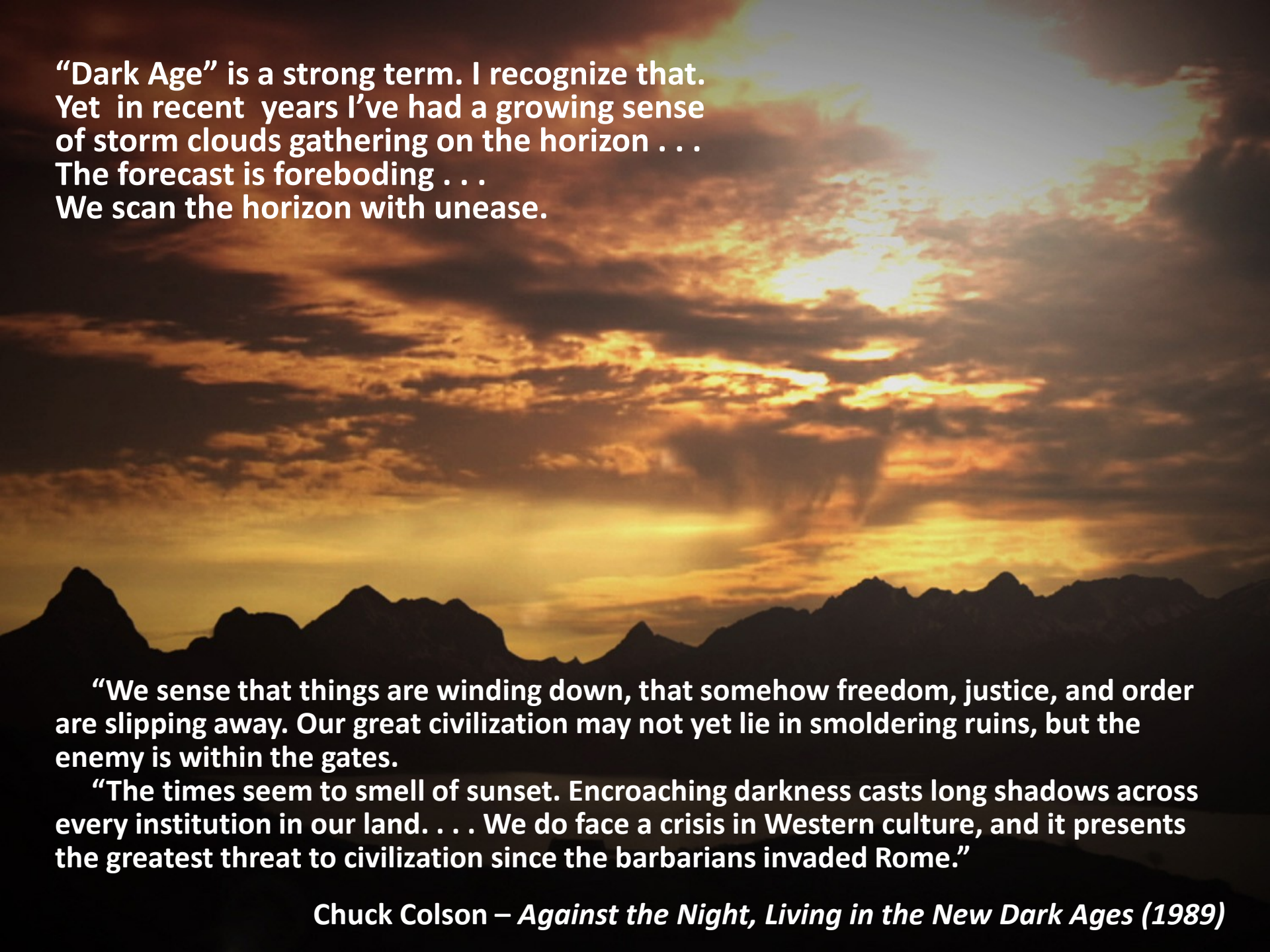
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**Please Lord, help us to find you once  
again and heal this once Great Nation...**







**“Dark Age” is a strong term. I recognize that. Yet in recent years I’ve had a growing sense of storm clouds gathering on the horizon . . . The forecast is foreboding . . . We scan the horizon with unease.**

**“We sense that things are winding down, that somehow freedom, justice, and order are slipping away. Our great civilization may not yet lie in smoldering ruins, but the enemy is within the gates.**

**“The times seem to smell of sunset. Encroaching darkness casts long shadows across every institution in our land. . . . We do face a crisis in Western culture, and it presents the greatest threat to civilization since the barbarians invaded Rome.”**

**Chuck Colson – *Against the Night, Living in the New Dark Ages* (1989)**



**Oh, how blind and deaf  
you are toward God!  
Why won't you listen?  
Why won't you see?**

**Who in all the world  
is as blind as my own people,  
who are designed to be  
my messengers of truth?**

**Isaiah 42:18-19 TLB**





**Won't even one of you  
apply these lessons from the past  
and see the ruin  
that awaits you up ahead?**

**Isaiah 42:23 TLB**







**Who let Israel be robbed and hurt?  
Did not the Lord?  
It is the Lord they sinned against,  
for they would not go where he sent them  
nor listen to his laws.**

**That is why God poured out such fury and  
wrath on his people and destroyed them  
in battle. Yet . . . they will not understand  
the reason why—that it is God,  
wanting them to repent.**

**Isaiah 42:24-25 TLB**





**I continually discipline and  
punish everyone I love;  
so I must punish you unless  
you turn from your indifference  
and become enthusiastic  
about the things of God.**

**Revelation 3:19 TLB**





**There is no doubt—the TRUE hope for this world is Jesus Christ! Our struggling nation and a lost world need a fresh introduction to the message of Jesus! This generation urgently needs to learn of the new birth that comes through faith in Jesus! A church that is committed to obeying Christ and sharing the Gospel could ... save this nation!**

**Focus on the Family**





**2 Chronicles 7:14** If my people,  
which are called by my name, shall humble  
themselves, and pray, and seek my face,  
and turn from their wicked ways; then will  
I hear from heaven, and will forgive their  
sin, and will heal their land. *By The Blood*



**We have stepped over a line  
from which there is no turning back.  
We have taken a paradigm leap  
from mere disobedience  
to open rebellion against God,  
thereby crossing the line  
from blessing to judgment  
and from God's prior favor  
to His impending wrath. . . .**

**Mike Wolff**





**No more sitting on the fence.  
No more Sunday go to meetin' Christianity.  
No more living with one foot in the world  
and one in the kingdom of heaven on earth.  
No more living for our possessions,  
our pensions, and a comfortable retirement  
more than we live to follow Jesus.**

**Mike Wolff**





**Time to draw near to God  
that He may draw near to us.  
Time to stop playing Christian  
and start being Christian.  
Time to remain alert and sober  
to the signs of the times  
that can no longer be ignored.**

**Mike Wolff**





**Time for prayer,  
immersion in His Word  
and community in the fellowship  
of other believers....  
Time to fear and love God,  
and cling to Him above all else.**

**Mike Wolff**

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<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=foUrBztgzZA>

Jackie Evancho singing "To Believe."