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Robertson

"This Hussein is just, in my estimation, a megalomaniac monster.

"...You know, this is a prophetic thing, because the old Assyria needs to come together to fulfill certain Bible prophecy. Isaiah chapter 19 speaks of Assyria, Egypt, and Israel in the latter days. Now there is no Assyria now, but if Iraq and Syria join together, you will have the country of Assyria again. So that would seem to me-- he'll turn against Assyria on the way to Israel."

News:

- Iraqi invasion of Kuwait
- White House reaction to the invasion

Sheila Walsh (co-host)

"You can tell me what Peter Jennings and Tom Brokaw and Dan Rather can't: what's God doing in the midst of all this? Is this a sign of the times?"

Robertson

"Sheila, you remember that prophecy of Jesus in Luke, the twenty-first chapter I believe it is, where he says Jerusalem will be trodden underfoot of the Gentiles until the times of the Gentiles be fulfilled. That was fulfilled in '67 with the Six-Day War. Ever since that time, frankly, the Gentile nations have been in a state of, really, confusion. There's been a tremendous turmoil.

"But forty years is a generation, and we're moving toward forty years away from '67-- we're seventeen years away from it, but nevertheless, we're moving in that direction. I believe we're moving toward some cataclysmic climax in our world, and it will probably be preceded by a major economic collapse. And that's the thing that this could trigger."

Testimony of two sons of a minister.

Interview Richard Dobbins, psychologist.

Testimony of survivors of neighborhood-wide fire.

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News:

- New developments in Gulf crisis
- Status of the NEA re-authorization bill

Robertson

"We are seeing now a last-ditch fight by humanism and

liberalism to maintain a voice in society. This [the NEA] is the most extreme expression of it. What's happening is, over the next ten years-- the Christian faith is winning, faith is winning, and this kind of thing will not win. This anti-faith, atheism, anti-morality, nihilism-- it's not going to win. So these people are fighting. It's like the death rattle of an animal or something. It's very extreme, but this is the end of what's going to happen. But you know, you say, 'How far can it go? And how high can it get?'"

-- Rise in professional athletes' salaries

Special report: Free Market Education

The correspondent outlined the advantages of voucher and "choice" systems in public education. Also explored Milwaukee's plan that will soon be put into effect.

Robertson

"[Public education is] like nationalized steel in Poland or the British railroads or whatever-- you know how bad the things were. We've got to privatize it. It is a vast monopoly. And of course, the NEA is a very powerful labor union, and just like Margaret Thatcher [Bush must resist the unions.]"

School phobia: Children's fears of school.

Testimony of emotionally disturbed child.

Interview with Dr. Grace Ketterman on children and school.

Report on CBN's Back to School Project.

Coral Ridge Hour 8-26-90

Creationism: Science or Religion?

Kennedy

"Today, the basic attack on Christianity is total and all-encompassing. The basic attack is on the very existence of God himself.... The attack is coming to us in the form of the scientific dogma of evolution which, indeed, if it had its way, would rid the world of the last vestiges of any belief in God."

Kennedy demonstrated, at length, that evolution is religion and that creationism is science.

Kennedy

"My friends, the truth is that creationism gave the world science. Creationists created science! Without creationists, there wouldn't be any science!... [Listed many scientists who believed in creation.]

"Creationists are not scientists? Again, creationists invented science! Therefore, to say that creationists are not scientists, or that creation is not science, is false. Creation violates none of the laws of science as evolution does, but is in complete harmony with them.

"So we see that this attempt to suppress all of the scientific evidence for creationism-- scientific creationism-- is a form of censorship. And it is exceedingly ironic that the ACLU and People For the American Way and others like that who cry constantly against censorship would be at the forefront of this attempt to censor out information.

"Keep in mind that creationists are not trying to get rid of evolution; they're trying to have a balanced statement, even as Darwin said there must be if there would be fairness in the approach to it.

"This, of course, amounts to nothing more than brainwashing: all of the evidence on one side is presented, and all the evidence on the other side is repressed. This is not education; this is brainwashing.... At its base, what it amounts to is anti-Christian bigotry."

Insight: Institute of Creation Research

A report on the problems the ICR graduate school is currently facing concerning accreditation and the role that Bill Honig is playing in the controversy. The reporter interviewed the founder and director of ICR; the dean of the graduate school; and John Morris, the administrative vice president.

John Morris

"My concern is if the state has the power to go to a Christian school and say, 'You can't teach Christian doctrine,' if they can do that to a graduate school where the professors are all PhD.'s...whose credentials can not be questioned, if they can do it to us, then what's to stop them from doing it to every Christian school or to every home school?... The state should not have that kind of power."

After the report, Kennedy encouraged viewers in California to write Bill Honig. He graciously provided Honig's address.