Remnant Leaves GC SDA

"I saw that God has honest children **among the nominal Adventists and the fallen churches**, and **before the plagues** shall be poured out, ministers and people **will be called out from these churches** and will gladly receive the truth. Satan knows this and **before the loud cry** of the third angel is given, he raises an excitement in these religious bodies, that those who have rejected the truth may <u>think that God</u> is with them. He hopes to deceive the honest and lead them to think that God is still working for the churches. But the light will shine, and all who are honest <u>will leave</u> <u>the fallen churches</u>, and take their stand with <u>the remnant</u>" *-Early Writings: page* 261.

"At Oswego, New York, September 7, 1850, the Lord showed me that a great work must be done for His people before they could stand in the battle in the <u>day of the Lord</u>. I was pointed to <u>those who claim to be Adventists</u>, but who <u>reject the present truth</u>, and saw that they were crumbling and that the hand of the Lord was in their midst to <u>divide and scatter</u> them now <u>in the gathering time</u>, so that the precious jewels among them, who have formerly been deceived, may have their eyes opened to see their true state. And now when the truth is presented to them by the Lord's messengers, they are prepared to listen, and see its beauty and harmony, and to <u>leave their former</u> <u>associates and errors</u>, embrace the precious truth and stand where they can define their position." *-Early Writings 69.2*

"I saw a number of companies that seemed to be bound together by cords. Many in these companies were in total darkness; their eyes were directed downward to the

earth, and there seemed to be no connection between them and Jesus. But scattered through these different companies were persons whose countenances looked light, and whose eyes were raised to heaven. Beams of light from Jesus, like rays from the sun, were imparted to them. An angel bade me look carefully, and I saw an angel watching over every one of those who had a ray of light, while evil angels surrounded those who were in darkness. I heard the voice of an angel cry, 'Fear God, and give glory to Him; for the <u>hour of His judgment is</u> <u>come</u>.'



"A glorious light then rested down upon these companies, to enlighten all who would receive it.

Some of those who were in darkness received the light and rejoiced. Others resisted the light from heaven, saying that it was sent to lead them astray. The light passed away from them, and they were left in darkness. Those who had received the light from Jesus joyfully cherished the increase of precious light which was shed upon them. Their faces beamed with holy joy, while their gaze was directed upward to Jesus with intense interest, and their voices were heard in harmony with the voice of the angel, 'Fear God,

and give glory to Him; for the hour of His judgment is come.' As they raised this cry, I



saw those who were in darkness <u>thrusting them with side and with</u> <u>shoulder</u>. Then many who cherished the sacred light, broke the cords which confined them and stood out <u>separated from those companies</u>. As they were doing this, men belonging to the different companies and revered by them passed through, some <u>with pleasing words, and</u> <u>others with wrathful looks and threatening gestures, and fastened</u> <u>the cords which were weakening</u>. These men <u>were constantly</u> <u>saying</u>, 'God is with us. We stand in the light. We have the truth.' I

inquired who these men were, and was told that they were <u>ministers and leading men</u> who had rejected the light themselves, and were unwilling that others should receive it." -Early Writings 240.1&2

"The Spirit is poured out upon all who will yield to its promptings, and casting off all man's machinery, his binding rules and cautious methods, they will declare the truth with the might of the Spirit's power. Multitudes will receive the faith and join the armies of the Lord...**The safeguards which false shepherds have thrown around their flocks with become as naught**; <u>thousands will step out</u> into the light, and work to spread the light." *-Review and Herald, vol 3, p 272-275 (July 16 & 23, 1895)*

"In the representations the Lord has given me, I have seen those who follow their own desires, misrepresenting the truth, oppressing their brethren, and placing difficulties before them. Characters are now being developed, and men are taking sides, some on the side of the Lord Jesus Christ, some on the side of Satan and his angels. The Lord calls for all who will be true and obedient to His law to <u>come out of and away from all</u> <u>connection with those who placed themselves on the side of the enemy.</u>" -Letter 256, August 1, 1906 & Last Day Events fro the Letters and Manuscripts of E.G. White, p 94 & This Day With God, p 222

"Of those who are constantly working to undermine faith in the message God is sending to His people, I am instructed to say, 'Come out from among them, and be ye separate' [2 Corinthians 6:17] Come into light, brethren, and lead others to the Way, the Truth, and the Life. <u>Those who in faith accept the leadings of the Spirit of God will see where their dangers lie</u>, **and will make decided moves in the right direction**." *-Review and Herald, vol 5, p 435 (July 23, 1908)*

"We shall be called to meet those who notwithstanding definite reproof and warning through the Testimonies have gone on in an evil course. We are bidden of God to <u>hold</u> <u>ourselves separate and distinct from these men</u> who have not given heed to His warning... For they deceive, if possible, the very elect. *-Letter 330, November 11, 1906* & *Manuscript Releases, vol 7, 196*

"Now those who have had years in this same experience, know not God nor Jesus Christ whom He has sent, and should such go forth as representatives of Jesus Christ? These men will never give the right mold to other minds; they have grown up to the full stature of men and women in Christ. They simply have the name of Christians but are not fitted for the work of God, and never will be until they are born again, and learn the A.B.C. in true religion of Jesus Christ. There is a little hope in one direction: Take the young men and women, and place them where they will come as little in contact with our churches as possible, that the low grad of piety which is current in the day shall not leaven their ideas of what it means to be a Christian." -Letter 16f, May 9, 1892 & Manuscript Releases, vol 12, p 332-333

Sister White said of these people that stay in such a church...



It is impossible for any one to become a true follower of Jesus Christ, <u>without distinguishing himself from the worldly mass</u> <u>of unbelievers</u>. If the world would accept of Jesus, then there would be no sword of dissension; for all would be disciples of Christ and in fellowship one with another, and their unity would be unbroken. But this is not the case. Here and there an individual member of a family is true to the convictions of his conscience, and is compelled to stand alone in his family or in the church to which he belongs, <u>and is finally compelled</u>, because of the

course of those with whom he associates, to separate himself from their companionship. The line of demarkation is made distinct. One stands upon the word of God, the others upon the traditions and sayings of men. -Review & Herald, July 24, 1894, para. 3

QUESTION:

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Christ's followers must be found spending their time, effort, and money on spreading the Three Angels' Messages, not in the courts of the land fighting for a name of a church which they have chosen to separate from. Brethren, let us be about our work for God in spreading His truth, and not be sidetracked by Satan into spending our time, effort, and money in trying to cling to an idol. (the NAME) There is no valid Biblical reason why God would desire any of His separated people to defend their right and waste precious time and money to call themselves "Seventh-day Adventist." I would like ask those that believe it is time to leave the SDA church, and at the same time feel we must *"keep the name"* Seventh-day Adventist to respond to the following Scripture and SOP facts.

 "I have spread out my hands all the day unto a rebellious people, which walketh in a way that was not good, after their own thoughts...And <u>ye shall leave your</u> <u>name for a curse unto my chosen: for the Lord God shall slay thee, and call</u> <u>his servants by another name</u>." Isaiah 65:2, 15

"God calls upon this church to make a change. They had a name to live, but their works were destitute of the love of Jesus. Oh, how many have fallen because they trusted in their profession for salvation! <u>How many are lost by their effort to keep up a name!</u> If one has the reputation of being a successful evangelist, a gifted preacher, a man of

prayer, a man of faith, a man of special devotion, there is positive danger that he will make shipwreck of faith when tried by the little tests that God suffers to come. Often his great effort will be to maintain his reputation." -7BC: p. 958

"<u>Not by its name</u>, but by its fruit, is the value of a tree determined. If the fruit is worthless, the name cannot save the tree from destruction." DA p.107

"We are **not saved as a sect**; **no denominational name has any virtue** to bring us into favor with God. We are saved **individually** as believers in the Lord Jesus Christ." -RH 02/10/1891

Truth is, Scripture does address such a problem as this. If you feel you must claim the SDA name think about what you're really doing. Are you climing the name simply because you want the NAME? Or is it because you embrace the SDA theology of old? Prayerfully the latter is your reason. Now see this...

 Romans 2:29, "But <u>he is a Jew, which is one inwardly</u>; and circumcision is that of the heart, in the spirit, and not in the letter; whose praise is not of men, but of God."

I too embrace original SDA theology as truth and as I look into my heart I see that I am an "SDA" inwardly as the Christian is of Israel inwardly. But because of that which Rome has openly done to this church, I must stand with truth and proclaim I am a <u>Seventh-day Remnant</u> outwardly.

"A virtuous woman represents a pure church, <u>a vile woman an apostate church</u>. Babylon is said to be a harlot;" 4sp p.232

The fruits of the SDA church speak volumes unto it being BABYLON.

Who can truthfully say: "Our gold is tried in the fire; our garments are unspotted by the world"? I saw our Instructor pointing to the garments of so-called righteousness. <u>Stripping them off, He laid bare the defilement beneath</u>. Then He said to me: "Can you not see how they have pretentiously covered up their defilement and rottenness of character? '<u>How is the faithful city become an harlot!</u>' My Father's house is made a house of merchandise, a place whence the divine presence and <u>glory have departed!</u> For this cause there is weakness, and strength is lacking." 8T 250.2

QUESTION:

As a Seventh-day Adventist, do you evangelize Catholics? Difficult isn't it? I know it is, I have been doing it over 21 years now. They insist on staying in the church even though they have documented evidence that proves they are in apostasy They admit they know their leaders are in sin and open apostasy, yet they stay in that church. Do you share these verses with the Catholic the Lord has placed in your path?

- Amos 3:3 Can two walk together, except they be agreed?
- 2 Corinthians 6:14 Be ye not unequally yoked together with unbelievers: for what fellowship hath righteousness with unrighteousness? and what communion hath light with darkness?
- 2 Corinthians 6:17 Wherefore come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you,
- Revelation 18:1-5, "And after these things I saw another angel come down from heaven, having great power; and the earth was lightened with his glory. And he cried mightily with a strong voice, saying, Babylon the great is fallen, is fallen, and is become the habitation of devils, and the hold of every foul spirit, and a cage of every unclean and hateful bird. For all nations have drunk of the wine of the wrath of her fornication, and the kings of the earth have committed fornication with her, and the merchants of the earth are waxed rich through the abundance of her delicacies. And I heard another voice from heaven, saying, Come out of her, my people, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her iniquities."

If you evangelize Catholics you already realize they have a mindset that is strange. They know their leaders are in sin, yet they allow them to lead them no matter what. So my question to you dear Seventh-day Adventist is...

Why do YOU stay in the Seventh-day Adventist church?

SO.. IS THE SDA CHURCH THE REMNANT?

As we all know, the SDA church leaders have been saying they are the "remnant church" for many years. In fact, they have been saying this for so long that all the SDA people echo their claims as if it's the truth even though this is not what the Bible or Spirit of Prophecy says about the SDA church. Notice this...

• Revelation 12:17 And the dragon was wroth with the woman, and went to make war with **the remnant of her seed**, which keep the commandments of God, and have the testimony of Jesus Christ.

How I ask can the SDA church be the church (woman) that the dragon (Satan) is angry with and the "remnant of her seed" (SDR church) at the same time? That is 100% impossible. The SDA leaders changed Sister White's writings to make it appear she said the SDA church is the remnant church. But notice what she really said here...

 "The testimony of Jesus," said the angel to John, "is the spirit of prophecy." Rev. 19: 10. It is the keeping of the commandments of God, and the recognition of the re-vival of the spirit of prophecy by <u>the remnant of the church</u>, or the Christians of the last generation, that stirs the ire of the dragon." -Spirit of Prophecy volume 1 page 11 (See the entire unedited SOP V1 here) Compiled: www.sdaapostasy.org