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**Sermon – The Beastly Media – 3<sup>rd</sup> message of being wise as snakes.**

**Scripture – Daniel 7:19-26, Revelation 13:1-10,**

**Main Message – The worldly message given is carefully controlled by people we will never know, but they know us.**

We no longer live in a world where news is just news. It comes with opinions. Since everyone has an opinion, people are going to migrate to their favorite variety, which means the one that make them the most comfortable. We are all given a carefully crafted choice: this one, or that one. Its always the same topic being discussed, but spun to get the ratings of their chosen viewership.

There is a new and unprecedented evil that has become a covert kingdom in the world and it is the media. From your local TV station to the big networks with 24/7 programming to newspapers and big tech. There are two companies that have a large controlling interest in nearly all media: Blackrock and Vanguard. Because they have such a large controlling interest in all forms of media, they are able to hire, control and craft a message thereby manipulating the masses – often pitting one side against the other. Blackrock is the worlds largest money manager at 9.5 trillion dollars. That is bigger than any bank and more than the GDP of most countries. When you get to this level of money you are able to control and manipulate pretty much anything. In fact, these people feel obligated to control carefully everything you hear.

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The part of the Bible we all love is when it discusses the KINGDOM of HEAVEN and the power and authority of our Lord Jesus Christ. This part is filled with truth, honesty, righteousness and purity and all other good words we can think of. The part of the Bible we don't like to think about is the warning about the evil that exists in the Kingdom of Men and the Beast and the enemy of us all, Satan. The prophets in the Old and New testament were given visions which they recorded so that we could be warned.

**Read Daniel 7 and Rev 13 references.**

You and hopefully all Christians are able to hear about this warning. You are able to read God's word and learn what we need to know to be wise in this world. Today, many are not hearing the Word of Truth, nor are even aware that there exists a truth that transcends all others. They only hear the authority from the power that is in the world.

Whoever is not filled with the Holy Spirit and sealed by HIS WORD is at great risk for falling victim to the carefully crafted message by the Beast and the Authority symbolized by the HORN of Evil which communicates the message that hold power and authority in the earth at this time.