

Meeting the Red Horse Angel: Visitation

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In 1982 while a student in YWAM (Youth with a Mission) in Honolulu, Hawaii in their DTS (Discipleship Training School) program, I was somewhat distressed because the team leadership would not let us as students get involved in any local churches. I knew instinctively unless the churches were involved, there would be no revival and this was the intent of the YWAM mission – to facilitate revival. I wandered in the evening after dark into a big park in downtown Honolulu which were adjacent to the capital building. While I was praying about this concern, I was approached from behind by a horse. This was downtown Honolulu and no horses would ever expect to be there. I came up to me about 2 feet away and looked at me.

I looked at the face of the horse which was sorrel in color and saw that its eyes were located on the front of its face and not on the sides. This animal or whatever it was had human like eyes and not the eyes of a horse. The horse then spoke to me these words. "I am one of the horses that goes to and fro upon the earth. I am here to ask you how you would report of the things here in Hawaii." I thought for a moment then began complaining about how YWAM would not let me work closely with the Episcopal Cathedral. He then looked into my eyes and said, "I will return here again in a year's time." The red horse then left... just walked away. I was left with my mouth open still amazed at what just happened.

It was hard for me to say this horse was real as in flesh and blood or real as a spirit being. I later did research on horses and found in Zachariah chapters 1 and 4 where the red horse is mentioned. He is identified as an angel along with three other horses of a different color who also look like horses and are sent from the throne of YHWH to wander the earth to monitor the peace that exists in the world. The concern is whether judgment is due upon the evil nations for their rejection of the prophets and their ill treatment of true genetic Israel. In Zachariah, the angels ask how long will Israel remain in exile and under the bondage of slavery while the gentile nations that brought this upon them remained unpunished. They are told to wait yet a little longer.

It seems these angels are still waiting since true Israel has not yet returned to the Holy Land promised to Abraham, Isaac and Jacob (Israel) since their exile during the occupation of Babylon in circa 500 BCE. I have often wondered why this angelic horse would ask me what I thought. I am now just beginning to understand why. The return of true Israel of the seed of Jacob (Israel) is soon upon us and will occur before the return of Messiah Y'Shua.

Note: YWAM in Kailua-Kona, Hawaii was the inheritor of a major spiritual revival among the hippies known as the Pilgrim Fellowship that swept the big Island during the early 1970's into the 1980's. They carried on with this mission in training people for missions for a few years until they became more interested in money and acquiring properties rather than focusing on the simplicity of missions.