

# A Short Work

“As He says also in Hosea: "I will call them My people, who were not My people, And her beloved, who was not beloved." "And it shall come to pass in the place where it was said to them, '[You are] not My people,' There they shall be called sons of the living God." Isaiah also cries out concerning Israel: "Though the number of the children of Israel be as the sand of the sea, The remnant will be saved. For He will finish the work and cut [it] short in righteousness, Because the LORD will make a short work upon the earth.” (Ro 9:25-28 NKJV)

His work is to be short upon the earth. That is the first thing that tells us His timetable is very different from ours. He will make a short work upon the earth, but what is short to the infinite God may not seem short to us.

Our inability to evaluate things from a divine perspective dulls our vision. The brevity of life is startling. However long God's work will last here on earth, we know from Scripture it is in the last phase. He indicates these days are the last days in Acts 2.17; Heb 1.2; 2 Pet 3.3.

The time for salvation is now. I heard from someone, who escapes my memory, [a frequent event now] that Satan's greatest ploy is not to convince people that there is no God, or that there is no hell, but that there is plenty of time. No my dear friend time is short. It is short for you and it is short for this world.

If you have doubts about your salvation, seek true peace. Beware of false peace. It has extreme highs and low lows with frequent peaks and valleys. The soul that finds false peace has not repented, but has remorse over its desperate situation. Once it finds a measure of hope through some form of asceticism it returns to its vomit like a dog. This cycle keeps its victim busy chasing after wind. Turn from your sin and turn to God and the cycle will be broken.

God has His remnant to save. You can be a part of that remnant if you will forsake your wickedness and love the Lord Jesus Christ and the One who sent Him. Anything less than a total commitment of soul, is a deception that will lead to your ruin. I pray you are not deceived for the work is short.