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A special report from the editors of the Jim Paris Bible Prophecy & Survival Report.

“Listen, I tell you a mystery: We will not all sleep, but we will all be changed—in a flash, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed.” (1 Corinthians 15:51–52)

James L. Paris: Hi this is Jim Paris, and this video report that you’re about to see deals with perhaps one of the strangest topics that I’ve ever addressed in my professional career. People from around the world are reporting hearing sounds that resemble the sound of a trumpet coming from the sky. These reports are coming in from all over the world. Of course, just like you, I am skeptical when I hear something like this. But the videos you’re about to see are very compelling, including news reports where multiple witnesses are reporting hearing these sounds. Another reason why I take a particular interest in this topic is because I’m a former professional trumpet player, so I wanted to take a look at this idea that this could be apocalyptic trumpets. The Bible talks about, in the last days, the rapture and the trumpet of God—and nobody knows what the trumpet of God sounds like. But I’ll tell you what, when you watch these videos and listen to the sound, if you’re like me it will probably give you chills. One of the things I found especially fascinating—and you’ll see a clip of this in the video—is a secular radio show called Coast to Coast AM—that’s on 600 radio stations around the country—dedicated three hours of a recent broadcast to this whole topic of apocalyptic trumpets. Take a look at the video and be a judge for yourself.

[Begin Coast to Coast AM broadcast]

George Noory: In a moment reporter Linda Moulton Howe joins us with a story that is just so strange—so important—we’ve devoting at least two thirds of her night-to-night to try to unravel this story about the strange sounds—this hum—that people apparently are hearing all around the planet. One of the strangest stories I have ever, ever heard about.

Linda Moulton Howe: We're talking about, maybe now, fifty-some YouTube videos circulating from many places in North America.

George Noory: All over the place, yeah.

Linda Moulton Howe: And from different places around the world. These strange sounds have been recorded over the past years since at least March 2011, but no one was paying any attention until January of 2012 when someone started doing montages, gathering up from the previous months. Some strange sounds are described by listeners like trumpets or horns, almost musical in quality.

[End Coast to Coast AM broadcast]

[live footage of "trumpet" sound in Banff, Alberta, Canada, on Jan. 21 2012]

[live footage of "trumpet" sound in Kiev, Ukraine, on Aug. 11, 2011]

[Begin Canadian Television; Jan. 20, 2012]

Anchorwoman: There's been a lot of buzz over the last few weeks about strange sounds being heard in the atmosphere. People around the world—and here at home—have reported some bizarre noises. The latest were recorded in the Battlefords last weekend. John Baglieri has more on this strange occurrence that could have a very logical explanation.

John Baglieri: It came in many forms last Sunday night. To some it sounded like trumpets. To others, a mariners home. North Battlford's mayor says he can't explain it.

Mayor: What I was hearing was what I experienced as a possibly of scraping.

John Baglieri: Mike Halstead, who was lying in bed when his phone rang-- Call and text messages came in from his friends. They too had similar experiences.

Mike Halstead: That's when the goosebumps got me. I kind of thought, that's awfully strange.

John Baglieri: The next day the local radio station The Rock got flooded with over forty calls and Facebook messages—each person wanting to know what that sound was last night.

The Rock DJ: I don't think I ever had a response that big about something. It's interesting, our human nature. People just wanna know what the sounds are.

John Baglieri: It's now days later and the city is still a buzz with talk about the sounds; everybody with their own guess, estimation, or explanation as to where they came from.

Mike Halstead: I've heard, "Jesus is coming back." I've heard that it's 2012: the world is ending.

John Baglieri: This phenomenon stretched beyond North Battleford. Similar experiences were reported in Saskatoon, Northern Saskatchewan, and parts of the U.S.—even in Europe. U of S professor Jean-Pierre St. Maurice says there is a natural explanation.

Jean-Pierre St. Maurice: Somehow they're picking up noise from an environmental antenna that happens to be there: that is, electro-magnetic noise. Nice natural noise. But really, actually, it's not a noise. It's electro-magnetic waves emitted from the aurora above our head, or emitted from the radiation belts a bit more to the south.

John Baglieri: Maurice says it's normal and that there's nothing to worry about. Whether a scientific explanation will satisfy all those people who say they heard something they can't explain is up in the air. John Baglieri. CTV News. North Battleford.

[End Canadian Television; Jan. 20, 2012]

James L. Paris: When many people think about a trumpet—and I've gotten a lot of questions from people who've seen me post links to some of these people—they say, "Jim that doesn't

sound like a trumpet to me.” They’re thinking in terms of a modern day trumpet, not what in Bible days would be a trumpet, which is what I have here in my hands. This is called a shofar, and it makes a very different sound than a modern day trumpet. I want to demonstrate this for you today. Being a former professional trumpet player, this whole story was right up my alley. So let me give you a quick demonstration of what a shofar actually does sound like.

[blows shofar]

A shofar like this would be used in biblical times to sound a warning, maybe of an approaching army. You would be warned of that with a trumpet sound like this. I found it interesting that this sound, in many of these videos, does seem to have the quality of a shofar more than that of a modern day trumpet (at least from what I can hear).

[Begin Skype conversation with L.A. Marzulli, Bible Prophecy Expert, from Malibu, CA]

L.A. Marzulli: There’s some new developments, one in particular, and we’re trying to track this down. WWAY TV in Charlotte, NC, posted a story-- They interviewed a gentleman who was hearing these loud booms that were shaking not only his house but the entire neighborhood. This guy went on the record, and we’re trying to track that down to see if we can track to them.

Linda Moulton Howe also did an exposé on Coast to Coast recently about some of these sounds. Some of them are definitely hoaxes. Some guys are taking sound clips from movies, running them through amplifiers, and then taking video while the sounds are being heard—while they’re broadcasting the sound—and then they hang their video camera out, or a cell phone, and go, “Wow listen to these strange sounds,” and then go post them on YouTube. We get that. But then conversely to that we’ve got strange sounds being heard in Ireland—this strange hum, which has been going on now for months unabated, combined with the booms off the coast of North Carolina. What are we looking at here? We’ve mentioned the Canadian TV. We’ve also looked into that.

So there are hoaxes, no doubt about it. But there also seems to be some real phenomena going on here, which so far no one has been able to figure out what we’re really looking at. Is it like-- Lemme throw some quick theories out to you. Is it the fact that the veil, let’s say, between our reality and the super reality, which we would call the supernatural, is becoming thinner? Are we starting to see an interface between these dimensions? Remember it says in the book of

Revelation that the New Jerusalem descends from the sky. We're not anywhere near that yet. But the bottom line is this: we know that from some time there is a definitive interface between those. Going back in the Revelation we also see that Satan is cast down to earth. Woe to the inhabitants of the earth because the devil, the dragon, Satan your adversary has been cast to earth and he knows his time is short. Right, about all this stuff in the cosmic chess match. But we see again an interface, a dramatic interface, between the supernatural, and here we are in the natural, the earth. Of course when you see Jesus rides in on that white horse with the armies of heaven, believe me, I believe that is literal. It's not metaphor or an allegory. It's literal. He comes riding in. That is the ultimate interface between the supernatural and the natural. So this stuff is going on. We're told specifically that there will be signs in the heavens and the earth, earthquakes, wars, famines. We're seeing all this. But what are the signs in the heaven and earth? We're getting comets; we're getting all these weird solar flares. Certainly these sounds could be part of that mix. That's what we're trying to track down. We're gonna probably do a whole segment on it in Watchers 4, that we're working on right now.

James L. Paris: Now in Jewish history the sound of the trumpet, which many people today think in terms of a modern day trumpet—I happen to be a trumpet player and I know that the sound of a shofar sounds a lot different than the sound of a trumpet—But the sound of a trumpet was used as a warning. You know, we don't have any reference biblically that we'll hear random trumpet sounds in the last days just all over the world. But I have to sort of speculate and think, well, if we really are in the last days, could this not be legitimately a sign from the heavens—a warning? As we've seen all throughout Scripture, the trumpet is used as a warning signal. None of us knows what the trumpet of God sounds like; we've never heard it before. So there's a possibility—at least in my mind—that maybe this could be some sort of supernatural warning from God that we are entering into those final days.

L.A. Marzulli: And look-- That's certainly from our particular worldview, and our paradigm. That's where we go. We look at the phenomena and process it through a biblical, prophetic, lens. That's what we do. So when we hear stuff like this, immediately we factor everything through our paradigm. And there's nothing wrong with that because everyone has a worldview; everyone has a paradigm which they are operating under. And I believe our paradigm—and I realize this

can sound narrow minded—without thumping the Bible, I believe our paradigm is the correct one. The reason why I do that is because our tome, our Book, alone has a thread of prophecy that runs from the book of Genesis to Revelation. 100% accuracy. 100% of the time. We have the only book on this planet that has that. Period. The only book that has it. So that’s just one of the reasons—of course being born from above and being Spirit-filled is another reason—why I truly believe and filter everything through that paradigm of a biblical, prophetic lens. I think there may be a natural explanation for this and there may be a supernatural explanation. We can’t rush into it. In the meantime we continue to investigate, talking to people, listening to the stuff that’s on tape, and dismissing the one’s that are hoaxes, and try to get to the bottom of what is causing the ones that seem to be real.

James L. Paris: What really got my attention on this—I’ve been kinda watching these videos and hearing this story for some months now—was when Coast to Coast AM—which I know they do enter into spiritual issues, but is really a secular radio program—devoted three hours of their show to talk about this. And repeatedly you hear the phrase *apocalyptic trumpets, trumpets of Revelation*, these kind of things. That just gives me chills when I think about the fact that here is a secular radio show that is on like 600 radio stations around the country, and people are listening to this, and there’s this discussion just even asking the question, “are these the trumpet sounds of the end times?” Just the idea that people are discussing that, to me, gives me chills, gives me the feeling that we are in the end times.

L.A. Marzulli: For instance, like George Noory-- I’ve been on his show about a dozen times, and I consider George a friend. I’ve never met him face-to-face, but I consider him a friend. Every time I’m on that show, there’s always a rapport between the two of us. George just kind of goes, “wow there’s a lot of information here.” The bottom line is that our book, the Bible, I believe is the only tome—I have said this already but I’m going to say it again slightly differently—that really deals in a very comprehensive way with all the phenomena that we are seeing right now, with great specificity. For example, we know in Matthew 24 there will be wars, and rumors of wars, famines and pestilence, earthquakes in diverse places, and troublesome times. We go to Luke where it says that men faint from fear for what is coming upon the earth. The powers of heaven will be shaken. Come on. This stuff is literal. We read this stuff over and

over and over again year after year, and it begins to lose its pithiness, if I can use that word. It begins to lose some of the intensity, because-- well we've heard that before, nothing has happened, turn the page. We forget that these are all incredible supernatural events. When the powers of heaven are shaken, that should send shivers down our spine.

[End Skype conversation with L.A. Marzulli, Bible Prophecy Expert, from Malibu, CA]

James L. Paris: So what exactly are these sounds that we're hearing from the sky? Well we can't be certain exactly what they are, but it is exciting to consider that this could be the beginning of the countdown to the very end of days and the return of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. I'm Jim Paris for the Bible Prophecy & Survival Report.

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