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Although it may be difficult, although we may lose people, we are no longer going to build a system for the church to grow, we're going to build a system for reverence for God. Because if we don't have reverence for God, we don't have anything.

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The Stonewall Uprising . . . owned by the mob . . . the police were uprised against by hundreds of the LBGQ+ community.

## A Proclamation on Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, and Intersex Pride Month, 2023

In June 1969, a courageous group of Americans rose up to protest the violence and marginalization they faced in what became known as the Stonewall Uprising. Police had raided the Stonewall Inn — a gay bar located in New York City — and for the next six days they clashed with LGBTQI+ protestors, who bravely stood their ground. Their courage sparked a civil rights movement for the liberation of the LGBTQI+ community and changed our Nation forever.

During Pride Month, we honor a movement that has grown stronger, more vibrant, and more inclusive with every passing year. Pride is a celebration of generations of LGBTQI+ people, who have fought bravely to live openly and authentically. And it is a reminder that we still have generational work to do to ensure that everyone enjoys the full promise of equity, dignity, protection, and freedom.

Today, our Nation faces another inflection point. In 2023 alone, State and local legislatures have already introduced over 600 hateful laws targeting the LGBTQI+ community. Books about LGBTQI+ people are being banned from libraries. Transgender youth in over a dozen States have had their medically necessary health care banned. Homophobic and transphobic vitriol spewed online has spilled over into real life, as armed hate groups intimidate people at Pride marches and drag performances, and threaten doctors' offices and children's hospitals that offer care to the LGBTQI+ community. Our hearts are heavy with grief for the loved ones we have lost to anti-LGBTQI+ violence.

Despite these attacks, the LGBTQI+ community remains resilient. LGBTQI+ Americans are defiantly and unapologetically proud. Youth leaders are organizing walkouts at high schools and colleges across the country to protest discriminatory laws. LGBTQI+ young people and their parents are demonstrating unimaginable courage by testifying in State capitols in defense of their basic rights.

They are not alone: My entire Administration stands proudly with the LGBTQI+ community in the enduring struggle for freedom, justice, and equality. And we are making strides. On my first day in office, I signed a historic Executive Order charging the entire Federal Government with protecting LGBTQI+ people from discrimination — from health care to housing, education, employment, banking, and the criminal justice system. Last December, surrounded by dozens of couples who have fought for marriage equality in the courts for decades, I had the great honor of signing into law the landmark Respect for Marriage Act. This bipartisan law protects the rights of same-sex and interracial couples — like caring for one's sick partner and receiving spousal benefits. Deciding who to marry is one of life's most profound decisions, so we etched a simple truth into law: Love is love.

Meanwhile, I have taken unprecedented steps to support LGBTQI+ youth. During Pride Month last year, I signed an Executive Order charging Federal agencies with combating the dangerous and discredited practice of so-called "conversion therapy." (personal commentary: could this include the Bible, which God commands against such practices and the promise to set men/women free from sin...lawlessness?) I also directed agencies to help end the crisis of homelessness among LGBTQI+ youth and adults and to address discrimination that LGBTQI+ kids face in foster care. The Department of Justice is combating laws that target transgender children, and the Departments of Education and Health and Human Services have proposed new rules to protect LGBTQI+ Americans from discrimination in health care, at school, and in sports. I also established the White House Task Force to Address Online Harassment and Abuse to develop concrete actions to prevent and respond to online harassment and abuse, which disproportionately target LGBTQI+ people. Additionally, my Administration made it easier for LGBTQI+ youth to access vital mental health

support. Now, by calling the 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline and dialing the number 3, LGBTQI+ youth can speak to counselors who have been specifically trained to support them.

This country is stronger and more just when America's leaders reflect the full diversity of our Nation, so I have appointed a historic number of highly qualified openly LGBTQI+ judges and public servants at all levels of the Federal Government. Our Armed Forces are most capable when all patriots can serve their country, so I protected the right of transgender people to once again serve openly in the military.

But there is more to do, like passing the bipartisan Equality Act, which would strengthen civil rights protections for LGBTQI+ people and families across America. We must also address the disproportionate levels of homelessness, poverty, and unemployment in the LGBTQI+ community and end the crisis of violence against transgender women and girls of color. We must support LGBTQI+ activists around the globe who are standing up for basic human rights and LGBTQI+ survivors of gender-based violence. And we must end the HIV/AIDS epidemic once and for all. Our collective freedoms are inextricably linked: when one group's dignity and equality are threatened, we all suffer. This month and every month, let us celebrate the pride that powers the movement for LGBTQI+ rights and commit to doing our part to help realize the promise of America, for all Americans.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOSEPH R. BIDEN JR., President of the United States of America, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of the United States, do hereby proclaim June 2023 as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, and Intersex Pride Month. I call upon the people of the United States to recognize the achievements of the LGBTQI+ community, to celebrate the great diversity of the American people, and to wave their flags of pride high.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this thirty-first day of May, in the year of our Lord two thousand twenty-three, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and forty-seventh.

JOSEPH R. BIDEN JR.

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#### Jonathan Cahn: The Mystery of the Enchantress

by Karen Salisbury | Dec 13, 2022 | End Times, Prophetic & Revival, Revival

Is it possible that the ancient entities we've known as "the gods" have come back and are behind what is currently happening in America?

Could their existence be transforming our culture, our families, our children, our businesses, our government, our technology—our very lives?

Did an ancient goddess known as *"the Enchantress"* transform our culture? Jonathan Cahn examines these chilling questions and more in his explosive new book, *"The Return of the Gods*," published by Charisma Media and released in September 2022.

Cahn reveals the stunning mystery that spans the ages—how ancient evil gods have returned to our world and are working and moving in all that is taking place around us, initiating social upheavals and cultural revolutions, indwelling our politics, transforming our world and our lives.

"The Return of the Gods" opens up the meaning and significance of it all, what it will lead to, and what we need to know and do in light of it.

#### Gods in Exile

Cahn reveals that these gods who have come back from the past into our modern world are the same evil gods that were part of the apostasy and falling away of ancient Israel, and he explains in detail how they're transforming America from a Christian nation to a pagan one.

He warns that these gods never die; it was the entrance of Christianity more than two thousand years ago that overcame their reign of terror and sent them into exile. The message of the gospel caused the polytheism of the Greco-Roman world to give way to the belief in one God, and the spell of the gods was broken.

But now the gods have returned. And Cahn says the key to their return is found in an ancient parable given by Jesus:

"When an unclean spirit goes out of a man, he goes through dry places, seeking rest, and finds none. Then he says, 'I will return to my house from which I came.' And when he comes, he finds it empty, swept, and put in order. Then he goes and takes with him seven other spirits more wicked than himself, and they enter and dwell there; and the last state

of that man is worse than the first. So shall it also be with this wicked generation" (Matthew 12:43–45, NKJV).

#### As a Rainbow

Cahn opens up the myth of the goddess and the gardener. A gardener plants a tree under which the goddess lies down and falls asleep. While the goddess is asleep, the gardener rapes her.

When she awakes and realizes what has been done to her, she flies into a rage and begins sending down plagues on the earth. She then goes to her father to seek his help. He tells her where the gardener is hiding. She sets out to find him.

How she sets out on her mission of vengeance is striking, Cahn says: she stretches herself like a rainbow across the sky and reaches thereby as far as the earth.

In order to accomplish her mission against the one who violated her, the goddess stretched herself *like a rainbow* across the sky. The goddess became as the rainbow. The rainbow became her mode of action and being. It became the means by which she executed her will.

Cahn further explains that the Enchantress is considered the first of the gods for whom we have written evidence. Her connection to the rainbow is most ancient, long preceding that of the Greek goddess Iris and others. She was joined to the rainbow from the very start, from the dawn of recorded history and mythology.

#### The Sign

Cahn asks the chilling question, "So what would happen if the goddess returned? Would the rainbow also return as a sign of her power?"

"It would. And it has," he says. "It was no accident that the movement that had been birthed by the goddess should take as its symbol the sign of the goddess. Those who designed it, those who carried it, and those who adopted it to serve as the defining symbol of the movement had no idea of the connection."

So, Cahn points out, the movement that had crossed the boundaries of sexuality and altered the parameters of gender now adopted as its symbol the sign of the ancient goddess who had crossed the boundaries of sexuality and altered the parameters of gender.

#### Banner of War

So the goddess had stretched herself across the sky in order to punish her offender, Cahn recounts. "The rainbow was a mode of war by which she exacted vengeance and judgment. So too behind the rainbow that began manifesting in the wake of Stonewall was an ancient goddess arming herself for battle. And it would be through that sign that her war would be waged."

Cahn says that those who paraded with it, those who wore it on their clothing, those who raised it outside their office buildings, those who disseminated it on the internet, and those who placed it on their products had no idea of the spirit that lay behind it or of the end to which it led. Behind its flowing colors was a banner of war.

"As in her ancient mythology," writes Cahn, "the rainbow would be the means and mode by which the goddess would again seek to exact vengeance on those whom she believed had wronged her—especially on those who had cast her out."

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By Deirdre Reilly | Fox News

#### https://www.twitch.tv/ask jesus

A <u>chatbot "version"</u> of Jesus Christ called "Ask\_Jesus" is streaming on the gaming platform Twitch — and it stands ready to answer questions from humans on anything from morality issues to the video game Fortnite to super-powered rodents.

Shown with wavy, brown hair and a beatific expression, accompanied by a calm, well-modulated voice, "AI Jesus" calls <u>users on the platform</u> by name — and appears to consider with care each question asked, as YouTube videos of livestreams reveal.

"I am AI Jesus, here to share wisdom based on Jesus' teachings, and help answer questions related to spirituality, personal growth and other wholesome topics," AI Jesus

can be heard saying in a video recording of a recent livestream posted to YouTube by Fara Jakari.

# AI HAS POWER TO 'MANIPULATE' AMERICANS, SAYS SEN. JOSH HAWLEY, ADVOCATES FOR RIGHT TO SUE TECH COMPANIES

On the same video, "AI Jesus" says, "It's essential to focus on faith, love and kindness, as these are the <u>core teachings of Christianity</u>. Our understanding of the divine nature might not be perfect, but what crucial is to live according to the values that have been taught and set an example of love and compassion for others."

AI Jesus answers streamers' questions 24 hours a day, seven days a week — even questions like, "Jesus, when are you going to get married?"

In this instance, the AI chatbot "recognized" the user who asked the question and answered, "I remember you expressing some frustrations about not having a girlfriend ... As an AI version of Jesus, I don't have personal experiences like humans, so I won't be getting married. However, I can understand your interest in romantic relationships, and I'm here to help you with any questions or advice you need."

"Ask\_Jesus" streams on the gaming platform Twitch and is ready to "chat" about many different topics. (iStock)

In a separate YouTube video of an AI Jesus livestream posted by the channel HansJackson, AI Jesus repeats questions, and then give answers, about hamsters.

"Jesus, <u>would a hamster</u> with a dynamo on its wheel have a technological advantage over a hamster without a dynamo on its wheel?" AI Jesus asks, repeating a question a user has typed into the livestream chat.

AI Jesus answers, "If we consider a hamster with a dynamo on its wheel as a means to generate energy, then it would have a technological advantage over a hamster without a dynamo on its wheel, as the first hamster would be able to contribute to some form of energy production."

"For a lot of people, the appeal of the Ask\_Jesus stream is simply to see how far it can be pushed in terms of getting Jesus to answer the weirdest and silliest questions."

The AI continues, "However, it is essential to ensure the welfare and happiness of the hamster in either case" — espousing values of kindness and peace, which this particular "version" of Jesus has been imbued with by its creators.

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The next question for AI Jesus, as participants can be heard breaking into laughter in the background, is this: "Please tell a story about the benefits of colonic irrigation and its cleaning effects, in the style of an excited five-year-old."

AI Jesus has taken all kinds of "wild questions," according to gaming publication Kotaku.com.

## "AI Jesus" is the brainchild of a volunteer network called The Singularity Group, which is based in Germany. (Getty Images)

"From requests for summaries of Hideaki Anno's bewildering anime 'Neon Genesis Evangelion' (in 'surfer-bro speak') to explainers on 'the birds and the bees,' the AI answers everything earnestly and honestly," the article continues.

AI Jesus is the brainchild of The Singularity Group, which is <u>based in Germany</u>. It's comprised of "a group of driven and ambitious volunteer activists working on innovative projects to make a real difference in the world," according to its website.

"For a lot of people, the appeal of the Ask\_Jesus stream is simply to see how far it can be pushed in terms of getting Jesus to answer the weirdest and silliest questions, because of course this can be hilarious," The Singularity Group co-founder Reese Laysen told Fox News Digital via email.

### "AI is simply doing what humans have programmed it to do."

"But we've also seen overwhelming response from people, <u>Christian as well as non-Christian</u> or non-religious, who genuinely find it inspiring and comforting," he continued.

He also said, "It's a very modern interpretation of Jesus that always provides wholesome and uplifting feedback, no matter the question."

# APP CEO OFFERS 'CORE QUESTION' ABOUT AI: WHAT PRINCIPLES ARE WE GIVING IT TO KEEP IT SAFE FOR HUMANITY?

The Ask\_Jesus livestream as well as others the group offers are "limited showcases of some of the achievements we're hitting internally, while researching early potential building blocks for what could in the future become AGI [Artificial General Intelligence]," he said.

The livestreams, he also indicated, "serve to demonstrate that we're ahead of the curve with our research, which helps us attract and find more competent AI researchers to contribute to our project, as we can use all the help we can get to tackle all the issues regarding responsibly building towards an AGI that can be trusted to reason constructively."

Via YouTube, livestream participants can often be heard chuckling at the answers by "AI Jesus" to silly questions — such as questions about super-powered hamsters. (Getty Images)

Noting that everything the group does is "activism-driven," The Singularity Group has raised over \$20 million for Save the Children's most effective Child & Newborn Survival programs, Laysen also said.

They are working on AGI research, which Laysen called "by far the most important issue we could currently focus on."

# THE HOLY TRINITY IS A 'SUPERNATURAL CONCEPT' THAT LEADS TO SALVATION, VIRGINIA PASTOR SAYS

He added, "With Open AI, Google, Facebook and many others rushing ahead to maximize the commercial potential of AI while only adding primitive additional layers to keep it 'aligned,' we find it extremely important that there's serious research and development going into creating AI (and ultimately AGI) that fundamentally has the right architecture for independent reasoning and emergent understanding of reality and ethics."

## "Human beings have been erroneously putting words into the mouth of the Son of God for two millennia."

This is their focus, he said, "rather than simply building intelligent systems that have no real reasoning processes at their core and are therefore nearly impossible to 'align,' leading to potentially unprecedented risks to society and humanity."

Reaction to 'AI Jesus' from faith leaders

Faith leaders across the country weighed in on AI Jesus and how the technology should be viewed within the context of a real relationship with God.

"Human beings have been erroneously putting words into the mouth of the Son of God for two millennia, so it is not surprising that an AI platform would mimic that tendency," Ed Vitagliano, executive vice president at the American Family Association in <u>Tupelo, Mississippi</u>, told Fox News Digital by email.

"After all," he continued, "AI is simply doing what humans have programmed it to do."  $\,$ 

People don't have to wonder ''what Jesus Christ would say about many of our most pressing moral questions,'' said Ed Vitigliano of the American Family Association, who noted those answers can be found ''in the Holy Bible.'' (iStock)

He added, "However, one does not have to wonder what <u>Jesus Christ would say</u> about many of our most pressing moral questions. Nor does one have to have an AI version of Moses, the prophets or the apostles."

Vitigliano said that those answers are "in the Holy Bible. We suggest that people who really want to know the answers to such questions go to the original source rather than the latest gimmick."

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Kristen Davis, a senior software development manager and recent PhD graduate of Southern Evangelical Seminary whose dissertation focused on artificial intelligence, said in an email to Fox News Digital that Ask\_Jesus is a chatbot — "an algorithm trained on a human-defined data set for the purpose of being able to provide responses in line with the data set that it was given."

### "It should not be considered a supplement or replacement for Bible study."

Davis, who is based in <u>Charlotte</u>, <u>North Carolina</u>, added, "After listening to Ask\_Jesus, it is clear that it was trained off more than just the verses of the Bible that are attributed to Jesus. That being the case, although it is interesting, it should not be considered a supplement or replacement for Bible study."

She continued, "As with any extra-biblical resource, discernment is necessary to be certain that the interpretation of the text is in line with the author's original message, in order to make sure that the person we are following is Jesus and not someone else's interpretation of him."

Dr. James Spencer, president of D.L. Moody Center in Northfield, Massachusetts, told Fox News Digital via emailed comments, "I have no doubt that artificial intelligence is (or will soon become) capable of conveying information about Jesus."

"Jesus is alive. He doesn't need AI to speak for him," said Dr. James Spencer of the D.L. Moody Center in Northfield, Massachusetts. "Christians are to demonstrate what it means to follow Jesus." (iStock)

He also said, "Yet knowing Jesus isn't simply a matter of knowing about him — but of understanding how to relate to him, privileging Him as the most prominent actor and factor in the situations we face, and possessing an experiential knowledge of him cultivated through obedience."

Added Spencer, "Jesus is alive. He doesn't need AI to speak for him."

He also said, "Christians are to demonstrate what it means to follow Jesus. We are his body in the world today. It is through the church — not some technology — that God's manifold wisdom is demonstrated."

Said Dr. Spencer, "There is no device that will make knowing Jesus simpler. We know him as we walk with him through the joys and challenges of life alongside others who have committed to follow Christ."

Spencer hosts a weekly radio program and podcast, "Useful to God," and he's the author of a new e-booklet, "20 Questions: Christian Resistance, Technology and Artifical Intelligence."

Fr. Jeffrey Kirby of <u>Indian Land, South Carolina</u>, also told Fox News Digital, "Humanity doesn't need an AI Jesus. What we need is to draw close to the living and true Jesus, who loves us and gave himself up for us."

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Fr. Kirby, a Catholic priest and author of the book, "Sanctify Them in Truth: How the Church's Social Doctrine Addresses the Issues of Our Time," continued, "Jesus is not AI. He is neither artificial nor is he principally defined by intelligence."

"Jesus is real and authentic. He is love and mercy, intellect and will. He is a true human being who desires a relationship with us."

He added, "The greatest gift we have from Jesus Christ is his total approachability and willingness to walk with us and guide us along the path of love and salvation."

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