#204 The 'Little Horn' Fifth Beast – From Washington (July 4, 1776) to the Washington Monument (July 4, 1848)



Washington, representing the uprooting of the *first* horn, England Key Understanding: *The fifth, fifth, fifth beast.* As concerns the rise of the 'Little Horn' Fifth Beast, there are obvious bookends of "Washington to Washington." George Washington was the key person in the uprooting of Great Britain, the *first* horn, to *begin* the fulfillment of the prophecy of Daniel 7:8. Then, the monument to honor George Washington for his uprooting of the *first* horn – the 555-foot-tall Washington Monument – had its

cornerstone laid on July 4, 1848, the day of the uprooting of the *third* horn, Spain-Mexico, which was providing an *ending* to the fulfillment of the prophecy of Daniel 7:8.



The Washington Monument, representing the uprooting of the *third* horn, Spain-Mexico



In addition, the cornerstone was laid on July 4, 1848, with the same trowel that George Washington had used to lay the cornerstone of the U.S. Capitol on September 18, 1793. [However, engineers found the ground too soft, and moved the site to the north.]

This trowel was first used by General Washington at the laying of the cornerstone of the National Capitol in 1793. It was used a

second time for the laying of the cornerstone of the Smithsonian Institution in 1846, and shortly afterward for the



laying of the cornerstone of the Washington Monument on July 4, 1848. It was used by President Roosevelt in 1907 for the laying of the cornerstone of the Masonic Temple in Washington D.C., and, on November 1, 1923, at

the laying of the cornerstone of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial at Alexandria, Va., by Acting Grand Master Charles H. Callahan of Virginia, assisted by the President of the United States and representatives of Grand Lodges throughout the United States. http://www.alexandria.lib.va.us/lhsc_online_exhibits/postcard/memorial.html

Daniel 7:8 (KJV) I considered the [ten] horns, and behold, there came up among them another <u>LITTLE HORN</u> [a Fifth Beast, the United States of America], before whom there were <u>THREE OF THE FIRST HORNS</u> [England, France, and Spain, uprooted by Mexico, which was then uprooted by the United States in the 1846-1848 Mexican War] <u>PLUCKED UP BY THE ROOTS</u>: and, behold, in this horn were eyes like the eyes of man, and <u>A MOUTH SPEAKING GREAT THINGS</u>.

Further Clarification: As concerns the particular fulfillment of prophecy of Daniel 7:8, it works to use *England* and *Great Britain* interchangeably. This is a good time to explain the difference between *England*, *Great Britain*, and the *United Kingdom*.

England is in the southern and eastern part of the island of Great Britain. The island of Great Britain is also composed of Wales and Scotland.

In 1536, England and *Wales* were joined under one system of government by Henry VIII. Yet Wales is still considered a country today, though a part of Great Britain and the United Kingdom.

In 1707, *Great Britain* was formed when England and Wales united with *Scotland*. The history of England then became part of the history of Great Britain.

In 1801, the *United Kingdom* was formed, when *Ireland* was joined with Great Britain (which consisted of England, Wales, and Scotland). The formal name was the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

In 1921, the southern and largest part of Ireland, mostly Roman Catholic, gained independence from the United Kingdom (and Great Britain) to become the Irish Free State, and eventually the Republic of Ireland, as it is known today. Northern Ireland, mostly Protestant, remained in the United Kingdom, which was renamed the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.



Thus, the official name of what most people call *Great Britain*, or the *United Kingdom*, or simply *Britain*, is the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

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