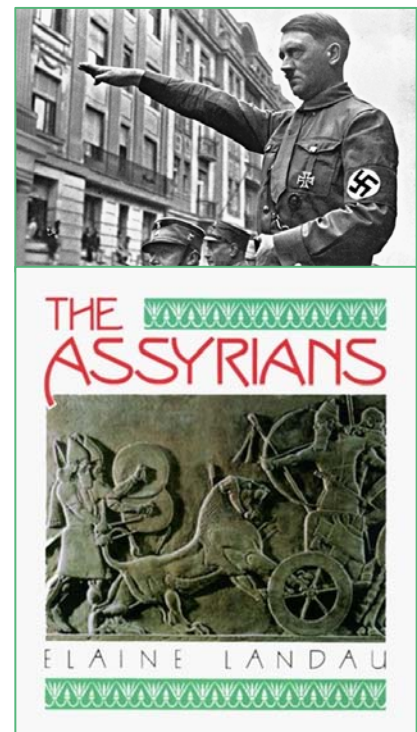


#1895 The Yom Kippur War and the Abomination of Desolation – The post-World War II U.S. waxing great toward the South and toward the East as a *second* Syria/Antiochus IV Epiphanes, part 154, *An Angel riding in the Whirlwind and directing the Storm: The Micah 5:5 Assyrian vs. the Micah 5:5 Seven Shepherds, (xxviii), Hitler as “the Assyrian” vs. Churchill’s land of Great Britain, and Hitler as “the Assyrian” vs. Bethlehem-birthed Stephen Vincent Benet’s ‘Four Freedoms’ America*

Review (from Unsealing [#1869](#)): The Lord ordained the adversaries of the United States in its wars throughout the course of its history – Great Britain in the Revolutionary War, **Nazi Germany in World War II**, the Soviet Union in the Cold War, and Saddam Hussein-led Iraq in the Gulf War and the Iraq War – to be in the role of *second* Assyrias, or representative of “the Assyrian.”

Key Understanding #1: *Hitler as “the Assyrian.”* While the chief example of the counterfeit fulfillment of the seven shepherds vs. “the Assyrian” in Micah 5:5 is the Mercury Seven vs. the **Soviet Union** in the **Cold War** space race, **Adolf Hitler and Nazi Germany** also played the role of “the Assyrian” of Micah 5:5 in **World War II** against both Churchill’s Great Britain and the ‘Four Freedoms’ Western Star United States.



Since it is fairly easy to see Hitler’s Nazi Germany attempting to tread within Churchill-led Great Britain’s borders, let’s move on to see Hitler as the “the Assyrian” vs. the ‘Four Freedoms’ United States. The ‘Four Freedoms’ are chosen as the appropriate representation of America opposing “the Assyrian” Hitler because **Stephen Vincent Benet**, whose essay on *Freedom from Fear* appeared in the edition of the Saturday Evening Post of March 13, 1943, the date of his death, **was born in Bethlehem** (Pennsylvania), for the purpose of confirming the role of the United States as a *Western Star* counterfeit redeemer of the world.

Key Understanding #2: *Micah 5:2 and Micah 5:5-6.* The key is seeing that (i) **the prophecy of the birth of Jesus Christ in Bethlehem** and (ii) **“the Assyrian” vs. the seven shepherds** occur in the same passage.

Micah 5:2, 5-6 (KJV) But thou, BETHLEHEM Ephratah, though thou be little among the thousands of Judah, yet out of thee shall he come forth unto me that is to be ruler in Israel; whose goings forth have been from of old, from everlasting.

5 And this man shall be the peace, WHEN THE ASSYRIAN SHALL COME INTO OUR

LAND: and when he shall tread in our palaces, THEN WE SHALL RAISE AGAINST HIM SEVEN SHEPHERDS, and eight principal men.

6 And they shall waste the land of Assyria with the sword, and the land of Nimrod in the entrances thereof: THUS SHALL HE DELIVER US FROM THE ASSYRIAN, when he cometh into our land, and when he treadeth within our borders.

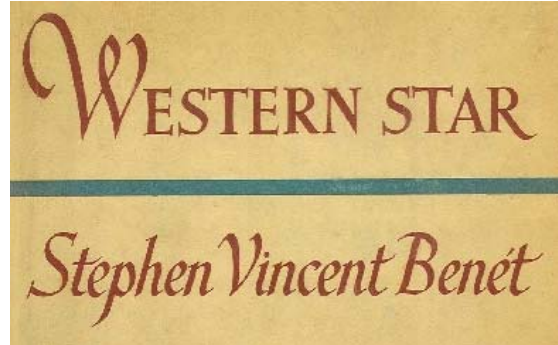
Below is a review of the main body of Unsealing [#1687](#).

Western Star. When Stephen Vincent Benet died at the age of 44 on March 13, 1943, the very date of the edition of the *Saturday Evening Post* that



Stephen Vincent Benet

contained his essay on Freedom from Fear, he was in the beginning stages of his work titled *Western Star*, which was an epic narrative poem (several books) on the settling of America. In 1944, he was awarded a posthumous Pulitzer Prize for *Western Star*.



Key Understanding (of Unsealing #1687): *Western Star* and *Epiphany, January 6, 1941*. *Western Star* is obviously referring to the rise of America – like a rising sun, or rising star. The United States of America was/is the Western Star. Moreover, because *Western Star* was written by Stephen Vincent Benet, who died on the date of the *Saturday Evening Post* edition that contained his essay on the final of the Four Freedoms, *Western Star* is attached to the Four Freedoms of Epiphany, January 6, 1941. This makes total sense for the rise of America as the Western Star is as such because it is the world's Shrine of Democracy, epitomized by the Four Freedoms.

***Matthew 2:1-2 (KJV)* Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judaea in the days of Herod the king, behold, there came wise men [Magi] from the east to Jerusalem, 2 Saying, Where is he that is born King of the Jews? For we have seen his STAR IN THE EAST, and are come to worship him.**



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