

## Acts 17:6

*But when they did not find them, they dragged Jason and some brethren to the rulers of the city, crying out, "These who have turned the world upside down have come here too."*

Have you been disrupting things lately? Let me make myself a little more clear. Have you been speaking against the evil of this world and proclaiming the truth of God's word?

When you do you are disrupting things. The world seems to have its comfort zone and if you come along with God's word then you are disrupting their comfort zone.

The world wants to accept sex outside of marriage; if you speak against it you are disrupting their comfort zone.

The world wants homosexuality and same sex marriage; if you speak against it you are disrupting their comfort zone.

The world wants its movies and music glorifying sin; if you speak against it you are disrupting their comfort zone.

The world wants its parties and drugs and alcohol; if you speak against it you are disrupting their comfort zone.

This world wants it's own gods; if you speak against it you are disrupting their comfort zone.

When we proclaim God's word, we must understand that it's not us who are disrupting their comfort zone.

† **Psalm 146:9-10** *The LORD watches over the strangers; He relieves the fatherless and widow; But the way of the wicked He turns upside down. The LORD shall reign forever-- Your God, O Zion, to all generations. Praise the LORD!* (underlined for emphasis)

It's God and His word that turns the world upside down disrupting its comfort zone. We are just those who are proclaiming the truth wanting them to have a new comfort zone, which they can only find in Jesus Christ.

† **Psalm 119:76** *Let, I pray, Your merciful kindness be for my comfort, According to Your word to Your servant.*

† **Isaiah 12:1-3** *And in that day you will say: "O LORD, I will praise You; Though You were angry with me, Your anger is turned away, and You comfort me. Behold, God is my salvation, I will trust and not be afraid; 'For YAH, the LORD, is my strength and song; He also has become my salvation.' " Therefore with joy you will draw water From the wells of salvation.*

† **2 Corinthians 1:3-4** *Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies and God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our tribulation, that we may be able to comfort those who are in any trouble, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God.*