

Christian Pastor Handcuffed Mid-Sermon in Shocking Free Speech Crackdown

What happened on a street in Watford, England, should alarm every Christian and every defender of free speech across the Western world.

A pastor preaching the gospel in public was handcuffed, detained for 12 hours and investigated under “hate speech” laws while violent criminals, organized abuse networks and national scandals continue to expose the catastrophic failures of Britain’s political and law enforcement leadership.

Pastor Steve Maile, 66, says he was arrested while preaching in Watford on April 18 after discussing Islam and calling Muslims to salvation through Jesus Christ, according to Fox News Digital.

“It’s called inciting religious hatred – which is false,” Maile told Fox News Digital. “The cross of Christ is a message of hope, love, mercy, and reconciliation to a fallen world.. How could that be hate?”

Authorities arrested Ethan Adrian Armenta-Lagunas, 20, and Gabriel Alex Javier, 18, both of Salem. They face charges including first-degree assault, unlawful use of a weapon, criminal mischief and recklessly endangering another person.

Police said multiple firearms were allegedly discovered inside Armenta-Lagunas’ apartment during the investigation. Authorities are still searching for a third suspect, Anthony Taylor-Manriquez, 22, who is considered armed and dangerous.

Investigators said Garcia was leaving the restaurant with his wife and children, ages 2 and 7, when shots rang out near the drive-thru. Bullets shattered the family's car windows, though Garcia's wife and children escaped physical injury.

Yet amid the violence and fear, Garcia's actions became the story that captured widespread attention.

"In the middle of chaos and fear, while he was injured and in pain, he somehow found the strength to drive us out of the scene to safety," Garcia's wife wrote in an online fundraiser, according to Fox News. "He protected our family before thinking of himself. That is the kind of man and father he is."



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The account reads like something out of a movie, but for this Oregon family, it became a testimony of survival and what many are calling a miracle.

Images shared online reportedly showed the bullet removed from Garcia's head during surgery. Despite the severity of the injury, his wife said he avoided major brain damage and is now recovering at home.

"The doctors told us what we already believe – this is nothing short of a miracle," she said, according to Fox News. "Now he faces a long road of rest, healing, and recovery."

Stories like this remind us how fragile life can be and how quickly ordinary moments can turn into tragedy. A routine stop for food became a nightmare no family should ever endure. Yet in the middle of violence, God's protection remained evident.

Scripture reminds us in Psalm 46:1 that "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble." Garcia's survival after such a devastating injury stands as a powerful reminder

that the Lord still moves in ways doctors and human understanding cannot fully explain.

As Garcia continues recovering and authorities search for the remaining suspect, we should keep this family lifted in prayer. Pray for complete healing for Garcia, peace for his wife and children after the trauma they experienced, and protection over their family in the difficult days ahead.

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Jim Breuer Says Netflix's Roast of Kevin Hart Exposed a Dark Truth About Celebrity Culture

The laughter was loud. The jokes were brutal. But according to Jim Breuer, the recent celebrity roast exposed something far more unsettling than comedians trading insults on stage.

It exposed a culture so addicted to fame that morality barely matters anymore.

During a recent podcast segment, Breuer unraveled a stream of thoughts that jumped from artificial intelligence and media

manipulation to celebrity scandals, entertainment hypocrisy and the growing feeling that modern life itself has become artificial.

“We only get to see what the media shows you,” Breuer said.

The former Saturday Night Live star did not speak as someone observing Hollywood from a distance. Breuer spent years inside the entertainment machine, building a career through stand-up comedy, acting and television before later embracing Christianity and openly speaking about his faith in Jesus Christ.

That journey gave added weight to his frustration with what he sees happening inside celebrity culture.

The conversation began with Breuer reacting to the explosion of AI-generated content online. From fake videos to digitally recreated actors, Breuer questioned how much of modern media can actually be trusted anymore.

“Do you really think AI is just showing up now?” he asked. “Or do you think maybe AI’s been around a long time?”



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Breuer pointed to digitally recreated actors appearing in recent Star Wars films and wondered how advanced the technology may already be behind closed doors.

“Did you ever think, ‘Wow, can you imagine if they used AI for government and government officials with people that weren’t even real?’” Breuer said. “You really don’t know anymore.”

The comedian also reflected on visiting EPCOT decades ago and seeing futuristic technology concepts like video calling long before they became mainstream.

“How would they know that?” Breuer asked. “How long have they

known that?"

But the podcast shifted into much deeper territory once Breuer began discussing the recent roast event involving comedians like Shane Gillis, Tony Hinchcliffe and Katt Williams.

For Breuer, the bigger story was not the jokes themselves.

It was the public's willingness to ignore nearly any scandal, controversy or moral failing if the celebrity involved remains entertaining enough.

"Are we the only industry," Breuer asked, "where your morality is put aside when your favorite pop star, favorite comedian, favorite whoever does it and you just pretend it doesn't happen?"

Breuer referenced how celebrity scandals often disappear almost instantly from public memory while ordinary families would be shattered by similar behavior.

"In the real world, you can't get past these situations," he said.

Even while criticizing the entertainment world, Breuer repeatedly stopped short of personally condemning anyone involved.

"To each his own," he said.

The deeper message throughout the segment carried a tone of exhaustion more than outrage.

Breuer explained that he no longer follows mainstream news closely, avoids politics and has largely disconnected from professional sports because so much of modern culture feels manipulated or scripted.

"What is real anymore?" Breuer asked. "What isn't real anymore?"

For someone who spent years climbing through Hollywood, the comments sounded less like a conspiracy rant and more like a man who walked through the machine, saw behind the curtain and no longer trusts the performance.

To watch the segment, [click here](#) (Editor's Note: Mild language).

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Buddhist Woman Struck by Lightning Encounters Jesus in Supernatural Survival Story

For decades, Messianic worship leader Paul Wilbur carried a message most of the evangelical world largely ignored: America had lost touch with the biblical rhythm of rest, worship and covenant that began in Genesis itself.

Now, after President Donald Trump publicly called the nation back to Shabbat, Wilbur believes the conversation has suddenly moved from the fringes straight into the White House.

"Donald Trump has become the first US president to call for a national Shabbat," Wilbur said during a recent episode of "Today with Paul Wilbur." "Did I see this coming? Honestly,

never in a million years.”

The moment stunned Wilbur because the message of Shabbat has defined much of his ministry for more than 50 years. But to Wilbur, this is not about politics. It is about restoration.

“We have a president that’s calling the nation to Shabbat,” Wilbur said. “This is just so unreal for us here.”

What makes Wilbur’s perspective so different from mainstream evangelical reactions is the lens through which he sees the issue. He does not view Shabbat as a discarded Old Testament ritual. He sees it as part of the eternal culture of God’s Kingdom.



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“There is a culture that attends to that king and his kingdom and his covenant,” Wilbur explained. “This Shabbat is bringing a shift, hopefully, to America.”

That shift, according to Wilbur and his son Nathan, reaches far beyond taking a day off work.

Nathan Wilbur described modern society as spiritually inverted because it abandoned God’s original order.

“Everything we see here on Earth right now is actually backwards,” Nathan said. “It’s upside down. Why? Because we’ve fallen away from the original purpose of God, which revolves around a day of rest.”

The Wilburs repeatedly pointed back to Genesis, arguing the biblical pattern of rest was established before the law of Moses, before Israel became a nation and before modern denominational divisions ever emerged.

“Chapter two speaks about this rest,” Paul Wilbur said. “It goes all the way through the prophets and through the Torah ...

all the way to Yeshua who is Lord of the Sabbath for a good reason.”

That phrase, “Lord of the Sabbath,” sits at the center of Wilbur’s argument.

For years, many Christians have been taught Jesus abolished Sabbath observance entirely. Wilbur pushed back directly against that interpretation, pointing to Matthew 5.

“Don’t think that I’ve come to abolish the Torah or the prophets,” Wilbur quoted from Scripture. “I’ve not come to abolish them, but to fulfill them.”

Wilbur argued the Greek word for “fulfill” means “to raise to its highest expression,” not to eliminate.

“He said, ‘I came to make them abound,’” Wilbur explained. “I didn’t come to do away with the Torah. I came for it to prosper in your hearts and minds.”

This is where the conversation takes on a prophetic tone.

Wilbur does not claim Trump fulfilled prophecy by calling America to Shabbat. But he clearly sees something spiritually significant unfolding beneath the surface.

The discussion repeatedly returned to restoration, covenant and the coming Kingdom of God.

Nathan Wilbur pointed to Isaiah 66, where Scripture describes worship “from Shabbat to Shabbat” during the future reign of Christ from Jerusalem.

“God doesn’t create something and then do away with it,” Nathan said. “He restores it and brings it back to its original purpose.”

To the Wilburs, this is not legalism. It is invitation.

“Honestly, nobody has to do anything they don’t want to,”

Nathan said. "They're all invitations to join in the story."

That "story" is the part many modern believers have never fully explored.

Wilbur described Christians as being "grafted" into an ancient covenant story connected to Israel, the feasts of the Lord and the Kingdom culture established by God from the beginning.

And that is why Trump's public comments caught his attention so deeply.

For Wilbur, the mystery is not merely why a president mentioned Shabbat.

The mystery is why America suddenly seems willing to listen.

"We're excited about it because it's another opportunity for our brothers and sisters who love the Messiah of Israel ... let's think about this Shabbat thing again," Wilbur said.

The deeper question now hovering over the conversation is impossible to ignore: Is America witnessing the early stages of a spiritual restoration many believers never expected to see in their lifetime?

Wilbur believes one thing with certainty.

"Yeshua, He is the message," he said. "Sabbath is not the message, it is part of the message."

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CIA Psychic Spy's Final 'Killshot' Warning Echoes Chilling End Times Revelation Prophecy

The death of former military intelligence officer Ed Dames has reignited public fascination with one of the strangest chapters in modern American history: the U.S. government's deep involvement in psychic warfare, remote viewing and occult-style intelligence operations.

Before his death in March at age 76, Dames issued one final warning about what he called the coming "Killshot," a catastrophic solar event he believed would devastate Earth during the current Solar Maximum cycle.

According to the Daily Mail, Dames warned that massive eruptions from the sun would cripple infrastructure worldwide, collapse communications systems and trigger widespread chaos.

"You wake up and there's no power and there's no water and there's no gasoline, it's going to be a bad nightmare scenario," Dames said during an October 2025 interview released last month, as reported by the Daily Mail. "That's what you're going to be confronted with. The government is not going to help you."

Dames spent years tied to the infamous Project Stargate, a classified Cold War initiative in which U.S. intelligence agencies explored psychic phenomena and remote viewing for espionage purposes.

The government framed the program as intelligence gathering. Spiritually, it mirrored the same occultic practices Scripture has condemned for thousands of years.

Deuteronomy 18:10-12 states:

There shall not be found among you anyone who makes his son or daughter pass through the fire, or who practices divination, or a soothsayer, or an augur, or a sorcerer, or one who casts spells, or a medium, or a spiritist, or one who calls up the dead. For all who do these things are an abomination to the Lord.

The deeper we examine these programs, the clearer the spiritual reality becomes. Governments did not merely stumble into scientific curiosity. They actively pursued supernatural power outside the authority of God.

That pursuit never ends well.

Dames warned that humanity was entering a dangerous period connected to Solar Cycle 25, claiming the sun was behaving in unprecedented ways.

“Right now we’re at the beginning of the solar cycle. 25 Solar Max,” Dames said, according to the Daily Mail. “Solar Max should last for about two years, and the sun’s doing unprecedented stuff.”

What makes these warnings especially striking is how closely they parallel biblical prophecy concerning the last days.

Revelation 16:8-9 declares:

Then the fourth angel poured out his bowl upon the sun, and power was given to him to scorch men with fire. Men were scorched with great heat, and blasphemed the name of God, who has power over these plagues. And they did not repent and give Him glory.

Scripture literally warns of a future time when the sun will scorch the earth with intense heat as part of God's judgment during the Tribulation period.



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Luke 21:25 also says:

There will be signs in the sun, and in the moon, and in the stars, and on the earth distress of nations with perplexity, the sea and the waves roaring.

The convergence is impossible to ignore. Scientists openly warn about severe solar storms capable of disabling satellites, GPS systems and electrical grids. Meanwhile, figures tied to occultic government programs describe apocalyptic solar catastrophes and global collapse scenarios.

This is not random.

We are witnessing a generation obsessed with forbidden knowledge, paranormal experiences and supernatural power apart from God. The rise of psychic experimentation, AI spirituality, UFO deception narratives and occult fascination all point toward the spiritual confusion Scripture warned would dominate the last days.

The pattern surrounding many researchers and personalities connected to these subjects is equally disturbing. Figures tied to fringe intelligence research, esoteric investigations and paranormal disclosure movements often spiral into destruction, disappear mysteriously or die unexpectedly. Public fascination with voices such as David Wilcock reveals how deeply people hunger for spiritual answers while rejecting biblical truth.

Christians cannot afford to treat this lightly.

Ephesians 6:11-12 commands us:

Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. For our fight is not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, and against spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places.

We are in a spiritual war.

The battle is not merely political, technological or cultural. It is supernatural. Satan has always counterfeited the things of God through occult practices, hidden knowledge and deceptive spiritual experiences.

That is exactly what we see in programs like Stargate and the growing obsession with psychic phenomena.

But Christians do not walk in fear.

We walk in discernment.

Jesus Christ already warned us that deception would intensify before His return. Matthew 24 repeatedly warns believers not to be deceived as signs increase across the earth and heavens.

The answer is not hidden government programs, psychic revelations or apocalyptic predictions.

The answer is Jesus Christ.

As darkness spreads and the world chases forbidden spiritual power, we must stay anchored in the Word of God, filled with the Holy Spirit and clothed daily in the full armor of God.

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