



THE JERSEY DEVILS

ORIGIN

The Jersey Devils Started in 1775, when folklore of a Devil born from a Quaker Widow spread throughout rural New Jersey. A radical sect of local Quakers gained popularity in the Jersey Pine Barrens after the group had interpreted this incident as the Second Coming of Christ and the start of the Holy Rapture. John Creed, the so- called Prodigal Son, and original leader of the Jersey Devils preached that rapture depended upon the virtue of men, and required them to send God's Servants to the Kingdom of Heaven themselves. Throughout the 17 to 1800s disappearances would occur in the region. Only after the raid on the original Jersey Devil compound would these disappearances come to an end. New Jersey State Militia's investigation revealed the cult like activity, however during the raid the chapel that was used as the compound for the operation caught fire and little evidence was salvaged and none of the suspects were detained alive.

RECENT HISTORY

1983 after a resurgence in disappearances and reported kidnappings, Pleasant Mill New Jersey Sheriff's Department launches a raid on a compound suspected of importing psychedelic drugs as well as firearms from overseas. US Marshals as well as the Pleasant Mills Sheriff's department commenced the raid but on approach were shot at by suspects with small arms fire. The compound was heavily fortified with entrenchments and booby traps made from improvised explosives as well as viet cong style stick traps. Reports from US Marshals suspect that many of the suspects may have had some degree of military tactics or training. After a 3 day long stalemate the public urged the New Jersey State authorities to conclude this conflict soon. On the 4th day of the raid US Marshals deployed a UH-Iroquois air unit to the compound. Air crew aboard were given the green light to fire upon the compound on the suspects with their on board M60 machine gun, this occurred for 2 hours before the UH turned back for refueling and the compound was considered neutralized. US Marshals investigating the compound were horrified to realize that the majority of the compound's denizens were women and children reported kidnapped from the area. About 62 non combatant fatalities were documented as well as 9 law enforcement officers. 7 suspects were identified post mortem, less than a quarter of the original projected estimate, the majority are presumed escaped. The compound was identified to be held by the Cult of the Jersey Devils based upon transcripts of sermons left by a 'Preacher River'

Relevant History

After the Pleasant Mills raid, the Jersey Devils moved on to Miami Florida discreetly overtime. Originally arriving in Miami in 1984 the Devils embed themselves into all facets of Miami living. From politics to organized crime, spreading their influence and gaining support. In 1985 the first cult related kidnappings took place. A total of 4 victims went missing in this time period and has slowly been increasing. In 1986 the Prodigal Son, Joseph Creed announced his 'Silent Crusade' on the non believers in an attempt to break the 7th and final seal in order to complete the rapture and secure his flock's position in the kingdom of heaven.

Ideology

The Jersey Devils Worship the Father son and Holy Spirit to a zealous degree. Attributing everything that occurs in the world to God. Folklore of the Jersey Devil was interpreted as a prophetic declaration and a vision of the rebirth of Christ. They believe that they are the chosen people of God and the instrument of God's Holy Rapture. They make offerings of themselves as well as non believers to 'Brother Church' in order to "Break the 7th Seal as they say, and bring about the rebirth of Christ. They refer to non-believers and obstacles to Brother Church as the Armies of Babylon.

WITNESS

Preacher River's 5th and last recorded Sermon before the Pleasant Mill Raid

Amor In Christo, my Brothers.

We stand at the precipice

*Born from blood and plucked from our suspended immaterial
Seated at the right hand of the father in the Kingdom incorporeal
The Condemned Armies of Babylon
They have trod Earth's fields and where they still tread them
And why none shall behold them as they tread*

*Our Greatest sacrifice is at hand. Our fertile and our young
Shall be preserved in the void, as the Armies of Babylon march on us
They shall perform the sacrifice, unbeknownst to themselves
Sealing their fate in the void. This has been whispered to me
By the primordial son himself.
The 6th Seal shall be broken, and lo,
The Phantasmagoric Tragedy, The Sun will turn to coal*

Christ Will Return, Let us rejoice.

EARTHQUAKE

Hierarchy & 'Brother Church'

Prodigal Son - The Voice and Ears of God, he speaks for brother Church and guides his flock against the Armies of Babylon. God's most gracious severant, and instrument of divine retribution.

Patriarch - The stand in leader for our Prodigal Son and Speaker of Brother Church. Giving Sermons and reciting Holy scripture. He is the most trusted by the Prodigal Son and acts as the Hands of God.

Minister - A Holy Servant of God, and the first echelon of 'Brother Church'

Grand Circator - A servant of God, put in charge of managing the Circators below them. They Are trusted the most by 'Brother Church'

Circator - Humble Servants of God, these men are passed down the word of 'Brother Church' and put these Divine plans into motion.

Apostle - A dedicated servant of God and a Veteran member of our flock. These men are trusted by those appointed above them.

Zealot - These are our soldiers of God's Divine Providence, and our most common member.

Acolyte - A student of God and a fully initiated member of our flock, though these members are still proving their faith and worth.

Follower - While associated with our flock, they are not considered members, and know not of God's Holy Providence. Inexperience and still much to prove.

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