

gathered a great number of folk, and put all their people on thme and came across from Spain into N. Africa. About that time, Boniface found out he'd been mistake all along. The officials in Rome really wanted him to continue as governor. When he found thaat out he immediately sent a messenger post-hate to the Vandals and said, I was mistaken, I don't need to go back to Spain. But the Vandals said, We're here now. So Boniface gathered the best army he could and went and met the Vandals and was defeated by them. And N. Africa which had been one of the great centers of civilization in the world, sunk into a state of barbarism from which I don't think it ever really recovered. Darkness came. After darkness reformation! But there was '100/ 1100 years in between.

John Wessel liyed c. 40 yrs. before M. Luther and Wessel taught practically the same teaching that M. Luther taught. Wessel stood for the same things M. Luther stood for. And they took J. Wessel and put him in a dungeon and left him there for years until he died. They needed something more before reformation wouldd come. You go to the Reformation monuments in Geneva and you see the words there "After Darkness Light" it says. Light was necessary between darkness and reformation. You can't jump from darkness to reformation. You have to have light to dispel the darkness. Darkness is not justthe absence of light. You read in Scripture all the things it says about darkness, and you find that darkness is something that's active, vigorous, something that seizes, something that grows. It's like an octopus, it reaches out and spreads. If it is not stopped it goes on and on and extends and thats what came with the downfall of the Roman Empire.