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*Yeshua's Second Coming* offers a clear and compelling roadmap through the prophetic arc of Scripture—from Genesis to Revelation. This book distills centuries of complex prophecy into a digestible narrative, tracing God's divine timeline with clarity and doctrinal integrity. By weaving together foundational texts, it unveils the consistent thread of Christ's return woven throughout the entire Bible. Perfect for seasoned scholars and curious readers alike, *The Second Coming* transforms prophetic intricacies into Spirit-led insights that stir both hope and readiness.

DEDICATE TO:

**Gale Ethridge**  
*My faithful friend!*

*Gale, you finished well. Sir, you are a jewel in the Crown of Christ. Enjoy your new beginnings, pain-free, no sorrow, only joy. You are not only a blessing to Yeshua, but all of us who will join you soon - we will bear the marks of your compassion and steady faith. We will miss you until we see you again. See you soon, my friend!*

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SHARON SLACKEY

This book was inspired by a beloved sister in Christ who longed to study the Book of Revelation in a simplified, accessible format. Thank you, Sharon, for being the spark behind this work—your hunger for truth and faithful encouragement perfected its purpose.

*Stephen*



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# FORWARD

Gregory Jones

Having enjoyed a journey with Stephen Phinney for over 30 years, I can certainly attest to his unwavering faith and intense passion for living and sharing the indwelling of the Life of Christ. He studies incessantly, investigates doggedly, and proclaims joyfully the insights revealed to him through his incredibly enthusiastic friendship with Jesus. Stephen's life and ministry are a living example of the Word of God, empowered by the Spirit of God, and shared by the people of God (which is the crux of all inspired ministry!).

This book reveals, explains, and confirms the value and significance of understanding end-time events for emboldening the life of every believer and encourages each of us to anchor our anticipation and confidence in the enduring, inerrant timeline found in the Scriptures. I suspect this latest work will become an indispensable resource to both the casual reader and the diligent Biblical scholar. I found this work to be the 'connective tissue' for the entire body of Scripture, and it will go a long way in helping the sincere student with their navigation and understanding of prophecy and its redemptive fulfillment.

For those who typically find themselves in apprehension and dread of Scripture's brutally described end-time events, Dr. Phinney's work brings clarity, confidence, and a joyful anticipation of the culmination of our loving Father's promises to redeem and restore all those who have surrendered to his sovereignty and care. I will be sharing this book with many, many people! Thank you again, Dr. Phinney!

## Jane M. Phinney

I've had the privilege of watching my husband, Stephen, labor over the Word of God with a passion that few truly understand. For years, I've seen him wrestle—not with doubt, but with the weight of presenting the Lord's prophecies in a way that is both theologically sound and accessible to everyday believers. His heart has always been to equip the Church, not just scholars or theologians, but the average, curious seeker who longs to understand what Scripture says about the return of our Messiah.

*Yeshua's Second Coming: Prophecy from Genesis to Revelation* is the fruit of that labor. This book is loaded with biblically strong theology, yet it reads with clarity and simplicity. It's not watered down—it's distilled. Every page reflects decades of study, prayer, and Spirit-led insight, yet it remains approachable for those of us who want to understand what God has spoken about the End Times.

If you've ever felt overwhelmed by the complexity of prophecy or you are unsure where to begin, this book is for you. It's a guide, a teacher, and a companion for the journey ahead. I believe it will bless you as deeply as it has blessed me.

# INTRODUCTION

The Second Coming of Yeshua/Jesus Christ is not a peripheral doctrine tucked away in obscure passages—it is the climactic hope of all biblical prophecy. From Genesis to Revelation, the Word of God paints a cohesive and awe-inspiring picture of a returning King who will establish justice, confront rebellion, and gather His Bride in glory.

This book is born out of a burden—one that has stirred in me for decades. It is the prophetic urgency that comes with watching a culture spiral deeper into deception while the Church, in many cases, grows distracted or desensitized to the hour at hand. Yet Scripture does not leave us blind or aimless. The Spirit has given us signs, warnings, and promises that demand our attention and shape our response.

In these pages, I do not seek to entertain or speculate, but to proclaim what the Bible declares with conviction and clarity: that Christ will return bodily, visibly, and victoriously to fulfill what He began at Calvary and confirm what He spoke in eternity past. We will explore the timelines, the warnings, the triumphs, and the judgments—not through modern lenses, but through biblical ones.

For years, I taught the indwelling life of Christ with unwavering passion, declaring with conviction that true salvation is not simply a belief system, or “following,” but the life of Yeshua taking residence within the believer. And while I still hold this as a foundational truth, there came a moment when I realized that proclaiming the indwelling without preaching the culmination is to leave the Church mid-sentence. The Messiah does not indwell us to merely sustain us in this fallen world—He indwells to prepare, purify, and

position us for His soon return. Without the eschatological dimension, we risk crafting a gospel that comforts but doesn't awaken.

The study of the End Times—eschatology—is not optional theology for the sensational or speculative. It is the prophetic frame that gives the indwelling life its urgency and direction. When I finally stepped into the deeper waters of eschatological teaching, I saw how the Spirit was aligning hearts not just to endure, but to anticipate. The Second Coming is not a sidebar doctrine—it is the destination of indwelling life fulfilled. To ignore it is to abandon the finishing chapters of the redemption story. What God begins in us must be proclaimed, considering what He is about to complete in the world.

Over time, I've come to realize that the depth of theological truth often gets lost in translation—not because the truth lacks power, but because the modern reader often lacks patience. We live in a culture of scrolling minds and abbreviated attention spans, where scholastic tomes are admired but rarely consumed. That's why I've turned to an aphoristic style: compact truths wrapped in sharp, memorable statements. It's not a compromise of doctrine—it's a strategic pivot for accessibility. Each aphorism serves as a seed, intentionally planted to spark reflection, conviction, and God willing, a hunger to dig deeper into the soil of Scripture. If the culture won't sit for the lecture, perhaps they'll carry the line into their day and let the Spirit unfold it in time.

Finally, there's a fire in me to make the roadmap of the End Times plain and graspable—to offer believers a quick yet potent chronological capture of what Scripture clearly lays out. Not everyone has time for thick commentaries or

theological dissertations, but they do deserve clarity. My passion is to provide a Spirit-led sequence that cuts through the fog of speculation and delivers the unfolding events—from Creation to the Rapture, to Tribulation, to the Millennial Reign and Final Judgment—with biblical precision. It's not about sensationalism; it's about equipping souls to discern the times and live in readiness. If one well-crafted page can awaken urgency and fuel eternal perspective, then it's worth every word.

My prayer is that every reader would rediscover what it means to “*love His appearing*” (2 Timothy 4:8), and to walk in daily readiness, holiness, and consecration as we await the return of our Lord. This is not a moment in history—it is the destiny of the redeemed. May this work stir hearts, renew minds, and align us with Heaven's timetable.

Even so, come quickly, Lord Yeshua.

*-Stephen Phinney*

# CHAPTER ONE

## *No One Knows the Hour*

### **The Unknown Hour — Guarding the Sacred Mystery**

From the beginning of my journey in teaching the indwelling life of Yeshua, I've encountered an undeniable tension—one that separates authentic expectancy from presumptive speculation. That tension resides in this truth: no one knows the year, the day, or the hour of Yeshua's return to the earth, outside of God Himself. The Scriptures do not whisper this reality—they declare it with sobering clarity and repetitive urgency.

One of the most sobering warnings Yeshua gave in His Olivet discourse was about the rise of deception in the Last Days.

*“See to it that no one misleads you. For many will come in My name, saying, ‘I am the Messiah,’ and will mislead many.”* (Matthew 24:4–5). This isn't hyperbole—it's prophecy.

Yeshua paints a picture of a religious landscape increasingly polluted by counterfeit voices. These false teachers won't necessarily come draped in the obvious robes of heresy.

Instead, they will mimic the form of godliness, speak spiritual language, and draw crowds with seductive revelations. What makes them dangerous isn't just the error in their doctrine—it's their ability to attract the undiscerning, to offer peace without repentance, and salvation without the cross.

Yeshua intensifies the warning later in the same chapter: *“For false messiahs and false prophets will appear and perform great signs and wonders to deceive, if possible, even the*

*elect.*” (Matthew 24:24). This is not a call to fear—it’s a charge to discern. The signs and wonders performed by these impostors will seem convincing, even supernatural, but they are demonic in origin. As the return of the true Messiah draws near, Satan will unleash a campaign of spiritual fraud to divert the hearts of the Church. The elect must be equipped not just with biblical knowledge, but with the indwelling discernment of the Holy Spirit. In these final days, fidelity to the Word and intimacy with Yeshua will be our safeguard against deception’s glamour.

## **No One Knows the Year, Day, or Hour**

*“But concerning that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but the Father only.”* (Matthew 24:36, ESV)

This verse has silenced prophets, confused scholars, and stirred generations of watchmen to keep oil in their lamps without predicting the moment of the Bridegroom’s arrival. And yet, the silence of Scripture on the specific timing is not an oversight—it is divine intentionality. It is God’s way of safeguarding the purity of our anticipation. By withholding the calendar date, He preserves the urgency, reverence, and readiness that true faith demands. Plus, since humans are “control freaks,” it safeguards God’s choices without His enemy discovering the forthcoming *Abomination of Desolation* that the Living God is soon to allow.

Our culture craves certainties. It aims to mark the end with precision, examining it closely and manipulating its implications. But the Kingdom of God does not operate according to man’s timelines. It breathes in mystery, thrives in expectancy, and rewards the vigilant. Yeshua will return in

power and glory, breaking through the veil of normalcy with such suddenness that even the Church—if not spiritually awakened—will gasp in awe or regret.

*"Therefore, stay awake, for you do not know on what day your Lord is coming." (Matthew 24:42)*

This is not passive waiting—it is an active readiness. To “*stay awake*” means to live consecrated, discerning the signs of the times without falling into chronological obsession. It means to guard the heart against apathy and compromise, knowing the next sunrise could be a global twilight.

End-time prophecy is not about prediction—it is about preparation. The prophetic Scriptures weave together a breathtaking tapestry of signs, judgments, and promises, all pointing to the glorious re-entry of our King. But nowhere does it give us the final timestamp. God has reserved that knowledge for Himself—for reasons rooted in holiness, sovereignty, and the proving of our faith.

As this book unfolds, we will trace the events the Bible clearly describes. We will explore the unfolding drama of the Tribulation, the reign of the Antichrist, the judgments, the Millennial Kingdom, and the final restoration. But we will not attempt to nail down the hour—for to do so would be to dishonor the Father’s authority.

*"You also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect." (Luke 12:40)*

## **ONE DAY IS A THOUSAND YEARS**

Scripture reveals a divine perspective on time that radically differs from human measurement. As Peter writes, “*With the Lord one day is as a thousand years, and a thousand years as*



*one day*” (2 Peter 3:8, ESV). This isn’t poetic exaggeration—it’s theological calibration. Yeshua, being one with the Father, operates outside the constraints of linear time. What feels like a delay to us is, in His eternal view, perfect timing, literally a nanosecond. This truth is especially vital when interpreting End Time prophecy. The seeming “slowness” of His return is not neglect—it is mercy, as Peter continues: *“The Lord is not slow to fulfill His promise... but is patient toward you”* (2 Peter 3:9). Every passing year is a divine opportunity for repentance, preparation, and purification.

### **AN EXAMPLE**

The concept of six thousand years as six prophetic “days” from Creation to the Rapture draws from the Hebraic rhythm of creation and redemption. Just as God created the world in six days and rested on the seventh, many theologians and early Church fathers, like me, believed that human history would follow a similar pattern: six thousand years of labor, conflict, and preparation, culminating in a final thousand-year Sabbath—the Millennial Reign of Christ. In this we can see how after the “*age of man*” ends at the closing hour of the sixth day (6,000 years), we discover Yeshua stepping into global reign will be the morning of the seventh day, to bring rest to the faithful, which would be the beginning of the 1,000 year reign of Christ, which will be Christ’s day (one-thousand years) of rest.

If we mark the resurrection of Yeshua as the beginning of the “fourth day” (2,000 years) since His first coming, then we are prophetically nearing the end of the sixth day, when the Bride of Christ will be caught up to meet Him (1 Thessalonians 4:16-17). This view sees the Rapture not as a random event, but as the closing chapter of a divine timeline—one that has been

unfolding since creation, calibrated by the eternal clock of the Messiah.

### ***Why is the fourth day special?***

In Hebrew tradition, the fourth day holds significance primarily in the context of creation and ritual symbolism. Here are the two significant associations:

#### **One: Creation of the Luminaries**

According to Genesis 1:14–19, the fourth day of creation is when God appointed the sun, moon, and stars to govern day and night, mark seasons, and serve as signs. This act established the rhythm of sacred time—*mo'edim*, or appointed times—which later became the foundation for the Hebrew calendar and its festivals. Jewish tradition teaches that while the luminaries were created earlier, they were assigned their specific roles on the fourth day. Because of Yeshua's resurrection, the "*light of the world*" offers eternal life to all who receive Him.

#### **Two: Symbolism in Resurrection Traditions**

In rabbinic thought, the fourth day after death was considered the point at which the soul had definitively departed, and the body began to decay, i.e., why Yeshua had to stay in the tomb for three days. This is where we gained the tradition of burying the body on or after the third day. Furthermore, in the case of Lazarus, as with the two dead prophets stated in Revelation 11:11, in the real-life story of Lazarus, Yeshua raised him on the fourth day to demonstrate divine authority over death and Jewish customs surrounding it.

The fourth day holds profound significance in Hebrew tradition and biblical theology because it marks the moment

when God established sacred time. According to Genesis 1:14–19, on the fourth day of creation, God appointed the light to ignite worship. It set the rhythm for God’s people for worship, festivals, and prophetic fulfillment. Yeshua’s resurrection at the end of the third day brings birth to the prophecies of the fourth day (4,000-year mark). God distinguished Himself from pagan cultures that worshiped celestial bodies, affirming that these luminaries are servants of divine order, not deities themselves.

***I was told that the Old Testament was 5,000 years before Christ. What is up with that?***

Humanity has always messed up God’s timeline. When God destroyed the earth with the flood, which was 1,000 years of humanity's flawed existence from Adam to Noah, God restarted His time clock, *making all things new*. From Noah to Yeshua, it was 4,000 years, which placed God’s time clock of the importance of the fourth day back on track.

**For the Hebrew people, this day became a cornerstone of biblical cosmology and covenantal life.**

The fourth day’s creation of time-markers enabled the observance of Sabbaths, feasts, and jubilees, all of which are central to Israel’s identity and relationship with the Living God, which includes those grafted into the Life and Hebrew bloodline heritage of Christ. Symbolically, light in Scripture often represents revelation, purity, and divine presence—so the fourth day also reflects God’s desire to illuminate both the physical and spiritual realms. In prophetic literature, the sun, moon, and stars are used as eschatological signs, signaling divine intervention and the unfolding of God’s redemptive plan.

This thousand-year principle also sounds the trumpets through prophetic patterns. Many scholars and Hebraic teachers point to a seven-thousand-year framework of redemptive history: six thousand years of human labor and sin, followed by a final thousand-year Sabbath rest—the Millennial Reign of Christ (Revelation 20:1–6). Just as God created the world in six days and rested on the seventh, so too will history culminate in a seventh “day” of peace under the Messiah’s rule. Yeshua’s timing is not random—it’s woven into the very fabric of creation, Hebrew customs, and Heaven’s timeline. Understanding this helps believers interpret the signs of the times not with panic, but with prophetic alignment. We are not waiting aimlessly; we are approaching the threshold of divine fulfillment.

Let this chapter serve as a spiritual invitation—not to guess, but to guard. Not to speculate, but to sanctify. The King is coming. And when He does, only those who live as though He could return today will reign with Him tomorrow.

# CHAPTER TWO

## *Prophecy Starts in Genesis*

### **Genesis—The Prophetic Blueprint of Redemption**

The book of Genesis is not merely the beginning of Scripture—it is the beginning of prophetic history. Within its pages, God lays the groundwork for every major theme that will unfold across the biblical narrative: creation, covenant, rebellion, judgment, redemption, and restoration. Genesis is the seedbed of eschatology, where the end is foreshadowed in the beginning, and the eternal purposes of God are revealed in embryonic form.

### **The Prophecy/Principle of First Mention**

Biblical scholars often refer to the “principle of first mention,” which asserts that the first time a concept appears in Scripture, it carries foundational meaning that informs its later development. Genesis is rich with these first mentions—sin (Genesis 3), sacrifice (Genesis 4), covenant (Genesis 9), nations (Genesis 10), and divine judgment (Genesis 6–9). Each of these themes finds its prophetic fulfillment in later books, especially Revelation, where the chaos of Eden is reversed and the Tree of Life reappears (Revelation 22:2).

### **Protoevangelium: The First Prophecy**

Genesis 3:15 contains the first explicit prophecy in Scripture, often called the protoevangelium—the first gospel. God declares to the serpent:

*“I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring; he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel.” (ESV)*

This verse sets the trajectory for Messianic prophecy. It anticipates the coming of Yeshua, the seed of the woman, who will crush the serpent’s head—a theme mirrored in Revelation 12, where the dragon wages war against the woman and her offspring.

### **The Nations and the Tower**

Genesis 10 and 11 introduce the *Table of Nations* and the *Tower of Babel*, revealing humanity’s rebellion and God’s sovereign dispersal of peoples. These chapters prophetically foreshadow the global scope of redemption and judgment. Revelation 7:9 envisions a redeemed multitude from “*every nation, tribe, people, and language*,” while Revelation 18 depicts the fall of a future Babylon—a spiritual replica of Babel’s pride and confusion.

### **Covenant and Eschatology**

God’s covenant with Abraham in Genesis 12:1–3 is not only the foundation of Israel’s identity but also a prophetic promise that “*all the families of the earth shall be blessed*.” This covenant finds its eschatological fulfillment in the ingathering of the nations and the establishment of the Messianic Kingdom. Genesis 15 further introduces the concept of a divine timeline, as God reveals to Abraham the future enslavement and deliverance of his descendants—an early model of prophetic chronology.

### **Sacrifice and Substitution...**

Genesis 22 presents the near-sacrifice of Isaac, a prophetic type of the crucifixion, on the rock that presently sits under the Islamic ***Dome of the Rock***, the Qubbat al-Sakhrah. Abraham's declaration, "*God will provide for himself the lamb*" (Genesis 22:8), shouts through history until John the Baptist proclaims, "*Behold, the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world!*" (John 1:29). This typology culminates in Revelation 5, where the Lamb who was slain is declared worthy to open the scroll of judgment.

### **Joseph: A Prophetic Prototype**

The life of Joseph, spanning Genesis 37–50, is a prophetic portrait of Yeshua: betrayed by his own, falsely accused, exalted to rule, and used by God to save many lives. His story mirrors the suffering and exaltation of Christ and prefigures the reconciliation of Israel, His redeemed believers, and the nations—a theme central to End Time prophecy.

**From the moment God declared in Genesis 3:15 that the seed of the woman would crush the serpent's head, the prophetic narrative was set in motion.**

This protoevangelium became the cornerstone of Messianic expectation, and every prophet—major and minor—served as a torchbearer of that divine promise. Their messages, though diverse in context and tone, consistently pointed toward a coming Redeemer who would fulfill the covenantal hope given to Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob.

**The major prophets**—Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel, and Daniel—each expanded the Genesis prophecy with vivid detail. Isaiah, often called the “evangelist of the Old Testament,” foretold the virgin birth (Isaiah 7:14), the suffering servant (Isaiah 53), and the reign of the Prince of

Peace (Isaiah 9:6–7). His writings confirm the Genesis promise by revealing the nature and mission of the coming Messiah. Jeremiah, the weeping prophet, spoke of a new covenant written on the hearts of God’s people (Jeremiah 31:31–34), a direct continuation of the relational covenant initiated in Genesis. Ezekiel envisioned the restoration of Israel and the indwelling Spirit (Ezekiel 36–37), while Daniel prophesied the exact timing of the Messiah’s arrival (Daniel 9:24–27), anchoring Genesis’ seed promise in historical precision.

**Genesis is not just the beginning**—it is the architectural blueprint of God’s prophetic redemptive plan. Every major prophetic theme finds its roots in this book, and every eschatological fulfillment finds its roots in Genesis. To understand the End Times rightly, one must first grasp the beginning. For in the beginning, God not only created the heavens and the earth—He embedded the entire story of salvation, judgment, and restoration in seed form.

**The minor prophets**, though often overlooked, played a crucial role in sustaining the Messianic hope. Micah pinpointed Bethlehem as the birthplace of the Messiah (Micah 5:2), directly linking Genesis’ genealogical promises to a geographic fulfillment. Hosea portrayed Israel’s spiritual adultery and God’s redemptive love, revealing the relational themes of Genesis. Zechariah envisioned the humble King riding on a donkey (Zechariah 9:9) and the piercing of the Messiah (Zechariah 12:10), while Malachi closed the prophetic canon by announcing the coming of Elijah to prepare the way (Malachi 4:5–6)—a bridge to John the Baptist and the New Testament fulfillment.



Together, these prophets formed a divine symphony, in perfect pitch, each voice harmonizing with the Genesis overture. They warned, wept, rebuked, and restored, but always with eyes fixed on the One who would come to crush the serpent, redeem the nations, and restore Eden's lost fellowship. Their collective witness is not merely historical—it is profoundly theological, revealing a God who speaks, remembers, and fulfills. And in the fullness of time, as Paul wrote, that Genesis promise took on flesh and dwelt among us.

**“In the beginning”**—the opening phrase of Genesis—is far more than a poetic overture; not only written by mere men, but men inspired by the Holy Spirit and the divine timestamp that initiates both man's temporal existence and God's eternal timeline for humanity.

From this moment, history is no longer abstract—it is measured, purposeful, and prophetically charged. Genesis marks the commencement of linear time, where God's sovereign plan unfolds through generations, covenants, and redemptive acts. It is here that the Creator embeds His eternal purposes into the fabric of human chronology, establishing a timeline that stretches from Eden to the New Jerusalem. Every prophetic utterance, every Messianic foreshadowing, and every eschatological promise finds its anchor in this Genesis moment. It is not merely the beginning of man's story—it is the unveiling of God's master Hebrew calendar, where eternity intersects with time, and where the Alpha begins His journey toward the Omega.

# CHAPTER THREE

## *From the Torah to the Prophets*

### **The Unfolding of Redemptive History**

The prophetic narrative of Scripture is not a scattered collection of divine utterances—it is a cohesive, unfolding drama that begins in the Torah and crescendos through the Prophets. Each passage, each vision, and each prophecy builds upon the covenantal foundation laid in the Law, revealing God's sovereign timeline for Israel and the nations. This chapter explores six pivotal texts that chart the trajectory from restoration to consummation.

**The Torah is not merely the beginning of Scripture**—it is the architectural foundation upon which the entire prophetic narrative, including Revelation's End Times, is built. Within its five books, God establishes the covenantal framework, moral law, sacrificial system, and Hebrew calendar of appointed times (*mo'edim*) that later become the interpretive keys to understanding apocalyptic prophecy. Revelation, with its symbolic language and eschatological visions, draws heavily from Torah imagery: the plagues of Egypt reappear in the trumpet and bowl judgments, the tabernacle and priesthood mirrors in heavenly scenes, and the concept of divine judgment is rooted in the Torah's warnings of covenant blessings and curses (Leviticus 26; Deuteronomy 28–30).

Moreover, the Torah introduces the rhythm of redemptive history—creation, fall, exile, and restoration—that Revelation brings to its climactic fulfillment. The Sabbath cycle, Jubilee

year, and Day of Atonement all find eschatological resonance in Revelation's timeline and themes. Without the Torah's foundation, the symbols and structure of Revelation risk being misread or stripped of their Hebraic depth. The Torah doesn't just precede Revelation—it prepares the reader to recognize the Messiah's return, the final judgment, and the restoration of Eden through a lens shaped by divine order, covenant fidelity, and prophetic continuity.

The prophets' unwavering reverence for the Torah is not merely a matter of tradition—it is a divine necessity that anchors their authority and message in the eternal Word of God. Every true prophet, even trusted bible-centered modern prophets today, operates within the boundaries of the Torah's covenantal framework, never contradicting its statutes but rather calling the people back to its truths. Biblical prophets and their visions, warnings, and promises were illuminated by the Torah's light, ensuring that their proclamations were not innovations but divine reminders. To respect the Torah eternally is to uphold the integrity of prophecy itself, for without the Torah as the plumb line, prophetic utterance risks becoming untethered from God's revealed standard. This eternal respect preserves the continuity of revelation, linking Moses to Isaiah, Jeremiah to Yeshua, and anchoring the End Times in the same foundational truth that began at Sinai.

### **Future Restoration and Heart Renewal**

In the closing chapters of the Torah, Moses prophesies a future return of Israel—not merely to the land, but to the Lord Himself. After experiencing both blessings and curses, Israel will be scattered among the nations. Yet Deuteronomy 30 promises a divine reversal:

- **Return from exile:** God will gather His people “from the ends of the earth” (v.4).
- **Spiritual renewal:** The Lord will “circumcise your heart... to love the Lord your God” (v.6).
- **Covenantal continuity:** This restoration is rooted in the Abrahamic and Mosaic covenants, anticipating a New Covenant reality.

This passage introduces the theme of eschatological repentance, where national restoration is inseparable from spiritual transformation—a motif revealed throughout the Prophets.

### **The Messianic Kingdom and Global Pilgrimage**

Isaiah’s vision of the “last days” presents a stunning reversal of Babel. Instead of scattering, the nations stream toward Zion:

- **Elevation of Zion:** “The mountain of the Lord’s house shall be established... and all nations shall flow to it” (v.2).
- **Instruction and peace:** The Torah goes forth from Jerusalem, and swords are beaten into plowshares (v.3–4).
- **Messianic governance:** This is not merely poetic—it anticipates the reign of the Messiah as the Prince of Peace.

Isaiah 2 stands as a prophetic anchor for the Millennial Kingdom, where divine instruction and global peace converge under the rule of the Davidic King.

### **Kingdoms, Beasts, and Final Judgment...**

Daniel's apocalyptic visions provide a panoramic view of Gentile dominion and its ultimate demise:

- **Daniel 2:** Nebuchadnezzar's statue represents successive empires—Babylon, Medo-Persia, Greece, and Rome—culminating in a stone (Messiah's kingdom) that shatters them.
- **Daniel 7:** Four beasts mirror the same empires, with the final beast (Rome) giving rise to a blasphemous horn. Judgment ensues, and the "Son of Man" receives an everlasting kingdom.

These visions establish the framework for prophetic chronology, revealing that history is not cyclical but teleological—moving toward divine intervention and Messianic enthronement.

### **The Seventy Weeks and Messianic Fulfillment**

In response to Daniel's intercession, Gabriel delivers a precise timeline:

- Seventy weeks (490 years) are decreed for Israel to complete six redemptive goals (v.24).
- The Messiah is "cut off" after 69 weeks, pointing to the crucifixion (v.26).
- The final week involves covenant confirmation and desolation, often interpreted as the Tribulation period (v.27).

This prophecy is a master key to understanding the first and second comings of Christ, the gap between them, and the eschatological climax of history.

### **Gog and Magog: The End-Time Invasion**

Ezekiel's prophecy against Gog of Magog describes a massive coalition invading Israel in the "latter years":

- **Divine orchestration:** God "puts hooks" in Gog's jaws, drawing him into judgment (38:4).
- **Global impact:** The invasion triggers cosmic upheaval and divine wrath (38:19–22).
- **Sanctification of God's name:** The defeat of Gog reveals God's glory to the nations (39:7).

This passage is often linked to Revelation 20, suggesting a post-Millennial rebellion or a pre-Millennial conflict. Either way, it underscores God's sovereignty over geopolitical events and His commitment to Israel's preservation.

### **Final Siege and the Reign of the Messiah**

Zechariah's closing chapters form a crescendo of Messianic prophecy:

- **Zechariah 12:** Jerusalem becomes a "cup of trembling," and the nations gather against it. Israel mourns for "the one they pierced" (v.10), signaling national repentance.
- **Zechariah 13:** A fountain is opened for cleansing, and the Shepherd is struck—echoing Christ's crucifixion.
- **Zechariah 14:** The Lord returns, stands on the Mount of Olives, and reigns as King over all the earth.

This trilogy of chapters encapsulates the Day of the Lord, the Second Coming, and the establishment of the Messianic Kingdom—where holiness, justice, and divine presence saturate Jerusalem.

### **A Prophetic Continuum...**

From Moses to Zechariah, the prophetic voice is unified in its anticipation of:

- Israel's restoration and heart transformation
- The coming of the Messiah and His kingdom
- The judgment of nations and vindication of God's name
- The final triumph of righteousness and peace

This continuum is not merely theological—it is historical, spiritual, and eschatological. It invites the reader to see Scripture not as fragmented texts, but as a divinely orchestrated timeline, where every covenant, vision, and prophecy points to the indwelling life of Yeshua and the consummation of all things in Him.

**In the unfolding drama of the End Times, the Torah stands as the divine plumb line—an unchanging standard by which all prophetic interpretation and spiritual discernment must be measured.**

Just as a builder uses a plumb line to ensure vertical alignment, God uses His Torah to assess the moral and covenantal integrity of His people. Amos 7 vividly portrays this image, where the Lord holds a plumb line against Israel, revealing their deviation from His righteous path. In the same way, discerning the signs of the times, the rise of deception, and the fulfillment of prophecy requires anchoring every insight to the Torah's eternal truths. It is not merely a historical document but a living measure of holiness, justice, and divine order. Without it, End Times theology risks becoming skewed by cultural trends or speculative interpretations. The Torah remains the straight edge of truth in a world increasingly bent by compromise.

**Among the prophets, respect for the Torah was not optional**—it was intrinsic to their calling and message. From Isaiah’s exaltation of God’s law as light to the nations to Jeremiah’s lament over Israel’s abandonment of the covenant, the prophets consistently upheld the Torah as the divine standard by which all behavior and belief were judged. They did not speak apart from it; rather, they confirmed its truths, warned of its consequences, and called the people back to its precepts. Even Yeshua, the ultimate Prophet and fulfillment of the Law, declared that *not one jot or tittle* of the Torah would pass away until all was fulfilled. This reverence wasn’t mere ritual—it was relational, rooted in the understanding that the Torah revealed the heart, holiness, and justice of God. To honor the Torah was to honor the One who gave it, and the prophets knew that their authority depended on alignment with its eternal truth.

In this prophetic hour, the call to uphold Torah-centric theology in End Times teaching is not merely academic—it is a spiritual imperative. As deception increases and the boundaries of truth blur, the Torah remains the unshakable foundation that anchors eschatological understanding in divine order. It reveals the patterns, feasts, and covenants that shape the final chapters of redemption, ensuring that our interpretations are not driven by speculation but by revelation rooted in God’s eternal Word. To teach the End Times without the Torah is to navigate without a compass; but to embrace it is to align with the heart of the Messiah, ***who came not to abolish the Law but to fulfill it***. In these days of shaking, let the Torah be our plumb line, our lens, and our light—guiding the Church back to the ancient paths that lead to the soon-coming King.



Here's a biblically grounded sequence of prophetic events fulfilled between the Great Flood and the Resurrection of Christ—each one revealing God's unfolding redemptive plan and pointing toward the Messiah:

1. **The Great Flood and Noah's Ark** (Genesis 6–9). Judgment on global wickedness; typology of salvation through the ark, foreshadowing of baptism and new creation (1 Peter 3:20–21), God's Covenant with Noah.
1. **Promise never to destroy the earth** by flood again (Genesis 9:11–17), establishes divine faithfulness and covenantal structure.
2. **Tower of Babel** and Dispersion of Nations (Genesis 11), judgment on human pride; scattering of languages, sets the stage for global redemption through Abraham's seed.
3. **Call of Abraham** and the Abrahamic Covenant (Genesis 12, 15, 17), Promise of land, descendants, and blessing to all nations.
4. **Prophetic lineage** of the Messiah begins (Galatians 3:16).
5. **Destruction of Sodom** and Gomorrah (Genesis 19), judgment on sin; typology of end-time wrath.
6. **Lot's deliverance** prefigures the divine rescue of the righteous.
7. **Birth of Isaac** – Child of Promise (Genesis 21), a miraculous birth foreshadowing Christ's virgin birth.
8. **Isaac as a type of Christ** (Hebrews 11:17–19).
9. **Offering of Isaac** (Genesis 22), Abraham's obedience; prophetic picture of the Father offering His Son. *"God will provide Himself a lamb"* (Genesis 22:8).
10. **Exodus and the Passover** (Exodus 12–14), deliverance from Egypt; blood of the lamb protects from judgment. Direct foreshadowing of Christ as our Passover Lamb (1 Corinthians 5:7).

11. **Giving of the Law** at Sinai (Exodus 19–20) establishes God’s holiness and human need for redemption. Points to Christ as the fulfillment of the Law (Matthew 5:17).
12. **Day of Atonement** and Tabernacle Worship (Leviticus 16). The sacrificial system prefigures substitutionary atonement.
13. **Christ as High Priest** and final sacrifice (Hebrews 9:11–14).
14. **Bronze Serpent** in the Wilderness (Numbers 21:4–9). Healing through faith in God’s provision. Typology of Christ lifted up on the cross (John 3:14–15).
15. **Davidic Covenant** (2 Samuel 7). Promise of an eternal throne through David’s lineage, fulfilled in Yeshua/Jesus, the Son of David (Luke 1:32–33).
2. **Messianic Prophecies in the Psalms and Prophets**
16. Virgin birth (Isaiah 7:14), suffering servant (Isaiah 53), betrayal (Psalm 41:9), crucifixion details (Psalm 22).
3. **All fulfilled in the life**, death, and resurrection of Yeshua/Jesus, Resurrection of Christ (Matthew 28; Luke 24; John 20).
17. **Fulfillment of Psalm 16:10** and Isaiah 53:10–11.
18. **Victory over death**; cornerstone of the New Covenant.
19. **The Messiah was Born** through a virgin birth (Isaiah 7:14).

The fulfillment of Old Testament prophecies finds its pinnacle in the life, death, and resurrection of Yeshua/Jesus Christ, revealing a divine tapestry woven across centuries. From Genesis to Malachi, the Hebrew Scriptures foretold a Messiah who would crush the serpent’s head (Genesis 3:15), be born of a virgin (Isaiah 7:14), suffer and die for the sins of humanity (Isaiah 53), be pierced (Psalm 22; Zechariah 12:10), and rise again (Psalm 16:10). These prophetic utterances were not

vague predictions—they were precise markers, fulfilled in detail through Christ's lineage, ministry, betrayal, crucifixion, and resurrection. His advent didn't replace the Law and the Prophets—it fulfilled them with sovereign accuracy, validating both the prophetic office and God's covenantal promises to Israel. This fulfillment affirms the continuity of Scripture and the reliability of divine revelation, from Eden's shadows to the empty tomb.

# CHAPTER FOUR

## *The Gospel's Signs & Warnings*

### **The Eschatological Urgency of the Gospels**

The Gospels contain not merely teachings for moral living but encoded within their proclamations is a prophetic blueprint for the End of the Age. With Hebraic clarity and divine authority, Jesus presents signs and warnings designed to awaken spiritual alertness, call for faithful stewardship, and prepare the elect for His return. This chapter examines three key Gospel texts—Matthew 24–25, Luke 21:25–28, and John 5:28–29—through the lens of Kingdom readiness, atmospheric disruption, and eternal separation.

The continuity between the Old Testament and the New Testament is not merely theological—it is essential to grasping the full scope of God's redemptive story. The Old Testament lays the foundation, the framework, and the prophetic heartbeat that anticipates the arrival of the Messiah. From Genesis onward, we see God establishing covenants, issuing moral law, and raising up prophetic voices that point toward a future Deliverer. These ancient texts are not obsolete—they are the roots of the Gospel tree.

Take, for example, the sacrificial system detailed in Leviticus. It foreshadows the ultimate sacrifice of the Lamb of God—Yeshua—whose blood would fulfill what bulls and goats could never achieve permanently. The Passover lamb in Exodus becomes a direct parallel to Christ's death at Passover. Isaiah's suffering servant paints a portrait of Jesus' crucifixion

in stunning detail, centuries before His birth. In every major prophetic book, we see glimpses of the Kingdom, the judgment, and the restoration that only find complete clarity in the New Testament.

When the Gospels enter the scene, they do so not as standalone narratives, but as fulfillments—“*This was to fulfill what was spoken by the prophet...*” is a recurring phrase. Yeshua/Jesus Himself taught from the Law and the Prophets (Luke 24:27), showing how all Scripture pointed to Him. Then, as the New Testament unfolds through the epistles, the theological implications of the Messiah’s life, death, and resurrection are interpreted in light of Old Testament truth.

**And it doesn’t end there.** Revelation closes the biblical canon with vivid imagery and apocalyptic precision, mirroring Daniel, Ezekiel, Zechariah, and Isaiah. The Book of Revelation is the culmination—the wrapping up of the gift of divine promises and warnings given throughout Scripture. It reconnects Heaven to earth, justice to mercy, and prophecy to fulfillment. The Messiah returns not just as Savior, but as Judge and King, just as foretold. Without the Old Testament, the New would lack context; without Revelation, the story would remain unresolved.

### **The Olivet Discourse — Chronology of End-Time Signs**

Spoken on the Mount of Olives, this discourse is the most detailed eschatological teaching of Yeshua/Jesus in the Synoptic Gospels. It outlines:

- Deceptive messiahs and spiritual confusion (Matt. 24:5)
- Wars, famines, earthquakes as “*beginning of birth pains*” (v. 6–8)

- Great Tribulation marked by persecution and lawlessness (v. 9–13)
- *Abomination of Desolation*, confirming Daniel’s prophecy (v. 15)
- Celestial disturbances, leading to the visible return of the Son of Man (v. 29–31)

### **Prophetic Warnings and Parabolic Instruction**

Matthew 25 transitions into warnings given through parables:

- **Ten Virgins:** Highlights preparedness in faith, warning those without oil (Holy Spirit) in their lamps.
- **Talents:** Kingdom stewardship judged not by quantity but by faithfulness.
- **Sheep and Goats:** Judgment based on how one treated “*the least of these*.”

These teachings stress both spiritual readiness and ethical action. The discourse is not merely predictive—it is formational.

### **Signs in the Heavens**

Luke’s account highlights disturbances “*in sun, moon, and stars*” and the distress of nations (v. 25). The language is apocalyptic:

- Roaring of the seas, fainting with fear—indicators of global instability.
- These signs are not random—they are designed to provoke recognition that the natural order groans for restoration (cf. Romans 8:22).

### **Redemption Draws Near...**

When these things begin to take place, Yeshua/Jesus commands:

*“Straighten up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near.”* (Luke 21:28)

Rather than fear, the believer is called to hopeful alertness. Redemption here includes both the personal salvation of the soul and the corporate deliverance of the elect from tribulation and oppression.

### **John 5:28–29: Resurrection and Judicial Separation**

Yeshua/Jesus declares a time when *“all who are in the tombs will hear His voice”*—this is not symbolic, but literal.

Resurrection is promised:

- To life for those who did good (i.e., believed and abided in Him)
- To condemn those who rejected divine truth

### **Theological Implications**

Judgment is not arbitrary—it flows from the righteousness of the Son, who has been given authority to execute judgment because He is the Son of Man (v. 27). The resurrection is the hinge on which eternal destinies pivot. The truth shouts out Daniel 12:2 and establishes a clear binary outcome—heavenly glorification or eternal separation.

### **Prophetic Compassion and Apostolic Urgency**

In each Gospel passage, signs are not just harbingers—they are mercies in motion, designed to awaken and prepare. Yeshua/Jesus functions as both oracle and judge—revealing divine mysteries while issuing clear calls for repentance and readiness.

- **Matthew 24–25** provides a timeline and response strategy.
- **Luke 21** calls for hope amid cosmic collapse.
- **John 5** anchors final accountability in the power of resurrection.

**The Church today must live in prophetic tension—watchful, discerning, and equipped to declare both the truth of imminent judgment and the beauty of redemptive hope.**

These passages form the backbone of an eschatological theology that informs spiritual sobriety, communal responsibility, and urgent evangelism.

In an age marked by upheaval, deception, and growing hostility toward biblical truth, the Gospel of Yeshua stands as the unshakable anchor of comfort and assurance. The End Times, as foretold in Scripture, are not meant to drive the elect into despair, but to awaken them to the indwelling life of the Messiah and the sovereignty of God’s redemptive plan. The Gospel is not simply good news—it is triumphant news, declaring that death has been defeated, judgment is tempered by mercy, and every prophetic warning is tethered to a promise of rescue for those who are in Christ.

**As the world groans under the weight of tribulation**, the message of Yeshua reminds us that we are not abandoned to chaos. He told His disciples, *“In this world you will have trouble. But take heart! I have overcome the world”* (John 16:33). That victory is not distant—it is active within every believer through the Spirit of the resurrected Messiah. Revelation, while filled with sobering judgments, ends with the radiant image of a restored Heaven and New Earth where



the Lamb reigns and God dwells with His people. The Gospel assures us that all suffering is temporary and that endurance rooted in indwelling faith will be rewarded with eternal glory.

Moreover, the Gospel provides clarity in confusion. Where the world offers fear and speculation, Yeshua offers discernment, peace, and prophetic hope. As He said in Luke 21:28, *“When these things begin to take place, stand up and lift up your heads, because your redemption is drawing near.”* The believer is not called to flinch, but to stand and behold—not because the signs are mild, but because the Savior is mighty. In the darkest hours, it is the Gospel that lights the path forward, reminding us that history is not spiraling randomly, but marching toward a sovereign culmination led by the Prince of Peace.

### **A Challenge to the Modern Church: Rising in Faith, Not Succumbing to Apocalyptic Fear**

As global instability intensifies and the signs of the times unfold with increasing clarity, the Church must confront a subtle yet pervasive enemy—not political persecution or cultural marginalization, but the theological and psychological drift into fear-based eschatology. While the Scriptures do not flinch from describing tribulation, deception, and judgment, they do so in the context of divine sovereignty and redemptive triumph. The End Times are not a catastrophe to survive but a culmination to be embraced through the indwelling life of Messiah Yeshua.

**It is time for the modern Church to rise**—not in reactionary panic or speculative dread, but in prophetic confidence and spiritual discernment, rooted in the faith of Christ Himself. The indwelt believer must remember that fear is not merely an

emotion—it is a strategy of the enemy to neutralize faith, distort theology, and derail Kingdom readiness. Paul reminds Timothy, “*God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind*” (2 Timothy 1:7). That soundness of mind is birthed through abiding in the Word, receiving the Spirit’s guidance, and discerning the times without compromising the Gospel’s hope.

The institutional Church must also shed the vestiges of passive comfort and consumer-driven programming, returning instead to its apostolic mandate: equipping Saints to endure with joy, to speak truth in love, and to engage society with Kingdom clarity. Where fear sells books and garners clicks, faith births disciples and ignites movements. Revelation does not end with destruction—it ends with a Bride made ready, clothed in righteousness, and called to reign in and through Christ.

## **IDENTITY IS ESSENTIAL**

In an age dominated by identity confusion, social fragmentation, and theological compromise, the greatest threat to the believer is not external persecution—but internal drift from the essence of who they are in the Messiah. The doctrine of the indwelling life of Yeshua is not peripheral; it is central. It asserts that the believer is not merely influenced by Christ but inhabited by Him (Galatians 2:20; Colossians 1:27). This reality must become the epistemological lens through which every dimension of the believer’s existence is interpreted.

The modern Church, often seduced by behavior modification and motivational theology, must re-center itself on the spiritual ontology of the indwelt life. Who we are “in Christ”

is not a metaphor—it is a positional and practical truth. As Paul wrote to the Corinthians, *“Do you not realize about yourselves that Jesus Christ is in you—unless indeed you fail to meet the test!”* (2 Corinthians 13:5). This is not a call to self-examination based on performance, but on presence, the presence of Christ within.

**Many believers speak of “following” Christ** as a noble pursuit—modeling His teachings, imitating His compassion, and striving to walk in His footsteps. Yet Scripture reveals a deeper reality: the believer is not merely a follower but a vessel of divine presence. To follow Christ is to acknowledge Him as Lord; to be indwelt by the Holy Spirit is to be transformed by His life within. The former can exist externally—through behavior, tradition, or moral alignment—but the latter is internal, supernatural, and permanent. As Paul writes, *“Christ in you, the hope of glory”* (Colossians 1:27), the indwelling Spirit is not a distant guide but an intimate inhabitant, empowering obedience from the inside out. True discipleship begins not with imitation, but with habitation—where the life of Yeshua becomes the believer’s source, identity, and power.

The blunt challenge, therefore, is to recover a robust theology of identity that flows from union, not effort. Identity in Yeshua is cruciform: it begins with death to self and culminates in resurrection life, lived in divine partnership. The indwelt believer must reject cultural self-definitions rooted in trauma, profession, ethnicity, or self-expression, and instead embrace the eternal reality of being hidden with Christ in God (Colossians 3:3).

***Tap in, don’t tap out!***

# CHAPTER FIVE

## *Church Preparation and Prophetic Clarity*

### **Church Preparation in the Last Days**

In an age of spiritual confusion and cultural upheaval, the believer's identity in Christ must be more than a theological concept—it must be a lived reality. The New Testament Epistles do not merely instruct the Church on behavior; they unveil a prophetic blueprint for preparation, rooted in the indwelling life of Yeshua. This chapter explores how the believer's identity intersects with eschatological truths, drawing from four key passages that illuminate the Church's calling, warning, and hope.

In our present age, a troubling trend has emerged within the Church: a growing number of professing believers who are spiritually passive and biblically illiterate. These are individuals who claim the name of Christ yet rarely open His Word, content to outsource their spiritual nourishment to Sunday sermons or social media snippets. The result is a generation that knows Christian catchphrases but not the covenant truths that anchor the soul. As one survey revealed, many evangelicals struggle to name the four Gospels or distinguish biblical doctrine from cultural clichés. This isn't merely a lack of knowledge—it's a crisis of identity. Without the Word, the believer drifts, vulnerable to deception, moral compromise, and spiritual apathy.

**Laziness in the spiritual life is not benign**—it's dangerous. Paul warned Timothy of those who would have “*a form of*

*godliness but deny its power*” (2 Timothy 3:5), describing a people who appear religious but lack the indwelling life of Yeshua. Biblical illiteracy breeds shallow faith, and shallow faith cannot withstand the storms of deception, persecution, or temptation. The Church must awaken from its slumber.

Revival will not come through emotion or entertainment, but through a return to the Word—studied, cherished, and obeyed. For it is only in Scripture that the believer discovers who they truly are, not just followers of Christ, but indwelt vessels of His life and truth.

**In today’s digital age**, many modern-day believers have traded the sacred discipline of studying Scripture for the convenience of scrolling through online opinions. Social media posts, influencer soundbites, and algorithm-driven devotionals often shape their theology more than the actual Word of God. While technology can be a helpful tool, it has also fostered a generation that confuses commentary with canon. Instead of *rightly dividing the Word* (2 Timothy 2:15), many settle for interpretations that are popular, emotionally charged, or culturally palatable. This trend has led to a shallow understanding of biblical truth, where conviction is replaced by consensus and spiritual depth is sacrificed for digital ease. The indwelt believer must return to the source—Scripture itself—allowing the Holy Spirit to illuminate truth through personal study, not borrowed opinion.

## **The Rapture and the Indwelt Hope**

**Text: 1 Thessalonians 4:13–18**

Paul’s teaching on the Rapture is not a mere escape clause—it is a revelation of divine intimacy. The phrase “*caught up to meet the Lord in the air*” (v.17) is the culmination of a

relationship that began with indwelling. The believer is not waiting for a distant Savior but for the One who already resides within.

- **Identity Implication:** The indwelt believer is already united with Christ spiritually; the Rapture completes that union physically.
- **Prophetic Clarity:** The Rapture is imminent and exclusive to those “*in Christ*.” It is not a general resurrection but a gathering of those whose lives are hidden in Him.
- **Church Preparation:** *Comfort one another with these words* (v.18)—not as sentiment, but as spiritual alignment. The Church must live like those already seated in heavenly places (Ephesians 2:6), awaiting bodily translation.

**The great gathering**—commonly referred to as the Rapture—is not a speculative theory or denominational preference; it is a biblically revealed event that every believer must understand through Scripture, not hearsay. Paul describes it vividly in 1 Thessalonians 4:16–17, where the Lord descends with a shout, the dead in Christ rise first, and those alive are “*caught up*” to meet Him in the air. This is not symbolic—it is a literal, supernatural gathering of the indwelt Church. The Greek word *harpazo*, meaning “*to snatch away*,” conveys urgency and divine initiative. It is the culmination of our union with Christ, not a theological footnote. Believers must study the Word to grasp this truth, for it shapes how we live, hope, and prepare. The Rapture is not about escape—it’s about fulfillment, where the Bride meets the Bridegroom in glory

## Apostasy and the Crisis of Identity

**Text: 2 Thessalonians 2:1–12**

Before the Day of the Lord, Paul warns of a great falling away and the revealing of the “man of lawlessness.” Apostasy is not merely doctrinal error—it is identity confusion. The Antichrist rises in a vacuum of spiritual authenticity.

- **Identity Implication:** Those who are not indwelt are vulnerable to deception. The Spirit within is the restrainer (v.6–7), holding back lawlessness until He is “*taken out of the way.*”
- **Prophetic Clarity:** The Antichrist will exalt himself above all that is called God (v.4), mimicking divine identity. This counterfeit will appeal to those who have not anchored their identity in Christ.
- **Church Preparation:** The Church must discern external religiosity and internal regeneration. Apostasy begins when believers trade indwelling for imitation.

## Perilous Times and the Identity Crisis

**Text: 2 Timothy 3:1–5**

Paul’s description of the last days reads like a mirror held up to modern culture. The peril is not persecution—it is moral collapse from within. The list of vices is not random; it reflects a generation that has lost its spiritual compass.

- **Identity Implication:** “*Having a form of godliness but denying its power*” (v.5) is the hallmark of a Church that follows through the external Christ but lacks the indwelling Spirit.

- **Prophetic Clarity:** The peril is internal. The Church must not only resist cultural decay but recognize when it has become complicit.
- **Church Preparation:** Turn away from such people (v.5)—not in judgment, but in consecration. The indwelt believer must be distinct, not diluted.

Believers who are not secure in their identity in Yeshua often approach Scripture through the lens of insecurity, performance, or cultural influence rather than divine revelation. If individuals lack assurance of their acceptance and redemption in Christ, their biblical worldview can become fragmented and influenced more by fear or opinion than faith or obedience. They may interpret God's commands as burdens rather than blessings, view prophecy as a threat rather than a hope, and see themselves as distant followers rather than intimate sons and daughters. This shaky foundation leads to compromise, confusion, and susceptibility to false teaching. But when identity is rooted in the finished work of Yeshua, the believer sees Scripture not as a rulebook, but as a relational roadmap—one that reveals who God is, who they are in Him, and how to live with clarity, courage, and conviction in a world that desperately needs truth.

## **The Second Coming and the Fulfillment of Identity**

**Text: Hebrews 9:28**

Christ's return is not to deal with sin—that was settled at the cross. He comes to save those who eagerly await Him. This is not salvation from wrath, but salvation into glory.

- **Identity Implication:** The indwelt believer is marked by longing. The Spirit within cries out for consummation (Romans 8:23).



- **Prophetic Clarity:** His appearance is for those who wait—not passively, but with spiritual urgency. Identity in Christ produces expectation.
- **Church Preparation:** The Church must cultivate eagerness, not apathy. The Second Coming is not a theological event—it is a relational reunion.

The End Times are not merely a sequence of apocalyptic events—they are the divine crescendo of the Bride of Christ stepping into her full identity. From Genesis to Revelation, Scripture reveals a covenantal love story between God and His people, culminating in the marriage supper of the Lamb (Revelation 19:7–9). In this final chapter of history, the Church is not portrayed as a fearful remnant but as a prepared, purified Bride—clothed in righteousness, indwelt by Yeshua, and eagerly awaiting her Bridegroom. The trials, judgments, and prophetic signs of the End Times are not random—they are the refining fire that readies the Bride for union. As Paul declared, Christ gave Himself for the Church *“to present her to Himself a glorious church... holy and without blemish”* (Ephesians 5:27). The End Times are not about destruction—they are about consummation. The Bride is not escaping the world; she is being revealed in glory, fulfilling her eternal calling to reign with Christ.

### **Indwelling as the Anchor of Prophetic Clarity**

The believer’s identity in Christ is not a static label—it is a dynamic reality that prepares the Church for the days ahead. From the Rapture to the rise of deception, from moral collapse to the Second Coming, the indwelling life of Yeshua is the thread that holds the Church together.

- We are not merely followers—we are hosts.

- We are not merely imitators—we are incarnations.
- We are not merely waiting—we are being transformed.

**Important Note:** The Rapture and the Second Coming of Christ are distinct yet interconnected events within the prophetic timeline of Scripture. **The Rapture**, described in 1 Thessalonians 4:16–17, is the first phase of Christ’s return, where He gathers His Bride—the indwelt Church—to meet Him in the air, removing them before the outpouring of divine wrath. This event is sudden, unseen by the world, and marked by resurrection and transformation. **The Second Coming**, however, is the visible, physical return of Christ to earth, occurring at the end of the Antichrist’s seven-year reign, as foretold in Revelation 19:11–16. In this second phase, Christ descends with His Saints who were previously gathered up unto Him to defeat evil, judge the nations, and establish His Millennial Kingdom. To conflate these two is to blur the prophetic clarity Scripture provides; together, they form a two-part unveiling of the Bridegroom’s return—first in intimacy, then in glory.

**Let the Church arise—not in fear, but in fullness. For the One who is coming is the One who already lives within.**

It is impossible to rightly understand biblical prophecy without being anchored in the mind of Christ, who alone holds the divine interpretation and clarity of the End Times. Human reasoning, no matter how scholarly or sincere, cannot grasp the spiritual depth and timing of God’s prophetic plan. As Paul declared, *“But we have the mind of Christ”* (1 Corinthians 2:16), meaning that true discernment comes only through the indwelling Spirit who reveals what is hidden to the natural mind. Without this internal anchoring, prophecy

becomes speculative, fragmented, or distorted by personal bias and cultural influence. But when the believer is yielded to the mind of Christ within, Scripture unfolds with supernatural coherence—past, present, and future aligning in perfect harmony. The End Times are not a puzzle to be solved intellectually, but a revelation to be received spiritually by those who host the Author of prophecy Himself.

# CHAPTER SIX

## *Prophetic Fulfillment & Victory*

### **Revelation: Fulfillment and Final Victory**

The Book of Revelation culminates in a sweeping narrative of divine justice, cosmic warfare, and eternal restoration. It is not merely apocalyptic—it is eschatological, unveiling the consummation of God's redemptive plan through the Lamb who was slain and now reigns. This chapter traces the prophetic sequence from the Tribulation judgments to the New Heaven and Earth, offering commentary rooted in Scripture and Hebraic clarity.

### **Revelation 6–18: Tribulation Judgments—Seals, Trumpets, and Bowls**

The judgments of Revelation unfold in three escalating series: *seven seals* (Rev. 6–8), *seven trumpets* (Rev. 8–11), and *seven bowls* (Rev. 15–16). These are not random catastrophes but divinely orchestrated events that expose the rebellion of mankind and the sovereignty of God.

- **Seals** initiate the Tribulation, revealing conquest, war, famine, death, martyrdom, and cosmic upheaval.
- **Trumpets** intensify judgment, affecting land, sea, rivers, and skies—introducing demonic torment and global chaos.
- **Bowls** represent the final outpouring of wrath, targeting the Beast's kingdom and culminating in Armageddon.

Each judgment series telescopes into the next, revealing a progressive unveiling of divine wrath and mercy. The interludes (Rev. 7, 10–11, 14) highlight God’s preservation of the faithful and His call to repentance.

## **FIRST EVENT: THE BELIEVERS' RAPTURE**

Many theologians widely understand the Rapture of the Church to occur moments before the commencement of the Antichrist’s seven-year reign, marking the beginning of the Tribulation period. This view is supported by passages such as 1 Thessalonians 4:16–17 and Revelation 3:10, which promise that believers will be “*caught up*” and “*kept from the hour of trial*” that is to come upon the whole earth. The signing of the peace covenant with Israel (Daniel 9:27) is the prophetic trigger for the Tribulation, and the Rapture is believed to precede this event—removing the indwelt Church before the unveiling of the “*man of lawlessness*” (2 Thessalonians 2:3–8). This divine evacuation serves both as a rescue and a prophetic signal, allowing the Antichrist to rise unopposed in a world devoid of the restraining influence of the Spirit-filled Body of Christ.

**According to the infallible Word of God,** the resurrection of the “dead in Christ” precedes the rapture of the living Saints, marking a profound moment of divine order and hope. As Paul declares in 1 Thessalonians 4:16–17, “*For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God; and the dead in Christ will rise first. Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air.*” This reveals that those who have died in union with Christ—sealed by His indwelling life—shall be raised in glorified bodies before the living believers are

caught up (raptured). In this stunning fulfillment of prophecy, the Church witnesses the triumph of Christ over death, the unity of the Body across generations, and the beginning of our eternal fellowship with the Messiah in glory. This sequence is not symbolic—it is literal, sovereign, and integral to the eschatological unveiling of Yeshua's return.

## **SECOND EVENT: Revelation 13: Rise of the Beast and False Prophet**

**Note:** The following occurs after the believer's Rapture. This chapter introduces the unholy trinity: Satan (the dragon), the Beast (Antichrist), and the False Prophet. Empowered by the dragon, the Beast rises from the sea—symbolizing Gentile political power—and demands global worship.

- **The Beast blasphemes God**, wages war against the Hebrew people, and rules for 42 months.
- **The False Prophet performs** deceptive signs, enforces worship of the Beast, and institutes the mark (666)—a counterfeit seal of allegiance.

This is the apex of global deception, fulfilling Daniel's vision of the final empire and mirroring the rebellion of Nimrod. The faithful 144,000 pure bloodline Jews (Revelation 7:-8) are called to endurance, knowing that the Lamb's victory is imminent.

In the final days, the Beast—empowered by Satan—will rise as a counterfeit messiah, cloaked in charisma and false promises of unity. Through political prowess and supernatural deception, he will broker a counterfeit peace that seduces the nations into surrendering sovereignty for global stability. This illusion of harmony will be reinforced by a one-world religion, orchestrated by the False Prophet, which blends

spiritual pluralism with idolatry, ultimately demanding worship of the Beast himself. The masses, intoxicated by signs and wonders, will be conditioned to reject the exclusive truth of the Hebrew God—YHWH—and vilify His covenant people and Word. What appears as liberal enlightenment will be spiritual enslavement, as humanity trades truth for delusion, fulfilling the prophetic warnings of 2 Thessalonians 2:9-12 and Revelation 13.

### **THIRD EVENT: The Seven-Year Reign of The Antichrist**

Deception, Desecration, and Divine Judgment.

The prophetic timeline of the Antichrist's reign is anchored in Daniel 9:27, which speaks of a covenant made, the Hebrew measurement "*for one week*"—a seven-year period that marks the final chapter before the visible return of the Messiah. This era, often referred to as the Tribulation, is divided into two halves: the first marked by counterfeit peace, and the second by open blasphemy and persecution. The Antichrist, empowered by Satan (Revelation 13:2), will rise not as a tyrant at first, but as a global savior—ushering in a deceptive calm that sets the stage for catastrophic rebellion against the Hebrew God.

#### **The First Half: A Deceptive Peace**

At the outset, the Antichrist will broker a covenant that appears to bring peace to the Middle East, particularly involving Israel (Daniel 9:27). This treaty will likely include the rebuilding of the Third Temple in Jerusalem, a long-awaited event that will stir global attention and religious fervor. He will be hailed as a peacemaker, a unifier, and even a messianic figure by many. Revelation 6:2 portrays him as a

rider on a white horse—symbolizing conquest without immediate bloodshed, bearing a bow but no arrows.

This false peace will lull the nations into a sense of security, while behind the scenes, the Antichrist consolidates power. Economic systems, religious institutions, and political alliances will begin to merge under his influence. The groundwork for a one-world religion will be laid, promoting tolerance and unity while subtly eroding allegiance to the Hebrew God. As 2 Thessalonians 2:9–10 warns, his rise will be accompanied by “*false signs and wonders*,” deceiving those who refuse to love the truth, Yeshua.

### **The Second Half: Desecration and Tyranny**

Midway through the seven years, the Antichrist will break the covenant (Daniel 9:27b) and commit the *Abomination of Desolation*—entering the rebuilt Third Temple and proclaiming himself to be God (2 Thessalonians 2:3–4). This act of blasphemy marks the beginning of the Great Tribulation, a time of unprecedented persecution and judgment. The Beast will demand worship, and the False Prophet will enforce it through signs and the infamous mark of the Beast (666) (Revelation 13:16–17).

The desecration of the Holy Place is not merely symbolic—it is a direct assault on the covenantal identity of Israel and the holiness of YHWH. The Antichrist’s throne in the Temple is a counterfeit of the true throne of God, and his reign is a parody of the Millennial Kingdom. Those who refuse to worship him will be hunted, martyred, or economically ostracized. The global system will be saturated with hatred for the Hebrew God, His Word, and His people.

### **The Two Final Confrontations**



This seven-year reign culminates in the Battle of Armageddon (Revelation 16:16; 19:11–21), where Yeshua returns in glory to defeat the Beast, the False Prophet, and the armies of rebellion. The Antichrist's reign, though terrifying, is temporary. It serves as the final test of allegiance and the ultimate vindication of divine justice. For the indwelt believer, now standing with Yeshua, this period is not a time of fear, but of prophetic reigning with Christ—knowing that the counterfeit kingdom will fall, and the true King will reign.

**Special Note:** Armageddon, though often viewed as a singular climactic battle, is likely divided into two distinct conflicts within the eschatological timeline. The first occurs at the physical appearing of Yeshua HaMashiach, when He descends to defeat the Antichrist and his armies gathered at Megiddo (Revelation 19:11–21), marking the end of the seven-year Tribulation. This confrontation inaugurates the Millennial Kingdom, during which Satan is bound in the abyss (Revelation 20:1–3). **However, after a thousand years** of divine rule, Satan is released for a final deception (Revelation 20:7–10), gathering the nations for one last rebellion against the Messiah's throne in Jerusalem. This second conflict—often referred to as the *War to End All Wars*, or *The Final Battle Between Good & Evil*—culminates in fire from heaven consuming the adversaries, and Satan's eternal judgment in the lake of fire. Together, these two battles bookend the final chapters of human rebellion and usher in the eternal reign of righteousness.

### **Final Battle Between Good and Evil**

Armageddon, derived from Har Megiddo, is the prophesied battlefield where the kings of the earth gather under demonic

influence to oppose the Lamb. It is not merely a military conflict—it is a spiritual showdown.

- **The sixth bowl** dries up the Euphrates, preparing the way for eastern kings.
- **Unclean spirits** deceive the nations, assembling them for war.
- **The seventh bowl** announces, “*It is done*,” signaling the collapse of Babylon and the final judgment.

Armageddon is the climax of human rebellion and divine intervention. It sets the stage for the visible return of the Messiah, keeping his promise of a New Heaven & Earth.

#### **FOURTH EVENT: Revelation 19:11–21: Second Coming of Christ**

Heaven opens, and the Faithful and True rides forth on a white horse. This is not the Lamb in meekness—it is the Lion of Judah in glory.

- The robe is described as dipped in blood, and the individual is referred to as the Word of God.
- Armies of heaven follow Him, clothed in white linen. These followers are the 144,000 pure-bloodline Jews and the grafted Saints.
- A sharp sword proceeds from His mouth—symbolizing divine judgment.

The 144,000 mentioned in Scripture appear in two key passages: Revelation 7:1–8 and Revelation 14:1–5. These individuals are described as being sealed by God and closely associated with Christ during the End Times. Here's a breakdown of what the Bible says about the “pure-bloodline Jews:”

### **Revelation 7:1–8**

- Describes 144,000 servants of God sealed on their foreheads – 777 (Revelation 13:16-18).
- They are 12,000 from each of the twelve tribes of Israel, suggesting Jewish heritage.
- This sealing occurs before the judgments of the Great Tribulation unfold.

### **Revelation 14:1–5**

- Shows the 144,000 standing with the Lamb (Christ) on Mount Zion.
- They have His name and His Father's name written on their foreheads.
- Described as undefiled virgins, truthful, and redeemed from the earth.
- Called "*first fruits to God and the Lamb*," indicating a special consecration.

When the Beast and False Prophet are captured and cast into the lake of fire, the kings of the earth are slain. This is the visible, physical return of Christ, distinct from the Rapture, and marks the beginning of His earthly reign.

### **Theological Significance & Seal**

- The 144,000 are often seen as a faithful remnant, preserved and empowered by God during global upheaval.
- Their purity, loyalty, and obedience to Christ mark them as distinct from the rest of humanity.
- Whether literal or symbolic, they represent God's ownership and protection over His people.

The Battle of Armageddon will be the final and decisive war in human history—a divine confrontation that ends all rebellion against the Most High. As foretold in Revelation 19:11–21, Yeshua returns not as the suffering Servant, but as the conquering King, leading heaven’s armies to vanquish the forces of darkness. This war is not confined to a geographic battlefield; it is global, spiritual, and absolute. The enemies of God—those who have hated, mocked, and defied His holiness across generations—will be gathered under the banner of the Beast, deceived into believing they can overthrow the Creator. But with a word from His mouth, Yeshua will strike down the nations, judging both the living and the legacy of rebellion from ages past. It is the war to end all wars, not by diplomacy or human effort, but by the righteous fury of the Son vindicating His Father’s name. Evil will be silenced, and the earth will be prepared for the reign of peace under the true King.

#### **FIFTH EVENT: Revelation 20:1–6: Millennial Kingdom**

Satan is bound for 1,000 years, inaugurating the Millennial Kingdom—a literal reign of Christ on earth.

- The Saints reign with Him, fulfilling promises to Israel and the Church.
- Peace, justice, and righteousness characterize this age.
- The earth is restored, yet not fully glorified.

This period vindicates God’s covenantal promises and demonstrates the necessity of divine rule. It is a foretaste of eternity, yet distinct from the New Heaven and Earth.

**During the Millennial Reign of Christ**, as described in Revelation 20:1–6, the earth will experience a supernatural peace unlike any era in human history. This thousand-year

period begins with Satan being bound in the abyss—chained and sealed so that he can no longer deceive the nations. With the source of evil restrained, the reign of Yeshua will be marked by righteousness, justice, and divine order. The Saints, resurrected and glorified, will rule alongside Him, fulfilling the promises made to both Israel and the Church. The curse upon creation will be lifted, and the knowledge of the Lord will cover the earth as the waters cover the sea (Isaiah 11:9). No demonic influence, no spiritual warfare—only the benevolent rule of the Messiah reigning from Jerusalem.

Yet, this peace is not the final chapter. Scripture reveals that at the end of the thousand years, Satan will be released “*for a little while*” (Revelation 20:7–10). Incredibly, despite living under the perfect government of Christ, many who were born during the Millennium are still born into sin. Satan will once again deceive the nations, gathering them from the four corners of the earth—Gog and Magog—for one last insurrection. This uprising is not merely political; it is spiritual defiance against the holiness of God and the authority of His Son. The nations will surround the beloved city, Jerusalem, in a final attempt to overthrow divine rule.

But this rebellion will be short-lived. Fire will fall from heaven, consuming the enemies of God in an instant. Satan, the deceiver, all those judged to have missed the mark of the indwelling Life through Yeshua, the defiant and rebellious people, will be cast into the lake of fire—joining the Beast and the False Prophet in eternal torment. This final act of judgment seals the fate of evil forever. The Battle of Armageddon, though preceded by deception and rebellion, ends not with human bloodshed but with divine justice. It is the last war, the final purge, and the ultimate vindication of

the Father's holiness. From this moment forward, evil will never rise again, and the eternal state will begin—ushering in the New Heaven and New Earth where righteousness dwells.

### **SIXTH EVENT: Revelation 20:11–15: Great White Throne Judgment**

After Satan's final rebellion and defeat, likely during the Millennial Reign, the Great White Throne is revealed. This is the final judgment of the unredeemed dead.

- Every person who lived past, present, and future, God records their sin in individual books, each book representing a person's deeds on earth (Revelation 20:12). These books are opened, including the Book of Life, which houses the names of all authentic indwelt believers who endured to the end (Matthew 24:13) and the Saints of old who were received into paradise through faith and obedience (pre-Cross believers).
- The dead are judged according to their deeds.
- All those who refused the indwelling Life of Yeshua are sent to Death and Hades - then Death and Hades are thrown into the lake of fire—this is the second death (Revelation 20:13-14).

No one escapes this judgment apart from the righteousness of Christ. It is the ultimate reckoning, where justice and holiness converge. **However, the believer's judgment** likely occurred shortly after the Rapture on Heaven's side – not judged for their sins, but for the opportunities they missed for ministry and rewards for what they accomplished in Christ (2 Corinthians 5:10; Romans 14:10-12; Revelation 22:12).

### **SEVENTH EVENT: Revelation 20:7–10: The Final War**

*“When the thousand years are completed, Satan will be released from his prison, and will come out to deceive the nations... to gather them together for war; the number of them is like the sand of the seashore. And they came up on the broad plain of the earth and surrounded the camp of the Saints and the beloved city, and fire came down from heaven and devoured them. And the devil... was thrown into the lake of fire and brimstone... and they will be tormented day and night forever and ever.”*

**After the thousand-year reign of Christ**—when peace, righteousness, and divine governance have flourished—Scripture reveals a final, cataclysmic rebellion. In Revelation 20:7–10, Satan is released from his prison to deceive the nations once more, gathering them from the four corners of the earth—Gog and Magog—for war against the beloved city of God. Though their number is like the sand of the sea, their uprising is short-lived. Fire from heaven consumes them, and Satan, the ancient deceiver, is cast into the lake of fire, joining the beast and false prophet in eternal torment. This final war is not a prolonged battle, but a swift and decisive act of divine justice. It marks the end of all rebellion, the closure of human history as we know it, and the ushering in of the new heaven and new earth, where righteousness dwells and the redeemed reign forever with the Lamb.

### **EIGHTH EVENT: Revelation 21–22: New Heaven and New Earth**

The final vision is not destruction—it is restoration. The old order passes away, and the New Jerusalem descends as a bride adorned for her husband.

- God dwells with His people; every tear is wiped away.

- No more death, mourning, or pain.
- The city shines with the glory of God; the Lamb is its light.
- The promised gift of Yeshua is delivered, the New Heaven and Earth.

The Tree of Life reappears, and the River of Life flows from the throne. Nations walk in the light of the Lamb. This is the eternal state—the fulfillment of all things, where heaven and earth are one, and the redeemed dwell with God forever.

The promise of a New Heaven and New Earth stands as the climactic fulfillment of God’s redemptive plan—a divine restoration that transcends Eden and consummates the covenantal journey of Scripture. First mentioned in Isaiah 65:17 and 66:22, and fully revealed in Revelation 21–22, this eternal reality is literal—both physical and spiritual—not symbolic or allegorical. It is the final dwelling place of the redeemed, where righteousness dwells (2 Peter 3:13) and the indwelling life of Yeshua is fully manifest in every citizen of the Kingdom.

John’s vision in Revelation 21:1 begins with a dramatic declaration: *“Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away.”* This is not only annihilation—it is transformation. The old creation, marred by sin, death, and decay, is replaced by a new cosmos untouched by corruption. The sea, often symbolic of chaos and separation, is no more. The former things—pain, mourning, crying, and death—are gone (Revelation 21:4). This is not escapism; it is divine renewal.

At the heart of this new creation is communion. *“Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man”* (Revelation 21:3). No



longer will there be veils, temples, or mediators. The redeemed will live in direct, unbroken fellowship with the Father, Son, and Spirit. The New Jerusalem, described in radiant detail, is not merely a city—it is the Bride adorned for her Husband (Revelation 21:2), a people purified and glorified, indwelt by Yeshua and prepared for eternal union.

### **Life Without Pain, Suffering, or Sin**

In this eternal state, the curse is fully reversed. The Tree of Life reappears (Revelation 22:2), bearing fruit for healing—not because wounds remain, but because wholeness is perpetual. There is no more night, no more tears, no more sin. The redeemed will never again battle temptation, fear, or sorrow. Satan is gone, cast into the lake of fire (Revelation 20:10), and evil will never rise again. This is not utopia—it is holiness fulfilled. The Lamb is the light, and His servants will see His face (Revelation 22:4), bearing His name on their foreheads as eternal witnesses of grace.

The New Heaven and New Earth are not a return to Eden—they are an elevation beyond it. Eden had potential; the New Creation has permanence. The believer's identity in Yeshua is not just preserved—it is glorified. The indwelling life becomes the reigning life, as the Saints rule with Christ forever (Revelation 22:5). This is the final answer to the groaning of creation (Romans 8:22–23), the vindication of the prophets, and the fulfillment of every covenant promise.

Before embracing the promise of the New Earth, each person must confront the most essential question of life: *Does the Spirit of Christ truly indwell me?* It is not enough to profess belief or maintain religious affiliation—the Scriptures are clear that only those born of the Spirit will inherit the

Kingdom of God (John 3:5–6; Romans 8:9). The indwelling of the Holy Spirit is not emotional fervor, doctrinal knowledge, or moral improvement—it is the supernatural implantation of Christ’s life within, evidenced by transformation, conviction, and communion. Paul warns, *“Examine yourselves to see whether you are in the faith; test yourselves”* (2 Corinthians 13:5). Eternity is too weighty to assume we are saved simply because we were raised in the church or moved by a sermon. The Spirit testifies with our spirit that we are God’s children (Romans 8:16), but that testimony must be real, daily, and active.

**Living forever on the New Earth** requires more than admiring the idea—it requires being spiritually prepared. The final chapters of Revelation describe a city of light, purity, and holiness, into which *“nothing unclean will ever enter”* (Revelation 21:27). True salvation manifests in a hunger for righteousness, a hatred of sin, and an unshakable longing for Christ. If these markers are absent or dulled, the reader must not delay in falling before the Lord, repenting, and asking for the Spirit to bear witness to their soul. Assurance is not arrogance—it is the Spirit’s seal, confirming the believer’s eternal citizenship in the New Creation. There is no greater urgency.

### **The Triumph of the Lamb**

Revelation is not a book of fear—it is a book of hope, justice, and victory. It reveals the sovereignty of God, the triumph of Christ, and the destiny of the redeemed. The prophetic sequence is not chaotic—it is covenantal, culminating in the eternal dwelling of God with His people.

As John writes, “*Even so, come, Lord Jesus*” (Rev. 22:20). The Church ratifies this cry, not in despair, but in anticipation of the final victory.

Here are the primary New Testament prophecies that are being fulfilled daily:

## **From the Cross to the Millennial Reign**

### **1. The Cross and Resurrection of Christ**

- Fulfillment of Messianic prophecy (Isaiah 53; Psalm 22)
- Inauguration of the New Covenant (Jeremiah 31:31–34; Luke 22:20)
- Victory over sin, death, and Satan (Colossians 2:15; Hebrews 2:14)

### **2. The Church Age (Pentecost to Present)**

- Outpouring of the Holy Spirit (Acts 2)
- Global evangelism and spiritual indwelling (Matthew 28:19–20; Colossians 1:27)
- Apostasy and doctrinal compromise begin to increase (2 Timothy 3:1–5; 2 Thessalonians 2:3)

### **3. The Rise of Global Deception and Lawlessness**

- Moral decay and spiritual blindness intensify (Romans 1:18–32)
- False prophets and counterfeit signs emerge (Matthew 24:11; Revelation 13:13–14)
- Preparation for the Antichrist’s system (Daniel 7:23–25; Revelation 13)

### **4. The Rapture of the Church**

- Believers “*caught up*” to meet the Lord (1 Thessalonians 4:13–18)
- Removal of the restraining influence (2 Thessalonians 2:6–7)
- Marks the beginning of the final prophetic countdown

## **5. The Seven-Year Tribulation**

- Rise of the Antichrist and false prophet (Revelation 13)
- Abomination of Desolation in the rebuilt temple (Daniel 9:27; Matthew 24:15)
- Seal, trumpet, and bowl judgments unleashed (Revelation 6–16)
- Global persecution of Israel and tribulation of the Jewish Saints & grafted members (Revelation 12:17)

## **6. The Battle of Armageddon**

- Nations gather against Jerusalem (Zechariah 14:2; Revelation 16:16)
- Christ returns visibly with His Saints (Revelation 19:11–16)
- Antichrist and false prophet cast into the lake of fire (Revelation 19:20)

## **7. The National Repentance of Israel**

- Israel mourns for “*the One they pierced*” (Zechariah 12:10)
- Spiritual restoration and cleansing (Zechariah 13:1; Romans 11:26)

## **8. The 1,000-Year Reign of Christ (Millennium)**

- Satan bound for 1,000 years (Revelation 20:1–3)

- Christ reigns from Jerusalem with resurrected Saints (Isaiah 2:2–4; Revelation 20:4–6)
- Peace, justice, and restoration of creation (Isaiah 11:6–9; Micah 4:1–4)

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**Understanding the flow** of New Testament prophecies is essential for grasping the full arc of God’s redemptive plan—from the first advent of Christ to His triumphant return. These prophecies are not isolated predictions; they form a cohesive narrative that affirms Yeshua/Jesus as Messiah, equips the Church for spiritual discernment, and unveils the future with clarity and hope.

From the prophetic declarations of John the Baptist to the apocalyptic visions of Revelation, the New Testament reveals a divine sequence of fulfillment, warning, and promise.

Without recognizing this flow, believers risk misinterpreting Scripture, overlooking the urgency of the times, and failing to live in alignment with the indwelling life of Yeshua. Prophecy is not peripheral—it is central to understanding the Kingdom, the Church’s mission, and the eternal destiny of the redeemed.

# CHAPTER SEVEN

## *At the End of The Day*

At the close of each day—when the noise subsides and the shadows stretch long—authentic believers are summoned to a posture not of passivity, but of spiritual engagement. The prophecies of our Lord are not distant predictions to be debated or admired from afar; they are living truths meant to be internalized, embodied, and walked out in faith. From the inside out, we must allow these divine revelations to shape our convictions, renew our minds, and anchor our hope—not merely in what is to come, but in Who is coming. For it is in the quiet places of surrender that prophecy finds its purpose: *to transform the heart, awaken the watchman, and prepare the Bride.*

### **JEW HATRED**

In every generation, hostility toward the Jewish people has resurfaced with chilling consistency—not simply as a political or ethnic bias, but as a spiritual rebellion. Scripture reminds us that the Jews are the covenant people through whom God unveiled His character, His Word, and ultimately, His Messiah—Yeshua. To hate the Jews is to reject the sacred lineage through which salvation entered the world. It is a denial of divine authorship and of the sovereign narrative that connects Genesis to Revelation. The hatred of Jews, therefore, is not just cultural or ideological; it is a rejection of the God who chose them to be the vessel of His promises. When culture deconstructs Israel's role in history and prophecy, it is



waging war against God's design and daring to rewrite His script.

## **FAKE PEACE**

Today's culture masquerades as enlightened and progressive, but its chase for "peace" is tragically misaligned. There is a growing momentum toward a type of peace without repentance, unity without truth, and tolerance without discernment. This is the kind of peace the prophets warned about—a deceptive calm that precedes judgment. It is eerily reflective of what the Antichrist will offer: a one-world harmony that lulls the masses into submission, bypasses the blood covenant of Yeshua, and enthrones humanism as sacred. The irony is sharp—what the world calls peace is, in fact, spiritual anesthesia. And behind this façade lies a coordinated effort to silence biblical prophecy, mock divine authority, and usher in global governance that answers not to God but to man.

## **WORLD RELIGION**

Most grievous is the construction of a religion that seeks unity by subtraction: the removal of Yeshua, the dilution of Scripture, and the elevation of spiritual experience over truth. This isn't simply syncretism—it's apostasy dressed in inclusivity. The faith of the early Church was built on the cornerstone of Yeshua HaMashiach and rooted in Hebraic covenantal clarity. What we see forming is a counterfeit religion that replaces Messiah with myth, God's Word with worldly philosophy, and supernatural transformation with self-help spiritualism. It is not a religion that leads to the Father; it is one that replaces Him.

In recent decades, liberal Christianity has steadily eroded the foundation of conservative, biblically sound eschatology by exchanging prophetic clarity for cultural relevance. Instead of proclaiming the literal return of Yeshua, the bodily resurrection, and the fulfillment of Israel's prophetic destiny, many pulpits now offer symbolic reinterpretations that spiritualize or allegorize the End Times. The urgency of Christ's imminent return is replaced with vague notions of evolving consciousness or societal enlightenment. In doing so, liberal theology undermines the prophetic timeline, silences the warning to prepare the Bride, and dismisses the call to discern the signs of the times.

This drift reflects more than just doctrinal compromise—it reveals spiritual anesthesia infecting the Church. By softening the edges of divine judgment and erasing the distinct role of Israel in redemptive history, liberal Christianity paves the way for globalist ideologies, ecumenical movements, and a pseudo-gospel that is void of Yeshua's supremacy. The conservative eschatological framework, rooted in the Hebraic understanding of covenant and prophecy, once served as a spiritual compass for believers navigating a fallen world. Without it, the Church risks losing her prophetic voice, trading eternal truth for temporal comfort. The removal of sound eschatology doesn't just diminish doctrine—it betrays the urgency of Heaven's agenda. The goal? It's simple, one world religion.

## **SELF-GUIDED OPINIONS**

In today's cultural climate, self-guided opinion has become the supreme compass of truth. Whether shaped by emotion, social consensus, or personal experience, opinion is elevated to authority—often at the expense of absolute, biblical Truth.

The idea that “my truth” is valid simply because it is mine has led to a collapse in moral discernment and spiritual anchoring. The indwelling life of Yeshua, who declared Himself as the Truth, has been replaced with a relativistic framework where man becomes his own prophet, priest, and king. This inversion is not innocent—it’s a rebellion cloaked in self-expression. Scripture is no longer the lens; it becomes the object to be reinterpreted, reimagined, or disregarded altogether.

When absolute Truth is displaced, deception is not far behind. Without the fixed standard of God’s Word, the Church risks becoming a reflection of the world rather than its prophetic witness. Eschatological clarity is lost, sin is redefined, and spiritual authority is hollowed out by opinion masquerading as revelation. Yeshua did not come to affirm our self-crafted narratives—He came to confront them, replace them, and transform them. The Body must return to an uncompromising posture: where the Word divides soul and spirit, and where Truth is received, not reengineered. For only when opinion bows to revelation can the Bride be purified for His return.

## **A DEMONIC WORLD**

The unseen realm is no longer subtle in its assault—demonic spirits are actively infiltrating every sphere of human existence with alarming intensity. What once lurked in shadows now parades boldly in the open, influencing world systems, shaping public opinion, and redefining moral boundaries. These spirits do not merely whisper lies; they engineer entire narratives designed to dethrone Truth and enthrone chaos. Political ideologies, educational frameworks, and media empires increasingly reflect the fingerprints of spiritual deception, steering societies toward apostasy with

uncanny precision. The age-old strategy of the adversary remains unchanged: exalt man, silence the Spirit, and remove the testimony of Yeshua.

Even the Church is not exempt. While the gates of hell will not prevail against the true Body, many congregations have unknowingly opened the gates of influence to doctrines of demons. Entertainment-driven worship, diluted teaching, and fear of offending have weakened spiritual discernment. To be accepted by the world, portions of the Church have become indistinguishable from it. The prophetic mantle is exchanged for motivational speeches, and the weight of conviction is replaced with self-help platitudes. Demonic spirits capitalize on this erosion, distracting believers from the urgency of the hour and pulling them into spiritual slumber. Where there should be watchmen, there are sleepwalkers.

**Perhaps most sobering is that even authentic believers—**those sealed by the Spirit—are experiencing oppression, confusion, and spiritual fatigue. Not because they’ve lost their salvation, but because the battle has intensified and the enemy targets those who carry the indwelling life of Yeshua. In these times, deception creeps in through unchecked emotions, unresolved wounds, or subtle compromises. Many find themselves doubting what they once knew, pulled by social pressures or overwhelmed by darkness that seems unrelenting. But Scripture is clear: *we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, powers, and rulers of darkness.* Victory requires vigilance. The indwelling Messiah must not only be our theology—He must be our breath, our covering, and our daily armor.

## **POLITICAL CORRUPTION**

Political corruption has metastasized across nations—not merely as poor governance but as spiritual rebellion cloaked in policy. Leaders who once served as stewards now operate as gatekeepers for global agendas that defy divine order. Corruption no longer hides behind closed doors; it broadcasts its influence through lawmaking, media, and international coalitions. These systems increasingly seek to control thought, regulate speech, and, most alarmingly, dictate worship. At its root, this corruption is anti-Christ—opposing the Lordship of Yeshua and undermining the freedom to proclaim His Name without compromise. When governments become hostile to Truth, they inevitably become hostile to those who carry it.

The Church, called to be salt and light, finds herself under siege—not simply from external politics, but from internal compromise. Ministries once rooted in the unshakable Word are now shaped by political favor, funding dependencies, and cultural appeasement. The prophetic voice is often muted to secure partnerships or avoid public backlash. This corruption is subtle, but lethal—it shifts the Church from a heavenly mandate to an earthly agenda. It trades consecration for convenience and spiritual clarity for political correctness. As a result, ministries that should be preparing the Bride for Yeshua’s return are instead preparing believers for social acceptance.

The greatest danger is that these forces threaten to strip away our freedom to worship Yeshua publicly and prophetically. Already, we see signs: censorship of biblical convictions, restrictions on gatherings, labeling of Truth as “hate speech,” and legal actions against those who stand for righteousness. What’s at stake is more than religious liberty—it is spiritual

sovereignty. True worship cannot be legislated, but it can be silenced through intimidation, bureaucracy, and social engineering. In this hour, authentic believers must rise—not in fear, but in Spirit-led boldness. The freedom to worship Yeshua must be stewarded with urgency, lived with integrity, and defended with unwavering conviction.

## RELIGIOUS CORRUPTION

Across the landscape of modern Christianity, a troubling shift is underway—one that bears the fingerprints of the spirit of the False Prophet. This demonic influence, foretold in Revelation, is not merely future; it is active now, infiltrating pulpits, seminaries, worship movements, and denominational hierarchies. Its strategy is brilliant in deception: to unify the Church under a counterfeit religion that exalts inclusivity over truth and unity over holiness. In this system, the Hebrew God is marginalized, Yeshua is stripped of His divinity and authority, and the Word of God is reinterpreted to fit the emotional palate of modern culture. The end goal is clear—a *globally embraced religion that prepares the way for the Antichrist and ignites the seduction of Babel.*

What makes this infiltration so devastating is its proximity to the truth. The False Prophet spirit doesn't deny religion—it reshapes it. It uses Christian terminology, spiritual experiences, and even partial scripture to fabricate a system void of covenant, repentance, and the cross. The removal of the Hebrew context from scripture is not accidental; it is essential to this deception, because when the foundations of the Torah, prophecy, and the Jewish Messiah are removed, the Church loses its spine and memory. Ministries once rooted in apostolic conviction now proclaim a gospel that welcomes all

paths and celebrates vague spiritualism. This is not unity—it is apostasy masquerading as peace.

The immovable doctrines of God's Word—such as the exclusivity of salvation through Yeshua, the literal Second Coming, the reality of Hell, and the sanctity of moral absolutes—are either softened or stripped entirely. Church institutions, hungry for relevance, affirm practices and ideologies once clearly condemned in Scripture. The pressure to conform politically, socially, and theologically has created a diluted Body that no longer contends for Truth but compromises for influence. And behind this movement stands the spirit of the False Prophet: grooming a generation of believers to welcome a messiah who is not Yeshua, embrace a religion that is not of the Word, and follow a leader who speaks like a lamb but roars like a dragon.

## **CORRUPTION IN RELATIONSHIPS**

Satan's attack on relationships is strategic and multidimensional, reaching into the deepest fabrics of human connection—especially among believers. In the digital age, he has weaponized illusion. Social media, entertainment, and online platforms project curated realities that breed envy, comparison, and unrealistic expectations. Genuine intimacy is replaced by performance, and deep fellowship is fractured by surface-level interaction. Digital illusions mask wounded souls behind filters, likes, and emojis, while the Enemy exploits isolation behind screens. In this counterfeit community, truth is optional, and vulnerability is avoided. What once required face-to-face reconciliation now hides behind the convenience of digital silence.

**Unforgiveness has become a spiritual epidemic.** Rather than embracing the crucified life of Yeshua that compels reconciliation, many believers harbor wounds under the guise of boundaries and self-protection. Satan thrives in this space, where unresolved offenses mutate into bitterness, division, and spiritual stagnation. Hatred—often justified by ideological differences or personal pain—further poisons relationships. It creeps into homes, churches, and ministries, transforming servants into skeptics and watchmen into adversaries. When believers choose resentment over repentance, they abandon the Gospel’s power to heal and unite.

**The culture of demanding personal rights**—without regard for divine order—is another tactic. Relationships have been reshaped into transactional arrangements where self-interest trumps sacrificial love. The biblical call to lay down one’s life for another is silenced by the cry for entitlement. Satan knows that when the self becomes sovereign, the Spirit is suppressed. Even silence has become a weapon. What Scripture calls “*a time to be silent*” has morphed into emotional punishment, relational manipulation, and spiritual withdrawal. Conversations are dodged, accountability is abandoned, and unity is fractured—all under the pretense of peace.

**And then, there’s immorality**—perhaps the most visible and insidious form of relational corruption. The Enemy has normalized what God condemns, blurring the lines between covenant and compromise. Sexual sin, unclean entertainment, and distorted gender roles erode trust, invite demonic footholds, and devastate both families and ministries. The spirit of immorality doesn’t just tempt—it torches sacred bonds. It reshapes love into lust, intimacy into exploitation,



and commitment into convenience. Satan understands that if he can fracture relationships, he can hinder the Body's unity, distort the witness of the Church, and distract believers from preparing for the return of the Messiah.

## **DIVISIONS WITHIN ESCHATOLOGY**

The spirit of the False Prophet has infiltrated the highest echelons of Christian scholarship, especially those who claim to interpret the End Times. This deception is not accidental—it is targeted. By rewriting or deleting the foundational doctrines of sin, judgment, and Hell, these scholars have gutted the Gospel of its urgency and gravity. Sin is rebranded as brokenness; judgment is reframed as metaphor; Hell is either denied or universalized. The result is a sanitized theology that denies consequence, mocks divine justice, and removes the need for repentance. Such teachings do not prepare the Church—they disarm it.

Even more concerning is the flood of false predictions flowing from these deceived voices. By disconnecting prophecy from its Hebrew roots and original covenantal context, many End Times scholars offer timelines, visions, and symbolic reinterpretations that contradict both Scripture and the Spirit's witness. These predictions often center on political allegories, cosmic phenomena, or mystical interpretations that erase Israel's central role in the redemptive story. It's not just error—it's spiritual arrogance. The prophetic texts entrusted to Israel, meant to declare the Messiah and prepare for His return, are twisted to support replacement theology and cultural appeasement.

This deception also serves a sinister agenda: advancing disdain for Israel and the Jewish people. The Word of God is

clear—Israel is the epicenter of prophetic fulfillment, the timepiece of God’s calendar, and the people to whom the covenants were first given. To disregard Hebrew prophecy is to disregard God’s heart. Yet many scholars, in pursuit of relevance or institutional prestige, not only sidestep Israel—they subtly vilify her. By erasing her prophetic significance and promoting a global religion void of Hebraic foundations, they unwittingly align with the spirit of the Antichrist, who hates the seed through whom the Messiah came.

What we're witnessing is the rise of a theological system shaped by opinion, not revelation, by ideology, not inspiration. The spirit of the False Prophet doesn't simply challenge truth—it fabricates a version of Christianity that prepares the world for deception. The Church must awaken. We must return to the Word, read through the lens of covenant, and reject teachings that strip away holiness, accountability, and prophetic precision. Yeshua warned us of wolves in sheep's clothing—and today, many wear academic robes and carry credentials, but speak with voices that sound like the voice of the dragon.

## **RETURN TO THE WORD**

In these days of noise, opinions, and spiritual dilution, the true remnant must return to the only source that cannot lie—the Word of God. It is not a suggestion, theory, or folklore. It is the breath of the Hebrew God, inscribed with divine intent, eternal authority, and supernatural precision. The Scriptures do not ask to be understood before they are obeyed. They require faith—faith that if God has spoken, it is true. As Isaiah 55:11 declares, *“So shall My word be that goes forth from My mouth; it shall not return to Me void, but it shall accomplish what I please.”* Every answer we seek, every mystery we

confront, and every storm we weather must be anchored in that unfailing Word.

**We must humble ourselves**—not as scholars seeking intellectual mastery, but as servants leaning into divine revelation. Yeshua did not call theologians to change the world; He called fishermen, tax collectors, and unnamed souls who believed. Hebrews 11:6 says, “*Without faith it is impossible to please Him...*” It is not comprehension that pleases God—it is trust. We may not grasp every prophecy, every timeline, or every layered meaning in the text. But if the Word says it, we believe it. As Mary declared in Luke 1:38, “*Let it be to me according to your word.*” This is the posture of the faithful in an age of spiritual confusion.

The Bereans were noble not because they understood everything Paul taught—but because they searched the Scriptures daily to test and receive truth. That same Spirit must mark us in the final days. The Word is not outdated; it is alive. It divides soul from spirit, exposes deception, and prepares the Bride for the return of the Lamb. We don’t need cleverer reinterpretation. We need holy conviction. If the Word says judgment is coming, it is coming. If the Word says Yeshua is returning, He is returning. Our role is not to rewrite it—it is to submit, declare, and live it.

## **AVOID SLOPPY TRANSLATIONS**

In a generation where truth is traded for relevance, the uncompromising believer must rise. The Word of God is not subject to cultural interpretation. It is eternal, immovable, and untouched by the philosophies of man. We are not called to bend Scripture to match the age—we are called to stand upon it, even if the age rebels. As Psalm 119:89 affirms, “*Forever,*

*O LORD, Your word is settled in heaven.*” Those who seek God must do so through a translation that honors the text, not one that smooths its edges for comfort. Our calling is fidelity—not popularity.

Authentic disciples, anchored in the indwelling life of Yeshua, must guard the sacredness of translation. The ESV, NKJV, and NASB have withstood manipulation and cultural tailoring because they strive to remain true to the original manuscripts. These are not perfect—but they are faithful. They preserve the Hebrew rhythm, the prophetic urgency, and the doctrinal clarity that the remnant requires. As Paul exhorted Timothy in 2 Timothy 1:13, *“Hold fast the pattern of sound words... in faith and love which are in Christ Jesus.”* Sound words are not paraphrased—they are preserved.

Beware, beloved, of translations that blend secular ideology with divine revelation. Paraphrases may entertain, but they seldom disciple. They may comfort the curious, but they cannot commission those who are called. The road ahead demands clarity, precision, and truth untainted by man’s agenda. As Yeshua prayed in John 17:17, *“Sanctify them by Your truth. Your word is truth.”* Sanctification comes by truth—not approximation. Let us not trade the sword of the Spirit for a feather of cultural appeasement.

Let every reader and seeker of soul heed the call: return to the Word as it was breathed—not as it has been revised. The hour demands a remnant who believes what the Word says—even when it wounds, offends, or challenges. We are NOT editors—we are messengers. And the message has not changed. Choose your translation wisely. And let your faith be forged in the fire of His unyielding truth.

People ask me frequently, *What is the leading translation I should avoid?* Without hesitation, I tell them NIV. The publishers of this “translation” have been modernizing the Word for many years – now hosting depraved versions.

## USE THE WORD LIKE A SWORD

The Word of God is not a decoration for the bookshelf—it is a weapon forged by heaven. In the armor of the believer, the Sword of the Spirit is the only offensive tool. It does not merely soothe or comfort; it pierces. Hebrews 4:12 declares, *“For the word of God is living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword...”* When fear creeps in like smoke under the door, the faithful must not cower—they must unsheathe the Word. Speak it aloud. Declare its truth. Let the spiritual realm know that you are not unarmed.

**Anxiety, the silent thief**, lurks in the minds of the distracted. But Scripture has already offered its rebuke. Philippians 4:6–7 commands, *“Be anxious for nothing... and the peace of God... will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.”* This is not poetic comfort—it is spiritual instruction. The one who believes must answer anxious thoughts with Scripture, turning panic into prayer and dread into declaration. When the believer speaks TRUTH out loud, fear is driven back. The battlefield is in the mind—and the Word is the sword that clears it.

Sin, the most cunning adversary, fears one thing: **truth that cannot be bent**. Temptation may whisper, but the Word roars. When Yeshua faced the devil in the wilderness, He did not argue or negotiate—He quoted Scripture. *“It is written,”* He said in Matthew 4, striking down every lie with unshakable truth. So must we. When lust tempts, when bitterness

beckons, when self-pity poisons, we must do more than resist—we must cut it down. Memorize the Word. Declare it. Let its edge be sharpened daily in and through the indwelling Life, ready for battle.

**This hour calls for warriors**—not wanderers. The Word is not for the timid—it is for the bold. Fear must be answered. Anxiety must be challenged. Sin must be slain. And the sword is in your hand. Will you wield it?

### **FIND A BIBLE STRONG CHURCH**

In a day when many pulpits intermingle with culture rather than confront it, the remnant must seek out churches that burn with holy fire—where the Word is taught without dilution, and where the return of the King is not neglected but proclaimed. The study of eschatology is not optional; it is essential. Revelation 1:3 blesses the one who reads and hears the prophetic words and takes them to heart. The Church must not tremble before the Book of Revelation, nor shy away from Daniel’s visions or Paul’s warnings. It must teach with boldness and clarity—preparing the Bride for the Lamb’s appearance.

Authentic community is forged not by casual attendance but by intentional discipleship. Churches must move beyond programs and entertainment and return to the model of Acts 2:42: *“They continued steadfastly in the apostles’ doctrine and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in prayers.”* In-house discipleship, regular Bible studies, and the formation of true spiritual warriors are not side ministries—they are frontline assignments. The Church is not a refuge from battle—it is boot camp for Saints. Those who are taught and trained in truth will not be tossed by the winds of deceit.

**A Bible-strong church must not only teach doctrine**—it must preach indwelling Life. Yeshua is not a system of beliefs to adopt; He is a risen Lord who desires to live His life through the surrendered soul. Galatians 2:20 is not poetic—it's positional. *“It is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me.”* The leadership of such a church must be fearless in pointing sinners not to behavior modification but to spiritual crucifixion and resurrection. No sermon is complete until it calls the lost to die to self and receive the indwelling Messiah.

So, seek, beloved, the fellowship that is faithful in all things: sound doctrine, prophetic preaching, eternal perspective, discipleship depth, and above all, an unwavering witness to the indwelling Son. Avoid churches that use the term “followers.” However, if they connect the “follower” with the indwelling Life of Christ via the Holy Spirit, that is a good sign. The time is urgent. Do not settle for less than a full gospel. The Bride must be readied—and the Church must be flame-lit and watchful.

### **AVOID HALF-BAKED ESCHATOLOGIST**

In this prophetic hour, spiritual deception walks boldly into sanctuaries cloaked in charisma and misplaced confidence. False prophets declare timelines as though they sit on heaven's throne, adding their own imagination to divine revelation. But the Lord warned us long ago: *“Do not listen to the words of the prophets who prophesy to you. They make you worthless. They speak a vision of their own heart, not from the mouth of the Lord”* (Jeremiah 23:16). God's prophecy requires no edits. Those who twist His Word to fit their personal drama stand in danger of judgment, not applause.

Eschatology must be treated with reverence—not sensationalism. The true student of prophecy seeks clarity from the Holy Spirit and confirmation from Scripture alone. Date-setting, dream-chasing, and culture-driven interpretations corrupt the sacredness of biblical prophecy. Paul exhorts in 2 Timothy 2:15 to “*rightly divide the word of truth*”—not embellish it. The enemy rejoices when believers are distracted by theatrical predictions, rather than being prepared through sound teaching. Let every voice that dares speak of the Last Days be tested thoroughly against the full counsel of God.

**The mark of a true eschatologist is humility** under Scripture, not volume in proclamation. Authentic End Time teachers do not speak to thrill—they speak to warn, equip, and prepare, leading lost souls to receive the Holy Spirit. They can prove every claim, every timeline, and every symbol by and through the Word. Revelation 22:18 offers a sobering caution: “*If anyone adds to these things, God will add to him the plagues that are written in this book.*” Prophecy is not a playground—it is a battlefield for truth. Those who manipulate it for attention or control have left the shelter of divine approval.

Seek only those who tremble before the Word—who anchor every teaching in textual integrity and Hebraic foundation. Their goal is not to be right—it is to be righteous. As in Acts 17:11, let us be like the Bereans, “*searching the Scriptures daily to find out whether these things were so.*” May we reject the half-baked voices and embrace those who steward prophecy with holy precision. The hour is late. And the truth must be pure.



## ENGAGE IN PRAYER TEAMS

The Church must return to prayer that is fueled not by emotion, convenience, or intellect—but by covenant. This is the reason I wrote the book, *“Book of Prayers | Praying New Covenant Prayers.”* Covenant prayer is not wishful pleading; it is anchoring oneself in the promises God has already sworn by His name. Psalm 25:14 declares, *“The secret of the LORD is with those who fear Him, and He will show them His covenant.”* When prayer groups gather under this holy posture, heaven responds. These aren’t casual circles—they are war rooms of agreement, built on divine allegiance and biblical proclamation.

Every gathering of believers must resist the temptation to drift into opinion masquerading as prayer. The throne of grace is not moved by man’s logic but by His Word. Isaiah 62:6–7 commissions intercessors to *“give Him no rest till He establishes... Jerusalem.”* This is not idle commentary—it is relentless, Scripture-informed intercession. Covenant prayers cite God’s faithfulness, His promises, His character, and His revealed will. Scripture must be the language of prayer—not a decorative afterthought. **Lean to pray the Scriptures.**

**Prayer groups must disciple** their members in the art of spiritual recall—bringing the Word into every request, warfare, and thanksgiving. When the early Church prayed in Acts 4, they quoted Psalm 2. They did not invent their own truths; they recited God’s. That is the power that shakes foundations. A prayer group that opens with Scripture, prays the Scriptures, prays through the covenant, and closes in surrendered worship walks in divine authority. 1 John 5:14 declares, *“If we ask anything according to His will, He hears us.”* His will is already written. Our task is to agree with it.

Let every prayer group rise with holy resolve—not to theorize or intellectualize, but to declare, decree, and disciple through covenant truth. Let the Word be their weapon, the Spirit be their wind, and the Messiah be their message. The time for selfish prayers as religion has passed. The time for covenant intercession has come.

## **LEARN TO RESPECT AUTHORITY**

One of the subtle strategies of the enemy in these Last Days is to erode the believer's view of spiritual authority. In a culture steeped in rebellion, autonomy has become a virtue, and submission has become suspect. But the Word remains unchanged: authority—when rightly stewarded—is a gift from God. Romans 13:1 declares, *“There is no authority except from God, and those that exist are appointed by God.”* To reject godly authority is to reject divine order. And when the Body refuses the Headship of Christ manifest through Spirit-led leadership, it fractures into spiritual chaos, masquerading as freedom. The Church becomes passive.

Authentic believers must examine their posture—are they submitted, or are they simply attending? Hebrews 13:17 speaks clearly: *“Obey those who rule over you, and be submissive, for they watch out for your souls...”* This is not blind allegiance; it is spiritual alignment. But the passage also implies accountability for leaders. If the oversight becomes abusive, manipulative, or self-serving, the flock must act wisely. Just as Paul rebuked those who elevated human control above the gospel in Galatians chapter 1, believers today must discern when authority becomes authoritarianism. If you are under leadership that wounds instead of heals, flee—not in rebellion, but in obedience to truth.

**The Body of Christ is not a hierarchy of control**—it is a covenant of healing. True spiritual authority reflects the nature of Yeshua: humble, restorative, and rooted in grace. Matthew 20:25–26 reveals His pattern: *“The rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them... Yet it shall not be so among you.”* A church that thrives under godly authority disciplines its members, guards sound doctrine, and equips every saint for indwelling life. It does not demand obedience—it invites surrender. It does not focus on unconfessed sin, but on the TRUTH that sin was covered on the Cross, a single event that shifts believers from law to Grace. However, that does not mean the church should not deal with sin – it directs members to claim the forgiveness that already exists. The leaders of such fellowships walk with spiritual sobriety and shepherd with conviction, not charisma.

So, seek a grace-filled fellowship—where authority is not weaponized, but wielded with wisdom, where leadership points sinners to Yeshua, not to themselves, where wounds are bound up, not exploited. The Church was never meant to be a personality cult—it was meant to be a living temple, governed by divine Headship and built on mutual submission. The remnant must rise—not in rebellion, but in righteousness. And that begins with a bold commitment to Spirit-led, Scripture-centered authority.

## **THE DANGERS OF THE HUMAN MIND**

The human mind, apart from the indwelling mind of Christ, is not neutral—it is dangerous. Romans 8:7 makes this clear: *“The mind governed by the flesh is hostile to God; it does not submit to God’s law, nor can it do so.”* This includes the pulpit. Eloquence, education, or ministry experience cannot substitute for the mind of Messiah living and guiding from within. Without this divine governance, even pastors may

misguide the flock, focusing on sin and not redemption—not from malice, but from mental independence. And that independence breeds spiritual error.

Paul did not say we need the thoughts of Christ—he declared, ***“We have the mind of Christ”*** (1 Corinthians 2:16). This is not a theological metaphor—it’s a spiritual reality for every surrendered believer. The guidance that transforms lives must flow from this source; otherwise, it becomes contaminated by emotion, intellect, self-effort to fix the sin problem, or “personality.” Preaching must come from the union of Christ’s mind from within—not opinion. Discipleship must be Spirit-led—not logic-driven. Counseling must begin where Christ lives—not where we reason best. Anything less fails to produce an authentic spirit-driven life.

**The Body of Christ must test every voice**—yes, even pastoral voices—through this filter: does it originate in the divine mind within? 1 John 4:1 commands, *“Test the spirits, whether they are of God...”* This test is not optional in the age of deception. And we must understand: the most dangerous deception is not found in cults or ideologies—it’s found in charismatic leadership that operates apart from the mind of Yeshua. Believers must stop outsourcing their discernment. The living Christ within is their compass.

To be truly led, one must first be truly indwelt. Release the mind of Christ by submitting fully to His Life. Meditate on His Word. Surrender prideful reasoning. Abandon intellectual idolatry. Philippians 2:5 calls us to *“Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus.”* That is not a suggestion—it is a spiritual necessity. Whether you are a lay believer, a teacher, or a pastor—your authority is only valid if it flows

from His indwelling. And your safety lies in listening to leaders who live from that mind, not just teaching about it.

### **ABOVE ALL, WHEN YOU READ, READ TRUTH**

In a time when prophecy writing has become a platform for self-promotion and sensationalism, my discernment remains anchored in the Spirit—not popular voices. I do not readily trust most prophecy writers, especially those who treat End Time revelation as entertainment, twisting sacred timelines into speculative theatrics. The prophetic Word is too Holy, too weighty, too exact to be handled carelessly. I’ve seen too many who speak without trembling—who add their own imagination to divine truth and call it revelation. That’s not prophecy. That’s presumption.

But there are three men whose stewardship of Scripture has earned my trust: *Dr. David Jeremiah, Amir Tsarfati, and Pastor Jack Hibbs*. These are not trend-chasers—they are truth-guardians. They approach biblical prophecy with reverence, not with drama. They do not cater to itching ears or morph cultural speculation into theology. Their commitment to the Word—verse by verse, context by context, precept upon precept—is a reflection of men who fear the Lord and honor His voice above their own.

Dr. Jeremiah delivers the prophetic Scriptures with pastoral clarity and theological weight—never rushing, never embellishing. Pastor Jack Hibbs preaches as a watchman, calling the Church to both preparation and purity, and Amir Tsarfati connects prophecies to Israel. Neither of them claims exclusive insight or some mystical authority—they lead with biblical integrity. That’s the mark of true spiritual stewardship. And that’s why I return to their voices when discerning the

signs of the times. They point me to Yeshua, to Scripture, and readiness—not theories.

### **My Recommendations: Dr. David Jeremiah**

**The Book of Signs:** 31 Undeniable Prophecies of the Apocalypse | Comprehensive guide to key End Time prophecies and their biblical foundations.

**Agents of the Apocalypse:** Profiles ten key figures in the Book of Revelation and their prophetic roles.

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# Epilogue

Across these pages, we've journeyed far—layer by layer, story by story—tracing the fingerprints of grace, perseverance, and vision. What began as fragments of divine calling and conviction has grown into a tapestry of clarity, purpose, and legacy. Each turn has marked progress: refining our voice, strengthening our foundations, and honoring the sacred charge entrusted to us. From foundational truths to prophetic insight, this body of work bears witness to the distance we've traveled and the endurance of what anchors us. We've come a long way—and every word reminds us why we continue.

**From Genesis to Revelation, this work has illuminated the continuity of God's prophetic timeline—declaring His sovereignty in every season and inviting the reader to discern the signs with spiritual sobriety.**

## **- Chapter 1: No One Knows the Hour**

Anchored in Matthew 24:36, this chapter humbly asserts that while the exact timing of the End remains veiled, Yeshua commands vigilance. It sets the tone for prophetic pursuit—not through fear, but through expectancy and faithfulness.

## **- Chapter 2: Prophecy Starts in Genesis**

Genesis 3:15 introduces the first Messianic prophecy, highlighting the bruised heel and crushed serpent as symbols

of divine reversal. This chapter traces the birth of prophetic promise from Eden's rupture to Abraham's covenantal seed.

### **- Chapter 3: From the Torah to the Prophets**

Building on Deuteronomy 18:15 and Isaiah 9:6, the narrative threads the Torah's foundational laws with the Prophets' declarations, revealing a consistent pattern: Israel's journey mirrored God's plan to prepare the nations for the Messiah.

### **- Chapter 4: The Gospel's Signs & Warnings**

Echoing Luke 21 and John 16, the Gospel accounts are shown not merely as biographies, but as roadmaps filled with signs, judgments, and divine warnings meant to awaken the Church and stir holy anticipation.

### **- Chapter 5: Church Preparation & Prophetic Clarity**

Ephesians 5:27 and Revelation 3 challenge the modern Church to shed compromise and embrace purity. This chapter summons leaders and believers alike to clarify doctrine, reject passivity, and ready themselves as the Bride.

### **- Chapter 6: Prophetic Fulfillment & Victory**

Through passages like Revelation 19 and Daniel 7, this section reveals how the long-awaited fulfillment of prophecy culminates in Yeshua's triumph. Victory isn't abstract—it's personal, cosmic, and eternal.

### **- Chapter 7: At the End of The Day**

Anchored in Revelation 21–22, this chapter lifts the veil on eternity. It celebrates the New Jerusalem, the restoration of all



things, and the indwelling presence of God with His people forever. What began in a garden ends in glory.

## MY COMMISSIONING

The year Jane and I were married marked not only the beginning of our life together but the stirring of a divine mandate that has shaped my journey ever since. It began with a simple moment—quiet but supernatural—when my mother-in-law, early in that first year, looked me in the eye and spoke a word that penetrated deeper than emotion or circumstance. She said, “*God has called you to proclaim the end times events to a depraved world.*” It wasn’t flattery, and it wasn’t a suggestion. It was prophetic commissioning.

I didn’t take her words lightly. I received them as a charge from heaven—one that demanded response, study, preparation, and sacrifice. From that moment forward, my life turned toward eschatology with relentless focus. I opened the Scriptures as if they were maps to the future—Genesis to Revelation became my terrain. Through every twist of history, prophetic alignment, and theological debate, I held firm to that original call. For over forty years now, I have studied God’s prophetic calendar with conviction, anchored in the belief that the Word speaks clearly and the hour is late.

**And I will not stop.** Until my final breath, until my departure unto Yeshua, I will proclaim what He has shown me. I speak not from hobby or mere fascination—but from obedience. This world may mock, ignore, or distort prophecy, but I will declare it faithfully so that even one soul might awaken. The commissioning still echoes, and I still respond.

## FROM ILLERATE TO PROLIFIC WRITER

Most people don't believe me when I tell them I was once illiterate. But it's true—I couldn't read or write. My thoughts were vivid, my convictions strong, yet I lacked the basic tools to express them in the way they deserved. It was humbling, even isolating at times, especially knowing how much I longed to communicate what God was stirring in my heart. Then came Jane.

In the early days of our marriage, she saw in me what others overlooked: not just potential, but a calling. With extraordinary patience and grace, she sat beside me day after day and taught me how to read and write. Not academically, but intimately—through love, trust, and shared perseverance. She never made me feel less-than. Instead, she treated each small step of learning as a sacred victory.

Through her tutelage, the words that had once been locked inside me began to flow. I read Scripture with new clarity. I started journaling, then writing letters, and eventually diving deep into theological reflections and prophetic insights. What once felt impossible became a lifelong mission. Now, decades later, I've authored numerous books, articles, and teaching materials that reach people across generations and nations.

**It's still surreal at times,** from illiterate to prolific—only by grace, and only because Jane believed in the voice I hadn't yet found. Her gift unlocked mine. And I write today not just to teach, but to honor the woman who first taught me to see words as instruments of truth.

I say all this because most people remain ignorant for various reasons. If the Word of God feels distant, complicated, or out of reach—press in anyway. Don't wait for perfect

understanding or polished credentials. Open the Scriptures with trembling hands if you must and dare to believe that the same Spirit who taught an illiterate man to read, write, and proclaim profound truths of eschatology will also illuminate your heart and mind. I know this because I lived it. The Holy Spirit brought the Word alive in me—sharp, exacting, and transformative. You may not understand the prophecies right away, but stay with it. Wrestle. Learn. Lean in. The Bible wasn't written for scholars alone—it was breathed out for those who hunger and seek. And if God called me from limitation into proclamation, He, too, can do it with you. But it starts with the decision to dig, study, and surrender to the piercing power of Truth.

### **GIVE THIS BOOK TO OTHERS**

If you found this book to be helpful—or even life-changing—I urge you to take the next step. Don't let it sit quietly on a shelf. Get it into the hands of your family, your friends, your church community... anyone whose heart is searching or drifting. This isn't just a collection of pages—it's a proclamation of truth that could lead someone out of darkness and into the indwelling Life of Yeshua.

I've seen firsthand what happens when biblical truth pierces through deception and complacency. Lives are awakened. Hope is restored. Eternities are redirected. If this book stirred something in you, imagine what it could do for someone you love. Be bold. Share it. Let it speak. And trust that God will use it as a vessel to save, sanctify, and stir the soul toward Him.

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## PRIMARY STUDY SCRIPTURES

### Nature and Source of Prophecy

- **2 Peter 1:21:** “For no prophecy was ever produced by the will of man, but men spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.”
- **Amos 3:7:** “For the Lord God does nothing without revealing his secret to his servants the prophets.”
- **1 Corinthians 13:2:** “And if I have prophetic powers, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and if I have all faith, so as to remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing.”

### Testing and Discernment

- **1 Thessalonians 5:21–22:** “But test everything; hold fast what is good. Abstain from every form of evil.”
- **1 John 4:1:** “Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits to see whether they are from God, for many false prophets have gone out into the world.”
- **Deuteronomy 18:21–22:** “And if you say in your heart, ‘How may we know the word that the Lord has not spoken?’—when a prophet speaks in the name of the Lord, if the word does not come to pass or come true, that is a word that the Lord has not spoken; the prophet has spoken it presumptuously.”

### Warnings About False Prophets

- **Matthew 7:15:** “Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep’s clothing but inwardly are ravenous wolves.”
- **Jeremiah 23:16–17:** “Thus says the Lord of hosts: ‘Do not listen to the words of the prophets who

prophecy to you... They speak visions of their own minds, not from the mouth of the Lord.”

- **Ezekiel 13:9:** “My hand will be against the prophets who see false visions and who give lying divinations. They shall not belong to the council of my people, nor be enrolled in the register of the house of Israel, nor shall they enter the land of Israel.”

### **Messianic Prophecies**

- **Isaiah 7:14:** “Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign. Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel.”
- **Micah 5:2:** “But you, O Bethlehem Ephrathah, who are too little to be among the clans of Judah, from you shall come forth for me one who is to be ruler in Israel, whose coming forth is from of old, from ancient days.”
- **Zechariah 9:9:** “Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion! Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem! Behold, your king is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.”

### **End Times and Apocalyptic Prophecy**

- **Daniel 7:13–14:** “I saw in the night visions, and behold, with the clouds of heaven there came one like a son of man... and to him was given dominion and glory and a kingdom, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him.”
- **Daniel 9:24–27:** The prophecy of the seventy weeks outlining Israel’s timeline leading to the Messiah and the end of sin.



- **Joel 2:28–32:** “And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh... And it shall be that whoever calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.”
- **Matthew 24:3–14:** Jesus’ Olivet Discourse on the signs of the end of the age, tribulation, and the global proclamation of the gospel.
- **Ezekiel 38–39:** The oracle against Gog and Magog, depicting a climactic battle and God’s ultimate victory.
- **Revelation 1:3:** “Blessed is the one who reads aloud the words of this prophecy, and blessed are those who hear, and who keep what is written in it...”
- **Revelation 19:11–16:** The vision of the rider on the white horse called Faithful and True, Judge of the nations.

### **Identity and Spirit of the Antichrist**

- **1 John 2:18:** “Children, it is the last hour, and as you have heard that antichrist is coming, so now many antichrists have come. Therefore we know that it is the last hour.”
- **1 John 2:22:** “Who is the liar but he who denies that Jesus is the Christ? This is the antichrist, he who denies the Father and the Son.”
- **1 John 4:3:** “And every spirit that does not confess Jesus is not from God. This is the spirit of the antichrist, which you heard was coming and now is in the world already.”
- **2 John 1:7:** “For many deceivers have gone out into the world, those who do not confess the coming of

Jesus Christ in the flesh. Such a one is the deceiver and the antichrist.”

### **The Man of Lawlessness (2 Thessalonians)**

- **2 Thessalonians 2:3–4:** “Let no one deceive you in any way. For that day will not come, unless the rebellion comes first, and the man of lawlessness is revealed, the son of destruction, who opposes and exalts himself against every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, proclaiming himself to be God.”
- **2 Thessalonians 2:8–10:** “And then the lawless one will be revealed, whom the Lord Jesus will kill with the breath of his mouth and bring to nothing by the appearance of his coming. The coming of the lawless one is by the activity of Satan with all power and false signs and wonders, and with all wicked deception for those who are perishing...”

### **Deception and False Wonders**

- **Matthew 24:24:** “For false christs and false prophets will arise and perform great signs and wonders, so as to lead astray, if possible, even the elect.”
- **Mark 13:22:** “For false christs and false prophets will arise and show signs and wonders, to lead astray, if possible, the elect.”

### **Daniel’s Horns and the Little Horn**

- **Daniel 7:8:** “I considered the horns, and behold, there came up among them another horn, a little one, before which three of the first horns were plucked up by the

roots. And behold, in this horn were eyes like the eyes of a man, and a mouth speaking great things.”

- **Daniel 7:20–25:** “As for the ten horns, out of this kingdom ten kings shall arise, and another shall arise after them... he shall speak words against the Most High, and shall wear out the Saints of the Most High... but the court shall sit in judgment, and his dominion shall be taken away...”
- **Daniel 8:23–25:** “And at the latter end of their kingdom, when the transgressors have reached their full measure, a king shall arise... and through his cunning he shall make deceit prosper under his hand. He shall destroy mighty men and also the holy people... but he shall be broken without human means.”
- **Daniel 9:24–27:** “Seventy weeks are decreed for your people and your holy city... And he shall make a strong covenant with many for one week, and for half of the week he shall put an end to sacrifice and offering... until the decreed end is poured out on the desolator.”
- **Daniel 11:36–45:** “The king shall do as he wills. He shall exalt himself and magnify himself above every god... He shall plant the tents of his palace between the sea and the glorious holy mountain... He shall stretch out his hand against the countries, and the land of Egypt shall not escape.”

### **Revelation’s Beast and Final Defeat**

- **Revelation 13:1–8:** “And I saw a beast rising out of the sea... And the dragon gave him his power and his throne and great authority... and all who dwell on

earth will worship it... If anyone has an ear, let him hear.”

- **Revelation 19:20:** “And the beast was captured, and with it the false prophet who in its presence had done the signs by which he deceived those who had received the mark of the beast...”
- Revelation 20:10: “And the devil who had deceived them was thrown into the lake of fire and sulfur... and they will be tormented day and night forever and ever.”

The Bible contains hundreds of verses related to prophecy, spanning from Genesis to Revelation. Get to know them!

In every season of battle or stillness, we must remember that the Word of God is not passive ink on ancient scrolls—it is alive, active, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing soul and spirit, discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart. It does not falter, fade, or fail. When spoken, prayed, or declared, it goes forth with divine precision, accomplishing exactly what the Lord intends. It will never return void, for it carries the breath of the Almighty and the authority of heaven. To wield it is to stand in the power of truth itself, knowing that every promise, every rebuke, every healing word is eternally anchored in the character of God. Amen!

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