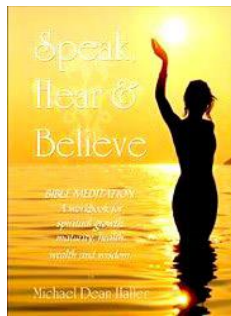


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FOREWARD

Mat 24:21 For then shall be great tribulation, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be.

Mat 24:22 And except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved: but for the elect's sake those days shall be shortened.

I have been reading and studying the various books of the Bible since I was ten years old, over forty-five years ago. I remember my brother bought me a children's Bible and I would spend hours reading the stories. Then later, my brother bought me a leather bound King James Bible and I spent many hours lying in my bed reading, and trying to understand, the almost foreign King James English, but eventually it became my favorite Bible.

We attended an Assembly of God Church and our Pastor, Dr. Paul Hamer, who had graduated from seminary just a few years before, would often discuss the meaning of the original Greek and Hebrew words, which led me to save up my lawn mowing money and eventually I bought my own Strong's Bible Concordance when I was thirteen years old, the same year that I was baptized.

Mainly, I was always fascinated by Biblical prophecy. I have probably read the Book of Daniel and the Book of Revelation hundreds of times. I signed up to receive David Wilkerson's prophetic newsletters, and of course I read all of Hal Lindsey's books, I had Bible dictionaries, and Bible encyclopedias, and Bible commentaries...all while I was still a teenager. I seriously thought of attending a seminary, but that did not seem to be God's path for me. I have been close to death many times, but somehow I have always escaped and mostly I have come out in one piece on the other side...always thankful to God.

I am not trying to brag...*1Co 8:1 Now as touching things offered unto idols, we know that we all have knowledge. Knowledge puffeth up, but charity edifieth.*

I understand that KNOWLEDGE PUFFETH UP, but I have had my share of buffeting to go along with the little spiritual knowledge I possess. The Lord willing, my foolish pride has been tempered by painful experience, I know that God loves everybody, and I most definitely know that just like everybody else, I was a sinner saved by GRACE!

I am trying to simply explain to my readers that this book that you are about to read is the end result of many years of Bible study. All I ask is that you read this book with an open mind. I am now thoroughly convinced by world events, and by much Bible study, that Jesus is coming back very, very soon.

Isa 1:18 Come now, and let us reason together, saith the LORD:

TRIBULATION TIMELINE

PART 1

CHAPTER 1

12 YEARS OF TRIBULATION

Dan 12:4 But thou, O Daniel, shut up the words, and seal the book, even to the time of the end: many shall run to and fro, and knowledge shall be increased.

First of all, I want to say that I believe that Jesus Christ is going to physically return to this earth between the Fall of 2029 and the Spring of 2030 A.D. I have written a detailed account of how I arrived at these dates in my FREE e-book: *Christian Exodus Out of Babylon*. I am going to write a brief synopsis of how I arrived at the 2029 A.D. date that I believe is the date of the Second Coming of our LORD.

The key to the 2030 A.D. date is a verse found in the Second Epistle of Peter.

2Pe 3:8 But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.

There is an ancient *Epistle of Barnabas* that was written at about the same time as the Books of the New Testament. The writer of *Barnabas* lays out God's broad framework for the original fall of Adam and Eve, and the final redemption of mankind.

Barnabas 15:4

Give heed, children, what this meaneth; He ended in six days. He meaneth this, that in six thousand years the Lord shall bring all things to an end; for the day with Him signifyeth a thousand years; and this He himself beareth me witness, saying; Behold, the day of the Lord shall be as a thousand years. Therefore, children, in six days, that is in six thousand years, everything shall come to an end.

Therefore, it is not too difficult to count from the fall of Adam and Eve to the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ...four-thousand (4000) years, and then count from the resurrection of Jesus Christ at 30 A.D. ...another two-thousand (2000) years, thus we come to the obvious conclusion that Jesus will return on or around 2030 A.D.

Adam	4004 BC
Enoch	3000 BC
Abraham	2000 BC
Solomon	1000BC
Jesus	4BC-30AD
Second Coming	2030AD

I am not the first, nor the only person, who has arrived at this rather simple mathematical conclusion:

<http://www.888c.com/ResurrectionDating.htm>

<https://answers.yahoo.com/question/index?qid=20090603154841AASrLXv>

<https://holyhiway.wordpress.com/2010/08/02/timing-of-christs-return/>

http://www.messianictorah.org/en/manna_en/32-7en.htm

I describe in detail why I believe that 29 A.D. is the date of the resurrection in my book: *Christian Exodus Out of Babylon*. I am very convinced that 29 A.D. is the correct date of the resurrection, but there are many fine Bible scholars that put the date of Jesus Christ's resurrection anywhere between 27 A.D. to 33 A.D.; therefore, I will be the first to admit that I might be off by a few years.

This book is purely speculation and conjecture...NOT divine inspiration by God. I do not claim to be a prophet, nor do I claim that Jesus, or an angel, or any other divine messenger, has visited me and given me a direct message or revelation.

My greatest desire is to perhaps wake up the Church to the real possibility that the LORD Jesus Christ is at the door, so that as many people as possible will be ready when He arrives to take his bride home to heaven!

That being said, I recently came across the ancient Book of *2 Baruk*, which appears to give a timeline of the tribulation period. Therefore, counting backwards from the Fall of 2029, I have created a timeline of a twelve (12) year tribulation period as described by *2 Baruk*.

2 Baruk 25:4 And it will come to pass when they say in their thoughts by reason of their much tribulation: EL ELOHIYM no longer remembers the earth yea, it will come to pass when they abandon hope, that the time will then awake. Eth CEPHER Bible.

I recently purchased an *Eth CEPHER Bible*, and to say that I was excited is an understatement. It includes several apocalyptic books that have been excluded from the King James Bible. I am especially excited about “2 Baruk (2 Baruch)” because it includes a timeline of the tribulation period. If anybody is interested in purchasing this unique bible, it can be found at the following website: <http://www.cephher.net/>

According to the Book of Jeremiah, Baruk was a scribe that was given the task of writing down all the words of Jeremiah when he prophesied directly from the LORD.

Jer 36:4 Then Jeremiah called Baruch the son of Neriah: and Baruch wrote from the mouth of Jeremiah all the words of the LORD, which he had spoken unto him, upon a roll of a book.

In the eth CEPHER Bible preface there are short histories of the various Books including the history of 2 Baruk:

(T)he Apocalypse of Baruk, also known as Baruk Sheniy (2 Baruk) stands out as vital. A.F.J. Klijn writes: “Until recently the Apocalypse of Baruk was only known from a Syriac manuscript dating from the sixth or seventh century AD. Since the beginning of this century two fragments have come to light in Greek (12:1-13:2 and 13:11-14:3) from the fourth or fifth century. Small fragments of the text, again in Syriac, have been discovered in lectionaries of the Jacobite Church. However, no fewer than thirty-six manuscripts are known because it once belonged to the canon of Scriptures in the Syriac-speaking church. Eth CEPHER, 3rd Edition, Cephher Publishing Group, LLC, 2017.

First, I want to mention that 2 Baruk is doubly hard to study and understand because it is mainly being translated from Syriac, a language related to Aramaic and only spoken by a small ethnic minority of Assyrians/Syriacs in the Middle East. Therefore, at best it is a translation of the original Hebrew, and it is probably the translation of a Greek translation of the original Hebrew...or a translation of a translation.

Fortunately, I would also like to mention that this tribulation “timeline” of Baruk appears to track closely with the sequence of end-time events outlined by Jesus in the Book of Matthew Chapter 24, when Jesus talks about the events preceding His second coming, and it is also similar to events outlined in the Book of Revelation. Therefore, we

might be able to “fill in” the gaps, or clear up any confusion about the “meaning” of the sequence of end-time events.

I find the Apocalypse of Baruk (2 Baruk) extremely fascinating because Baruk specifically asks the LORD how many “years” will the tribulation continue??and the LORD seems to tell him TWELVE!

2 Baruk 26:1 And I answered and said: Will that tribulation which is to be continue a long time, and will that necessity embrace many years? Eth CEPHER Bible.

The LORD tells Baruk that the time of tribulation is divided into twelve (12) parts. Baruk had asked God how many “years” that the tribulation would last and God tells him it is divided into twelve “parts”...Could the tribulation actually last twelve (12) years from the start to the finish?

2 Baruk 27:1 And he answered and said unto me: 2) into twelve parts is that time divided, and each one of them is reserved for that which is appointed for it. Eth CEPHER Bible.

If my calculations are correct, and Jesus Christ returns to resurrect/rapture His saints on the Feast of Tabernacles, September 24, 2029, then the beginning of Baruk’s twelve (12) year tribulation would have begun sometime during the Fall of 2017 A.D...LAST YEAR! If you want to see my calculations for the Second Coming of Jesus read my FREE book “*Christian Exodus: Out of Babylon*”. I have taken the liberty to break down Baruk’s tribulation timeline into twelve (12) years... beginning with the Fall of last year.

PART 2

YEARS 1 THROUGH 4

CHAPTER 2

BEGINNING OF COMMOTIONS

FALL 2017 – FALL 2018

2 Baruk 27:3 In the first part there shall be the beginning of commotions. Eth CEPHER Bible.

I was looking up the word “commotion” in the King James Bible and coincidentally the only place I found it was in the Book of Jeremiah.

Jer 10:22 Behold, the noise of the bruit (news, tidings) is come, and a great COMMOTION out of the north country, to make the cities of Judah desolate, and a den of dragons.

COMMOTION: H7494, ra'ash, rah'-ash

From H7493; vibration, bounding, uproar: - commotion, confused noise, earthquake, fierceness, quaking, rattling, rushing, shaking.

The word “ra’ash” is found seventeen times in the Old Testament and is also translated as an uproar, earthquake, and shaking. It is difficult to know what it will mean for the tribulation period, but the LORD tells Baruk that the whole world will experience the tribulation.

2 Baruk 28:6 Is it in one place or in one of the parts of the earth that those things are come to pass, or will the whole earth experience them?

2 Baruk 29:1 And he answered and said unto me: Whatsoever will then befall will befall the whole earth; therefore all who live will experience them. Eth CEPHER Bible.

I do not know exactly what the “commotion” is, but I suspect that the first “commotion” will “shake” the whole world to its core...and the “commotion” will not disappear after a few news cycles...just use your imagination, it is going to be BAD!

Heb 12:26 Whose voice then shook the earth: but now he hath promised, saying, Yet once more I shake not the earth only, but also heaven.

Heb 12:27 And this word, Yet once more, signifieth the removing of those things that are shaken, as of things that are made, that those things which cannot be shaken may remain.

I believe the world may experience a world-wide economic collapse or the start of a great world-wide depression some time during 2018.

CHAPTER 3

SLAYING OF THE GREAT ONES

FALL 2018 – FALL 2019

2 Baruk 27:4 And in the second part there shall be slayings of the great ones. Eth CEPHER Bible.

The “great ones” can only be the saints of God, Jesus said Christians would be hated by ALL nations in the last days... this may also signal the arrival of the last great outpouring of the Holy Spirit prophesied by the Prophet Joel.

Joe 2:28 And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions:

Joe 2:29 And also upon the servants and upon the handmaids in those days will I pour out my spirit.

Perhaps you have noticed that Jesus did not face persecution until AFTER He was filled with the Holy Spirit. Also, the apostles did not suffer much persecution until AFTER Pentecost. The Holy Spirit used them to perform many mighty miracles, but afterwards they were cast into prison, martyred, and force to flee from town to town. I suspect that the saints in the last days will also face similar persecution after God pours out His Holy Spirit one last time just prior to the return of Jesus Christ.

Mat 24:8 All these are the beginning of sorrows.

Mat 24:9 Then shall they deliver you up to be afflicted, and shall kill you: and ye shall be hated of all nations for my name's sake.

Mat 24:10 And then shall many be offended, and shall betray one another, and shall hate one another.

CHAPTER 4

DEATH

FALL 2019 – FALL 2020 (Part 3)

2 Baruk 27:5 And in the third part the fall of many by death. Eth CEPHER Bible.

I believe that the “*slaying of the great ones*” will begin to increase more and more as the return of Jesus Christ approaches. We already see the persecution, murder, and enslavement of Christians in Muslim countries around the world, but I believe the murder of Christians will begin to increase noticeably in nominally Christian nations.

Joh 16:2 They shall put you out of the synagogues: yea, the time cometh, that whosoever killeth you will think that he doeth God service.

Joh 16:3 And these things will they do unto you, because they have not known the Father, nor me.

We have already seen demonically inspired mass murderers specifically targeting Christians in Churches around the world... including the United States. I suspect that this will become such a common occurrence that the national news will probably stop covering it, and you will only hear of the murders if they actually happen in your own home town or neighborhood.

However, the murder of Christians will NOT go un-noticed by God! As the murder of Christians increases...I suspect that God will unleash Satan on the world and natural disasters, and there death toll, will begin to increase.

Consequently, law and order will begin to break down causing a snowball effect, criminals and crime will increase dramatically.

2Ti 3:1 This know also, that in the last days perilous times shall come.

2Ti 3:2 For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy,

2Ti 3:3 Without natural affection, trucebreakers, false accusers, incontinent, fierce, despisers of those that are good,

2Ti 3:4 Traitors, heady, highminded, lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God;

CHAPTER 5

SENDING OF THE SWORD

FALL 2020 – FALL 2021 (Part 4)

2 Baruk 27:6 And in the fourth part the sending of the sword. Eth CEPHER Bible.

I mentioned in a blog article that the United States has been in perpetual war since the beginning of the George W. Bush presidency. However, the years 2020 - 2021 may be the beginning of something much, much bigger...perhaps the start of World War 3.

Rev 6:3 And when he had opened the second seal, I heard the second beast say, Come and see.

Rev 6:4 And there went out another horse that was red: and power was given to him that sat thereon to take peace from the earth, and that they should kill one another: and there was given unto him a great sword.

<http://www.motsog.com/fundamentals/ behold-a-red-horse>

It appears that around this time period, the four horsemen of the apocalypse will be released upon the world.

Interestingly, two secular authors predicted another great war on, or about, 2020 AD. In 1997, William Strauss and Neil Howe, wrote a book called "*The Fourth Turning*" based on *generational cycles*, the two authors made several predictions that appear to have come true. They predicted a rise in terrorism and an economic downturn in the world economy. They looked back at United States History and noticed that the country has been engulfed in major wars about every eighty (80) years...i.e. the revolutionary war (1775 – 1783), the civil war (1861 -1865), and World War 2 (1941-1945). Therefore, they predicted that the U.S. could be involved in another major conflict around the year 2020.

When this final world war begins, I believe it will descend rapidly into TOTAL WAR!

Total war is warfare that includes any and all civilian-associated resources and infrastructure as legitimate military targets, mobilizes all of the resources of society to fight the war, and gives priority to warfare over non-combatant needs.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Total_war

Due to the modern “high-tech” nature of war these days, I suspect that both men and women, plus anybody with “special skills”, will be required to register with the Selective Service, regardless of their age or their willingness to serve. A civilian and military draft will probably be reinstated in countries around the world.

Jer 14:15 Therefore thus saith the LORD concerning the prophets that prophesy in my name, and I sent them not, yet they say, Sword and famine shall not be in this land; By sword and famine shall those prophets be consumed.

TRIBULATION TIMELINE [PART 3](#)

YEARS 5 THROUGH 8

[CHAPTER 6](#)

12 YEAR ALLEGORY

Luk 2:42 And when he was TWELVE years old, they went up to Jerusalem after the custom of the feast.

Are there any other indications that the tribulation might be twelve (12) years long?

There is a fascinating story about when Jesus was a young boy in the Book of Luke:

The Boy Jesus in the Temple

Luk 2:41 Now his parents went to Jerusalem every year at the feast of the passover.

Luk 2:42 And when he was twelve years old, they went up to Jerusalem after the custom of the feast.

Luk 2:43 And when they had fulfilled the days, as they returned, the child Jesus tarried behind in Jerusalem; and Joseph and his mother knew not of it.

Luk 2:44 But they, supposing him to have been in the company, went a day's journey; and they sought him among their kinsfolk and acquaintance.

Luk 2:45 And when they found him not, they turned back again to Jerusalem, seeking him.

Luk 2:46 And it came to pass, that after THREE DAYS they found him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the doctors, both hearing them, and asking them questions.

Luk 2:47 And all that heard him were astonished at his understanding and answers.

Do you believe in coincidence? I don't, especially when it deals with stories about Jesus in the Bible. We often see that Biblical stories are allegorical, meaning they foreshadow future events. First, if you read this blog, you know that I believe three (3) days signifies that Jesus Christ will return on the third day.

2Pe 3:8 *But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.*

Therefore, the beginning of the third millennia (the THIRD DAY) from the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ also signals His second coming. We read in the story of Luke that Jesus' parents celebrated the Passover every year in Jerusalem. Why did Jesus tarry in the temple for THREE DAYS when He was twelve (12) years old? Why not when He was seven (7) years old? Why not when He was thirteen (13) years old? Why not when He was twenty (20) years old?

In the Bible, we see that the number twelve (12) is extremely significant. There are twelve months (moons) in a year. Jacob had twelve sons and consequently there were twelve tribes of Israel. There were twelve disciples. In the Book of Revelation, the New Jerusalem has twelve gates made out of twelve pearls. The tree of life bears twelve kinds of fruits.

I believe twelve (12) years signifies "SPIRITUAL" maturity. It also represents God's divine government.

Mat 19:28 And Jesus said unto them, Verily I say unto you, That ye which have followed me, in the regeneration when the Son of man shall sit in the throne of his glory, ye also shall sit upon TWELVE thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel.

It is my contention that the tribulation period is not primarily meant as a time to punish the world, but it is primarily meant as a time for the Church to reach maturation. Should the saints of God be tried and tested for twelve years in order to prepare them to govern the earth during the millennium and during Christ's reign for the last thousand years, or during God's last thousand year "day" (God's Sabbath)?

Rom 5:1 Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ:

Rom 5:2 By whom also we have access by faith into this grace wherein we stand, and rejoice in hope of the glory of God.

Rom 5:3 And not only so, but we glory in TRIBULATIONS also: knowing that tribulation worketh patience;

Rom 5:4 And patience, experience; and experience, hope:

Rom 5:5 And hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us.

We see that tribulation is a process that eventually allows GOD'S love to be shed abroad in our hearts. Isn't love the most important attribute of a King and Priest of God?

2Th 1:3 We are bound to thank God always for you, brethren, as it is meet, because that your faith groweth exceedingly, and the charity of every one of you all toward each other aboundeth;

2Th 1:4 So that we ourselves glory in you in the churches of God for your patience and faith in all your persecutions and tribulations that ye endure:

CHAPTER 7

FAMINE AND DROUGHT

FALL 2021 – FALL 2022

2 Baruk 27:7 And in the fifth part famine and the withholding of rain. Eth CEPHER Bible.

Usually, war and starvation go hand in hand because the normal cycles of planting and reaping are radically disrupted.

Rev 6:5 And when he had opened the third seal, I heard the third beast say, Come and see. And I beheld, and lo a black horse; and he that sat on him had a pair of balances in his hand.

Rev 6:6 And I heard a voice in the midst of the four beasts say, A measure of wheat for a penny, and three measures of barley for a penny; and see thou hurt not the oil and the wine.

I hope that you will read my blog article: BEHOLD A BLACK HORSE and you will make the appropriate preparations.

<http://www.motsog.com/fundamentals/ behold-a-black-horse>

There will be drought conditions all over the world, and food production will be greatly reduced. A “penny” in the New Testament was a Roman denarius and was about equal to a day’s wages. Therefore, people will be reduced to a bare survival level of existence. It will probably be wise to be mostly, or entirely, self-sufficient by this time. You might want to have a small piece of property far away from large population centers. You also might want to look into “aquaponics” or some other type of intensive food production method.

<http://www.motsog.com/fundamentals/ friendly-aquaponics-book>

Pro 22:3 A prudent man foreseeth the evil, and hideth himself: but the simple pass on, and are punished.

This may be the beginning of a great seven (7) year world-wide drought similar to the drought experienced by Egypt during the reign of Joseph. I believe there are people, like Joseph, who God will give resources in the natural realm to prepare for these severe famine conditions.

Gen 41:30 And there shall arise after them seven years of famine; and all the plenty

*shall be forgotten in the land of Egypt; and the famine shall consume the land;
Gen 41:31 And the plenty shall not be known in the land by reason of that famine
following; for it shall be very grievous.*

I also believe that the seven (7) year famine during the time of the prophet Elisha is an allegory of the last days. I believe there will be people, like Elisha, who God will give “supernatural” resources to allow them to endure the seven years of famine.

2Ki 8:1 *Then spake Elisha unto the woman, whose son he had restored to life, saying, Arise, and go thou and thine household, and sojourn wheresoever thou canst sojourn: for the LORD hath called for a famine; and it shall also come upon the land seven years.*

CHAPTER 8

EARTHQUAKES AND TERRORS

FALL 2022 – FALL 2023

2 Baruk 27:8 And in the sixth part earthquakes and terrors. Eth CEPHER Bible.

Apparently there is a crescendo of terror, both natural and manmade. If a person is not killed in war, he or she faces the terror of death in an earthquake, or by starvation, or by disease. There will probably be major earthquakes in the usual places, but there might also be earthquakes in places that have historically never experienced earthquakes.

Luk 21:11 And great earthquakes shall be in divers places, and famines, and pestilences; and fearful sights and great signs shall there be from heaven.

The Book of Revelation says that the four horsemen of the apocalypse will effect or kill fully one quarter of the world's population...over one and a half billion (1,750,000,000) people!

Rev 6:8 And I looked, and behold a pale horse: and his name that sat on him was Death, and Hell followed with him. And power was given unto them over the fourth part of the earth, to kill with sword, and with hunger, and with death, and with the beasts of the earth.

<http://www.motsog.com/fundamentals/ behold-a-pale-horse>

It appears that the saints of God will be specifically targeted during this massive war that engulfs the planet. Satan must take great delight in pitting Christians against Christians. During World War 1 millions of Christians died, then during World War 2 tens of millions of Christians died, I suspect that during World War 3 hundreds of millions of Christians will die. People who are constantly stirring up trouble between Christian people are obviously motivated by Satan. Therefore, I believe the two main participants in the third world war will be the nominally "Christian" nations of Russia and the United States of America.

Rev 6:9 And when he had opened the fifth seal, I saw under the altar the souls of them that were slain for the word of God, and for the testimony which they held:

This may also be the year when a "temporary" world peace is negotiated.

Dan 9:27 And he shall confirm the covenant with many for one week: and in the midst of the week he shall cause the sacrifice and the oblation to cease, and for the overspreading of abominations he shall make it desolate, even until the consummation, and that determined shall be poured upon the desolate.

CHAPTER 9

WAR ON THE SAINTS

FALL 2023 – FALL 2024?

The Book of 2 Baruk strangely skips the seventh part of the tribulation period. However, I would like to hypothesize that two international figures will arise during this period of time, the antichrist and the false prophet, and they may even have a prominent role in the peace process.

Mat 24:9 Then shall they deliver you up to be afflicted, and shall kill you: and ye shall be hated of all nations for my name's sake.

Mat 24:10 And then shall many be offended, and shall betray one another, and shall hate one another.

Mat 24:11 And many false prophets shall rise, and shall deceive many.

I believe that somehow, and some way, Christians will be blamed for all the trouble that the world is experiencing...that is how the story usually goes in the Bible.

1Ki 18:17 And it came to pass, when Ahab saw Elijah, that Ahab said unto him, Art thou he that troubleth Israel?

1Ki 18:18 And he answered, I have not troubled Israel; but thou, and thy father's house, in that ye have forsaken the commandments of the LORD, and thou hast followed Baalim.

Elijah had told King Ahab that God would punish Israel with a famine because of Ahab's sins, but of course Ahab turned the tables and blamed Elijah for the drought. We see over and over again in the Bible that the wicked always refuse to take responsibility for the consequence of their sins.

Rev 16:10 And the fifth angel poured out his vial upon the seat of the beast; and his kingdom was full of darkness; and they gnawed their tongues for pain,

Rev 16:11 And blasphemed the God of heaven because of their pains and their sores, and repented not of their deeds.

CHAPTER 10

GHOSTS AND DEMONS

FALL 2024 – 2025

2 Baruk 27:9 And in the eighth part a multitude of spectres (ghosts/portents) and attacks of the Shediym (Devils/Demons). Eth CEPHER Bible.

It looks like demonic entities will be released upon the world in a spectacular fashion. When we see people committing mass murder in unprecedented numbers, we can only believe that they are demented or demon possessed. The antichrist is described as the BEAST.

BEAST: G2342, therion

Thayer Definition:

1) an animal

2) a wild animal, wild beast, beast

3) metaphorically a brutal, bestial man, savage, ferocious

I believe the antichrist's followers will also be "bestial" and "savage". They will transform themselves more and more into the image of the one they worship. Similar to how the followers of Jesus should be transformed more and more into His image. I think the transformation of the antichrist's worshippers is probably due to the fact that they have opened themselves up to spiritually dark and demonic influences.

The Apostle Paul gives a disturbing description of those who have turned their backs on God:

Rom 1:26 For this cause God gave them up unto vile affections: for even their women did change the natural use into that which is against nature:

Rom 1:27 And likewise also the men, leaving the natural use of the woman, burned in their lust one toward another; men with men working that which is unseemly, and receiving in themselves that recompence of their error which was meet.

Rom 1:28 And even as they did not like to retain God in their knowledge, God gave them over to a reprobate mind, to do those things which are not convenient;

Rom 1:29 Being filled with all unrighteousness, fornication, wickedness, covetousness, maliciousness; full of envy, murder, debate, deceit, malignity; whisperers,

Rom 1:30 Backbiters, haters of God, despiteful, proud, boasters, inventors of evil things, disobedient to parents,

Rom 1:31 Without understanding, covenantbreakers, without natural affection, implacable, unmerciful:

Rom 1:32 Who knowing the judgment of God, that they which commit such things are worthy of death, not only do the same, but have pleasure in them that do them.

We do not need an overactive imagination to visualize these reprobate and lost people. We simply need to watch the evening news and we can see people doing things that would have been unimaginable a few years ago. If you live in a large city, you only need to explore the downtown areas and you can see these “beast people” up close...don’t go after dark! There are places in many major metropolitan areas where even the police do not want to go.

2Pe 2:10 But chiefly them that walk after the flesh in the lust of uncleanness, and despise government. Presumptuous are they, selfwilled, they are not afraid to speak evil of dignities.

2Pe 2:11 Whereas angels, which are greater in power and might, bring not railing accusation against them before the Lord.

2Pe 2:12 But these, as natural brute beasts, made to be taken and destroyed, speak evil of the things that they understand not; and shall utterly perish in their own corruption;

As lawlessness increases and starts to become “normal” behavior, Christians will begin to leave the cities and search for small rural population areas to live. However, when the antichrist consolidates his power, even rural populations will probably become less and less safe for Christians.

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MYSTERY BABYLON

Rev 18:7 How much she hath glorified herself, and lived deliciously, so much torment and sorrow give her: for she saith in her heart, I sit a queen, and am no widow, and shall see no sorrow.

Rev 18:8 Therefore shall her plagues come in one day, death, and mourning, and famine; and she shall be utterly burned with fire: for strong is the Lord God who judgeth her.

There is another analogy that makes me believe that the tribulation period may be twelve (12) years long and not seven (7) years as some believe. During the ministry of Jesus Christ, a certain ruler named Jairus asked Jesus to come heal his daughter, who was near death.

Luk 8:41 And, behold, there came a man named Jairus, and he was a ruler of the synagogue: and he fell down at Jesus' feet, and besought him that he would come into his house:

Luk 8:42 For he had one only daughter, about TWELVE years of age, and she lay a dying. But as he went the people thronged him.

This story is told in the Gospel of Mark and the Gospel of Luke, and both gospels mention that the daughter was about TWELVE years old.

What is extremely interesting is the fact that while Jesus was going to see the daughter of Jairus, He had a strange encounter with another woman.

Luk 8:43 And a woman having an issue of blood TWELVE years, which had spent all her living upon physicians, neither could be healed of any,

Luk 8:44 Came behind him, and touched the border of his garment: and immediately her issue of blood stanchèd.

When we see something in the Bible that happens twice in quick succession, it should make us pause and ponder what God might be trying to tell us.

Gen 41:32 `And because of the repeating of the dream unto Pharaoh twice, surely the thing is established by God, and God is hastening to do it. 1898 Young's Literal Translation.

I believe that the young girl and the woman are analogous to the Church and to the tribe of Judah. Listen to what Jesus says to the Church of Laodicea:

Rev 3:17 because thou sayest--I am rich, and have grown rich, and have need of nothing, and hast not known that thou art the wretched, and miserable, and poor, and blind, and naked,

In the physical perspective, the Laodicean Church is wealthy, but spiritually the LORD calls them "WRETCHED"...like the daughter of the rich ruler Jairus???

WRETCHED: G5005, talaipōros, tal-ah'ee-po-ros

From the base of G5007 and a derivative of the base of G3984; enduring trial, that is, miserable: - wretched.

If we look at the last days Church, from the physical perspective we are wealthy and in need of nothing, but from God's point of view we are wretched, miserable and near death like the daughter of the wealthy ruler Jairus.

Next, I believe the woman with the issue of blood represents the Jewish people. They are too confident in their own ability to keep the Law of Moses and therefore they believe they can satisfy God's demand for righteousness apart from Jesus Christ. However, listen to what God tells Isaiah about our own righteousness:

Isa 64:6 But we are all as the unclean thing, and all our righteousnesses are as a MENSTRUATION cloth. And we all fade as a leaf; and our iniquities, like the wind, have taken us away. Modern King James Version.

Lev 15:19 And if a woman have an issue, and her issue in her flesh be blood, she shall be put apart seven days: and whosoever toucheth her shall be unclean until the even.

Isn't it wonderful? Isn't it marvelous? We cannot make Jesus unclean, but He can surely make us clean, whole, and perfectly righteous.

Luk 8:46 And Jesus said, Somebody hath touched me: for I perceive that virtue is gone out of me.

Luk 8:47 And when the woman saw that she was not hid, she came trembling, and falling down before him, she declared unto him before all the people for what cause she had touched him, and how she was healed immediately.

Could it be that after TWELVE years of tribulation, the Jewish people will recognize that

their own righteousness is like a filthy rag, and that they need Jesus Christ? Could it be that after TWELVE years of tribulation, Jesus will resurrect His dead Church?

Luk 8:52 And all wept, and bewailed her: but he said, Weep not; she is not dead, but sleepeth.

Luk 8:53 And they laughed him to scorn, knowing that she was dead.

Luk 8:54 And he put them all out, and took her by the hand, and called, saying, Maid, arise.

Luk 8:55 And her spirit came again, and she arose straightway: and he commanded to give her meat.

CHAPTER 12

FALL OF FIRE

FALL 2025 – FALL 2026

2 Baruk 27:10 And in the ninth part the fall of fire. Eth CEPHER Bible.

<http://www.cephher.net/>

I believe that the Fall of 2026 will be the beginning of what Jesus called “THE GREAT TRIBULATION”. I wrote a previous blog article about a nuclear attack on the United States called: TWO OR THREE WITNESSES.

<http://www.motsog.com/fundamentals/two-or-three-witnesses>

Mat 24:21 For then shall be great tribulation, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be.

Mat 24:22 And except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved: but for the elect's sake those days shall be shortened.

GREAT TRIBULATION literally means “mega persecution” or “mega trouble”.

PART 5

CHAPTER 13

THREE WITNESSES

Joe 2:28 And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions:

Joe 2:29 And also upon the servants and upon the handmaids in those days will I pour out my spirit.

Joe 2:30 And I will shew wonders in the heavens and in the earth, blood, and fire, and pillars of smoke.

In the 1980's, three different men, in three different parts of the world, had visions of a surprise nuclear attack on the United States. It is interesting to me that people claim to be Christians and Bible believers, but when somebody says they have received a vision from God, these same Bible believers refuse to believe it.

What really intrigues me about these three men is the fact that all of them basically had the same vision. Also, from all reports these three men were all honest and faithful Christian men, who worked tirelessly for the advancement of the gospel. Therefore, I believe it would be foolish not to give these men, and their visions, serious consideration. Another reason to give these visions serious consideration is a warning from our LORD in the scriptures.

Mat 18:16 But if he will not hear thee, then take with thee one or two more, that in the mouth of two or three witnesses every word may be established.

God required at least two or three witnesses before the sentence of DEATH could be carried out in the Old Testament. Jesus also required two or three witnesses before the New Testament equivalent of death (SEPARATION FROM THE CHURCH) could be carried out.

The three men who had these visions of a surprise nuclear attack on the United States were: Dumitru Duduman, David Wilkerson, and Henry Gruver. Let's look at brief biographies of each man and then we will compare their visions.

CHAPTER 14

THE FIRST WITNESS

Our first witness, Dumitru Duduman, wrote an autobiography called: [Through the Fire Without Burning](#), which included his vision for America. He was born in northern Rumania. His father was a pastor of a Pentecostal Church, and Dumitru endured the terrible antichristian persecution of totalitarian communism.

Over a period of about eighteen (18) years Dumitru pastored a small Church and smuggled hundreds of thousands of Bible into communist Russia, he was finally captured by the communist authorities, he was beaten and tortured for several months, and eventually Dumitru and his family were deported to the United States in 1984. Against his doctor's orders, Dumitru continued to preach the Word of God up until he passed away in 1997. <http://www.ubm1.org/?page=russians>

Soon after Dumitru Duduman arrived in the United States he was given the following vision by an angel of God:

I don't know what it was, Brothers. I got beside the angel. He showed me all of California. He showed me all the cities of California. Then he showed me Las Vegas. "You see what I have shown you. This is Sodom and Gomorrah. In one day it will burn." He said, "Its sin has reached the Holy One."

He showed me another great city. He said, "Do you know what city this is?" I said, "No." He said, "This is New York City. This is Sodom and Gomorrah. In one day it will burn." He showed me Florida. He said, "This is Florida. This is Sodom and Gomorrah. In one day it will burn."

He said, "Don't worry. I will be ahead of you. I will make great healings amongst the American people. You will go to television stations, radio stations, and churches. Tell them everything I tell you. Don't hide anything. If you try to hide anything, I will punish you. America will burn."

"How will America burn? It is so powerful." He said, "The Russian spies have discovered where the most powerful nuclear missiles are in America. "It will start with the world calling for 'peace, peace.' Then there will be an internal revolution in America, started by the Communists. Some of the people will start fighting against the government. The government will be busy with internal problems. Then from the oceans, Russia, Cuba, Nicaragua, Central America, Mexico, and two other countries (which I cannot remember) will attack! The Russians will bombard the nuclear missile silos in America. America will burn." https://www.handofhelp.com/vision_1.php

CHAPTER 15

THE SECOND WITNESS

Our next witness, David Wilkerson, started a street ministry to drug addicts and gang members in the late 1950's. He founded [Teen Challenge](#) in 1958 and he later founded and pastored Time Square Church in 1987. He wrote several books, but his most successful book was [The Cross and the Switchblade](#). David Wilkerson died in a car crash in 2011. https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/David_Wilkerson

The following prophecy from David Wilkerson can be found in his book, [Set the Trumpet to Thy Mouth](#):

"America is going to be destroyed by fire! Sudden destruction is coming and few will escape. Unexpectedly, and in one hour, a hydrogen holocaust will engulf America -- and this nation will be no more.

"America has sinned against the greatest light. Other nations are just as sinful, but none are as flooded with gospel light as ours. God is going to judge America for its violence, its crimes, its backsliding, its murdering of millions of babies, its flaunting of homosexuality and sadomasochism, its corruption, its drunkenness and drug abuse, its form of godliness without power, its lukewarmness toward Christ, its rampant divorce and adultery, its lewd pornography, its child molestations, its cheatings, its robbings, its dirty movies, and its occult practices. In one hour it will all be over. To the natural mind it is insanity to come against a prosperous, powerful nation and cry out, 'It's all over! Judgment is at the door! Our days are numbered!' The Church is asleep, the congregations are at ease, and the shepherds slumber. How they will scoff and laugh at this message. Theologians will reject it because they can't fit it into their doctrine. The pillow prophets of peace and prosperity will publicly denounce it.

"I no longer care. God has made my face like flint and put steel in my backbone. I am blowing the Lord's trumpet with all my might. Let the whole world and all the church call me crazy, but I must blow the trumpet and awaken God's people. Believe it or not, America is about to be shaken and set aside by swift and horrible judgments. Many other praying believers who have been shut in with God are hearing the very same message - 'Judgment is at the door! Prepare, awaken!'"

Later in the chapter-- an attack from Russia, and "The great holocaust follows an economic collapse in America. The enemy will make its move when we are weak and helpless... America will not Repent... God promised to preserve America only if it turned from its evil... This nation has not repented but has turned its back... I see Almighty God even now slowly turning His back on this nation. America is on the

verge of committing the unpardonable sin by resisting the Holy Ghost. Soon, there will be repentance only for individuals, but not for the nation."

[http://www.goodreads.com/book/show/199298.Set the Trumpet to Thy Mouth](http://www.goodreads.com/book/show/199298.Set_the_Trumpet_to_Thy_Mouth)

CHAPTER 16

THE THIRD WITNESS

Our third witness, Henry Gruver, began walking the streets of Phoenix, Arizona in 1961, at the age of eighteen (18), praying and claiming the city in the name of Jesus. He believes he has been called to walk in cities and towns around the world from Siberia to the Middle East in order to pray for them, and plead the blood of Jesus. He talks about his ministry in his various writings: [Cross + Wise](#). You can read about his many specific visions in his FREE pdf book “Visions of a Walker”. The following vision came to Henry Gruver in 1986:

I was in Wales, on December 14, 1986. I went up on top of the Eagle tower in the Caenarvon Castle. It had eight points on it. Each of the points on it were eroded eagles. This castle was built in the 12th century.

I was overlooking the Irish Sea toward the North Sea—Norway, Sweden, Denmark, the tip of Scotland, Greenland, Iceland in that area.

All of a sudden I was up above the Earth looking down upon the earth like a globe. As I looked down on the earth, I saw all of these massive amount of all kinds of ships and airplanes. They were coming from up above Norway, out of this inlet.

They headed down between the United States and Europe. They literally covered the whole Atlantic. Then I wanted to see what was happening to the United States. I looked over on the globe at the United States. I saw coming out of the United States these radio communication towers. I saw the jagged lines like they draw to show that communications are coming out. All of a sudden, as I was looking down on them they began to sparkle down on the earth like dust. I thought “Oh no! They are not getting through! They don't know what is happening! They are totally oblivious!”

Then I began to see all of these submarines emerging from under the surface. I was surprised at how close they were to our boarders! They were in our territorial waters! Then I saw the missiles come out of them! They hit eastern coastal cities of the United States.

I looked over across the country where my family was over in the northwest side, and I saw the submarines. I saw the missiles coming out and hitting the western coastal cities.

I cried out and I said, “Oh God! Oh God! When will this be, and what shall be the sign of its coming?”

I heard an audible voice speak to me amid say:

“When Russia opens her doors and lets the masses go. The free world will occupy themselves with transporting, housing and feeding and caring for the masses, and will let down their weapons and cry peace and safety. Then sudden destruction will come. Then is, when it will come.”

<http://www.americascomingjudgment.com/ProphecyNewsContent/Gruver.html>

We see that all three of our witnesses received the same vision of a surprise nuclear attack on the United States. The first obvious question is, “Did these three men actually receive visions from God?” If we answer the first question in the affirmative, then we need to ask, “When will this surprise nuclear attack occur?”

CHAPTER 17

JUDGMENT ON AMERICA

First, if we believe the Word of God, then we should also know that God ALWAYS gives warnings before he judges a nation. Probably the most famous warning God gave was when He told the Prophet Jonah to warn the Assyrians in their capital city of Nineveh that it was about to be judged by God. The Assyrians were a terribly wicked people and were continually waging war against Israel and Judah, they even publically defied Jehovah, but God still wanted Jonah to warn them...against Jonah's better judgment. Most Bible readers know the outcome, God FORCED Jonah to warn Nineveh, and surprisingly the whole city actually repented, and God stopped His judgment of the city.

What is so unusual about the story in the Book of Jonah is the fact that the Assyrians were one of the few nations that actually repented after a prophet of God warned them of their impending judgment. Unfortunately, most of the Bible is filled with God sending prophets to warn people of His impending judgment, the people usually ignore God's prophets, and eventually God finally judges the unrepentant nation.

I know a lot of Americans are going to say, "We are the good guys, we are not like the wicked Assyrians in the Bible!" Let me say right off that I love America and Americans. Most Americans are usually polite and respectful, and many Americans will go out of their way to help people, America is packed full of Born again, spirit filled Christians. However, if you are honest with yourself, you will have to admit that the United States of America (U.S.A) is on the wrong trajectory. The U.S.A. is not getting better and better, it is getting worse and worse. It is estimated that the U.S.A. has killed more than 20,000,000 people around the world since the ending of World War 2.

<http://www.globalresearch.ca/us-has-killed-more-than-20-million-people-in-37-victim-nations-since-world-war-ii/5492051>

Over 50,000,000 LEGAL abortions have been reported to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention since 1970 in the United States.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Abortion_statistics_in_the_United_States

According to "recoverybrands", Americans lead in nearly all categories of legal and illegal drug abuse when we are compared to European countries.

<http://recoverybrands.com/drugs-in-america-vs-europe/>

According to the New Testament, drug use is practicing "sorcery"!

Rev 9:21 Neither repented they of their murders, nor of their SORCERIES (G5331), nor of their fornication, nor of their thefts.

SORCERIES: G5331, pharmakeia

Thayer Definition:

1) the use or the administering of DRUGS

2) poisoning

3) sorcery, magical arts, often found in connection with idolatry and fostered by it

4) metaphorically the deceptions and seductions of idolatry

When people talk about the United States being judged by God, I have often heard the following quote from the Bible:

1Th 5:9 For God hath not appointed us to wrath, but to obtain salvation by our Lord Jesus Christ,

If you read the context of this quote, you will realize that the Apostle Paul is specifically speaking about the coming of the LORD Jesus Christ. When Jesus comes the second time, He will pour out His wrath on the wicked world, while at the same time He saves the righteous.

Unfortunately, when God removes His hedge of protection from around a nation and it is racked by war, pestilence, famine, and destruction, often times the righteous are effected just as much as the wicked. When the city of Sodom was invaded by the army of the four kings, righteous Lot and his family were carried off captive just like all the wicked people of Sodom. However, when God poured out His wrath directly upon Sodom, He delivered Lot and his two daughters.

Gen 14:11 And they took all the goods of Sodom and Gomorrah, and all their victuals, and went their way.

Gen 14:12 And they took Lot, Abram's brother's son, who dwelt in Sodom, and his goods, and departed.

Do you see the difference? Jesus told us specifically to REMEMBER Lot's wife!

Luk 17:31 In that day, he which shall be upon the housetop, and his stuff in the house, let him not come down to take it away: and he that is in the field, let him likewise not return back.

Luk 17:32 Remember Lot's wife.

Luk 17:33 Whosoever shall seek to save his life shall lose it; and whosoever shall lose his life shall preserve it.

If God sends His prophets to warn us, and we willfully ignore His warnings, can we

really expect to escape His judgments? Lot's wife was pulled out of Sodom by two angels and she still turned back. Can anybody actually condemn God for including her in His wrath when she defied His warning? God specifically condemns people because they do not listen to His prophets!

Jer 29:18 And I will persecute them with the sword, with the famine, and with the pestilence, and will deliver them to be removed to all the kingdoms of the earth, to be a curse, and an astonishment, and an hissing, and a reproach, among all the nations whither I have driven them:

Jer 29:19 Because they have not hearkened to my words, saith the LORD, which I sent unto them by my servants the prophets, rising up early and sending them; but ye would not hear, saith the LORD.

Even President George Washington and many other people gave prophetic warnings to the United States, but our defiance of God seems to grow daily.

<http://americaslastdays.blogspot.com/>

If we can agree that the United States is racing recklessly towards judgment, perhaps we should attempt to find out the timing of this “surprise nuclear attack”. Fortunately, several of these prophetic warnings of a surprise nuclear attack upon the United States also have some definite clues that we can watch out for.

First, all three visions say that the surprise nuclear attack will be mainly against the East Coast and the West Coast of the United States. The angel in Dumitru Duduman's vision specifically names California, Las Vegas, Florida, and New York as targets of the attack. Henry Gruver's vision mentions the major cities on the East and West Coasts of the United States. David Wilkerson specifically mentions New York City. Frankly, if you are living in a large city on either the East or the West coast, you are ignoring prophetic warnings at your own peril. If you are living in New York City, you are living in the heart of Mystery Babylon ... God help you!

Second, Dumitru Duduman mentions missiles coming from Cuba, Central America and Mexico. Missiles coming from our friendly neighbor to the south seemed unthinkable in the 1980's? Now that Donald Trump is President, it does not appear as “unthinkable” as it once was. Dumitru Duduman mentions an attack from the oceans, and Henry Gruver specifically says that the Russians will attack from submarines off the coast. Recently, Russian submarines have been detected closer to the United States than they have ever been before.

<http://www.washingtonexaminer.com/dem-says-russian-subs-dangerously-close-to-u.s./article/2586428>

Third, David Wilkerson said that the attack would occur during an economic collapse.

We had a minor economic collapse in 2008, but I suspect we will have a much larger economic collapse in the near future. When the next economic collapse occurs, I believe

you should prepare to escape the cities along the coast and find a retreat to “ride out” the tribulation that is coming upon the whole earth.

I suspect that this surprise nuclear attack will be the catalyst for the beginning of the “great tribulation” and the rise of the antichrist and his beast system to rule the earth for three and one-half years. Since I believe the rapture will occur on September 24, 2029 and Jesus will return to the Mount of Olives on June 7, 2030, I estimate that this nuclear war will occur three to four years prior, or sometime between the Fall of 2025 and the Spring of 2026. However, this is just an educated guess. It could happen before this timeframe, I would pay special attention to the warning signs and take appropriate action as they become more and more obvious.

Heb 10:23 Let us hold fast the profession of our faith without wavering; (for he is faithful that promised;)

Heb 10:24 And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works:

Heb 10:25 Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.

CHAPTER 18

FORTY YEARS OF GRACE

Different scripture verses, including these verses in 2 Baruk, have now convinced me that a nuclear war will probably occur between the Fall of 2025 and the Spring of 2026.

Between late 1984 and early 1986, three men (Dmitru Duduman, David Wilkerson, and Henry Gruver) all had visions of a nuclear attack on the United States of America. I noticed that in the Bible, the number forty (40) is usually a period of trial and testing...(Moses was 40 days on Mount Sinai, the children of Israel were 40 years in the wilderness, Jonah warned of judgment on the Assyrian capital city of Nineveh for 40 days, and Jesus was 40 days in the wilderness).

Jesus made a startling prophecy to His disciples in 30 A.D., just before His crucifixion and resurrection.

Mat 24:1 And Jesus went out, and departed from the temple: and his disciples came to him for to shew him the buildings of the temple.

Mat 24:2 And Jesus said unto them, See ye not all these things? verily I say unto you, There shall not be left here one stone upon another, that shall not be thrown down.

Forty (40) years later in 70 A.D., the armies of the Roman general Titus Flavius Vespasianus, burned and destroyed the Second Temple, then they sacked and the City of Jerusalem.

I am now convinced that the United States, like the Jewish nation before us, has been given a forty (40) year warning and grace period, which we are also currently ignoring at our own peril. The judgment will occur approximately eighty (80) years after the U.S. first dropped atomic bombs on Japan. The nuclear war will also be the catalyst for a mass exodus out of the large population centers into wilderness areas.

Specifically, this will be the time that the two witnesses mentioned in the Book of Revelation will appear, and it will also be the time that a large portion of the Church will flee into the wilderness, just after the Jewish Passover of 2026. You can read more about this subject in my free e-book: CHRISTIAN EXODUS, OUT OF BABYLON.

<https://www.free-ebooks.net/search/christian+exodus+out+of+babylon>

Gen 19:27 And Abraham gat up early in the morning to the place where he stood before the LORD:

Gen 19:28 And he looked toward Sodom and Gomorrah, and toward all the land of the plain, and beheld, and, lo, the smoke of the country went up as the smoke of a furnace.

PART 6

YEARS 10 – 12

CHAPTER 19

OPPRESSION

FALL 2026 – FALL 2027

2 Baruk 27:11 And in the tenth part rapine and much oppression (violence). Eth CEPHER Bible.

In the Fall of 2026, the antichrist will reveal himself to the world as the world's savior and the god of this world:

2Th 2:3 Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition;

2Th 2:4 Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God.

The leaders of the world will accept the antichrist as god and will reject the LORD Jesus Christ, and the world will suffer the consequences during the great tribulation:

If you are interested in how I arrived at the date for the abomination desolation, you can read my free e-book: Christian Exodus, Out of Babylon.

Psa 2:2 The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the LORD, and against his anointed, saying,

Psa 2:3 Let us break their bands asunder, and cast away their cords from us.

Psa 2:4 He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh: the Lord shall have them in derision.

Psa 2:5 Then shall he speak unto them in his wrath, and vex them in his sore displeasure.

If you DO NOT LISTEN to God, you will experience some horrific trials... From what I have read, the trials and tribulations in the Book of 2 Baruk and the Book of Revelation

appear to bear a strong resemblance to the curses prophesied by Moses in the Book of Deuteronomy onto people who DO NOT LISTEN to God:

CHAPTER 20

UNDER THE CURSE

Curses For People Who Do Not Listen To God

Deu 28:15 But it shall come to pass, if thou wilt not hearken (LISTEN) unto the voice of the LORD thy God, to observe to do all his commandments and his statutes which I command thee this day; that all these curses shall come upon thee, and overtake thee:

Deu 28:16 Cursed shalt thou be in the city, and cursed shalt thou be in the field.

Deu 28:17 Cursed shall be thy basket and thy store.

Deu 28:18 Cursed shall be the fruit of thy body, and the fruit of thy land, the increase of thy kine, and the flocks of thy sheep.

Deu 28:19 Cursed shalt thou be when thou comest in, and cursed shalt thou be when thou goest out.

Deu 28:20 The LORD shall send upon thee cursing, vexation, and rebuke, in all that thou settest thine hand unto for to do, until thou be destroyed, and until thou perish quickly; because of the wickedness of thy doings, whereby thou hast forsaken me.

Deu 28:21 The LORD shall make the pestilence cleave unto thee, until he have consumed thee from off the land, whither thou goest to possess it.

Deu 28:22 The LORD shall smite thee with a consumption, and with a fever, and with an inflammation, and with an extreme burning, and with the sword, and with blasting, and with mildew; and they shall pursue thee until thou perish.

Deu 28:23 And thy heaven that is over thy head shall be brass, and the earth that is under thee shall be iron.

Deu 28:24 The LORD shall make the rain of thy land powder and dust: from heaven shall it come down upon thee, until thou be destroyed.

Deu 28:25 The LORD shall cause thee to be smitten before thine enemies: thou shalt go out one way against them, and flee seven ways before them: and shalt be removed into all the kingdoms of the earth.

Deu 28:26 And thy carcase (body) shall be meat unto all fowls of the air, and unto the beasts of the earth, and no man shall fray them away.

Deu 28:27 The LORD will smite thee with the botch of Egypt, and with the emerods, and with the scab, and with the itch, whereof thou canst not be healed.

Deu 28:28 The LORD shall smite thee with madness, and blindness, and astonishment

of heart:

Deu 28:29 And thou shalt grope at noonday, as the blind gropeth in darkness, and thou shalt not prosper in thy ways: and thou shalt be only oppressed and spoiled evermore, and no man shall save thee.

Deu 28:30 Thou shalt betroth a wife, and another man shall lie with her: thou shalt build an house, and thou shalt not dwell therein: thou shalt plant a vineyard, and shalt not gather the grapes thereof.

Deu 28:31 Thine ox shall be slain before thine eyes, and thou shalt not eat thereof: thine ass shall be violently taken away from before thy face, and shall not be restored to thee: thy sheep shall be given unto thine enemies, and thou shalt have none to rescue them.

Deu 28:32 Thy sons and thy daughters shall be given unto another people, and thine eyes shall look, and fail with longing for them all the day long: and there shall be no might in thine hand.

Deu 28:33 The fruit of thy land, and all thy labours, shall a nation which thou knowest not eat up; and thou shalt be only oppressed and crushed away:

Deu 28:34 So that thou shalt be mad for the sight of thine eyes which thou shalt see.

Deu 28:35 The LORD shall smite thee in the knees, and in the legs, with a sore botch that cannot be healed, from the sole of thy foot unto the top of thy head.

Deu 28:36 The LORD shall bring thee, and thy king which thou shalt set over thee, unto a nation which neither thou nor thy fathers have known; and there shalt thou serve other gods, wood and stone.

Deu 28:37 And thou shalt become an astonishment, a proverb, and a byword, among all nations whither the LORD shall lead thee.

Deu 28:38 Thou shalt carry much seed out into the field, and shalt gather but little in; for the locust shall consume it.

Deu 28:39 Thou shalt plant vineyards, and dress them, but shalt neither drink of the wine, nor gather the grapes; for the worms shall eat them.

Deu 28:40 Thou shalt have olive trees throughout all thy coasts, but thou shalt not anoint thyself with the oil; for thine olive shall cast his fruit.

Deu 28:41 Thou shalt beget sons and daughters, but thou shalt not enjoy them; for they shall go into captivity.

Deu 28:42 All thy trees and fruit of thy land shall the locust consume.

Deu 28:43 The stranger that is within thee shall get up above thee very high; and thou shalt come down very low.

Deu 28:44 He shall lend to thee, and thou shalt not lend to him: he shall be the head, and thou shalt be the tail.

Deu 28:45 Moreover all these curses shall come upon thee, and shall pursue thee, and overtake thee, till thou be destroyed; because thou hearkenedst not unto the voice of the LORD thy God, to keep his commandments and his statutes which he commanded thee:

Deu 28:46 And they shall be upon thee for a sign and for a wonder, and upon thy seed for ever.

Deu 28:47 Because thou servedst not the LORD thy God with joyfulness, and with gladness of heart, for the abundance of all things;

Deu 28:48 Therefore shalt thou serve thine enemies which the LORD shall send against thee, in hunger, and in thirst, and in nakedness, and in want of all things: and he shall put a yoke of iron upon thy neck, until he have destroyed thee.

Deu 28:49 The LORD shall bring a nation against thee from far, from the end of the earth, as swift as the eagle flieth; a nation whose tongue thou shalt not understand;

Deu 28:50 A nation of fierce countenance, which shall not regard the person of the old, nor shew favour to the young:

Deu 28:51 And he shall eat the fruit of thy cattle, and the fruit of thy land, until thou be destroyed: which also shall not leave thee either corn, wine, or oil, or the increase of thy kine, or flocks of thy sheep, until he have destroyed thee.

Deu 28:52 And he shall besiege thee in all thy gates, until thy high and fenced walls come down, wherein thou trustedst, throughout all thy land: and he shall besiege thee in all thy gates throughout all thy land, which the LORD thy God hath given thee.

Deu 28:53 And thou shalt eat the fruit of thine own body, the flesh of thy sons and of thy daughters, which the LORD thy God hath given thee, in the siege, and in the straitness, wherewith thine enemies shall distress thee:

Deu 28:54 So that the man that is tender among you, and very delicate, his eye shall be evil toward his brother, and toward the wife of his bosom, and toward the remnant of his children which he shall leave:

Deu 28:55 So that he will not give to any of them of the flesh of his children whom he shall eat: because he hath nothing left him in the siege, and in the straitness, wherewith thine enemies shall distress thee in all thy gates.

Deu 28:56 The tender and delicate woman among you, which would not adventure to set the sole of her foot upon the ground for delicateness and tenderness, her eye shall be evil toward the husband of her bosom, and toward her son, and toward her daughter,

Deu 28:57 And toward her young one that cometh out from between her feet, and toward her children which she shall bear: for she shall eat them for want of all things secretly in the siege and straitness, wherewith thine enemy shall distress thee in thy gates.

Deu 28:58 If thou wilt not observe to do all the words of this law that are written in

this book, that thou mayest fear this glorious and fearful name, THE LORD THY GOD;

Deu 28:59 Then the LORD will make thy plagues wonderful, and the plagues of thy seed, even great plagues, and of long continuance, and sore sicknesses, and of long continuance.

Deu 28:60 Moreover he will bring upon thee all the diseases of Egypt, which thou wast afraid of; and they shall cleave unto thee.

Deu 28:61 Also every sickness, and every plague, which is not written in the book of this law, them will the LORD bring upon thee, until thou be destroyed.

Deu 28:62 And ye shall be left few in number, whereas ye were as the stars of heaven for multitude; because thou wouldest not obey the voice of the LORD thy God.

Deu 28:63 And it shall come to pass, that as the LORD rejoiced over you to do you good, and to multiply you; so the LORD will rejoice over you to destroy you, and to bring you to nought; and ye shall be plucked from off the land whither thou goest to possess it.

Deu 28:64 And the LORD shall scatter thee among all people, from the one end of the earth even unto the other; and there thou shalt serve other gods, which neither thou nor thy fathers have known, even wood and stone.

Deu 28:65 And among these nations shalt thou find no ease, neither shall the sole of thy foot have rest: but the LORD shall give thee there a trembling heart, and failing of eyes, and sorrow of mind:

Deu 28:66 And thy life shall hang in doubt before thee; and thou shalt fear day and night, and shalt have none assurance of thy life:

Deu 28:67 In the morning thou shalt say, Would God it were even! and at even thou shalt say, Would God it were morning! for the fear of thine heart wherewith thou shalt fear, and for the sight of thine eyes which thou shalt see.

Deu 28:68 And the LORD shall bring thee into Egypt again with ships, by the way whereof I spake unto thee, Thou shalt see it no more again: and there ye shall be sold unto your enemies for bondmen and bondwomen, and no man shall buy you.

Wow...that is a very long list of curses! Many people live with great abundance, with great wealth, and with great prosperity. These same people extol the virtues of science, and the virtues of democracy, and the virtues of capitalism, but they never bother to thank God!!! I am afraid many of us will soon find out that when God is gone...all that is good in our lives will also be gone with Him. DURING THE GREAT TRIBULATION, THE WHOLE WORLD WILL BE UNDER A CURSE!!!

CHAPTER 21

WICKEDNESS AND UNCHASTITY

FALL 2027 – FALL 2028

2 Baruk 27:12 And in the eleventh part wickedness (injustice) and unchastity. Eth CEPHER Bible.

Most leaders will at least pretend that they are “servants of the people”, but the antichrist and his government will not bother to hide the fact that they are predatory, brutal, and SAVAGE! The antichrist is the “BEAST” and God help you if you should fall under his power and authority. The beast is also the man of “LAWLESSNESS”; therefore, even the semblance of law and justice will be absent from his government.

2Th 2:3 Do not let anyone 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, Lexham English Bible.

The antichrist will demand that everyone be his abject slaves and worshippers, or they will die. This “beast” world ruler will be like Hitler and Caligula on steroids.

Rev 13:15 And it was given to him to put breath into the image of the beast, in order that the image of the beast both spoke and caused that all those, unless they worshiped the image of the beast, should be killed.

There are many antichrist type figures in the Bible: Nimrod, the Pharaoh of Moses, King Ahab of Israel, Nebuchadnezzar II, Antiochus IV, Herod the Great. However, I believe they will all pale in comparison to the “last antichrist”, who will be arising on the world stage shortly. I believe that as the United States decreases in power and prestige around the world, the man of sin will become more and more prominent in world affairs.

Dan 8:23 And at the end of their kingdom, when the transgressions are completed, a king will arise, fierce in countenance and skilled in riddles.

Dan 8:24 And his power will grow, but not by his own power, and he will cause fearful destruction, and he will succeed and he will act, and he will destroy the mighty and the people of the holy ones.

Dan 8:25 And by his planning he will make a success of deceit by his hand, and in his mind he will boast, and in their ease he will destroy many, and even against the prince of princes he will rise up, and he will be broken, but not by human hands.

Just like the poor and lowly flocked around Jesus, the rich and powerful will flock

around the antichrist. Jesus is patient and kind, the antichrist will be rash and cruel. Jesus is meek and gentle, but the antichrist will be arrogant and violent. Everywhere Jesus went there was healing and resurrection power, everywhere the antichrist goes there will be destruction and death. Jesus was indwelt by the Holy Spirit, the antichrist will be indwelt by Satan's spirit.

Rev 13:3 And one of its heads appeared as though slaughtered to death, and its fatal wound had been healed. And the whole earth was astonished and followed after the beast.

Rev 13:4 And they worshiped the dragon because he had given authority to the beast, and they worshiped the beast, saying, "Who is like the beast, and who is able to make war with him?"

Rev 13:5 And a mouth was given to him speaking great things and blasphemies, and authority to act was given to him for forty-two months.

Rev 13:6 And he opened his mouth for blasphemies toward God, to blaspheme his name and his dwelling, those who live in heaven.

Rev 13:7 And it was given to him to make war with the saints and to conquer them. And authority was given to him over every tribe and people and language and nation.

Rev 13:8 And all those who live on the earth will worship him, everyone whose name is not written from the foundation of the world in the book of life of the Lamb who was slaughtered.

CHAPTER 22

MINGLING TOGETHER

FALL 2028 – FALL 2029

2 Baruk 27:13 And in the twelfth part confusion from the MINGLING together of all those things aforesaid. Eth CEPHER Bible.

Dan 2:40 And the fourth kingdom shall be strong as iron: forasmuch as iron breaketh in pieces and subdueth all things: and as iron that breaketh all these, shall it break in pieces and bruise.

Dan 2:41 And whereas thou sawest the feet and toes, part of potters' clay, and part of iron, the kingdom shall be divided; but there shall be in it of the strength of the iron, forasmuch as thou sawest the iron MIXED with miry clay.

Dan 2:42 And as the toes of the feet were part of iron, and part of clay, so the kingdom shall be partly strong, and partly broken.

Dan 2:43 And whereas thou sawest iron MIXED with miry clay, they shall MINGLE themselves with the seed of men: but they shall not cleave one to another, even as iron is not mixed with clay.

MIXED/MINGLED: H6151, 'ārab, ar-ab', ARAB

(Chaldee); corresponding to H6148; to commingle: - mingle (self), mix.

I remember studying these particular verses in the Book of Daniel over thirty (30) years ago, and the word “ARAB” jumped out at me. The Book of Daniel is highly unusual because it was written partly in the Hebrew language and partly in Aramaic.

It is not unusual for an author to throw in a few verses of a foreign language in a book, but the Book of Daniel has whole chapters written in Hebrew and whole chapters written in Aramaic...it would be like writing a few chapters in English, then switching to Spanish for a few chapters, and then switching back to English for the last few chapters. The main question of course is WHY?

Chapter 1, the introduction, is written in Hebrew. Chapters 2 – 7, the main body of the book is written in Aramaic. Chapters 8 – 12, the conclusion of the book is written in Hebrew again.

Aramaic was the language spoken by the Babylonians and other ancient Semitic language groups, and it is related to Hebrew and Arabic.

Dan 2:43 And whereas thou sawest iron mixed with miry clay, they shall MINGLE

themselves with the SEED of men: but they shall not cleave one to another, even as iron is not MIXED with clay.

SEED: H2234, z^era', zer-ah'

(Chaldee); corresponding to H2233; posterity: - seed.

If you have read my past blog articles, you will know that I believe the last “beast kingdom” will be a Muslim kingdom...mainly because of this verse in the Book of Daniel 2:43. ISLAM WILL NOT MIX WITH ANY OTHER RELIGION...ESPECIALLY CHRISTIANITY! <http://www.motsog.com/fundamentals/islam>

I suspect that ARAB Muslims will deny that they are racist and misogynistic, but you do not have to be a scholar in sociology to notice that there is a marked increase in rape and violence towards non-Muslim women when Arab men associate with any non-Arab culture. It appears that they associate sex with dominance and violence, but definitely not love...at least where non-Arab women are concerned.

Norah Vincent (link via Instapundit) has already suggested that sexual inadequacy is rampant (perhaps not the mot juste) in the Muslim world. It seems to me that many men in today's Islamic world suffer from an unusually virulent strain of the so-called 'Madonna-whore complex', dividing all women into the virtuous asexual Madonnas and the hopelessly depraved majority. That would be bad enough, but they combine this with an equally virulent ethnic and religious bigotry. It appears that all Madonnas are Muslims and all Muslims are Madonnas: any exceptions to the latter rule are promptly stoned. At the same time, all the (unstoned) whores are infidels, and just about all the infidels are whores, the whoriest of all being Jews and Americans. Whether this is wishful thinking or actual opinion, who can tell? In their hearts they must suspect it is, shall we say, oversimplified.

<http://www.drweevil.org/archives/000112.html>

You might say that I am a racist, or intolerant of other religions, but I do not believe I am reaching a conclusion with no evidence. The stories are practically endless about the rape of women in the Sudan, in the Kurdish areas of Syria and Iraq, and in European cities with large Arab populations. The modus operandi of Muslim radicals is not to rape their victim and then leave them alone, Muslim jihadist enslave women and continually rape their victims as long as they are under their power (or until the women die). They appear to be following Muhammad's lead in their treatment of captive women.

*The apostle (Muhammad) had chosen one of their women for himself, Ray1.Jana d. 'Amr b. Khunafa, one of the women of B. 'Amr b. Qurayza, and she remained with him until she DIED, in his power. Guillaume, Alfred, *The Life of Muhammad: A Translation of Ibn Ishaq's Sirat Rasul Allah*. Oxford University Press, 1955.*

I understand that Christian men, or people claiming to be Christian men, have raped and brutalized women; however, I also know there is nowhere in the New Testament that endorses brutalizing women...but the Quran on the other hand:

4:34 Men are the maintainers of women because Allah has made some of them to excel others and because they spend out of their property; the good women are therefore obedient, guarding the unseen as Allah has guarded; and (as to) those on whose part you fear desertion, admonish them, and leave them alone in the sleeping-places and beat them; then if they obey you, do not seek a way against them; surely Allah is High, Great. Shakir.

Just recently it has come to light that British authorities were covering up the rape and molestation of up to a thousand underage, mostly white, British girls by a gang of Muslim men in Telford, England. <https://www.spectator.co.uk/2018/03/a-dangerous-silence-over-telford/>

The point I am try to make is directed mainly toward WOMEN. The great tribulation is going to be horrific, but it will be especially bad for women. If there is even a hint of a chance that Muslims/Islam might dominate your town or your country...FLEE!!! YOU DO NOT WANT TO BE UNDER THE POWER AND AUTHORITY OF ISLAM OR OF MUSLIM MEN!!!

Rev 12:6 And the WOMAN fled into the wilderness, where she hath a place prepared of God, that they should feed her there a thousand two hundred and threescore days.

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THE MESSIAH SHALL BE REVEALED

2 Baruk 29:3 And it shall come to pass when all is accomplished that was to come to pass in those parts, that HAMASHIACH shall then begin to be revealed. Eth CEPHER Bible.

It is interesting that 2 Baruk says that HAMASHIACH (the Messiah) shall BEGIN TO BE "REVEALED". The wording makes one think of the Book of "REVELATION". I know that when I was a young Christian, I could not help but focus on the many horrors that the Book of Revelation "revealed" would occur during the tribulation period (i.e. wars, famine, disease, the antichrist, etc.). However, in actuality the MOST important "revelation" in the Book of Revelation is the revelation of our LORD Jesus Christ...in HIS CHURCH!

First, the Apostle John describes Jesus as He appears in his glorious celestial body.

Rev 1:10 I was in the Spirit on the Lord's day, and heard behind me a great voice, as of a trumpet,

Rev 1:11 Saying, I am Alpha and Omega, the first and the last: and, What thou seest, write in a book, and send it unto the seven churches which are in Asia; unto Ephesus, and unto Smyrna, and unto Pergamos, and unto Thyatira, and unto Sardis, and unto Philadelphia, and unto Laodicea.

Rev 1:12 And I turned to see the voice that spake with me. And being turned, I saw seven golden candlesticks;

Rev 1:13 And in the midst of the seven candlesticks one like unto the Son of man, clothed with a garment down to the foot, and girt about the paps with a golden girdle.

Rev 1:14 His head and his hairs were white like wool, as white as snow; and his eyes were as a flame of fire;

Rev 1:15 And his feet like unto fine brass, as if they burned in a furnace; and his voice as the sound of many waters.

Rev 1:16 And he had in his right hand seven stars: and out of his mouth went a sharp twoedged sword: and his countenance was as the sun shineth in his strength.

Rev 1:17 And when I saw him, I fell at his feet as dead. And he laid his right hand upon

me, saying unto me, FEAR NOT; I am the first and the last:

Rev 1:18 I am he that liveth, and was dead; and, behold, I am alive for evermore, Amen; and have the keys of hell and of death.

This personage that greets John is no doubt the risen Jesus Christ. Nobody else was dead and resurrected, and also holds the keys of hell and of death. When John is paralyzed by fear and falls at His feet as dead, how characteristic of Jesus that he tells John to “FEAR NOT”! I wonder how many times John had heard those exact words before from Jesus, while he lived and travelled with the LORD during His ministry on earth?

The description hearkens back to the “transfiguration” when John, as well as his brother James and Peter, also fell on their faces afraid.

Mat 17:5 While he yet spake, behold, a bright cloud overshadowed them: and behold a voice out of the cloud, which said, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased; hear ye him.

Mat 17:6 And when the disciples heard it, they fell on their face, and were sore afraid.

Mat 17:7 And Jesus came and touched them, and said, Arise, and BE NOT AFRAID.

Despite all the trials and tribulations that we might go through, we have a protector and a savior, Jesus will not allow us to be tested beyond our limitations. Also, I am confident that there will be a vast difference between the saved and unsaved during the tribulation period. We see the allegory of Israel in the land of Egypt during the Exodus period:

Exo 8:22 And I will sever in that day the land of Goshen, in which my people dwell, that no swarms of flies shall be there; to the end thou mayest know that I am the LORD in the midst of the earth.

Exo 8:23 And I will put a division between my people and thy people: to morrow shall this sign be.

When I tell people that the Church is going through the tribulation period, I invariably hear that “*Christians are not appointed to wrath*”! I agree, but does that mean God MUST take us to heaven to protect us? God protected Noah and his family in the flood, God protected Daniel in the lion’s den, God protected the three Hebrew children in the fiery furnace, and God protected the children of Israel living in Egypt during the ten plagues. However, for some reason people do not believe that God can protect His own people during the great tribulation?

Rev 12:14 And to the woman were given two wings of a great eagle, that she might fly into the wilderness, into her place, where she is nourished for a time, and times, and half a time, from the face of the serpent.

Not only can God protect us, but I foresee that the tribulation period might be the greatest times of our lives...if we LISTEN to God. I believe that during the great

tribulation there will be more (and greater) miracles than at any time in history, including the time of Moses and even during the time of Jesus' ministry!

Most important of all...God wants to transform His Church into the image of Jesus Christ!!!

More important than our glorious celestial body, which we will receive at the resurrection, is the transformation of our INNER MAN! OUR INNER MAN MUST BE TRANSFORMED INTO THE IMAGE OF JESUS CHRIST! Unfortunately, this "metamorphosis" of our inner man requires SEPARATION FROM THE WORLD. Most of us, me included, know that we should be praying more, and meditating on the WORD more, and fasting more, but the cares of this world always seem to get in the way. The spiritual growth that we should be experiencing in just a few years takes most of us an entire lifetime.

God has a solution for our "love of the world problem", I will call it God's "accelerated growth program". God is going to separate His Church from the world and give us all His personal attention during the 1260 day "Christian Exodus". Just like Jesus spent three and one-half years of intimacy with His disciples, God will spend three and one-half years with His people during the "Christian Exodus".

However, I believe a lot of the Church will simply refuse to leave the world...they will either die a martyr's death or they will take the mark of the beast (in which case they were actually false Christians, "tares" hiding in the wheat).

Let me clear up a serious misconception that most people have about the Book of Revelation, and evil in general...God does not cause evil or all the horrors listed in the Book of Revelation, He is simply reporting the natural consequences of our rebellion against Him before they happen. Listen to what the Apostle Paul tells the Church in Corinth about how to deal with a fornicator in the Church:

1Co 5:2 And ye are puffed up, and have not rather mourned, that he that hath done this deed might be taken away from among you.

1Co 5:3 For I verily, as absent in body, but present in spirit, have judged already, as though I were present, concerning him that hath so done this deed,

1Co 5:4 In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, when ye are gathered together, and my spirit, with the power of our Lord Jesus Christ,

1Co 5:5 To DELIVER such an one unto Satan for the destruction of the flesh, that the spirit may be saved in the day of the Lord Jesus.

DELIVER: G3860, paradidōmi

Thayer Definition:

1) to give into the hands (of another)

2) to give over into (one's) power or use

2a) to deliver to one something to keep, use, take care of, manage

2b) to deliver up one to custody, to be judged, condemned, punished, scourged, tormented, put to death

2c) to deliver up treacherously

2c1) by betrayal to cause one to be taken

2c2) to deliver one to be taught, moulded

If we read the first part of the sentence, we would think to ourselves that the Apostle Paul is being overly harsh...but when we finish the sentence, we see that there is a purpose behind allowing Satan to have “custody” of an apostate Christian... *THAT THE SPIRIT MAY BE SAVED IN THE DAY OF THE LORD JESUS.*

It is similar to the story of the prodigal son...the son asks his father for his inheritance early, so that he can live a reprobate and hedonistic lifestyle away from the constraints of his father. At the end of the story, the son comes to his senses and realizes that the freedom from his father he so desired was leading to his own destruction.

Luk 15:16 And he would fain have filled his belly with the husks that the swine did eat: and no man gave unto him.

Luk 15:17 And when he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger!

What a common occurrence it is for children to think that their parents are overly harsh and restrictive, when in truth the parents are simply trying to protect their children from the dangers of the world. However, eventually there comes a time when every parent must allow their children to learn about the world first hand...the LORD willing, they will all eventually “*come to their self*” and return to the FATHER!

Therefore, there is a reason that God will allow Satan to have “custody” of the world for a season. Eventually, the people of the world will either return to the FATHER, or they will be destroyed.

IF EVERYTHING WAS GREAT, THE ISRAELITES WOULD NEVER HAVE LEFT EGYPT!!!

If you think about it, you will realize that God must allow the tribulation to come to pass or the Church will continue in a perpetual state of constant “luke warmness”, always having one foot in the “spirit” and one foot in the “world”.

I was baptized when I was thirteen years old, and I have been a confessing Christian for over forty (40) years, but I will also confess that my spiritual growth has been moving at a snail’s pace at best...and more growth is needed! However, God has only appointed a certain amount of time for Satan to have jurisdiction over this earth (6000 years?), and that time is rapidly running out.

Rev 12:12 Therefore rejoice, ye heavens, and ye that dwell in them. Woe to the inhabitants of the earth and of the sea! for the devil is come down unto you, having

great wrath, because he knoweth that he hath but a short time.

The world does not have forty (40), or thirty (30), or even twenty (20) years left, in order for all Christians that are alive now to grow into mature saints of God. The Church MUST go through an accelerated growth program! If you study the Bible to determine how many years there have been since the fall of Adam and Eve, you will realize that we are very, very close to the six-thousand (6,000) year mark.

2Pe 3:8 But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that ONE DAY IS WITH THE LORD AS A THOUSAND YEARS, AND A THOUSAND YEARS AS ONE DAY.

2Pe 3:9 The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.

The epistle of Barnabas lays out God's general timeline of redemption:

Barnabas 15:4

Give heed, children, what this meaneth; He ended in six days. He meaneth this, that in six thousand years the Lord shall bring all things to an end; for the day with Him signifyeth a thousand years; and this He himself beareth me witness, saying; Behold, the day of the Lord shall be as a thousand years. Therefore, children, in six days, that is in six thousand years, everything shall come to an end.

Barnabas 15:5

And He rested on the seventh day. this He meaneth; when His Son shall come, and shall abolish the time of the Lawless One, and shall judge the ungodly, and shall change the sun and the moon and the stars, then shall he truly rest on the seventh day.

<http://www.earlychristianwritings.com/text/barnabas-lightfoot.html>

I will be the first to admit that my calculations might be off by a handful of years, but there is no way that my calculations are off by another one-hundred or one-thousand years...JESUS IS COMING BACK VERY SOON!!!

I have written previously, that the two witnesses mentioned in the Book of Revelation will probably appear around Passover, 2026.

Rev 11:4 These are the two olive trees, and the two candlesticks standing before the God of the earth.

Rev 11:5 And if any man will hurt them, fire proceedeth out of their mouth, and devoureth their enemies: and if any man will hurt them, he must in this manner be killed.

These two “olive trees” will be very hard to miss. First of all, they will be witnessing AGAINST the beast system. The beast and the false prophet, spoken of in the Book of Revelation, will nourish a violent hatred towards them. However, the beast system will not be able to harm them for 1260 days, until they have finished their testimony.

Rev 11:7 And when they shall have finished their testimony, the beast that ascendeth out of the bottomless pit shall make war against them, and shall overcome them, and kill them.

I suspect that their testimony will concern mainly three things: First, they will be pronouncing God’s judgments upon the earth.

Rev 11:6 These have power to shut heaven, that it rain not in the days of their prophecy: and have power over waters to turn them to blood, and to smite the earth with all plagues, as often as they will.

Second, I believe they will be announcing the RETURN OF JESUS CHRIST!

Isa 40:3 The voice of him that crieth in the wilderness, Prepare ye the way of the LORD, make straight in the desert a highway for our God.

Finally, they will be warning the Church to separate from the world in order to avoid God’s judgment.

Rev 18:4 And I heard another voice from heaven, saying, Come out of her, my people, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her plagues.

Rev 18:5 For her sins have reached unto heaven, and God hath remembered her iniquities.

It will be very important to listen to what these two witnesses tell the Church, and to flee when they say flee. It may not only be the difference between life and death, but it may be the difference between eternal life in heaven and eternal death in hell.

God’s WORD is established forever, God’s WORD is true whether we believe it or not. However, our faith in God will save us, and it will condemn the world.

Heb 11:7 By faith Noah, being warned of God of things not seen as yet, moved with fear, prepared an ark to the saving of his house; by the which he condemned the world, and became heir of the righteousness which is by faith.

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[CHAPTER 24](#)

THE WEDDING FEAST

Mat 22:1 And Jesus answered and spake unto them again by parables, and said,

Mat 22:2 The kingdom of heaven is like unto a certain king, which made a marriage for his son,

Mat 22:3 And sent forth his servants to call them that were bidden to the wedding: and they would not come.

I believe there will be a Christian Exodus from the world after the Jewish Passover of 2026 A.D.

In the gospel of Matthew, Jesus tells a parable of a wedding feast that most commentators describe as an event that takes place **AFTER** the rapture/resurrection of the Church. However, I believe that Jesus was describing a wedding feast that takes place **BEFORE** the rapture/resurrection of the Church. This parable is told with a slightly different variation in the gospel of Luke. In the gospel of Luke, the invitation is called a "GREAT SUPPER":

Luk 14:16 Then said he unto him, A certain man made a great (megas) SUPPER, and bade many:

Luk 14:17 And sent his servant at supper time to say to them that were bidden, Come; for all things are now ready.

SUPPER: G1173, deipnon, dipe'-non

From the same as G1160; dinner, that is, the chief meal (usually in the evening): - feast, supper.

In these sophisticated and modern times, we tend to forget that according to ancient tradition, there was usually a celebration of a wedding **BEFORE** the marriage was consummated!

Gen 2:23 And Adam said, This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man.

Gen 2:24 Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one FLESH (BODY).

Now we are getting somewhere, the man and the woman will be ONE BODY! Isn't that what the Apostle Paul tried to explain to the Church in his epistle to the Ephesians?

Eph 5:29 For no man ever yet hated his own flesh; but nourisheth and cherisheth it, even as the Lord the church:

Eph 5:30 For we are members of his body, of his flesh, and of his bones.

Eph 5:31 For this cause shall a man leave his father and mother, and shall be joined unto his wife, and they two shall be one flesh.

Eph 5:32 This is a great mystery: but I speak concerning Christ and the church.

AFTER the wedding feast, Jesus Christ will be joined to His Church FOREVER, and we will ALL have "celestial" bodies. Living people cannot interact with dead people because our terrestrial bodies cannot "physically" interact with the spirit world. Once we have celestial bodies, we will be able to interact just as easily with the spirit world as we can interact with the physical world. WE WILL BE JUST LIKE THE RESURRECTED JESUS CHRIST! However, I believe we first must ACCEPT the invitation to the wedding feast AND be prepared for the wedding.

Mat 22:4 Again, he sent forth other servants, saying, Tell them which are bidden, Behold, I have prepared my dinner: my oxen and my fatlings are killed, and all things are ready: come unto the marriage.

Mat 22:5 But they made light of it, and went their ways, one to his farm, another to his merchandise:

Mat 22:6 And the remnant took his servants, and entreated them spitefully, and slew them.

Wow! There will actually be people who are invited to the biggest event in history...and they will be TOO BUSY!!! I am going to say something that you may think is very radical right now, but I believe what I am saying is Biblical...Christians should not be making any long term commitments, especially in these last days. We should not be signing any long-term employment contracts. We should not be purchasing real-estate with a long term mortgages...(***)However, a small get-away property in the wilderness might be a wise investment.***) At least until we receive our invitation to the last SUPPER.)

This world is NOT our home. BELIEVERS should be ready AND able to leave when God tells us to leave, and go where God tells us to go...at the drop of a hat. I believe we should be like our father Abraham. The only real estate Abraham ever bought was a graveyard:

Gen 23:19 And after this, Abraham buried Sarah his wife in the cave of the field of Machpelah before Mamre: the same is Hebron in the land of Canaan.

Gen 23:20 And the field, and the cave that is therein, were made sure unto Abraham

for a possession of a buryingplace by the sons of Heth.

We should not even think about getting married if we are currently single:

1Co 7:29 But this I say, brethren, the time is short: it remaineth, that both they that have wives be as though they had none;

1Co 7:30 And they that weep, as though they wept not; and they that rejoice, as though they rejoiced not; and they that buy, as though they possessed not;

1Co 7:31 And they that use this world, as not abusing it: for the fashion of this world passeth away.

1Co 7:32 But I would have you without carefulness. He that is unmarried careth for the things that belong to the Lord, how he may please the Lord:

According to the Bible, there is a very real danger that people will become TOO attached to their homes here on earth. Listen to what Jesus has to say:

Luk 17:29 But the same day that Lot went out of Sodom it rained fire and brimstone from heaven, and destroyed them all.

Luk 17:30 Even thus shall it be in the day when the Son of man is revealed.

Luk 17:31 In that day, he which shall be upon the housetop, and his stuff in the house, let him not come down to take it away: and he that is in the field, let him likewise not return back.

Luk 17:32 REMEMBER LOT'S WIFE.

This warning from the LORD tells me that people will have a choice...God is not going to rapture every Christian on earth, especially if they are NOT PREPARED AND NOT WILLING TO GO!

I hope and pray that nobody reading this article will get so busy with their own property, or with their own business, or with their own worldly affairs, that they miss the biggest event in history.

Luk 14:18 And they all with one consent began to make excuse. The first said unto him, I have bought a piece of ground, and I must needs go and see it: I pray thee have me excused.

Luk 14:19 And another said, I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to prove them: I pray thee have me excused.

Luk 14:20 And another said, I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come.

Again, most commentators interpret the parable as the King representing God the Father, and the Son representing Jesus...so far so good. However, they interpret the King's servants as being the prophets in the Old Testament or maybe the Apostles in the New Testament. I believe the context of the parable makes it clear that the parable is describing a marriage feast that will take place here on EARTH, and the event will take

place just before the return of Jesus Christ.

I believe the servants, that are treated spitefully are specifically the two witnesses mentioned in Chapter 11 of the Book of Revelation...and probably the servants sent out to invite people to the wedding will also include the 144,000 sealed "servants" mentioned in Chapter 7 of the Book of Revelation.

Rev 7:3 Saying, Hurt not the earth, neither the sea, nor the trees, till we have sealed the servants of our God in their foreheads.

Rev 7:4 And I heard the number of them which were sealed: and there were sealed an hundred and forty and four thousand of all the tribes of the children of Israel.

I believe that God's wedding feast is the "Christian Exodus", and it will occur HERE ON EARTH, in the not too distant future!!!

Mat 22:7 But when the king heard thereof, he was wroth: and he sent forth his armies, and destroyed those murderers, and burned up their city.

Did God send forth His armies and burn the cities of Judah when they killed the prophets, or did He burn the cities of the Roman Empire when they killed His Apostles? I don't think so, Jerusalem is still standing and Rome is still standing. Will God burn the cities of the world after they reject His two witnesses and His 144,000 sealed servants? What did Jesus say?

Mat 13:41 The Son of man shall send forth his angels, and they shall gather out of his kingdom all things that offend, and them which do iniquity;

Mat 13:42 And shall cast them into a furnace of FIRE: there shall be wailing and gnashing of teeth.

What did the Apostle Paul say?

2Th 1:6 Seeing it is a righteous thing with God to recompense tribulation to them that trouble you;

2Th 1:7 And to you who are troubled rest with us, when the Lord Jesus shall be revealed from heaven with his mighty angels,

2Th 1:8 In flaming FIRE taking vengeance on them that know not God, and that obey not the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ:

2Th 1:9 Who shall be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord, and from the glory of his power;

What did the Apostle Peter say?

2Pe 3:7 But the heavens and the earth, which are now, by the same word are kept in store, reserved unto FIRE against the day of judgment and perdition of ungodly men.

God calls the people who refuse His invitation to the wedding feast NOT WORTHY!

Mat 22:8 Then saith he to his servants, The wedding is ready, but they which were bidden were NOT WORTHY.

WORTHY: G514, axios, ax'-ee-os

Probably from G71; deserving, comparable or suitable (as if drawing praise): - due reward, meet, [un-] worthy.

Why were the invited guests not worthy?

Luk 14:24 For I say unto you, That none of those men which were bidden shall taste of my supper.

Obviously, despite all of their expressions of love or friendship for the KING, their relationship to Jesus is actually quite shallow, or even non-existent. Jesus does not simply ask us to make Him our number one priority, Jesus demands it!

Mat 10:37 He that loveth father or mother more than me is NOT WORTHY of me: and he that loveth son or daughter more than me is NOT WORTHY of me.

Mat 10:38 And he that taketh not his cross, and followeth after me, is NOT WORTHY of me.

I believe a lot of wealthy nominal Christians are going to miss out on the greatest event in human history, but many, many less fortunate people are going to experience something that maybe only the Israelites during the Exodus from Egypt have ever experienced.

Mat 22:9 Go ye therefore into the highways, and as many as ye shall find, bid to the marriage.

Mat 22:10 So those servants went out into the highways, and gathered together all as many as they found, both bad and good: and the wedding was furnished with guests.

Now we come to a part in Jesus' story, which makes it obvious that the wedding feast is NOT in heaven!

Mat 22:11 And when the king came in to see the guests, he saw there a man which had not on a wedding garment:

Mat 22:12 And he saith unto him, Friend, how camest thou in hither not having a wedding garment? And he was speechless.

Mat 22:13 Then said the king to the servants, Bind him hand and foot, and take him away, and cast him into outer darkness; there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

Mat 22:14 For many are called, but few are chosen.

Will there be unsaved people in heaven? I don't think so! Will there be unsaved people at the wedding feast? Apparently there will be unsaved wedding crashers!

What is the wedding garment that the guest is not wearing? The wedding garment is clothing that God gives us when we are SAVED.

Isa 61:10 I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, my soul shall be joyful in my God; for he hath clothed me with the garments of SALVATION, he hath covered me with the robe of RIGHTEOUSNESS, as a bridegroom decketh himself with ornaments, and as a bride adorneth herself with her jewels.

When we are saved, we are given a robe of RIGHTEOUSNESS to clothe us for the wedding feast! How do we know whether we are clothed in righteousness?

Rom 1:17 For therein is the righteousness of God revealed from faith to faith: as it is written, The just shall live by FAITH.

FAITH: G4102, pistis, pis'-tis

From G3982; persuasion, that is, credence; moral conviction (of religious truth, or the truthfulness of God or a religious teacher), especially reliance upon Christ for salvation; abstractly constancy in such profession; by extension the system of religious (Gospel) truth itself: - assurance, belief, believe, faith, fidelity.

Here are the questions that we all should be asking ourselves..."Do we really BELIEVE that Jesus is LORD? Do we really BELIEVE that Jesus is coming back?"

Now for the really good news, faith is a FRUIT of the SPIRIT!

Gal 5:22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, FAITH,

Gal 5:23 Meekness, temperance: against such there is no law.

The FRUIT of the Spirit is always compared to the OLIVE, and more specifically to OLIVE OIL!

Psa 45:6 Thy throne, O God, is for ever and ever: the sceptre of thy kingdom is a right sceptre.

Psa 45:7 Thou lovest righteousness, and hatest wickedness: therefore God, thy God, hath anointed thee with the OIL of gladness above thy fellows.

Psa 45:8 All thy garments smell of myrrh, and aloes, and cassia, out of the ivory palaces, whereby they have made thee glad.

TIME is the coin of God's spiritual realm.

Psa 55:16 As for me, I will call upon God; and the LORD shall save me.

Psa 55:17 Evening, and morning, and at noon, will I pray, and cry aloud: and he shall hear my voice.

Here are more questions we should be asking ourselves, “Am I spending enough TIME with the LORD?” “Am I spending enough TIME praying?” Am I spending enough TIME reading and meditating on the WORD of God? Am I spending enough time LISTENING?

Rom 10:17 So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the WORD of God.

One of these days...TIME is going to run out!

Mat 25:6 And at midnight there was a cry made, Behold, the bridegroom cometh; go ye out to meet him.

Mat 25:7 Then all those virgins arose, and trimmed their lamps.

Mat 25:8 And the foolish said unto the wise, Give us of your OIL; for our lamps are gone out.

Mat 25:9 But the wise answered, saying, Not so; lest there be not enough for us and you: but go ye rather to them that sell, and buy for yourselves.

I believe that Jesus makes it pretty clear that some “Christians” (virgins) are going to MISS the wedding feast. Christians must “GO OUT TO MEET HIM”! This parable of the ten virgins IS OBVIOUSLY NOT TALKING ABOUT THE RAPTURE OR THE RESURRECTION!

However, for those who are READY and WILLING, this will be the greatest time to be alive in history.

Rev 12:6 And the woman fled into the wilderness, where she hath a place prepared of God, that they should feed her there a thousand two hundred and threescore days.

I believe that the BELIEVING Church is the woman that flees into the wilderness, and like the nation of Israel during the Exodus, God will feed us MANNA from heaven.

2 Baruk 29:8 And it shall come to pass at that self-same time that the treasury of MANNA shall again descend from on high, and they will eat of it in those years, because these are they who have come to the consummation of time. Eth CEPHER Bible. : <http://www.cepher.net/>

Have you ever wondered what MANNA taste like? If you attend God’s last days wedding feast, you will find out.

2 Baruk 30:1 And it shall come to pass after these things, when the time of the advent of HAMASHIACH (the Messiah) is fulfilled, that he shall return in glory. 2 Then all who have fallen asleep in hope of him shall rise again. Eth CEPHER Bible.

The wedding feast is not only a time of SAFETY, but it is a time of PREPARATION. We see in the Book of Esther that there was a long time of preparation before the bride was ready to meet and marry the King. SEE <http://www.motsog.com/fundamentals/god-knows-the-end-from-the-beginning>

Est 2:12 Now this was the time for a virgin to go into the king, when she should have fulfilled twelve months; for so are the days of PURIFICATION fulfilled, six months while they are anointing themselves with OIL of myrrh, and six months with spices and women's purifications.

Est 2:13 And then the lady goes in to the king. The officer that he commands to do so will bring her to come in with him from the women's apartment to the king's chamber.

PURIFICATION: H4795, mâruq, maw-rook'

From H4838; properly rubbed; but used abstractly, a rubbing (with perfumery): - purification.

Notice the similarities of the description of Esther's "purification" and the description of the LORD in Psalm, Chapter 45.

Psa 45:8 All thy garments smell of myrrh, and aloes, and cassia, out of the ivory palaces, whereby they have made thee glad.

The bride is being transformed into the image of the bridegroom in preparation for the consummation of the marriage, AFTER the wedding feast.

Eph 5:25 Husbands, love your wives, even as Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it;

Eph 5:26 That he might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the word,

Eph 5:27 That he might present it to himself a glorious church, not having spot, or wrinkle, or any such thing; but that it should be holy and without blemish.

I believe the Church MUST experience a time of preparation BEFORE we are ready to meet Jesus.

Now, I want to address all the Christians who claim they want to be martyrs for Jesus. First, if you are not obedient to the call of God, you will definitely have your chance to be

a martyr. Second, if you miss the wedding feast, I believe you will be bitterly disappointed.

Mat 22:13 Then said the king to the servants, Bind him hand and foot, and take him away, and cast him into outer darkness; there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

We do not want to be a PROFANE person like Esau!

Heb 12:15 Looking diligently lest any man fail of the grace of God; lest any root of bitterness springing up trouble you, and thereby many be defiled;

Heb 12:16 Lest there be any fornicator, or PROFANE person, as Esau, who for one morsel of meat sold his birthright.

Heb 12:17 For ye know how that afterward, when he would have inherited the blessing, he was rejected: for he found no place of repentance, though he sought it carefully with tears.

PROFANE: G952

βέβηλος

bebelos

Thayer Definition:

1) accessible, lawful to be trodden

1a) of places

2) profane

2a) unhallowed, common, public place

2b) of men, ungodly

Christians are not common folk, we are not ungodly, we are not unholy, we have a higher vision, we have set our sights on eternity...our hopes and dreams are NOT OF THIS WORLD! Our lives are wrapped up in the supernatural. We believe in miracles. When we read the great mighty promises of God for His people, we KNOW they will surely come to pass!

Isa 35:1 The wilderness and the solitary place shall be glad for them; and the desert shall rejoice, and blossom as the rose.

Isa 35:2 It shall blossom abundantly, and rejoice even with joy and singing: the glory of Lebanon shall be given unto it, the excellency of Carmel and Sharon, they shall see the glory of the LORD, and the excellency of our God.

Isa 35:3 Strengthen ye the weak hands, and confirm the feeble knees.

Isa 35:4 Say to them that are of a fearful heart, Be strong, fear not: behold, your God will come with vengeance, even God with a recompence; he will come and save you.

Isa 35:5 Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf shall be unstopped.

Isa 35:6 Then shall the lame man leap as an hart, and the tongue of the dumb sing: for

in the wilderness shall waters break out, and streams in the desert.

Isa 35:7 And the parched ground shall become a pool, and the thirsty land springs of water: in the habitation of dragons, where each lay, shall be grass with reeds and rushes.

Isa 35:8 And an highway shall be there, and a way, and it shall be called The way of holiness; the unclean shall not pass over it; but it shall be for those: the wayfaring men, though fools, shall not err therein.

Isa 35:9 No lion shall be there, nor any ravenous beast shall go up thereon, it shall not be found there; but the redeemed shall walk there:

Isa 35:10 And the ransomed of the LORD shall return, and come to Zion with songs and everlasting joy upon their heads: they shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.

CONCLUSION

CHAPTER 25

ADAM AND EVE

Some people claim that the seven-thousand (7000) year Bible timeframe has already been proven wrong because the world is already over 6,000 years old. However, I believe the clock did not start ticking until right after the “fall” of Adam and Eve, NOT at the beginning of the creation. I believe that Adam and Eve probably ate from the tree of the knowledge of good and evil about thirty (30) years after the creation. Thirty years of age is considered to be the age of responsibility in the Bible.

Num 4:3 From thirty years old and upward even until fifty years old, all that enter into the host, to do the work in the tabernacle of the congregation.

Joseph was thirty years old when he began to reign in Egypt.

Gen 41:46 And Joseph was thirty years old when he stood before Pharaoh king of Egypt. And Joseph went out from the presence of Pharaoh, and went throughout all the land of Egypt.

King David was thirty years old when he began to reign in Judah.

2Sa 5:4 David was thirty years old when he began to reign, and he reigned forty years.

Jesus was thirty years old when he began his three and half year ministry.

Luk 3:23 And Jesus himself began to be about thirty years of age, being (as was supposed) the son of Joseph, which was the son of Heli,

There must have been some period of time between when Adam and Eve were created on the sixth day, and the time that they were allowed to be tempted by Satan in the Garden of Eden. We see a warning to Adam in the Book of Genesis that appears to be wrong.

Gen 2:16 And the LORD God commanded the man, saying, Of every tree of the garden thou mayest freely eat:

Gen 2:17 But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for IN THE DAY that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die.

Adam lived to be nine-hundred and thirty (930) years old.

Gen 5:5 And all the days that Adam lived were nine hundred and thirty years: and he died.

Adam did not die on the day that he ate of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil...or did he? If we use God's frame of reference from 2 Peter 3:8 (a thousand years is as a day), then Adam did indeed die on the first day after he ate of the forbidden fruit because he did not live to be a thousand years old.

The following is a timeline of the tribulation period:

Fall of 2017 – Fall of 2018	→	<i>2 Baruk 27:3 ...beginning of commotions.</i>
Fall of 2018 – Fall of 2019	→	<i>2 Baruk 27:4 ...slayings of the great ones.</i>
Fall of 2019 – Fall of 2020	→	<i>2 Baruk 27:5 ...fall of many by death.</i>
Fall of 2020 – Fall of 2021	→	<i>2 Baruk 27:6 ...sending of the sword.</i>
Fall of 2021 – Fall of 2022	→	<i>2 Baruk 27:7 ...the withholding of rain</i>
Fall of 2022 – Fall of 2023	→	<i>2 Baruk 27:8 ...earthquakes and terrors.</i>
Fall of 2023 – Fall of 2024	→	<i>2 Baruk skips the seventh part...</i>
Fall of 2024 – Fall of 2025	→	<i>2 Baruk 27:9 ...spectres (ghosts/portents) and attacks of the Shediym (Devils/Demons).</i>

START OF THE GREAT TRIBULATION

Fall of 2025 – Fall of 2026	→	<i>2 Baruk 27:9 ...the fall of fire.</i>
Fall of 2026 – Fall of 2027	→	<i>2 Baruk 27:11 ...rapine and much oppression.</i>
Fall of 2027 – Fall of 2028	→	<i>2 Baruk 27:12 And in the eleventh part wickedness (injustice) and unchastity.</i>
Fall of 2028 – Fall of 2029	→	<i>2 Baruk 27:13 And in the twelfth part confusion from the MINGLING together of all those things aforesaid.</i>

All the signs seem to indicate that Jesus Christ is at the door, and if we are paying close attention to world events and studying our Bibles it is becoming more and more obvious that the day of the LORD is at hand. Our Lord specifically told us to WATCH!

Mar 13:32 But of that day and that hour knoweth no man, no, not the angels which are in heaven, neither the Son, but the Father.

Mar 13:33 Take ye heed, watch and pray: for ye know not when the time is.

Mar 13:34 For the Son of man is as a man taking a far journey, who left his house, and gave authority to his servants, and to every man his work, and commanded the porter to watch.

Mar 13:35 Watch ye therefore: for ye know not when the master of the house cometh, at even, or at midnight, or at the cockcrowing, or in the morning:

Mar 13:36 Lest coming suddenly he find you sleeping.

Mar 13:37 And what I say unto you I say unto all, Watch.

The Apostle Paul promised us that the children of the light would NOT be caught unprepared for the day of the LORD. Let us all pray that we are also counted among the children of light!

1Th 5:1 But of the times and the seasons, brethren, ye have no need that I write unto you.

1Th 5:2 For yourselves know perfectly that the day of the Lord so cometh as a thief in the night.

1Th 5:3 For when they shall say, Peace and safety; then sudden destruction cometh upon them, as travail upon a woman with child; and they shall not escape.

1Th 5:4 But ye, brethren, are not in darkness, that that day should overtake you as a thief.

1Th 5:5 Ye are all the children of light, and the children of the day: we are not of the night, nor of darkness.

1Th 5:6 Therefore let us not sleep, as do others; but let us watch and be sober.

1Th 5:7 For they that sleep sleep in the night; and they that be drunken are drunken in the night.

1Th 5:8 But let us, who are of the day, be sober, putting on the breastplate of faith and love; and for an helmet, the hope of salvation.

Let me say again that this book is merely speculation and conjecture. I have reached my own conclusion that the end of this age is rapidly approaching, and I believe that the year 2030 is significant because it will be the two-thousand year anniversary of the most monumental event in the Bible...and in world history. **THE DEATH AND RESURRECTION OF JESUS CHRIST!**

According to the Apostle Peter, *one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.* SEE 2 Peter 3:8. Therefore, we are fast approaching THE THIRD DAY!

In both the Old and New Testament the third day represents RESTORATION AND RESURRECTION!

Gen 40:13 Yet within THREE DAYS shall Pharaoh lift up thine head, and restore thee unto thy place: and thou shalt deliver Pharaoh's cup into his hand, after the former manner when thou wast his butler.

Exo 19:11 And be ready against the THIRD DAY: for the THIRD DAY the LORD will come down in the sight of all the people upon mount Sinai.

Jos 1:11 Pass through the host, and command the people, saying, Prepare you victuals; for within THREE DAYS ye shall pass over this Jordan, to go in to possess the land, which the LORD your God giveth you to possess it.

Hos 6:2 After two days will he revive us: in the THIRD DAY he will raise us up, and we shall live in his sight.

Mar 14:58 We heard him say, I will destroy this temple that is made with hands, and within THREE DAYS I will build another made without hands.

Joh 2:19 Jesus answered and said unto them, Destroy this temple, and in THREE DAYS I will raise it up.

Mar 9:31 For he taught his disciples, and said unto them, The Son of man is delivered into the hands of men, and they shall kill him; and after that he is killed, he shall rise the THIRD DAY.

Therefore, according to the Apostle Peter, one thousand year equals one of God's days calculation, the year 2030 should mark the beginning of God's THIRD DAY if we count from the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. Also, according to the Apostle Peter's, a thousand years equals one of God's days calculation, the year 2030 should mark the beginning of God's SEVENTH DAY if we count from the fall of Adam and Eve in the garden of Eden, and 2030 will be the beginning of Christ's Millennial reign!

I hope and pray that this book has convinced you that Jesus Christ is going to return very, very soon. I believe Jesus is even now at the door:

Rev 3:20 Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me.

If you have not done it already, REPENT AND BE SAVED! There is absolutely nothing in this world (wealth, fame, or power) compared to an eternal relationship with Jesus Christ!

Mar 8:35 For whosoever will save his life shall lose it; but whosoever shall lose his life for my sake and the gospel's, the same shall save it.

Mar 8:36 For what shall it profit a man, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul?

Salvation is simple and it is FREE!

Rom 10:9 That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved.

Rom 10:10 For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation.

Second, set your sights on heavenly things and forget about chasing all the false promises, fables, and fantasies so often promoted by the world.

1Jn 2:15 Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

1Jn 2:16 For all that is in the world, the lust of the flesh, and the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life, is not of the Father, but is of the world.

1Jn 2:17 And the world passeth away, and the lust thereof: but he that doeth the will of God abideth for ever.

Third, separate yourself from the world and try to be as self-sufficient as possible.

Isa 26:20 Come, my people, enter thou into thy chambers, and shut thy doors about thee: hide thyself as it were for a little moment, until the indignation be overpast.

Isa 26:21 For, behold, the LORD cometh out of his place to punish the inhabitants of the earth for their iniquity: the earth also shall disclose her blood, and shall no more cover her slain.

Finally, study God's inspired scriptures and be ready to lead the lost to salvation when they begin to understand that science and human wisdom do not provide the answers to mankind's most pressing and eternal questions.

2Ti 2:24 And the servant of the Lord must not strive; but be gentle unto all men, apt to teach, patient,

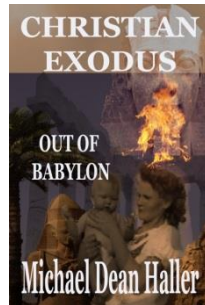
2Ti 2:25 In meekness instructing those that oppose themselves; if God peradventure will give them repentance to the acknowledging of the truth;

Dan 12:2 And many of them that sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt.

Dan 12:3 And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars for ever and ever.

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