

Bible Prophecies about the End Times

Written thousands of years ago, are they coming true now and only now?

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General Biblical Prophecies:

1. Deception in the world concerning the rise of false Christs.

Christ means Messiah, the promised One from the Old Testament. It wasn't the last name of Jesus. It was the title for Jesus. (i.e.- the Passion of THE Christ)

Matt 24:4-5

4 Jesus answered: "Watch out that no one deceives you. 5 For many will come in my name, claiming, 'I am the Christ,' and will deceive many.

In recent years, there have been many men from various religions claiming to be the Savior, or God in the flesh.

2. Wars and rumors of wars.

Regarding His return to earth, Jesus Christ said
"And you will be hearing of wars and rumors of wars; see that you are not frightened, for those things must take place, but that is not yet the end. "For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom,

Matt 24:6-7

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Violence is epidemic, and a study of wars since 500 BC shows a recent, dramatic increase of 82 world conflicts since just 1990.

And there have been more wars in the last 100 years than there were in the first 1900 years since the times of Christ.

3. Famines & Earthquakes increase

Christ warned that there would be famines that would be widespread and devastating, leading up to the final conflict of Armageddon. (Mat 24:7)

"For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom, and in various places there will be famines and earthquakes. "But all these things are merely the beginning of birth pangs.

One of six people on earth today suffer from hunger.

A recent study shows a dramatic increase in worldwide earthquakes, just since the decade of Israel's rebirth as a nation.

Like increasing birth pangs, in the 1940's there were 51 earthquakes above 6.0 on the Richter scale; the 1950's, 475; the 1980's, 1,085; and in the 1990's there were about 1,540 (Matthew 24:7).

4. Pestilences (Disease and Plagues)

Rev 6:8

And I looked, and behold, an ashen horse; and he who sat on it had the name Death; and Hades was following with him. And

authority was given to them over a fourth of the earth, to kill with sword and with famine and with pestilence and by the wild beasts of the earth.

This is a reference to the many strands of bacterias and viruses that have caused horrible diseases on the earth, such as the HIV virus.

5. The Gospel of the Kingdom preached in all the world.

Jesus predicted in Matt 24:14

"And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in the whole world for a witness to all the nations, and then the end shall come.

The sharing of the Gospel in the whole world has been made much more encompassing and rapid by the increase in travel and technology.

Despite decades of dedicated missionary efforts, largely by England and the United States, by 1900 only 3 percent of Africans had become followers of Jesus Christ. However by 2000, over 45% of the five hundred million people living in Africa have accepted Christ.

Mat 24:9-14

9 "Then they will deliver you to tribulation, and will kill you, and you will be hated by all nations on account of My name. 10 "And at that time many will fall away and will deliver up one another and hate one another. 11 "And many false prophets will arise, and will mislead many. 12 "And because lawlessness is increased, most people's love will grow cold. 13 "But the one who endures to the end, he shall be saved. 14 "And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in the whole world for a witness to all the nations, and then the end shall come.

Now as this is a description of the Tribulation period, which Church age believers will not be on earth for, we can still discern the signs of the times. Mat 16.

Matt 16:1-3

16:1 And the Pharisees and Sadducees came up, and testing Him asked Him to show them a sign from heaven. 2 But He answered and said to them, "When it is evening, you say, 'It will be fair weather, for the sky is red.' 3 "And in the morning, 'There will be a storm today, for the sky is red and threatening.' Do you know how to discern the appearance of the sky, but cannot discern the signs of the times?

Luke 12:54-56

54 And He was also saying to the multitudes, "When you see a cloud rising in the west, immediately you say, 'A shower is coming,' and so it turns out. 55 "And when you see a south wind blowing, you say, 'It will be a hot day,' and it turns out that way. 56 "You hypocrites! You know how to analyze the appearance of the earth and the sky, but why do you not analyze this present time?

6. The Apostle Paul's warning signs of the last days.

2 Tim 3:1-5

3:1 But realize this, that in the last days difficult times will come. 2 For men will be lovers of self, lovers of money, boastful, arrogant, revilers, disobedient to parents, ungrateful, unholy, 3 unloving, irreconcilable, malicious gossips, without self-control, brutal, haters of good, 4 treacherous, reckless, conceited, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God; 5 holding to a form of godliness, although they have denied its power; and avoid such men as these.

Specific Biblical Prophecies:

History reveals that none of the following predictions were ever fulfilled in any previous generation of the last 2000 years.

The unusual nature of these prophecies also suggests that it is almost impossible that they could be fulfilled again in a following generation.

Jesus encouraged His believers with these words:

Luke 21:28

28 "But when these things begin to take place, straighten up and lift up your heads, because your redemption is drawing near."

1. The rebirth of the nation Israel in 1948.

Throughout the entire Old Testament, the Jewish Bible, God repeatedly prophesied that the land of Israel, the ancient land of Canaan, was the Promised Land that the Jews would be able to enjoy forever.

It seemed like this prophecy in Eze 37:11-14 was no longer possible, because in 70 AD Jerusalem was destroyed and the Jews were all scattered to other nations. There was no more nation of Israel.

But then in the year 1948, after 1900 years of having no nation, over 600,000 Jews returned to the new Jewish state.

2. The revived Roman empire.

Dan 7:3-7, Rev 17:12-18 - the Roman empire will form again in the last days.

It is interesting today that there is the European Union that has become quite powerful.

The Euro dollar has great value compared to other currencies, and they also have their own military and own legislature.

The same nations and geographic areas of the Roman Empire are now being brought together again in the European Union.

A different name, but the same unification of lands and peoples.

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Today the EU has 27 countries that are members. The European Parliament has 785 members from all those countries.

The *Tower Building* (named after the *Tower of Babel*) houses the Fifth Parliament of Europe. It is certainly a building of the Space Age. Seat 663 is assigned to Rep Souchet, 664 to Thomas-Mauro, 665 to Zizzner and 667 to Rep Cappato.

As you can see they have purposely left seat 666 open. The Bible predicted the number of the beast in Rev 13:18 to be 666.

Revelation 13:18 states: "*Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number of the beast: for it is the number of a man; and his number is Six hundred threescore and six.*"

It appears the EU is purposely flying in the face of Bible prophecy.

Another strange fact about the EP in Brussels is they have a statue outside the Tower Building with a woman riding on a beast!

"...and I saw a woman sit upon a scarlet coloured beast, full of names of blasphemy, having seven heads and ten horns." –Revelation 17:3

The depiction of the same symbol was reproduced on the postage stamp of the E.U. and in a huge painting in the Parliament's *Tower Building* in Brussels.

And some of the Euro dollar coins depict a picture of a woman riding a beast as well.

They also have a poster of a modern day tower of Babel being built, rep. The unity of the European languages, and on the poster it says "Europe: many tongues, one voice".

3. Preparations for the Battle of Armageddon predicted.

a. 200 million man army from the King of the East.

The apostle John foretold the final Battle of Armageddon in Rev 9:16, written almost 2000 years ago.

How could he write down such a crazy prediction? Impossible!

Today China, considered by most the king of the east, almost has an army of 200 million soldiers!

This was impossible when this was written 2000 years ago.

b. A Highway for the Kings of the East.

The apostle John, who was also a prophet in the book of Revelation, and he wrote about the preparation of a “way” for this huge military force to march across the vast expanse of Asia towards this final battle of Armageddon in northern Israel.

Rev 16:12

12 And the sixth angel poured out his bowl upon the great river, the Euphrates; and its water was dried up, that the way might be prepared for the kings from the east.

The Chinese government has already started building a super highway, spending millions of dollars and expending hundreds of thousands of construction workers lives.

This super highway is extending from China through the mountains of Asia and towards the nation of Israel.

c. The Drying up of the Euphrates River.

In the same passage in Rev 16:12, we read that the great river Euphrates, of which we are now quite familiar with from the war in Iraq, will at one point dry up, allowing this massive army to cross it.

Throughout history the Euphrates has stopped armies from progressing.

But guess what happened in the war in Iraq?

Only with today's military technology, allied forces were able to use a mechanical bridge attached to a military vehicle. This bridge unfolded and crossed the width of the Euphrates river, allowing US troops to cross the river without much problem.

Never before in human history was this so simple.

Also not until recently did the Euphrates river have an intricate series of 22 dams, which were built in the 1980's and 1990's.

The Euphrates can become bone dry by the closing of these dams, and armies could march across on dry ground.

4. Babylon rises again.

Babylon is in the country of Iraq and was being rebuilt by Saddam Hussein since 1978.

The destruction of Babylon is mentioned in the end times, at the Great Day of the Lord, is also predicted in Rev 18:21-23, but for this to happen the city must first be rebuilt.

Saddam Hussein has spent over \$1.5 billion rebuilding Babylon since 1978.

5. Plans for Global Government

The prophets Daniel and John predicted thousands of years ago that in the end times, a global government would exist, allowing one man, the AntiChrist, to rule the whole world.

Dan 7:14, Rev 13:7-8

Rev 13:7-8

7 He was given power to make war against the saints and to conquer them. And he was given authority over every tribe, people, language and nation. 8 All inhabitants of the earth will worship the beast-all whose names have not been written in the book of life belonging to the Lamb that was slain from the creation of the world.

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Never before has this been more possible with organizations like the United Nations, that are taking away nationalism and freedom.

The United Nations has been around since WWII to try to bring peace to the world. And despite its good intentions, it is fulfilling Bible prophecy of a one-world gov. for the Antichrist to rule the earth from.

Some quotes about the one world gov....

"We are not going to achieve a new world order without paying for it in blood as well as in words and money."

Arthur Schlesinger, Jr., in Foreign Affairs (July/August 1995)

"The world can therefore seize the opportunity [Persian Gulf crisis] to fulfill the **long-held promise of a New World Order** where diverse nations are drawn together in common cause to achieve the universal aspirations of mankind."



*George Herbert Walker Bush, **September 11, 1990 and September 11, 1991***

"In the next century, nations as we know it will be obsolete; all states will recognize a **single, global authority**. National sovereignty wasn't such a great idea after all."

Strobe Talbot, President Clinton's Deputy Secretary of State, as quoted in Time, July 20th, 1992.

"The drive of the Rockefellers and their allies is to create a one-world government combining supercapitalism and Communism under the same tent, all under their control.... Do I mean conspiracy? Yes I do. I am convinced there is such a plot, international in scope, generations old in planning, and incredibly evil in intent."

Congressman Larry P. McDonald, 1976, killed in the Korean Airlines 747 that was shot down by the Soviets

"The UN is but a long-range, international banking apparatus clearly set up for financial and economic profit by a small group of powerful One-World revolutionaries, hungry for profit and power.

"The depression was the calculated 'shearing' of the public by the World Money powers, triggered by the planned sudden shortage of supply of call money in the New York money market....The One World Government leaders and their ever close bankers have now acquired full control of the money and credit machinery of the U.S. via the creation of the privately owned Federal Reserve Bank."

Curtis Dall, FDR's son-in-law as quoted in his book, My Exploited Father-in-Law

"The real truth of the matter is, as you and I know, that a financial element in the larger centers has owned the Government ever since the days of Andrew Jackson."

A letter written by FDR to Colonel House, November 21st, 1933

"How I Learned to Love the New World Order"

Article by current V.P. Joseph R. Biden, Jr. in The Wall Street Journal (April 1992)

*Satan is a specialist at wearing people down, and he has worn America down over the years, to accept Socialism and even one-world government.

Listen to this quote from David Rockefeller of the world-famous Rockefeller family...

"We are grateful to The Washington Post, The New York Times, Time Magazine and other great publications whose directors have attended our meetings and respected their promises of discretion for almost forty years. **It would have been impossible for us to develop our plan for the world if we had been subject to the bright lights of publicity during those years. But, the work is now much more sophisticated and prepared to march towards a world government.** The supranational sovereignty of an intellectual elite and world bankers is surely preferable to the national autodetermination practiced in past centuries."

David Rockefeller, founder of the Trilateral Commission,

in an address to a meeting of The Trilateral Commission, in June, 1991.

The Rockefellers are also a part of an organization of world leaders and financiers called the Bilderberg group, who are focused on using the United Nations to control the world.

According to the newspaper “American Free Press”, in its June 1st 2009 issue....

the Bilderberg group met again in May of 2009, from the 14th-17th, in Vouliagmeni, Greece.

Their mission is to usurp sovereignty from nations, especially the United States, so it can control the world financially and otherwise for their own benefit.

Major goals remain exploiting the global recession and an imaginary swine flu pandemic to establish **global departments** of treasury and health under the United Nations.

In the recent Greece meetings, the Bilderberg group took a keen interest in persuading the USA to surrender sovereignty to the International Criminal Court, the ICC.

This would place the international courts higher than US courts.

A big step to have a one world gov. with a one world leader at some point, as predicted 2000 years ago in the book of Revelation.

Carl Bildt, Sweden's minister for foreign affairs, made a pitch for two other major Bilderberg goals: creating a global Dept. of Treasury and a Department of Health, with all nations surrendering sovereignty over these issues to the UN.

The International Monetary Fund (IMF) is to become the Treasury Dept. of the world, and the World Health Organization is to become the World Health Department.

The International Monetary Fund prints its own currency called Special Drawing Rights (SDRs), and if the value of the US dollar falls worldwide, it may take over as a world currency.

The IMF sent a report to Bilderberg advocating its rise to the role of World Treasury Dept.

“Further actions by policymakers, particularly in the financial sector, are needed to restore market trust and confidence”, said Marek Belka, director of the IMF's European dept. and former prime minister of Poland.

US Treasury Secretary Timothy Geithener enthusiastically endorsed the plan for a World Treasury Dept.

All these “global” problems may be a conspiracy by world leaders and financiers to have a need for a global solution, therefore allowing them to control the world.

For example, the global swine flu pandemic is being used to promote a worldwide solution. And yet on average, 300,000 Americans develop the typical flu each year, and 30,000 Americans per year die from the flu. And there have been comparatively a few that have died from the swine flu.

And then theres 'global warming'. Needing a global organization to solve it right?

Here's a quote from the American Free Press.....

“Well reports from the International Geology Conference and other such groups show that a majority of experts reject 'global warming' claims. More than 31,000 scientists have signed a Global Warming Petition expressing doubts. John Coleman, founder of the Weather Channel, says warming is 'the greatest scam in history'. Earth temperatures actually have dropped since 1998. The National Snow and Ice Data Center in April showed more Arctic sea ice than in any April since 2003.”

That was before the discovery of the lying emails from scientists in what is now being called “Climate-gate”.

Satan uses these lies to get us upset, worried about the future.

And he is also allowing the human race to take the steps necessary to fulfill the prophecies written 2000 years ago in the Bible, without even knowing it.

We can relax, because the God of the universe predicted this would happen in His Word. He has everything under control, and as believers in His Son Jesus Christ we have NOTHING to fear.

We will be rescued from the wrath to come.

Another part of the plans for Global Government is the attempt to create a one world currency.

And just this year at the G20 meetings, where 20 of the world's most powerful countries meet to discuss world finance, they were planning on narrowing down world currencies to 3; to include the Euro dollar, a possible new Amero dollar for the Americas,

and an Asian dollar for all Asia.

6. Technology and the Mark of the Beast

John prophesied through God the Holy Spirit that there would be a cashless society during the last 3 ½ years of the 7 year rule of the Anti-Christ.

This was written 2000 years ago in the book of Revelation.

Now what are the chances of that? A cashless society?

How can you get rid of cash? Well just look at credit and debit cards being used so much today.

Over 90% of purchases in the USA are done without cash.

And here is what is coming soon on this earth....

Rev 13:16-18

16 He also forced everyone, small and great, rich and poor, free and slave, to receive a mark on his right hand or on his forehead, 17 so that no one could buy or sell unless he had the mark, which is the name of the beast or the number of his name.

18 This calls for wisdom. If anyone has insight, let him calculate the number of the beast, for it is man's number. His number is 666.

Rev 14:9-10

9 Then another angel, a third one, followed them, saying with a loud voice, "If anyone worships the beast and his image, and receives a mark on his forehead or on his hand, 10 he also will drink of the wine of the wrath of God, which is mixed in full

strength in the cup of His anger; and he will be tormented with fire and brimstone in the presence of the holy angels and in the presence of the Lamb.

If you are a believer in the Lord Jesus Christ, you won't be here to experience this. But if you are left behind at the Rapture because you were not a believer, whatever you do, do NOT take this mark!

Become a believer in Jesus Christ then, and do not take the mark.

What could this mark be? How can everyone buy and sell with this mark??

- Credit cards
- Fingerprint scanners
- Eye scans
- Verichip – computer chips under the skin!

(Read Verichip RFID description, from Verichipcorp.com)

This radio-frequency device, called Verichip, emits a radio signal when scanned, providing the person's ID number, financial information, and biometric and medical info.

This has been FDA approved, used so far in human beings who have volunteered, and has been inserted in over 1 million pets in the US.

And an article in USA Today from May 12th, 2004 entitled "**Get chipped, then charge without plastic — you are the card**" allows patrons of Baja Beach Club in Barcelona to get electronic credit cards implanted under their skin.

The mark of the beast is ready to go, we are truly in the last days before the return of the Lord Jesus Christ.

In a book called *Assessment of the New World*, Dr. Kurk E. Koch says...

"The New World Order under the UN will reduce everything to one common denominator. The system will be made up of a single currency, single centrally financed government, single tax system, single language, single political system, single world court of justice, single state religion... **Each person will have a registered number, without which he will not be allowed to buy or sell**; and there will be one universal world church. Anyone who refuses to take part in the universal system will have no right to exist."

7. Instantaneous Global Viewing. Rev 11:9

Rev 11:9

9 Those from the peoples and tribes and tongues and nations will look at their dead bodies for three and a half days, and will not permit their dead bodies to be laid in a tomb.

Only possible with today's technology. And forget TV, everyone will probably view this live through a computer on their cell phones! And everyone will have cell phones!!! (third world countries do)

8. Travel and Knowledge shall be increased.

Twenty five centuries ago, Daniel predicted that there would be an explosion of knowledge in the last days before the return of Christ, along with a huge increase in travel.

Dan 12:4

4 "But as for you, Daniel, conceal these words and seal up the book until the end of time; many will go back and forth, and knowledge will increase."

Two key conditions described about 2,500 years ago for the Second Coming of Christ are that "travel and education shall be vastly increased."

In all of history, the vast increase in travel has come just since mid-century with the explosion of both ground and air transportation; in education, with the advance of science and computers.

9. An earthquake shall pass directly through the Mount of Olives. Zec 14:4-5

Professor Bailey Willis of Leland Stanford University was an expert on earthquake activity. During a speech to the British Assoc. of Science for the Advancement of Science, Dr. Willis discussed the recent geological research that revealed a significant earthquake fault line passed directly through the Holy City of Jerusalem and the Mount of Olives.

Just coincidence? Or is everything lining up with the Bible as part of God's Plan?

10. The Generation that sees these things will see the Lord's return. Mat 24:34

It is this same God that helped all these prophets write all these predictions that also tells us He loves us so much that He sent His only Son to die in our place.

By the way, if you've never believed in Jesus Christ, ask yourself a question:

What is your Truth? What proof do you have? What specific predictions do you have that prove a supernatural Author?

It is this same supernatural book, the Bible, that predicted all these events that are happening now, that also records the facts that Jesus Christ was God in heaven and voluntarily came down to earth to be a sacrifice for our sins, as a member of the human race.

It's the same book that predicted 1000 years before Jesus was even born that the Messiah would have His hands and feet pierced. Psa 22:16

What greater love is there than when someone is willing to suffer and die in your place?

This is the God of the universe, and the same Bible that predicts all these events we listed is the same Bible that says in Acts 16:31 *"Believe in the Lord Jesus and you shall be saved."*

John 3:16-18

16 "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish, but have eternal life. 17 "For God did not send the Son into the world to

*judge the world, but that the world should be saved through Him.
18 "He who believes in Him is not judged; he who does not
believe has been judged already, because he has not believed in
the name of the only begotten Son of God.*

Accept Him now for eternal salvation.