

Introduction To the Prophecy Section

“And without faith it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is (exists), and that He is the rewarder of those who seek Him.”

Hebrews 11:6

This book is a set of spiritual survival instructions for the coming seven year period of chaos; which involves the whole world. It may have already started.

If you have seen thousands of people disappear, seen Russia and the Arabs attack Israel, and a seven year peace treaty signed, then you are in it. The question is: what to do now. The purpose of this book is to help you to know what to do now.

No matter who you are, no matter what you are experiencing, no matter what conditions you face, God still controls this world. That means hope for you. However, that's probably not what you see.

Is your world falling apart? Maybe you have seen a loved one disappear along with thousands of others. This is God taking away His people to Heaven. He retains control of this and many other aspects of life. Do you see men trying to control their own destiny? God surely has given man some authority. Or, maybe you have seen the rise of a world leader from a united Europe who some call Antichrist but many call "messiah".

How much crime, lawlessness, “crazy” and “demonic” activity do you see --- alot, I bet. God has given Satan, the great destroyer, vast influence over the Earth for a short time. God allows these events, which appear out of His control and in Satan’s control, for reasons I will explain later.

I want everyone to see that God is not some faraway entity that no one can connect with everyday life. Instead, knowing His overall plan provides a picture frame, through which, we can interpret what we see happening everyday. God is working in our lives daily. Do you see His hand in your life? Or, do you just see lucky and unlucky circumstances? God's hand appears the same as coincidence. Consider this situation.

You are careful to cross at the crosswalk. In the middle of the lane, you see the driver of a fast car looking to the side. You are stunned. He looks toward you just in time to swerve. Your heart races, and you sit down before you fall down. Who caused the driver to turn just in time? Was it God who prompted the driver to turn his head to the front, or did he do it himself by coincidence? To whom will you give credit? In the same way, what part of the incredible events unfolding before the world are God's doing and what part is man's? This book will help you find answers to that and many other questions concerning God.

Christians talk about Heaven and Hell. Is there such a thing? Do you want to know the truth? If your answer is no, then there is no reason to keep reading. You may just as well go eat, drink and do your own thing. But I presume that you do want to know the truth of life; whatever it is.

Men have been asking questions about life for thousands of years. Maybe you have asked some of these yourself. Is there really any purpose for life? Is there more to life than just meeting physical needs and being comfortable? Why am I here? What happens after I die? Is there a God? Where do I fit in the grand scheme of things? How could a loving God send men to Hell? Who is Jesus? Can God make me successful in spite of my failures? Take heart my friend, God thinks you and I are very special. God Almighty, the Lord of Lords, King of Kings, Creator and Master of the Universe has seen fit to reveal to you and me the ultimate genius of His work for mankind in a book; the Bible.

Many have heard *about* the Bible but few *know* the Bible. Maybe you haven't heard the whole truth. So I encourage you to hear me out. Man has no answers to the above questions apart from the Bible. Man only has theories which

generate more questions. God's creation is too complex for science to figure out but His plan, as revealed in the Bible, can be understood.

When you see the world from God's point-of-view, answers to life's questions will become clear, and hope will emerge from chaos. Hope will come from seeing God's plan for the creation and where you fit in.

That message is contained in two sections of this book. God's plan with respect to how you relate to God personally is provided in the Bible and outlined in the Theology Section of this book.

God has told us what will happen in world events in the Bible which I have outlined and made clearer in the Prophecy Section of this book.

Knowing what will happen in the world will allow you to not lose hope in the God which you will come to believe and trust. Even though it appears the world is out of God's control, it is not. Study the Bible and this book; that will be the path to spiritual survival.

Trusting Jesus Christ to the end is the bridge over your troubled waters. Cry out to Him to give you what you need to survive. Cry out to Him and He will comfort you. Thank Him and bless Him for saving you and meeting your needs. Loving God even if you have to sacrifice your life is the price paid for eternity with God. It will be so worth it.

My hope for you is your personal spiritual survival.

If you would like to make Jesus Christ Lord of your life right now, you may go to Appendix E and there it will tell you how to go about doing so.

In Christ's love and service,

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