

# Understanding Today in Light of Biblical Prophecy

## Toolbox



Tools to help you discern the end times

Looked at the specific timing of events using Daniel and Revelation

- both give accurate, detailed accountings of future events
- Prophecy should be interpreted literally
  - Daniel was literal in everything that took place in past
  - Future is to be interpreted literally as well
  - Bible clearly states when it is speaking allegorically

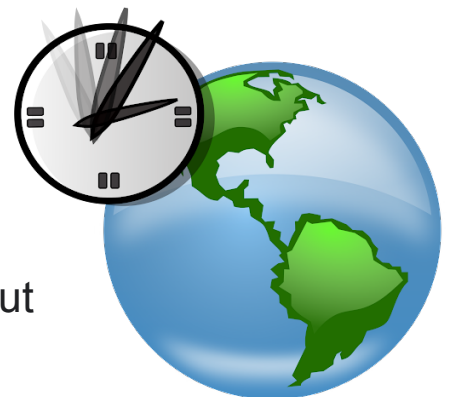


Bible was written by common people for common people

- To allow us to know God and His great love for us
- To understand what He has done for us
- To understand the covenant relationship He extends to us
- To understand what He expects from us (walk in a manner worthy)
- To guide us in this life and prepare us for eternity
  - B.I.B.L.E. (**B**asic **I**nstructions **B**efore **L**eaving **E**arth)
- To bring us hope and encouragement (We win in the end)
- Prophecy is not difficult to understand (specifically the timing of events)

Remember - When looking at world events

1. We are in a battle - and we do have a fierce adversary
2. Don't rely on what someone else tells you
3. Don't check your brain at the door
4. Use common sense
5. We are not to live in fear and confusion
  - God is a God of
    - Love, power, order, and peace
  - Satan is the father of lies and brings about
    - Confusion, chaos, disorder, and fear



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## Abbreviated Timeline

- 1) regathering of Israel
- 2) Focus on Israel throughout the years
- 3) Beginning of birth pangs - will increase in frequency and severity
  - false Christs
  - Wars and rumor of wars (disturbance of peace)
  - Famines
  - Signs in the skies
  - Signs in the earth
  - Men will betray one another
  - Many will be misled
  - Lawlessness will increase
  - People's love will grow cold
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- 18) Activities at 3 1/2 years into 7 year period (halfway through)
- 19) Marriage of the Lamb
- 20) Har-Magedon
- 21) Great Supper of God
- 22) Beast and false prophet thrown into Lake of Fire
- 23) 1000 year millennial reign
- 24) Satan released and then thrown into Lake of Fire
- 25) Great White Throne Judgment
- 26) New Heaven, New Earth, New Jerusalem

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## How Do World Events Fit into Timeline?

Remember that “the end” focuses on Israel - Daniel’s people and the Holy City (Daniel’s 70 weeks and the 70th week has yet to occur)

### 1) Regathering of Israel

- Ezekiel 37:11-23 - gather of Israel and Judah
- Prophecy invalid - Israel has no land - isn’t a nation
- May 14, 1948 it became a nation again
- May 15, 1948 war was declared by a 5 Arab League
  - Egypt, Jordan, Syria, Lebanon, Iraq

### 2) Focus on Israel throughout the years

- United Nations - 80% of time spent on Israel
- Has been 15 major, recognized wars on Israel since '48
- Thousands of threats
- Constant tensions
- Today
  - Temple Institute - preparing for temple worship (red heifer - cleansing)
  - Presidential crisis
  - May 10-18, 2021 - more than 3,440 rockets fired at Israel from **Palestinians?** (Palestinians - Video on website)

### 3) Beginning of birth pangs - will increase in frequency and severity (Matt 24)

- False Christs - many will be misled
  - Many cults - leaders claiming to be Christ
  - Cults on the rise over the last 10 years

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- Benny Hinn
  - tells a TV audience that Jesus was going to appear with him on stage (March 2000)
  - Tells people he can raise people from the dead
  - He curses anyone who speaks against him or his ministry because he is God's anointed
  - There are many more like him
  - One guy says he will raise people from the dead for \$1,000 - he is raising people with telemarketing calls
- Wars and rumor of wars (disturbance of peace)
  - Riots
    - On Capital
    - In cities
    - Antifa - anti-fascism
  - Shootings
  - Wars in many places
  - Civil war brewing in this country
- Famines
  - Droughts
  - Floods
  - Fires
  - Government - paying people not to raise animals, plant fields, etc
- Signs in the skies
  - See stories like
    - Closer than has ever been
    - Astroid showers - more astroids, more often

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## - Signs in the earth

### - Earthquakes

- Increasing
- Big ones - CA
- Nov 11, 2018 - a quake traveled 11,000 miles - couldn't feel it by seismologists could see the readings



### - Mudslides

### - Hurricanes

- Increasing since 1980's in frequency and strength



### - Sink holes

### - Volcanic activity

- Yellowstone
- Old faithful less accurate - reduced snowfall not feeding the water stores



### - Animal

- attacks (dogs, bears, others becoming aggressive/ destructive)
- Large amounts of animals dying for no reason
  - 2018 - seals started dying - 400 seals in Maine
  - 2017 - thousands of fish died and washed up in Manhattan
  - 2017 - 400 whales beached in New Zealand



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- Men will betray one another
  - Headlines
    - Gov Brown says people should call police on COVID-19 violators
    - Watching Neighbors: The Cuban Model of Social Control

## *Watching Neighbors: The Cuban Model of Social Control*

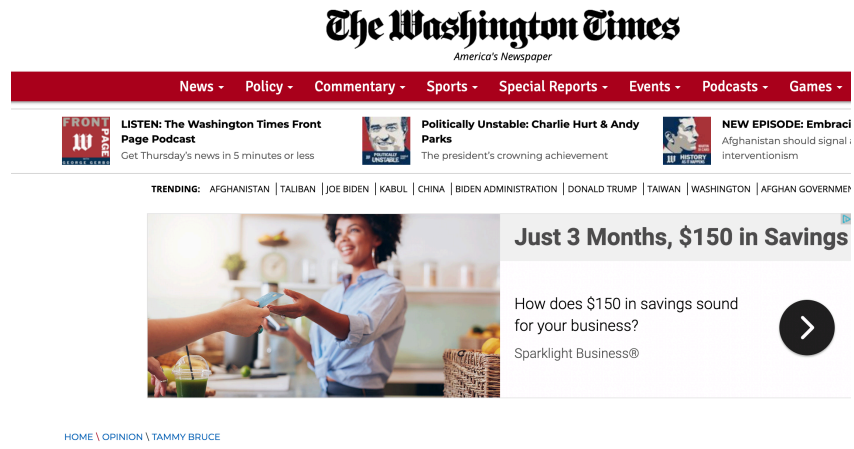
### **ABSTRACT**

In contrast to the typical Soviet model of social control, based on the secret political police, the Cuban model is based on mutual citizens' vigilance. Yet this appears to be very difficult to maintain in an authoritarian regime without the intervention of external agents. In this essay, a model of mutual vigilance between neighbors is developed and applied to the analysis of the relationship between citizens and members of the Committees for the Defense of the Revolution (CDR) in Cuba. The Cuban revolutionary system of social control induces citizens to report all neighbors' illegal actions, including buying or selling on the black market, receiving unknown visitors, not complying with Communist orders, or participating in opposition movements. Yet the incentives structure shows very difficult conditions for an equilibrium in which the citizens don't act illegally and the CDR members don't report. There are strong incentives to produce perverse outcomes, such as "complicity" between neighbors or "cheating" of citizens by CDR members. These can only be avoided by introducing external vigilance. A detailed historical and empirical survey, using hitherto unexploited sources, shows an increasing role of the political police and the army, thus bringing the actual practice of the Cuban system closer to the typical Soviet model of bureaucratic control.



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- Coming from the Washington Times



## Americans are asked to snitch on each other during coronavirus crisis

### ANALYSIS/OPINION:

We've seen lots of heroism in the last several coronavirus pandemic weeks. We've come to expect that from Americans, whether it be our medical workers or everyday Americans making sacrifices in their commitment to their neighbors and their community.

Now certain politicians are asking the citizenry to lower themselves to a level normally occupied by the establishment's cynical and self-obsessed machinery: Snitch, they say. Spy on and turn in your less-than-perfect neighbors. You will be rewarded, the politicians say, for indulging the worst in yourself. The system needs you to become a cog in the wheel of a system run by politicians who ruin cities and lives.

- AI (artificial intelligence)
  - Patrols phones, computers, emails
  - Big brother is watching everywhere
  - Smart devices that are used to control homes can also be used to spy on homes

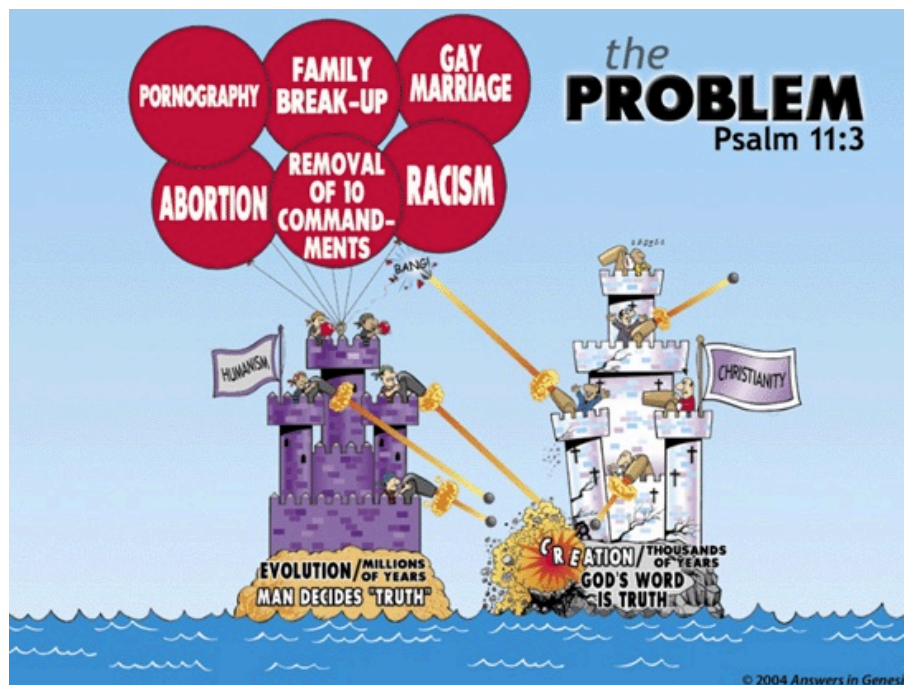
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- Lawlessness will increase
  - Is 5:20 - remember that Satan is a liar and father of lies
    - Woe to those who call evil good, and good evil
    - Who substitute darkness for light and light for darkness
    - Who substitute bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter
      - LGBTQIA movement
      - Same-sex marriages
      - Teaching of our children
        - Pornography for sex education (down to Kindergartners) - parents rights - on website
        - You can go behind parents back
          - Abortion
          - Birth-control
          - Now shots for COVID
    - Defunding the police, taking away weapons
  
- People's love will grow cold
  - Human trafficking
    - Sex trade
    - Human body parts
  - Selling of body parts
  - Abortions
    - Killing of babies
    - Late term abortions
  - Euthanizing
    - Law permits doctors to kill newborn infants if deemed to have serious disorder
    - Elderly, the sick, the mentally challenged, etc



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- 4) Laodicean church age
- Social church, taking stand on social issues, not the word of God
  - Social gospel being taught
  - Lulled into complacency
  - Embrace alternative lifestyles
  - Easily diverted from teaching truth (God's Word)
  - Churches that don't even crack the Bible when they teach
  - Reports of churches focusing on equal rights
    - Races
    - Alternative lifestyles
    - They are focusing on social issues and not dealing with the root of the problems - only can be dealt with through God's Word



- Wokeness (PDF on website)

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- 5) Rapture
  - when the church is gone - those who stand for righteousness
  - The troublemakers will be out of the way
  - Now we can live in peace and harmony
  - There is no peace apart from God
  
- 6) Signing of a peace treaty (starts Daniel's 70th week)
  
- 7) 1st horse - crown and bow - conquering and to conquer (Rev 6:2)
  - bow - no arrows mentioned
  - Controlling the world through other means
    - Right now virus, masks, shots
    - Still a large number who are balking
    - Use other methods (bribery)
      - Enter lottery
      - Free gas
      - Paid to comply
  - Alexander the Great - master of this
  
- 8) 2nd horse - take peace away from earth (Rev 6:3-4)
  
- 9) 3rd horse - famine (Rev 6:5-6)
  
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- 11) 6th seal - earth and heavens shaken (Rev 6:12-17)
  
- 12) 1st trumpet - 1/3 earth, trees, grass burned up (Rev 8:7)
  - nuclear capabilities
  - Chemical warfare (agent orange - Round-Up - 245T)

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  - China claims to 200,000,000 men and women fit for military service (interesting that they came up with that number)
  - 365,000,000 - estimated total military man power - men between 15-49
  - In 2000 they had 199,178,000 - rising 10,000,000 per year
  - By 2001 - they would have had 200 million
- 18) Activities at 3 1/2 years into 7 year period (halfway through)
  - 3 1/2 years into this 7 year peace treaty
    - break the treaty - stop to sacrifices
    - Abomination of desolation - flee
    - Wages war with the saints
    - Demands to be worshipped like God
    - 2 witnesses killed whole world saw and celebrated
    - Setting up of image of beast
      - ability to speak
      - Whole world be made to get mark (AI)
  - Day of the Lord (II Thes 2:1-12)
  - The great Tribulation (Matt 24:24; Joel 2:2; Dan 12:1)

### Some Parting Thoughts

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This world is Satan's realm

- His influence over the elite, governments, and people
  - being used to accomplish his purpose
    - Deceive, kill, destroy
    - One world power
    - One world worship (religion) - HIM
    - One world economy
- This power has been at work since the beginning of time
- Interesting monument called the Georgia Guide Stones set up in 1979 - look at them and see if you can see this mindset



English, Spanish, Swahili, Hindi, Hebrew, Arabic, Traditional Chinese, and Russian.

1. Maintain humanity under 500,000,000 in perpetual balance with nature.
2. Guide reproduction wisely—improving fitness and diversity.
3. Unite humanity with a living new language.
4. Rule passion—faith—tradition—and all things with tempered reason.
5. Protect people and nations with fair laws and just courts.
6. Let all nations rule internally resolving external disputes in a world court.
7. Avoid petty laws and useless officials.
8. Balance personal rights with social duties.
9. Prize truth—beauty—love—seeking harmony with the infinite.
10. Be not a cancer on the Earth—Leave room for nature—Leave room for nature.

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## Covid

- tests not designed for this
- Forcing masks
  - When your body exhales - it is getting rid of waste including bacterial/viral loads
    - Wearing masks catches all that should be expelled into fresh air and sunshine
      - Chicken experiment
        - It is a warm, dark, moist place which produces a petri dish effect to allow all that to grow and flourish and then you breathe it back in again
- Then why masks
  - Way to control
  - Way to build fear
  - Way to isolate
- People have gotten shots because they have been told it will get things back to normal
  - 60% of hospitalized people are people that have gotten shots
  - Told that you still need to wear masks and social distance
  - Life will get back to normal was a lie

As we have talked about - when something produces fear - get to the bottom of it - do the research

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We may live in a hostile world

**BUT**

Greater is He that is in me than he who is in the  
world (I John 4:4)

**AND**

He is a God of peace, love, power, orderliness,  
and truth

**HE IS OUR ROCK AND OUR SALVATION IN  
THE STORMS OF LIFE!**