

5 More Reasons Jesus Is Returning Sooner Than We Think

John 14, Matthew 24 (ESV)

John 14:1-3 (ESV) "Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me.²In my Father's house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? ³And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also.

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

The Resurrection And Return Of Jesus 2 Most Significant Events In History!

Numbers 10:35-36(ESV) And whenever the ark set out, Moses said, "Arise, O LORD, and let your enemies be scattered, and let those who hate you flee before you." ³⁶And when it rested, he said, "Return, O LORD, to the ten thousand thousands of Israel."

ל ן ס 35 ויהי בנסע הארץ ויאמר משה קומה יהוה ויפצו איביך
וינסו משנאיך מפניך: 36 ובנחה יאמר שובה יהוה רבבות אלפי
ישראל: ל ן ס

ל = **NUN** which in the original pictogram was **A SEED**

Genesis 3:15(ESV) And I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your seed and her Seed; He shall bruise your head, And you shall bruise His heel."

John 12:23-24, 27(NKJV) And Jesus answered them; "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. ²⁴ Truly, truly, I say to you, unless a grain (seed) of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. ²⁷ "Now is my soul troubled. And what shall I say? 'Father, save me from this hour'? But for this purpose I have come to this hour.

ד = **SAMECH** which in the original pictogram meant **THORN**

When Adam sinned what did God say the ground would produce as punishment?

Genesis 3:17-18(ESV) ...cursed is the ground because of you; in pain you shall eat of it all the days of your life; ¹⁸ thorns and thistles it shall bring forth for you...

So **THE THORN** became a Levitical symbol of **SIN**

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1. Society becoming more **HARSH, UNLOVING AND DANGEROUS** .

2 Timothy 3:1-5(ESV) But understand this, that in the last days there will come times of difficulty. ² For people will be lovers of self, lovers of money, proud, arrogant, abusive, disobedient to their parents, ungrateful, unholy, ³ heartless, unappeasable, slanderous, without self-control, brutal, not loving good, ⁴ treacherous, reckless, swollen with conceit, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God, ⁵ having the appearance of godliness, but denying its power. Avoid such people. . .

Matthew 24:12 (ESV) because lawlessness will be increased, the love of many will grow cold.

2. A great **FALLING AWAY** occurs

2 Thessalonians 2:3(NKJV) Let no one deceive you by any means; for that Day will not come unless the falling away comes first, and the man of sin is revealed, the son of perdition,

1 Timothy 4:1-2(ESV) Now the Spirit expressly says that in later times some will depart from the faith by devoting themselves to deceitful spirits and teachings of demons, ²through the insincerity of liars whose consciences are seared,

Matthew 24:11(ESV) And many false prophets will arise and lead many astray.

3. Increase in **KNOWLEDGE**

Daniel 12:1-4(ESV) At that time shall arise Michael, the great prince who has charge of your people. And there shall be a time of trouble, such as never has been since there was a nation till that time. But at that time your people shall be delivered, everyone whose name shall be found written in the book. ²And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. ³And those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky above; and those who turn many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever. ⁴But you, Daniel, shut up the words and seal the book, until the time of the end. Many shall run to and fro, and knowledge shall increase.

4. Signs in the **SUN, MOON AND STARS**

Luke 21:25-26(ESV) And there will be signs in sun and moon and stars, and on the earth distress of nations in perplexity because of the roaring of the sea and the waves, ²⁶ people fainting with fear and with foreboding of what is coming on the world. For the powers of the heavens will be shaken.

5. False **SUPERNATURAL PHENOMENON AND DECEPTION** will increase

Matthew 24:3-5, 23-26(ESV) As he sat on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to him privately, saying, "Tell us, when will these things be, and what will be the sign of your coming and of the end of the age?" ⁴ And Jesus answered them, "See that no one leads you astray. ⁵ For many will come in my name, saying, 'I am the Christ,' and they will lead many astray...²³ Then if anyone says to you, 'Look, here is the Christ!' or 'There he is!' do not believe it. ²⁴ For false Christs and false prophets will arise and perform great signs and wonders, so as to lead astray, if possible, even the elect. ²⁵ See, I have told you beforehand. ²⁶ So, if they say to you, 'Look, he is in the wilderness,' do not go out. If they say, 'Look, he is in the inner rooms,' do not believe it

Revelation 13:11, 13-14(ESV) Then I saw another beast rising out of the earth. It had two horns like a lamb and it spoke like a dragon. ¹³ It performs great signs, even making fire come down from heaven to earth in front of people, ¹⁴ and by the signs that it is allowed to work in the presence of the beast it deceives those who dwell on earth...

Are You Ready For Jesus To Return?

Are You Looking For And Hastening The Day He Raptures Us Home?

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