

OVERVIEW OF SESSION ONE

Lesson 1: **The People of Bible Prophecy**

- *How do Jews, Muslims, and others fit into Bible Prophecy?*
- *What is the role of the Christians in Bible Prophecy?*

Lesson 2: **The Program of Bible Prophecy**

- *The three main books for understanding Bible Prophecy.*
- *The Biblical keys to unlocking Bible Prophecy.*

Lesson 3: **The Period of Bible Prophecy**

- *When will the Rapture happen?*
- *Are we in the Tribulation period?*
- *Is the Kingdom of God in operation today?*

WHY STUDY PROPHECY?

1. **It is** _____. It comprises at least 30% of scripture.
II Timothy 2:15, II Timothy 3:16

 2. **It is** _____. There are over 1000 prophecies in the Bible. Of those, 500 have been fulfilled. The fulfillment of the other 500 is just as sure as those that have already come to pass.
II Peter 1:19

 3. **It is** _____. Just as practical as discerning the daily weather.
Matthew 16:2-4

 4. **It is** _____. Knowing that Christ can return at any moment makes every moment count.
I John 3:2-3

 5. **It is** _____. There will be an eternal reward for students of prophecy.
II Timothy 4:8, Revelation 1:3
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- Since you will be making decisions _____ that will affect _____, you must know _____ what will happen _____.

 - Everyone has a _____, how we see and understand the events in our world today. Therefore we must have a prophetic-Biblical _____ to understand why our world is acting as it is today.

 - Since _____ of the Bible is prophecy, we must know how to study and understand prophecy.

INTRODUCTION TO PROPHECY:

Jesus compared the ability to discern prophecy to discerning the _____.

Jesus spent the six months leading up to His Crucifixion teaching _____.

Jesus prophesied His own _____, _____, and _____.

There are 1000 prophecies in the Bible. 500 have already been fulfilled, 500 are yet future...

How many prophecies must be fulfilled before the Rapture of the Church? _____

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The People of Bible Prophecy
The Gentile, the Jew, and the Christian
I Corinthians 10:32

There are three strands of the human family in the world today,

- _____
- _____
- _____

The Gentiles - *From the beginning*
- Genesis 10:5

*When God created _____,
He created a Gentile...*

*From Genesis Chapters 1 - 12,
a period of 2000 years,
all of the people on earth were
_____.*

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The Jews - God's Chosen People

The **Origin** of the Jewish People

- _____ - *Genesis 14:13*
 - _____ - *Genesis 32:28*
 - _____ - *II Kings 16:6*
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The first _____ was a _____.

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The first _____ was a _____.

Important Personalities of Jewish History:

- Abraham - *Genesis 11:25-30, Genesis 17:4-6*
 - Isaac - *Genesis 17:18-20, Genesis 22:1-18*
 - Jacob - *Genesis 25:23-34, Genesis 32:24-30*
 - Judah - *Genesis 29:35, Genesis 49:8-12*
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*From Genesis 12 to _____
- a period of nearly 2000 years -
there were only two groups of people:
Jews and Gentiles.*

*In the Gospels of Matthew,
Mark, Luke, and John,
the people to whom Christ was speaking,
and therefore the people to whom
His teaching directly applies are the
_____.*

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The Christians - *The Church of God*

*From the _____ to the
_____*
*is the only time that
Christians will be alive on this earth.*

*Christians are not Jews or Gentiles.
However, they used to be one or the other
- They are now a new creation.*

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What about the Muslims - *where do they fit?*

*Are all of the Arabs
descended from Ishmael?*

Ishmael is the Father of

_____.

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*"The _____ of the _____"
is when the city of Jerusalem
and the Jewish people
are under the control
of the _____ world.*

*Study the Chapters of
the Book of Daniel in this order:*

1, 2, 3, 4, __, __, __, __, 9, 10, 11, 12

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The Book of Ezekiel - *Prophetic Outline for the Jews*

*Ezekiel starts with
the _____
and goes to
the _____.*

Ezekiel 1-32: A Message of _____

- Judgment pronounced against _____
Chapters 1-24
- Judgment pronounced against _____
Chapters 25-32

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Ezekiel 32-48: A Message of _____

- Restoration for the Kingdom _____
Chapters 33-39
- Restoration for the Kingdom _____
Chapters 40-48

_____ % of the land that God
promised to the Jewish people will one
day belong to Israel.

*Matthew 1:17 records the Genealogy of
Abraham to Christ. It is the only
biblical genealogy to contain a(n)*
_____ .

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The Book of Revelation - *the End Times for the Christians*

*Revelation starts at the
_____ of _____
and extends to
_____ .*

A Biblical Outline for the book of Revelation

- Things which _____ - Chapter 1
- Things which _____ - Chapter 2 and 3
- Things which _____ - Chapter 4 - 22

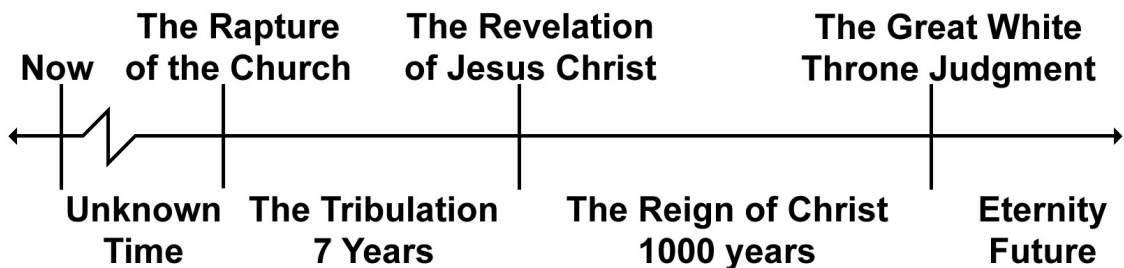
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The 3 remaining main events in God's Timetable

- The _____ of the _____
- The _____ of _____
- The _____ Judgment

In between those 3 Events

- The _____
- The _____ of Christ
- _____ Future
 - New _____, New _____, and New _____



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The Rapture ... and the Tribulation

Descriptions of the Rapture

- John 14:1-4 - _____ alludes to the Rapture
- I Thessalonians 4:13-18 - _____ describes the Rapture

Why a _____-Tribulational Rapture?

- Revelation 4:2-19:10 - The _____
 - There are _____ mentions of the Church in these verses
- Daniel 9 - Time is based on the _____ calendar
- The _____ Weeks of Daniel

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“Fullness of the Gentiles”

- Acts 15
- II Peter 3
 - The way to _____ the Rapture of the Church

“The Day of the Lord”

- _____ time in history when God _____ in the affairs of man personally on the earth
- _____ year period of time including the _____ and the _____ of Christ
- Specifically the _____ that Christ returns to the earth in the Revelation

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The Revelation ... and the Kingdom

The Promise of the Kingdom

- Daniel 2:44-45, 7:13-15

The Period of the Kingdom

- The Kingdom lasts _____ years
- Revelation 20:4-6

*Since the _____,
or Millennial Reign of Christ,
_____ the Revelation of Christ,
we _____ be in the Kingdom now.*

The People of the Kingdom

- Living _____ - Matthew 25:1-13
- Living _____ - Matthew 25:31-45
- _____ Children - Isaiah 65:20

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The Great White Throne ... *and Eternity Future*

- Revelation 20:11-15

The Judge - _____

The Judged - _____

The Judgment - _____

- _____ - "The Lake of Fire"
- _____ - Torment, Thirst, and Thinking
