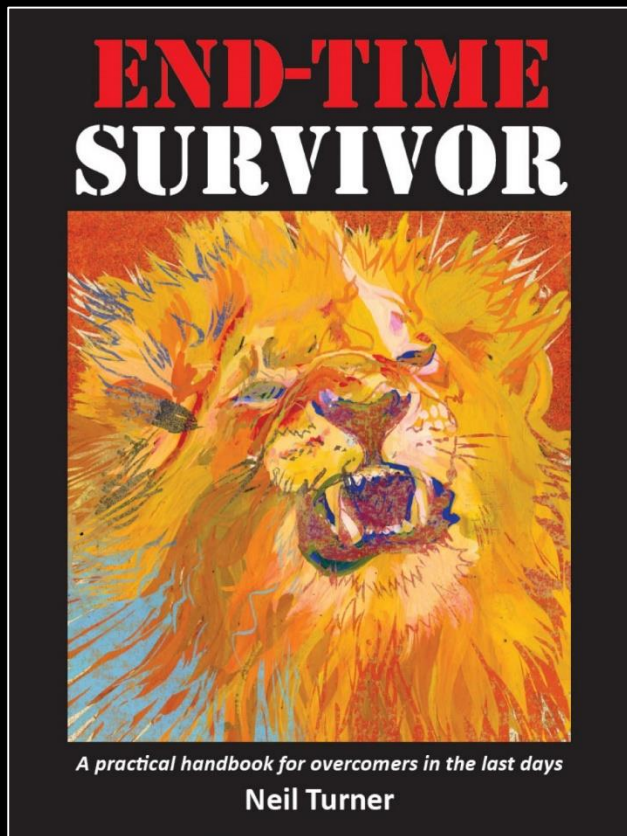


# END-TIME SURVIVOR



## Omega programme Module 0

# the gateway



The Omega Programme  
is based on the book  
**'End-Time Survivor'**  
by Neil Turner



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# module overview

module 0 ?

current  
situation

purpose of  
prophecy

escape or  
endure ?

is the church  
ready ?

preview  
mods 1-10

next steps



study to show yourself  
approved to God

*2 Tim 2.15a*

current situation



# changing world...



**The New York Times**  
VOL. CXXXVII... No. 42,288  
NEW YORK, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1987  
30 CENTS

## STOCKS PLUNGE 508 POINTS, A DROP OF 22.6%; 604 MILLION VOLUME NEARLY DOUBLES RECORD

**A Huge Blow to the Five-Year Bull Market**

**Worldwide Impact**  
Frenzied Trading Raises Fears of Recession — Tape 2 Hours Late

**Does 1987 Ex...**

**U.S. Ships Shell Installation in Gulf Reprisal**  
Offshore Target Topped a Base for Gunboats

**War on America**



# anti-Christian legislation



## Communications Act 2003

‘sending, or causing to be sent, by means of a public electronic communications network, a message or other matter that was “grossly offensive” ‘

example:

- calling Islam ‘satanic’



## Human Rights Act 1998

**typified by opposition to**

- Christian assemblies
- Christianity in the workplace

‘the courts have gone ‘too far’ in restricting the rights of Christians in the workplace’

ex-Lord Chief Justice Lord Woolf



## Equality Act 2010

**Christians may not**

- discriminate based on sexual orientation
- refuse goods/services to homosexuals
- insist on employing Christians

‘the legal system now places the freedom of believers to express their faith below the rights of other groups, such as the gay community’

All Party MP’s Report ‘Clearing the Ground: Preliminary report into the freedom of Christians in the UK’



## Marriage (Same Sex Couples) Act 2013

- redefinition of marriage by the state
- churches can refuse to marry same-sex couples
- churches can ‘opt-in’ to same-sex weddings
- Christians can preach publicly against it

Essex County Council letter stating that churches ‘must be licensed’ to conduct gay marriages ‘with immediate effect’



# the rise of Islam in the UK

c1700 mosques in 2014  
with 2 opening each week

in 2011 there were 2.7M Muslims,  
around 5% of the population

most UK supermarkets & many  
food outlets have adopted Halal



West Didsbury



Central London

systematic radicalisation  
of Muslim school children

Islamic  
study centres  
UK Universities

## THE UK'S TOP TEN IN 2014

GIRLS		BOYS	
1	Sophia	1	Muhammad
2	Emily	2	Oliver
3	Lily	3	Jack
4	Olivia	4	Noah
5	Amelia	5	Jacob
6	Isla	6	Charlie
7	Isabella	7	Harry
8	Ava	8	Joshua
9	Sophie	9	James
10	Chloe	10	Ethan

estimated to be 85  
Sharia courts in the UK

by 2050 11% of UK is  
likely to be Muslim

# secular humanism

## HUMANISM - DEFINITION

movement which turned away from medieval scholasticism towards ancient **Greek and Roman** thought

attaches prime importance to **human** rather than **divine or supernatural** matters.

**Origins – 5<sup>th</sup> Century BC Greece**

Protagoras

Socrates

*'man is the measure of all things'*

## HUMANISM - BELIEFS

- trusts only in **scientific method** to understand how the universe works
- rejects **supernatural**
- ethics based on **reason, empathy & concern** for human beings and other 'sentient' animals
- believes in **absence of an afterlife** and any discernible purpose to the universe
- humans should give their lives meaning by seeking happiness now & help others to do same

**British Humanist Association**



# political correctness (cultural Marxism)

- **demonises / attacks** those who don't subscribe to the narrative
- **negates / distorts** difference between sexes, ethnic groups, cultures
- **distorts & breaks** Godly personal relationships  
(family / marriage / fatherhood / male role)
- allows small powerful humanist elite to **legislate & control** speech, actions & thought
- **alienates / disempowers / criminalises** those who don't subscribe
- **corrupts / distorts** language & thought
- **kills** free speech and conversation
- **intimidates, manipulates, & dominates**
- systematically eradicates our **Judeo-Christian heritage**

*'Political correctness  
is a tool of  
psychological  
manipulation.  
It serves to isolate  
people through fear  
in order to silence  
and control the lives  
and knowledge of  
others'*

Stella Morabito

*Blessed is he who is  
not offended because  
of Me* Matt 11.6

terminology  
equality - gay –  
coming out - offended –  
hate crime - persons –  
partner – diversity –  
inclusivity – '-phobic'

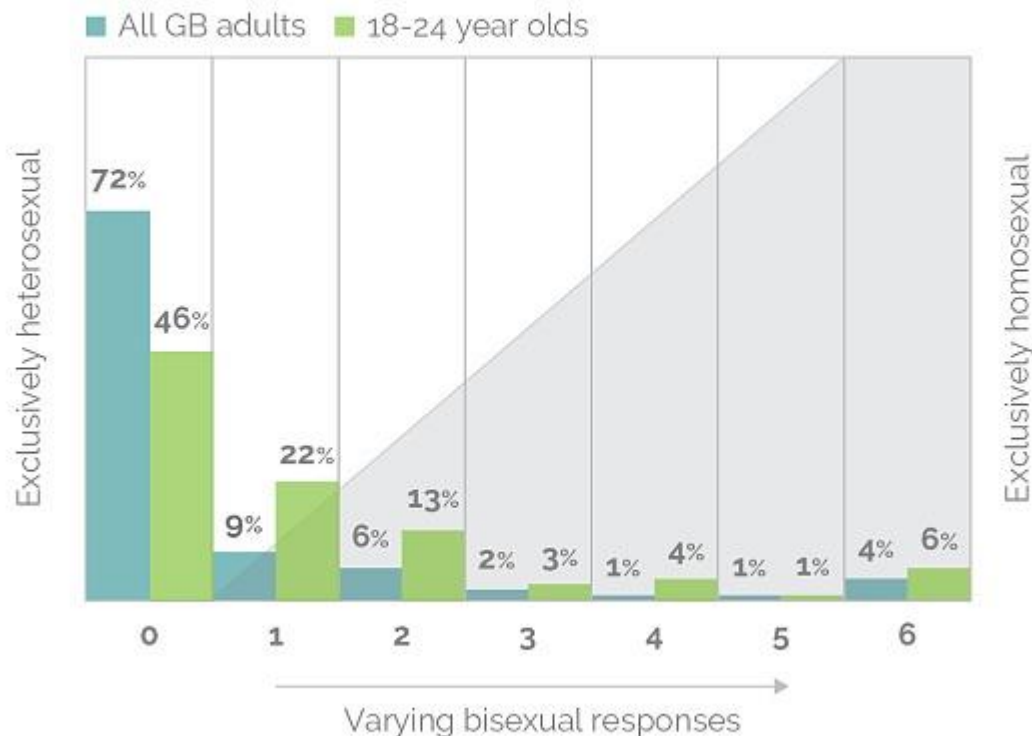
## Christian response

**recognise / expose**  
**resist** – don't submit or accept it  
**PC language** – don't adopt it  
**confront** - don't remain silent  
**laugh** at it – show you're not afraid  
**militant prayer**

# homosexuality

## 1 in 2 young people not 100% heterosexual

British adults were asked to place themselves on the Kinsey scale, ranging from 0 (completely heterosexual) to 6 (completely homosexual)



YouGov | yougov.com

August 13-14 2015

72% of all adults are 'exclusively heterosexual'  
49% of young people say they are not '100% heterosexual'

*'God gave them up to vile passions'*

Rom 1.18-32

*'Do you not know that the unrighteous will not inherit the kingdom of God?*

***Do not be deceived.***  
*Neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor homosexuals, nor sodomites ...will inherit the kingdom of God'*

1Cor 6.9

*'Some men, straying from these things, wanting to be teachers...do not understand what they are saying...'*

1Tim 1.6-10

# external pressure on the Church...

**Daily Mail** £10,000 LOTTERY JACKPOT  
MONDAY, APRIL 8, 2013 www.dailymail.co.uk 60p

After crucifixes are allowed at work, human rights quango tells firms: Give vegans and pagans special treatment too

## WHAT AN INSULT TO CHRISTIANS!

**The Sunday Telegraph**  
FOUR PAGES OF SPRING GARDEN OFFERS IN LIFE

## Islamic law is adopted by British legal chiefs

**The Telegraph**

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### Christian nursery worker 'sacked after refusing to read gay stories to children'

Sarah Mbuyi, a Christian nursery worker, is to claim she was sacked from her job due to religious discrimination, as a group backing her case says David Cameron's defence of faith is 'failing to play out'

**THE INDEPENDENT**

## Will Human Rights kill Christian assemblies in schools?

Under threat? A young schoolgirl prays during assembly

**Daily Mail**  
SATURDAY, MARCH 30, 2012 www.dailymail.co.uk 90p

Astonishing Easter attack on the PM by former Archbishop of Canterbury

## CAMERON ACCUSED OF BETRAYING CHRISTIANS

**The Telegraph**

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### NHS worker who 'bullied' Muslim by praying for her

Christian health worker Victoria Wasteney is taking legal action against the NHS after she was accused of bullying a Muslim colleague

**The Telegraph**

### Christian school 'downgraded for failing to invite an imam to lead assembly'

Christian group warns 'British values' rules imposed after Trojan Horse scandal leading to schools with a religious ethos being marked down by inspectors for failing to promote 'tolerance'

**theguardian**

News Sport Comment Culture Business Money Life & style

News World news LGBT rights

### Christian B&B owners lose appeal over turning away gay guests

Court of appeal judges uphold ruling that Peter and Hazelmary Bull acted unlawfully by refusing to let gay couple stay



# internal pressure within the Church...

**The Telegraph**

July 2002

'A third of **Church of England** clergy doubt or disbelieve in the physical Resurrection

only half are convinced of the Virgin birth

only half believe that faith in Christ is the only route to salvation

**Poll of c2,000 out of 10,000 clergy**

'45% of Anglicans approve of same sex marriage'

**YouGov Poll 2016**

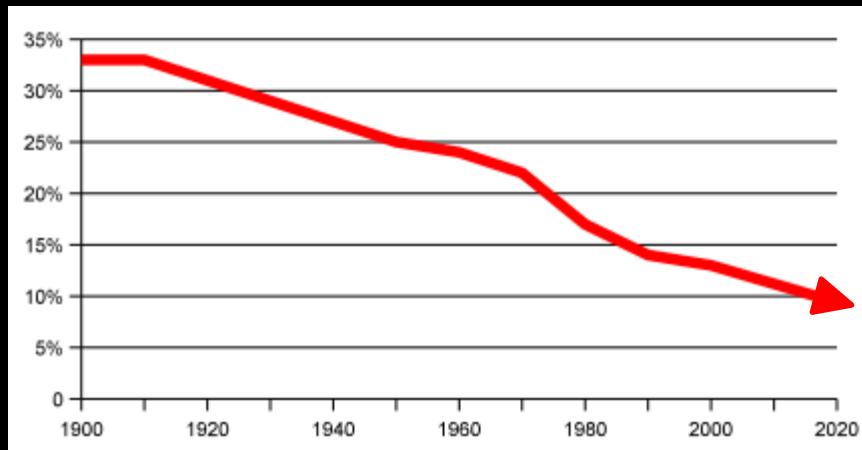
*'we have for nearly twenty years explicitly recognised, affirmed and celebrated the participation and ministry of lesbians and gay men'*

Attitude to gay marriage is currently 'under review'

**Methodist Conference 2013**



## Percentage of UK Population who are Church Members 1900-2020



## UK Church Membership by Denomination 2005 to 2015

there are approximately  
51,000 UK churches

2331 new churches  
635 closures (2.5/week)  
over the period 2005-2010

	2005 Membership	% change 2005-2010	2010 Membership	% change 2010-2015	2015 Est Membership
Anglican	1,536,879	-5%	1,457,598	-8%	1,336,130
Baptist	207,777	-5%	197,871	-3%	192,479
Catholic	1,667,463	-12%	1,472,811	-10%	1,326,040
Independent	215,493	0%	215,199	0%	214,461
Methodist	294,819	-19%	237,744	-24%	180,921
New Churches	187,872	+12%	211,025	+7%	226,650
Orthodox	315,810	+ 5%	330,712	+7%	354,839
Pentecostal	342,485	+27%	434,905	+22%	529,594
Presbyterian	918,073	-19%	741,140	-22%	577,769
Smaller Denoms.	158,021	+36%	215,489	+14%	246,481
<b>All Churches</b>	<b>5,844,692</b>	<b>-6%</b>	<b>5,514,704</b>	<b>-6%</b>	<b>5,185,514</b>

# changing religious landscape - UK

**2050**

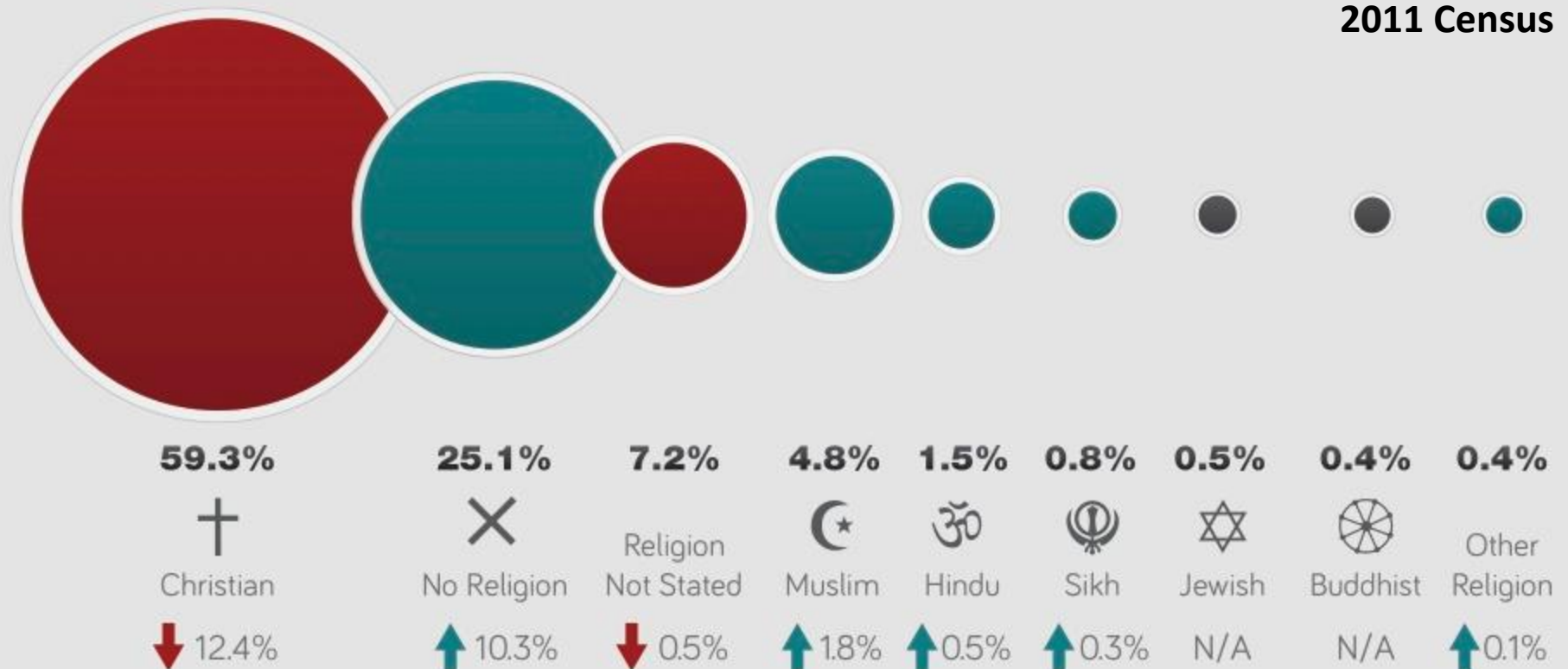
'Christians' 45%

Muslim 11%

Unaffiliated 39%

Pew Research Centre

**2011 Census**





the future

# future questions – better or worse ?



could Jesus  
come anytime?

will it get better  
or worse ?

will the church  
escape trouble?

isn't there  
enough for the  
church to do **now**  
without worrying  
about the future?

# what is prophecy ?

*If a trumpet is blown in a city will not the people tremble?  
If a calamity occurs in a city has not the LORD done it?*

*Surely the Lord GOD does nothing unless He reveals **His secret counsel to His servants** the prophets.*

Amos 3.6-7

**to His people  
to the world**





# scale & accuracy of Biblical prophecy

## PREDICTIONS

# Old Testament 1239x

# New Testament 578x

**1817x**

## 737 separate events

## 27% of the Bible

J.Barton Payne

332 predictions in OT  
to Jesus incarnation

how many fulfilled ?

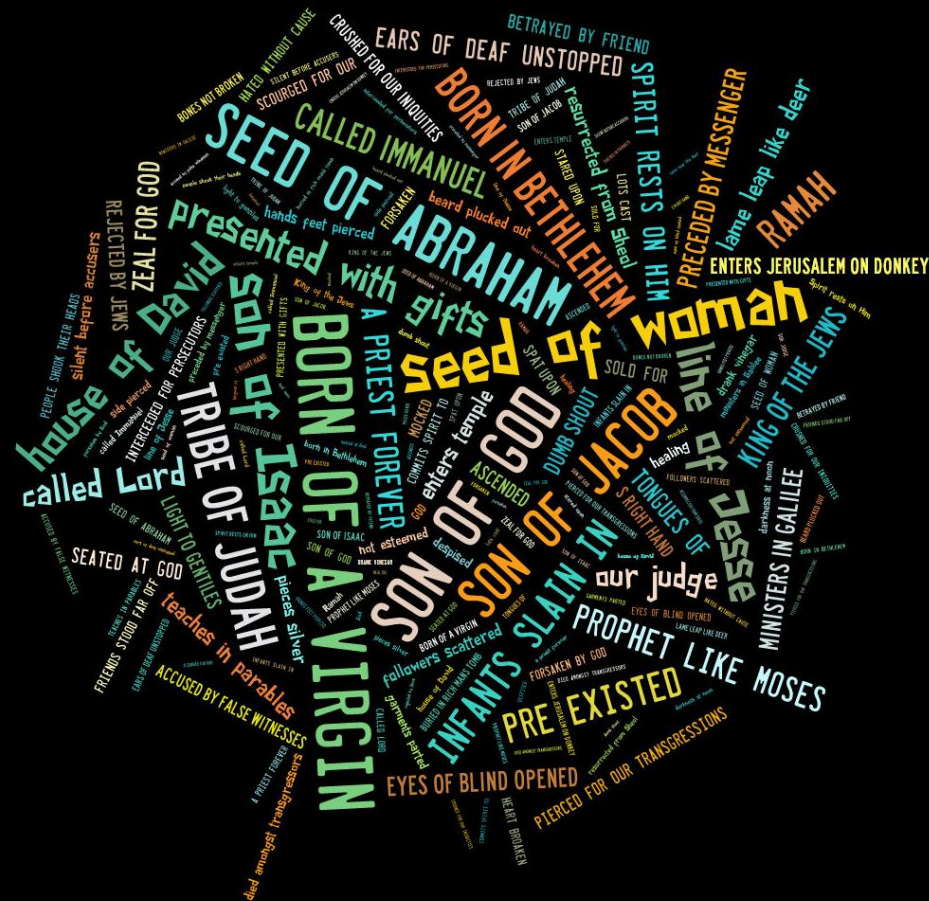
Josh McDowell

## how many fulfilled ?

20% remain

politicians  
the media  
academia

tarot  
horoscopes  
mediums



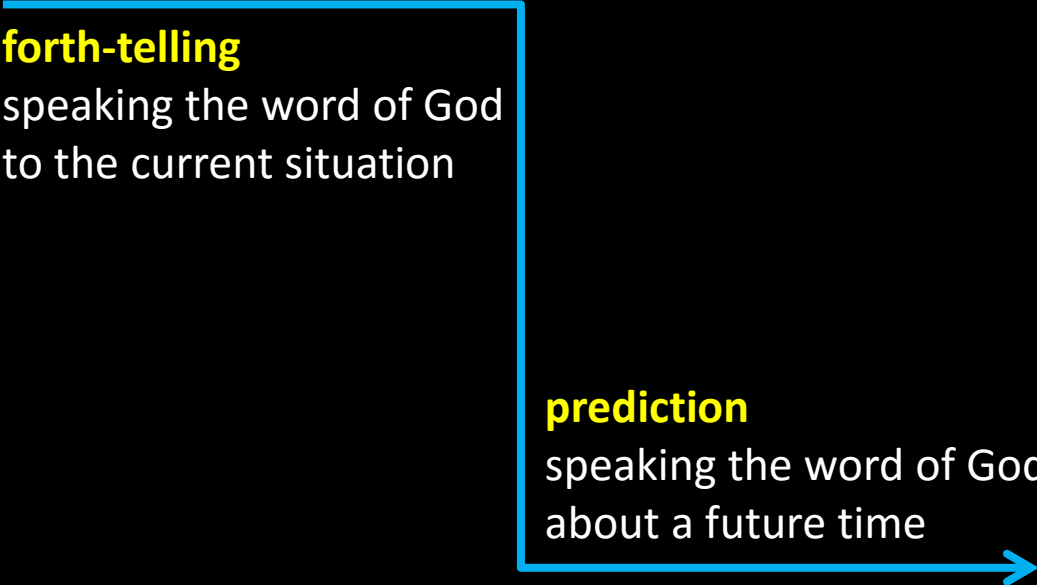
# principles of the prophetic #1

## **forth-telling**

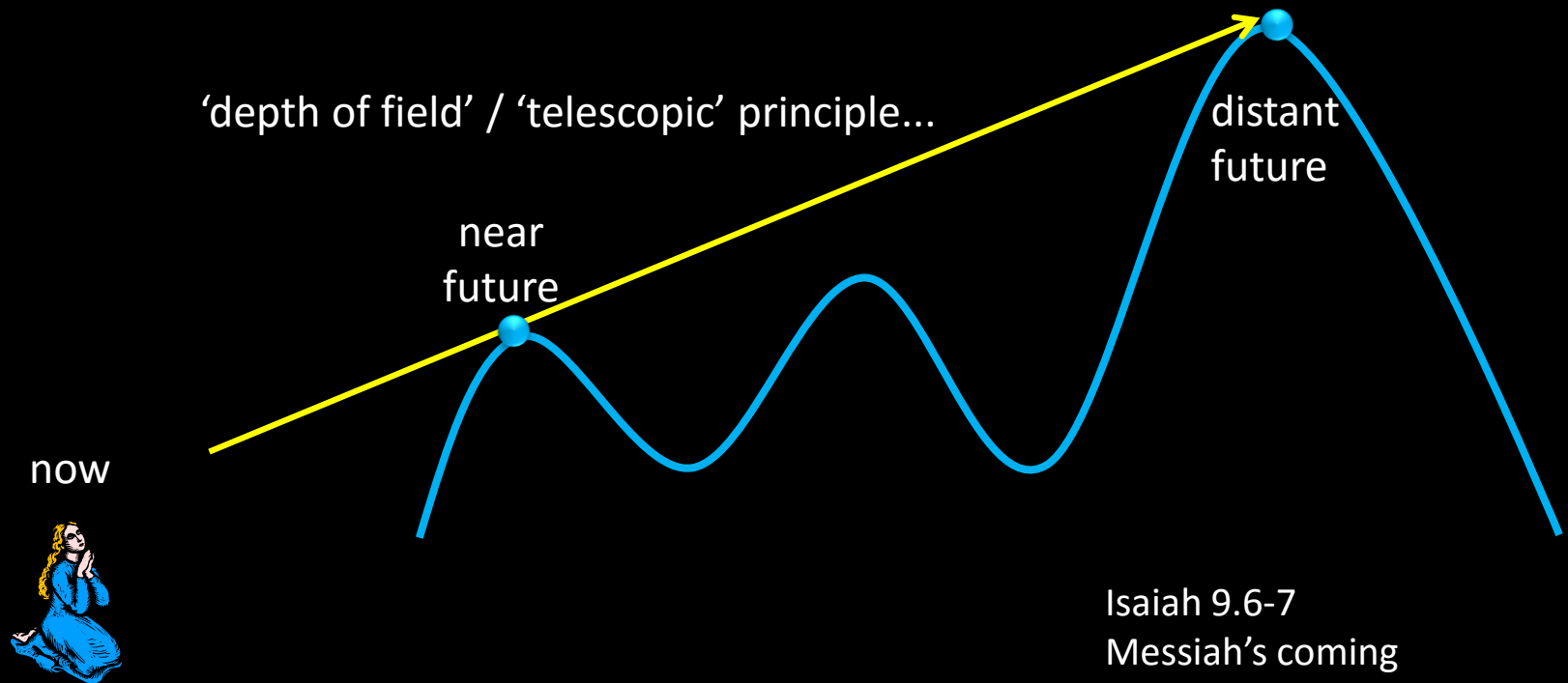
speaking the word of God  
to the current situation

## **prediction**

speaking the word of God  
about a future time



# principles of the prophetic #2



purpose of prophecy is to...

## demonstrate

## God's faithfulness

**correct us**

when we stray

## warn now & forewarn

# sin & its consequences

**prepare us**

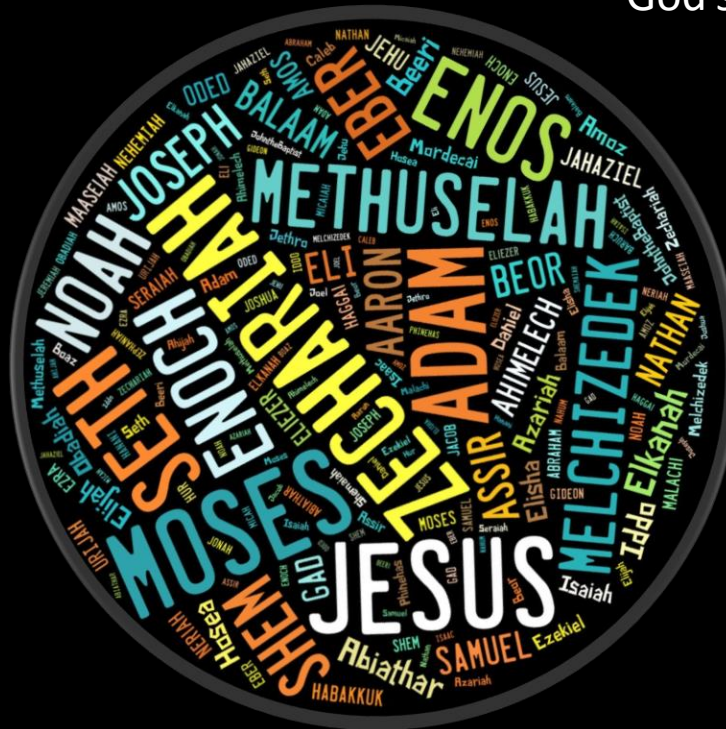
for times ahead

**strengthen us**

now for the future

true prophecy

- conviction
- repentance
- correction
- righteousness
- holiness
- obedience
- Godly authority
- Bible-based
- true prediction



## false prophecy

popular  
'I'm OK'  
false assurance  
false peace  
false predictions  
immorality  
self exaltation  
unscriptural

Jer 23 / Ez 12-14



# Moses describes the greatest prophet of all...

*'If you believed Moses, you  
would believe Me, for Moses  
wrote about Me'* John 5.46

## **'The Spine'**

1<sup>st</sup> great prophetic  
discourse

## **Revelation**

2<sup>nd</sup> great prophetic  
discourse

# what Jesus said...

In the world you  
have tribulation,  
but take courage, I  
have overcome the  
world

John 16.33

If the world hates  
you, you know  
that it has hated  
Me before it  
hated you

John 15.18

But the one who  
endures to the end,  
he will be saved

Matt 24.13

the normal Christian life...

# what Jesus said...

*Do not seal up the words of the prophecy of this book, for the time is near.*

*Let the one who does **wrong**, still do **wrong**, and  
the one who is **filthy**, still be **filthy** and let  
the one who is **righteous**, still practice **righteousness**, and  
the one who is **holy**, still keep himself **holy**.*

*Behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward is with Me,  
to render to every man according to what he has done.*

*I am the Alpha and the Omega,  
the first and the last,  
the beginning and the end*

# big question: escape or endure ?



make a  
'great escape' ?



endure to the end ?





# those who hope for '**great escape**' say...

the 'great escape'  
view is the most  
popular view  
today

there are  
two 'comings':  
1<sup>st</sup> **for** His saints  
2<sup>nd</sup> **with** Him

the events are  
concurrent

'Christ's coming  
will be a  
complete surprise'

the 'surprise'  
will actually be  
for the unsaved

'saints' means  
2Thess 2.8 uses  
there is a 'difference  
'day of Christ' /  
'day of the Lord'  
are interchangeable  
'arrive' (the rapture)  
'appear' (with the saints)  
'saints' = Christians  
'day of Christ' v 'day of the Lord'

passages describing  
great tribulation  
omit the word  
'church'

but no passage  
describing  
'rapture'  
includes the  
church !

'why would the  
church be subject  
to God's wrath ?'

God doesn't  
suffering &  
endurance is  
the normal  
Christian life

Israel will be  
'abandoned'  
to suffer  
the trouble

'Christ could  
come  
'any moment'

how could the  
Jesus inferred  
Paul told  
Thessalonians  
Jesus wouldn't  
come until  
Antichrist came



those who expect **trouble ahead** say...

**fact:** no explicit  
verse / passage  
to substantiate  
'great escape'

**fact:** very little  
evidence for 'great  
escape' view  
before c1830

**fact:** early church  
expected to face  
trouble, not

**fact:** pressure  
is increasing  
on the  
western church

more Christians  
martyred in  
20<sup>th</sup> C than all  
previous  
combined

'great escape'  
view requires  
'cut & paste'  
approach to  
scripture

Enoch the  
Apostles  
Didache  
Barnabus  
Justin Martyr  
Irenaeus  
Tertullian  
Hermas  
Hippolytus  
Cyprian  
Victorinus  
Augustine

**fact:** church has  
been persecuted  
now & through

why should  
God favour  
Christians in  
the West ?

Jesus clearly  
warned us  
about trouble  
to come

Jesus promised  
us a cross

**time will tell !**

**SERIOUS  
TROUBLE  
AHEAD**

reality check....



are you ready ?

are you certain about  
what is to come ?

do you know what  
the Bible has to say ?

do you understand how you  
should be preparing?

# omega programme - premise

I

world situation will get rapidly &  
significantly worse, then suddenly  
& wonderfully better

II

the Church isn't ready for the  
trouble ahead

III

we need specific training to  
prepare ourselves for what is to  
come





# omega programme – objectives

by the end of the programme you will...

appreciate the big picture  
of end-time prophecy

know how to look for &  
interpret the signs of  
the times

begin to prepare for  
the trouble ahead

understand your  
responsibility to invest in  
the Kingdom of God

be able to  
face the future with  
faith not fear



# END-TIME SURVIVOR omega programme



solid food is for the  
mature, who  
**because of  
practice** have their  
senses trained  
to discern good  
and evil

Heb 5.14



# counting the cost #1

*Which one of you, when he wants to build a tower, does not first sit down and **calculate the cost** to see if he has enough to complete it? Otherwise, when he has laid a foundation and is not able to finish, all who observe it begin to ridicule him, saying, ‘**This man began to build and was not able to finish.**’*

*Or what king, when he sets out to meet another king in battle, will not first sit down and consider **whether he is strong enough** with ten thousand men to encounter the one coming against him with twenty thousand?*

Luke 14.28-31

health  
warning

# your commitment requires...

- coming prepared – prep sheets
- attending 10 modules of 4 hours each
- open mind / open heart / prayerful attitude
- response - prepared to act / change lifestyle
- be a 'Berean' – check everything for yourself
- yes or no ?



Print this off and bring with you to the module

**ΩMEGA PROGRAMME**

**MODULE 6: GEOGRAPHY & JUDGMENT**

**1. LEARNING OBJECTIVES** – what you will learn from the module

'Geography and Judgment' considers man's possible eternal destiny and the process that will decide it. We live in an age where even devout evangelists are questioning if Hell is really eternal, or will God give a 'second chance' to those who have been short of His standards? God hasn't changed, so it is vital for believers to understand His nature and His righteous judgments. Jesus said that not everyone who called Him Lord would enter His kingdom, only those who did the will of His Father (Matt 7:21).

**MODULE OVERVIEW**

- the nature of the Judge
- 3 groups of people – 3 types of judgment
- 'acts of God'
- judgment on Israel
- eternal judgment
- The heavens / Paradise / Sheol / Hell / Tartarus / The Abyss
- difficult questions

**2. MODULE PRE-WORK** – before you attend the module

< READ >	< THINK >
<p>Gen 18-19</p> <p>Ex 18:23</p> <p>Mal 6:1-8</p> <p>Matt 23:31-46</p> <p>Study to show yourself approved unto God, a workman who need not be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth' 2Tim 2:15</p>	<p>why would a 'God of love' send people to Hell?</p> <p>why do bad people seem to 'get away with it'?</p> <p>why doesn't God stop all the trouble?</p> <p>does God still perform 'acts of judgment' today?</p> <p>what is God's primary quality?</p>
<p>&lt; DO &gt;</p> <p>check the news for so-called 'acts of God'</p> <p>look for patterns or possible cause</p> <p>study to see why God judges Sodom, the world at the time of Noah, &amp; Ananias and Saphira. Why did Jesus curse the fig tree?</p>	<p>&lt; PRAY &gt;</p> <p>Ask the Lord to send His Holy Spirit to convict the world of sin, righteousness and judgment</p> <p>'Whatever He says to you, do it' John 2:5</p>

**< MEMORISE >**

How shall we escape if we neglect so great a salvation? Heb 2:3

**3. POST-MODULE WORK** – what did you learn? what will you do now?

What I learned...

What I commit to do differently from now on as a result of my learning...

'Prove yourselves doers of the word, and not merely hearers who delude themselves.' James 1:22

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## counting the cost #2

*So I was left alone and saw this great vision; yet **no strength was left in me, for my natural colour turned to a deathly pallor, and I retained no strength...***

*Then behold, a hand touched me and **set me trembling on my hands and knees**. He said to me, 'O Daniel, man of high esteem, understand the words that I am about to tell you and stand upright, for I have now been sent to you'. And when he had spoken this word to me, **I stood up trembling**.*

*Now I have come to give you an understanding of what will happen to your people in the latter days, for the vision pertains to the days yet future*

*When he had spoken to me according to these words, I turned my face toward the ground and **became speechless**. And behold, one who resembled a human being was touching my lips. Then I opened my mouth and spoke and said to him who was standing before me, 'O my lord, as a result of the vision **anguish has come upon me, and I have retained no strength**. For how can such a servant of my lord talk with such as my lord? As for me, **there remains just now no strength in me, nor has any breath been left in me**'*

*Then this one with human appearance touched me again and strengthened me. He said,*

***'O man of high esteem, do not be afraid. Peace be with you. Take courage and be courageous!'***

Daniel 10. various verses

health  
warning