

Revelation Decoded

Season 1:

Revelation in the Old Testament



Scripture

- **Revelation 1:3**

Blessed is he who reads and those who hear the words of this prophecy and keep those things which are written in it, for the time is near.

- **Genesis 49:1 (MEV)**

..."Gather yourselves together, so that I may tell you what will befall you in the last days."

- **Matthew 13:52 (MEV)**

..."every scribe who is disciplined for the kingdom of heaven is like a man who is master of the household who brings out of his treasure new and old things."

- **Ezekial 36:24 (MEV)**

For I will take you from among the nations and gather you out of all countries and will bring you into your own land.

- **Isaiah 66:8 (NIV)**

Who has ever heard of such things? Who has ever seen things like this? Can a country be born in a day or a nation be brought forth in a moment?

Other Scriptures

- Jeremiah 30:3; Ezekial 36:24
- Deuteronomy 28:15-37
- Exodus 19:18-20
- Matthew 5:17,19
- Jeremiah 307
- Revelation 13:16-17
- Daniel 12:11; Matthew 24:15

Main Points

- The Book of Revelation is the longest theological revelation of the end times. (22 chapters)
- There are at least 150 chapters in the Bible with the main theme of the end times.
- The Tanakh is the Hebrew name transliteration of the Old Testament or Hebrew Bible.
- The Torah is the Hebrew name transliteration of the first five books of the Bible.
- Nevi'im-Prophets (section of the Tanakh)
- K'tuvim-Writings (section of the Tanakh)
- Bereshit or Genesis/In the beginning
- Psalm 23:1 Yahweh Rohi is Hebrew for The Lord is my Shepherd
- "The Time of Jacob's Trouble" is a code word for the Great Tribulation.
- The Hebrew prophets also wrote about the antichrist.
- Brit Chadasha is Hebrew for New Testament.

Questions

1. What was the first mention of teaching about "last days? What book of the Bible tells about it? Does this surprise you?
2. What historical event created Messianic expectation among believers? Why?
3. How long before this event were the promises of it given and why did the early church fathers' writings not talk about the return of the Messiah?
4. Explain these supernatural markers which set apart the return of Israel to their homeland In 1948? Timing involved? A National Jewish identity?
5. Of the topics Rabbi mentioned that he will touch on in the series, what are some of those of highest interest to you and why?