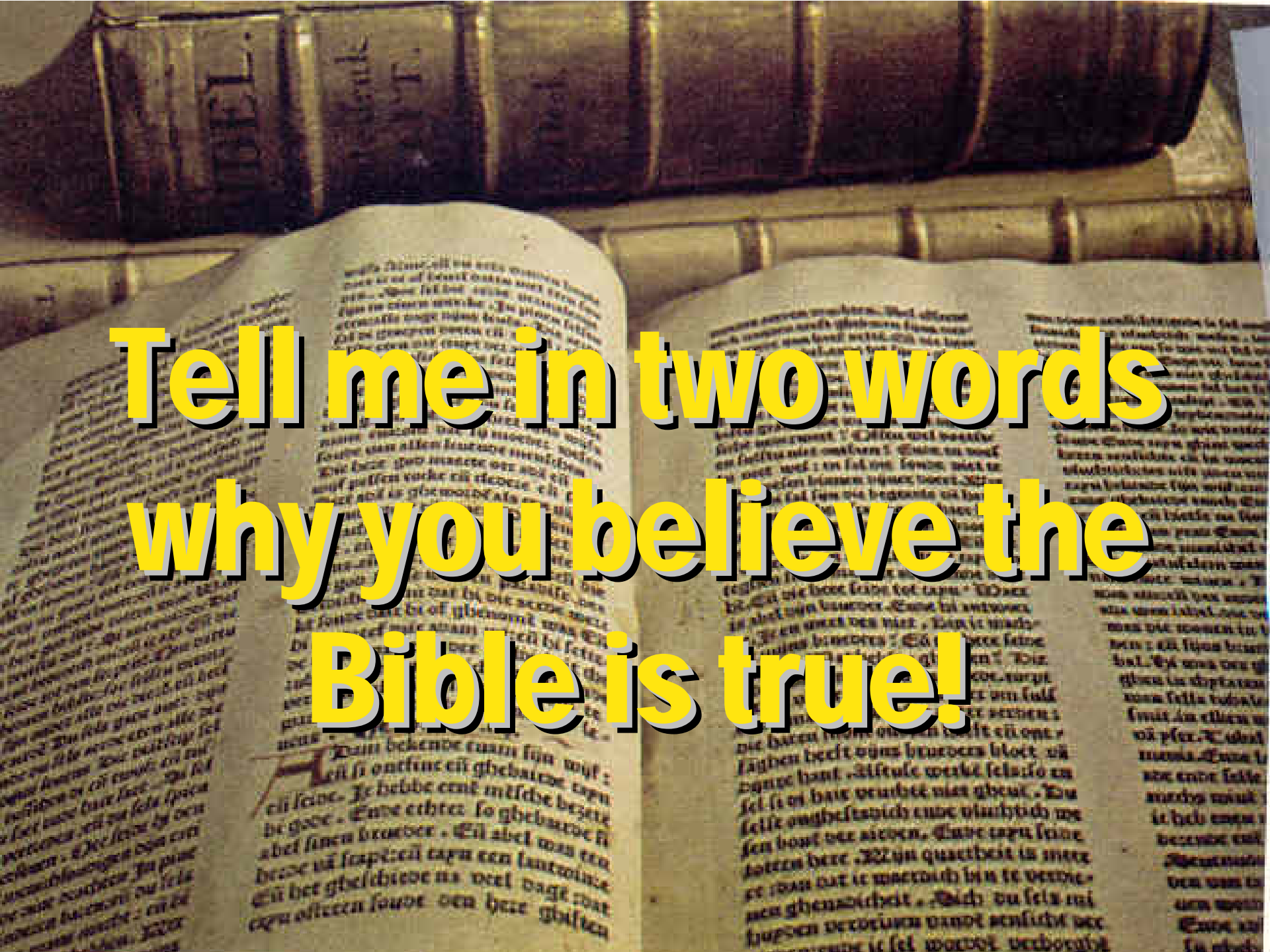




**Israel:
Past,
Present,
and
Future**

An open antique book with text in a historical script, possibly Dutch or German, with a large yellow text overlay. The book is open to two pages, showing dense text in a historical script. The text is written in a dark ink on aged, slightly yellowed paper. The book is bound in the center, and the pages are slightly curved. The background shows the spine and other pages of the book, suggesting it is part of a larger collection. The overall lighting is warm and slightly dim, highlighting the texture of the paper and the binding.

Tell me in two words
why you believe the
Bible is true!

Your Majesty, the ...

JEWES

- 1. Does the modern state of Israel have a legitimate claim on their historic homeland today?**
- 2. Is the existence of the modern state of Israel prophetically significant?**
- 3. What should the role of the believer be in relationship to modern Israel?**
- 4. What is the history of the Jews since AD 70 in relation to their historic homeland?**

Israel:

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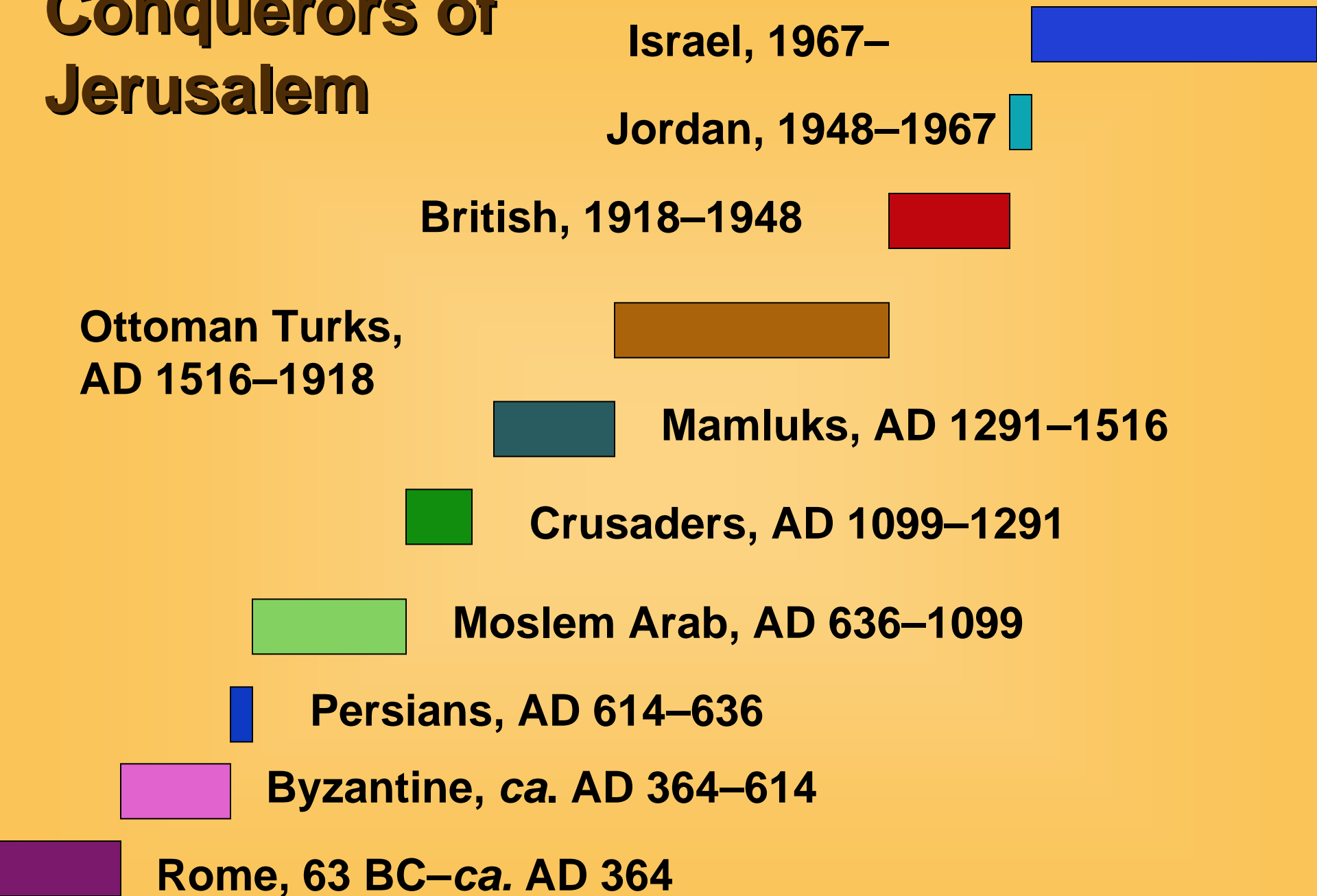
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3. Theocracy
4. United Kingdom
5. Divided Kingdom
6. Exile
7. Post-exile
8. Hasmonean
9. Roman



1. Rome
2. Byzantine
3. Persian
4. Moslem Arab
5. Crusaders
6. Mamluks
7. Ottoman Turk (1517–

1. Ottoman Turks (–1918)
2. British
3. Jordanian
4. Israel

Conquerors of Jerusalem



An hourglass with a globe of Earth as the lower bulb, symbolizing time and global progress. The hourglass is made of a dark, textured material, possibly wood or metal, with a woven pattern. The globe is blue and white, showing continents and oceans. The background is a dark, textured surface with a reddish-brown hue at the top.

**Where
are we
now?**

Isaiah 11:11, “It shall come to pass in that day
That the LORD shall set His hand again the
second time to recover the remnant of His
people who are left, from Assyria and Egypt,
from Pathros and Cush, from Elam and Shinar,
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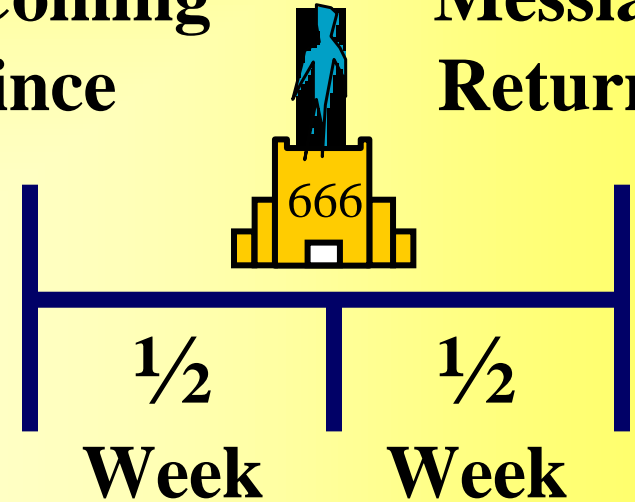
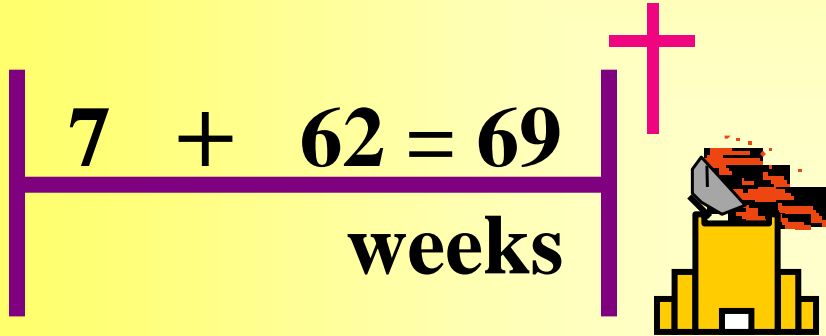
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**The Decree
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**Messiah
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**The Coming
Prince**

**Messiah
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**March 5,
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Neh. 2:1-3

Luke 19:28-40

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Dan. 9:26, “Then after the sixty-two weeks the Messiah will be cut off and have nothing, and the people of the prince who is to come will destroy the city and the sanctuary. And its end will come with a flood; even to the end there will be war; desolations are determined.”

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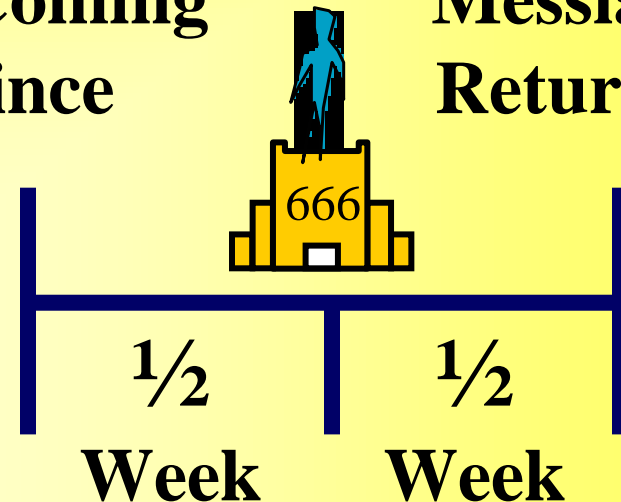
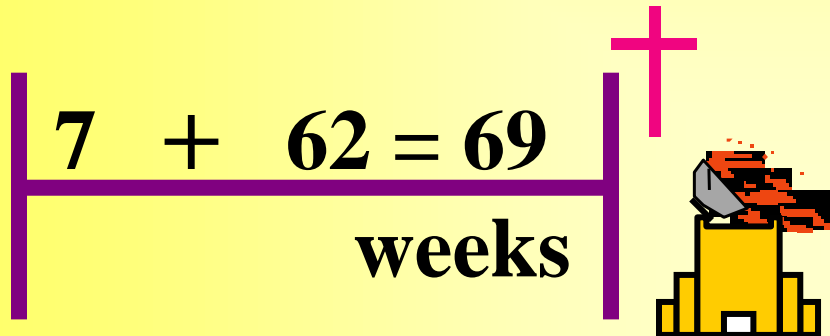
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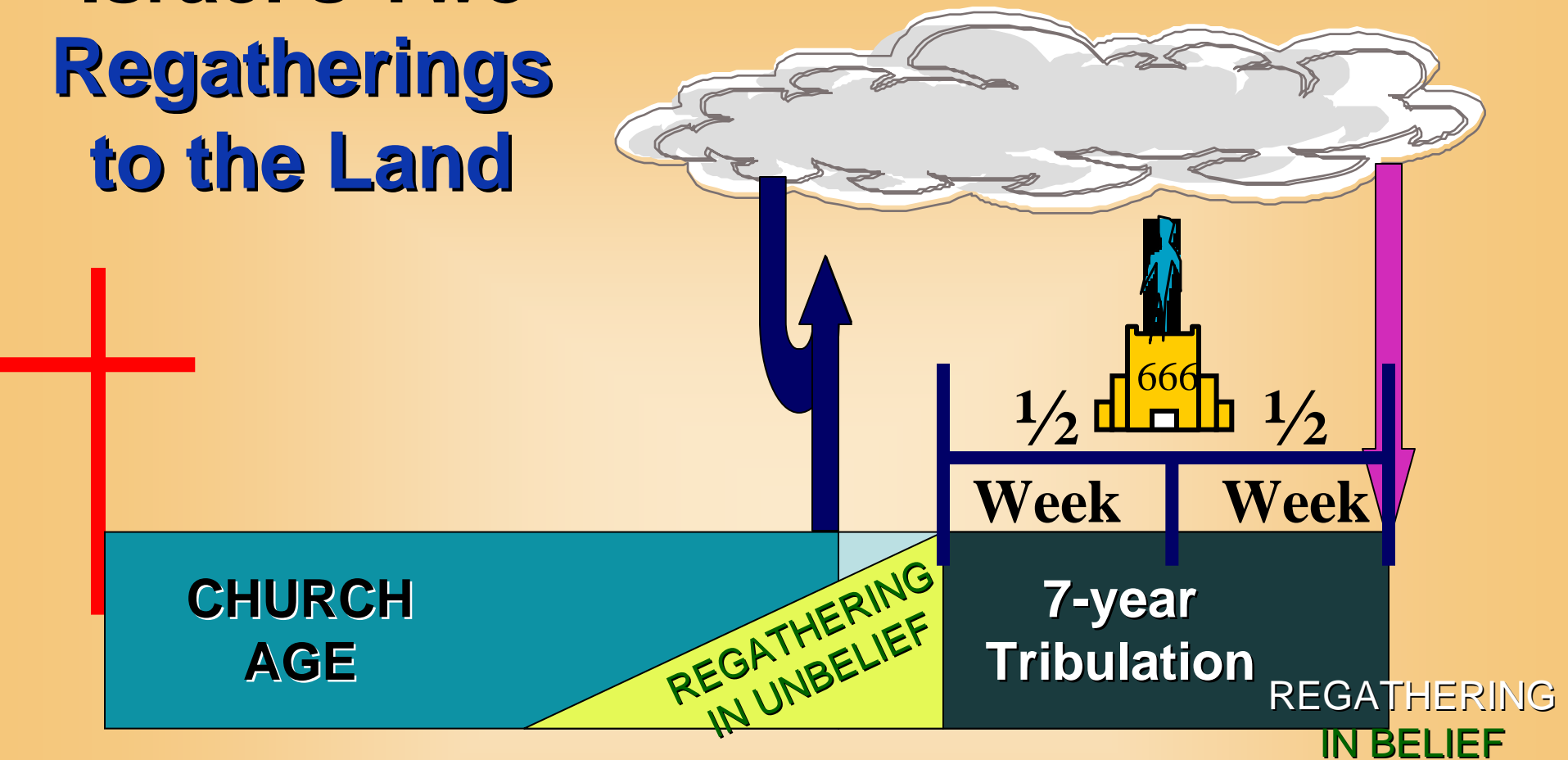
To the Land - *PHYSICAL*

To the Lord - *SPIRITUAL*



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Israel's Two Regatherings to the Land



Ezek 20:32–38;
22:17–22; 36:22–24;
Isa. 11:11–12
Zeph. 2:1–2;

Deut. 4:29–31; 30:1–10;
Isa 27:12–13; 43:5–7;
Jer. 16:14–15; 31:7–10
Ezek 11:14–18; Amos 9:14–15
Zech 10:8–12; Matt 24:31

Ezekiel 20:32, “What you have in your mind shall never be, when you say, ‘We will be like the Gentiles, like the families in other countries, serving wood and stone.’

Ezekiel 20:33, “‘As I live,’ says the Lord GOD, ‘surely with a mighty hand, with an outstretched arm, and with fury poured out, I will rule over you.’

Ezekiel 20:34, “I will bring you out from the peoples and gather you out of the countries where you are scattered, with a mighty hand, with an outstretched arm, and with fury poured out.

Ezekiel 20:35, “And I will bring you into the wilderness of the peoples, and there I will plead My case with you face to face.

Ezekiel 20:36, “Just as I pleaded My case with your fathers in the wilderness of the land of Egypt, so I will plead My case with you,’ says the Lord GOD.

Ezekiel 20:37, “I will make you pass under the rod, and I will bring you into the bond of the covenant;

Ezekiel 20:38, “I will purge the rebels from among you, and those who transgress against Me; I will bring them out of the country where they dwell, but they shall not enter the land of Israel. Then you will know that I *am* the LORD.”

Ezekiel 22:17, “The word of the LORD came to me, saying,

Ezekiel 22:18, ““Son of man, the house of Israel has become dross to Me; they *are* all bronze, tin, iron, and lead, in the midst of a furnace; they have become dross from silver.

Ezekiel 22:19, “Therefore thus says the Lord GOD: ‘Because you have all become dross, therefore behold, I will gather you into the midst of Jerusalem.

Ezekiel 22:20, ““As *men* gather silver, bronze, iron, lead, and tin into the midst of a furnace, to blow fire on it, to melt *it*; so I will gather *you* in My anger and in My fury, and I will leave *you there* and melt you.

Ezekiel 22:21, ““Yes, I will gather you and blow on you with the fire of My wrath, and you shall be melted in its midst.

Ezekiel 22:22, “As silver is melted in the midst of a furnace, so shall you be melted in its midst; then you shall know that I, the LORD, have poured out My fury on you’.”

Ezekiel 36:22, “Therefore say to the house of Israel, ‘Thus says the Lord GOD: ‘I do not do *this* for your sake, O house of Israel, but for My holy name’s sake, which you have profaned among the nations wherever you went.

Ezekiel 36:23, ““And I will sanctify My great name, which has been profaned among the nations, which you have profaned in their midst; and the nations shall know that I *am* the LORD,’ says the Lord GOD, ‘when I am hallowed in you before their eyes.

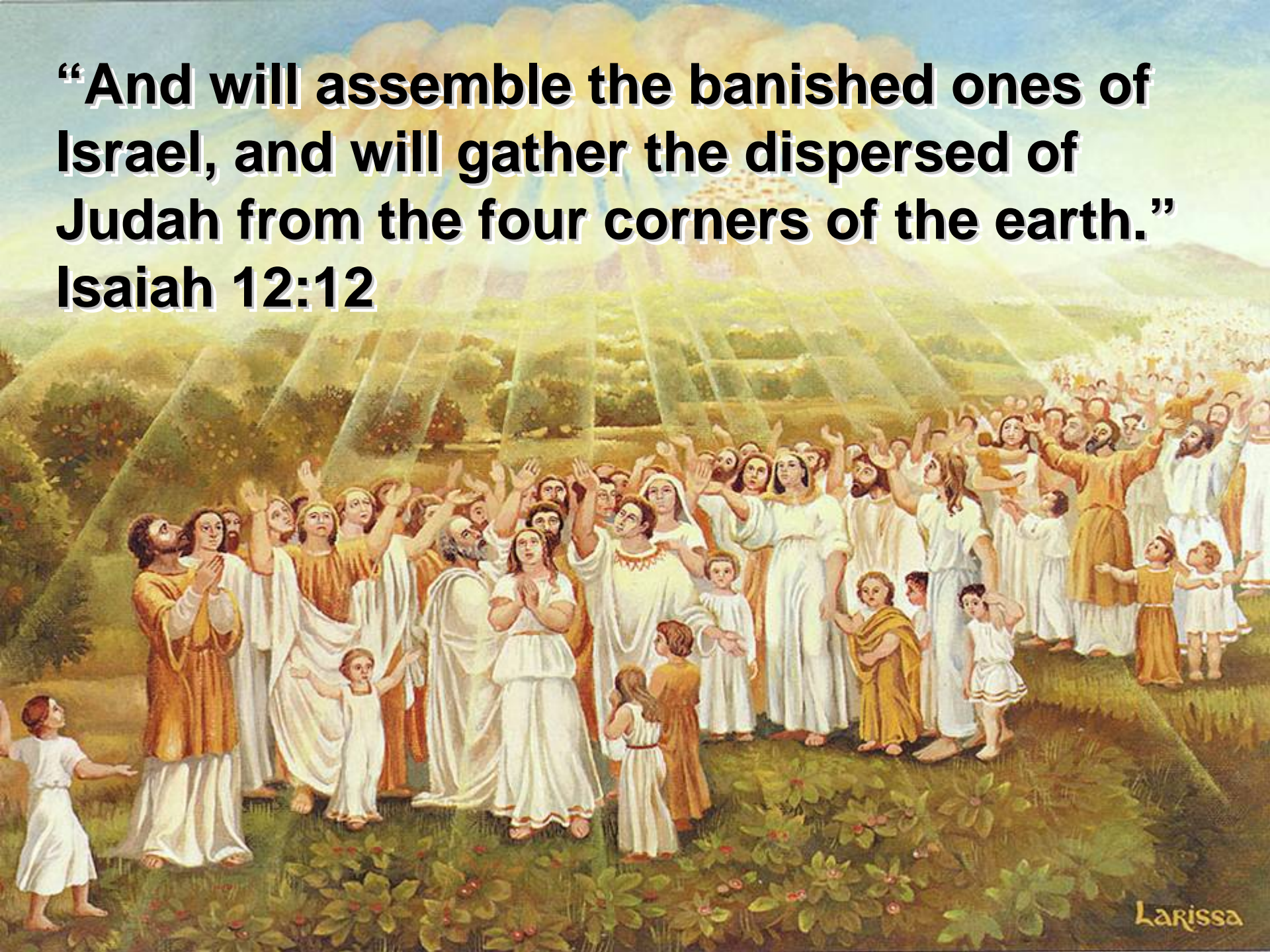
Ezekiel 36:24, ““For I will take you from among the nations, gather you out of all countries, and bring you into your own land’.”

Zephaniah 2:1, “Gather yourselves together, yes, gather together, O undesirable nation,

Zephaniah 2:2, “Before the decree is issued, *or* the day passes like chaff, before the LORD’s fierce anger comes upon you, before the day of the LORD’s anger comes upon you!”

Return in Belief

**“And will assemble the banished ones of Israel, and will gather the dispersed of Judah from the four corners of the earth.”
Isaiah 12:12**



Isaiah 27:12, “And it shall come to pass in that day *that* the LORD will thresh, from the channel of the River to the Brook of Egypt; and you will be gathered one by one, O you children of Israel.

Isaiah 27:13, “So it shall be in that day: The great trumpet will be blown; they will come, who are about to perish in the land of Assyria, and they who are outcasts in the land of Egypt, and shall worship the LORD in the holy mount at Jerusalem.”

Isaiah 43:5, “Fear not, for I *am* with you; I will bring your descendants from the east, and gather you from the west;

Isaiah 43:6, “I will say to the north, ‘Give them up!’ And to the south, ‘Do not keep them back!’ Bring My sons from afar, and My daughters from the ends of the earth.

Isaiah 43:7, “Everyone who is called by My name, whom I have created for My glory; I have formed him, yes, I have made him.”

Zechariah 10:8, “I will whistle for them and gather them, for I will redeem them; and they shall increase as they once increased.

Zechariah 10:9, “I will sow them among the peoples, and they shall remember Me in far countries; they shall live, together with their children, and they shall return.

Zechariah 10:10, “I will also bring them back from the land of Egypt, and gather them from Assyria. I will bring them into the land of Gilead and Lebanon, until no *more room* is found for them.

Zechariah 10:11, “He shall pass through the sea with affliction, and strike the waves of the sea: All the depths of the River shall dry up. Then the pride of Assyria shall be brought down, and the scepter of Egypt shall depart.

Zechariah 10:12, “So I will strengthen them in the LORD, and they shall walk up and down in His name,’ says the LORD.”

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The Time of Regathering

“Then it will happen on that day that the Lord will recover *the second time* with His hand the Remnant of His people who will remain ...”

Isaiah 11:11

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5. Modern Israel parallels the Israel predicted to exist in the end time.

Modern Israel



1948— Israel becomes a state

1967— Jerusalem united as capital

2000- Battle for Temple Mount begins

Jewish people in Israel in unbelief

Pseudo-peace plan internationally enforced

Jerusalem center of international conflict

Concluding Concepts

A large crowd of people is gathered in a public square, holding numerous Israeli flags. The flags are blue and white with a Star of David in the center. The people are dressed in casual clothing, and the background shows a stone wall and some buildings. The scene is bright and sunny, suggesting a public event or celebration.

- 1. Israel is still the chosen People of God**
- 2. Despite Israel's sin she will still be saved**
- 3. National Israel today is part of God's preparation for the future fulfillment of His prophetic plan**
- 4. Christian support for Israel is in accord with God's purpose to bless all mankind**

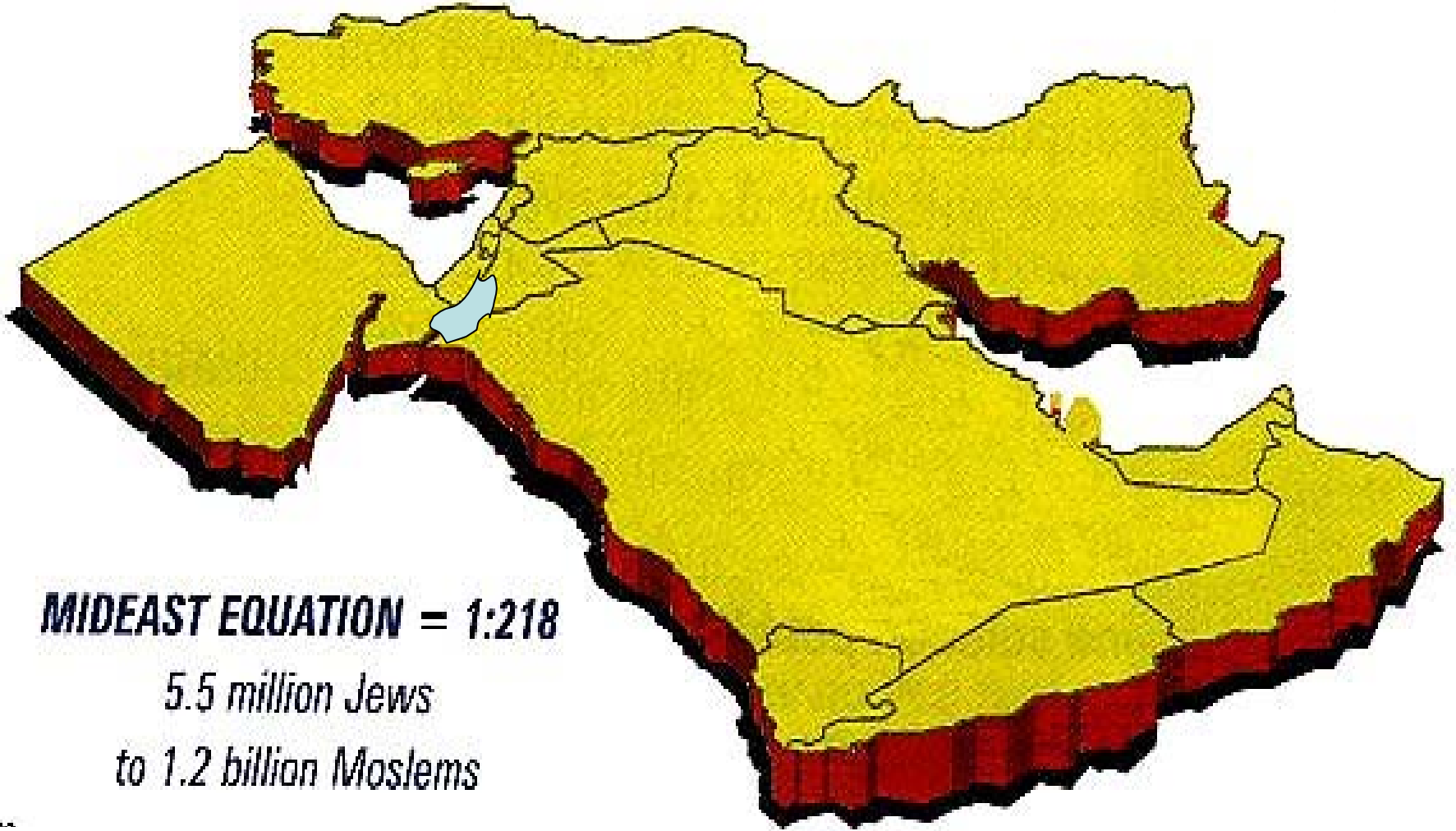
**What Should
We Do?**

PRAY FOR ISRAEL

A person in a military uniform, seen from behind, stands with their hands clasped in prayer. They are positioned in front of a rough, stone wall. The scene is brightly lit, suggesting an outdoor setting. The person's uniform is olive green, and they are wearing a dark cap. The overall mood is solemn and focused.

“Brethren, my heart’s desire and my prayer to God for them [Israel] is for their salvation.” Romans 10:1

We Should Support Israel in her Struggle for Survival.



Israel and the Arab World

**If the enemy
of my enemy
is my friend ...**

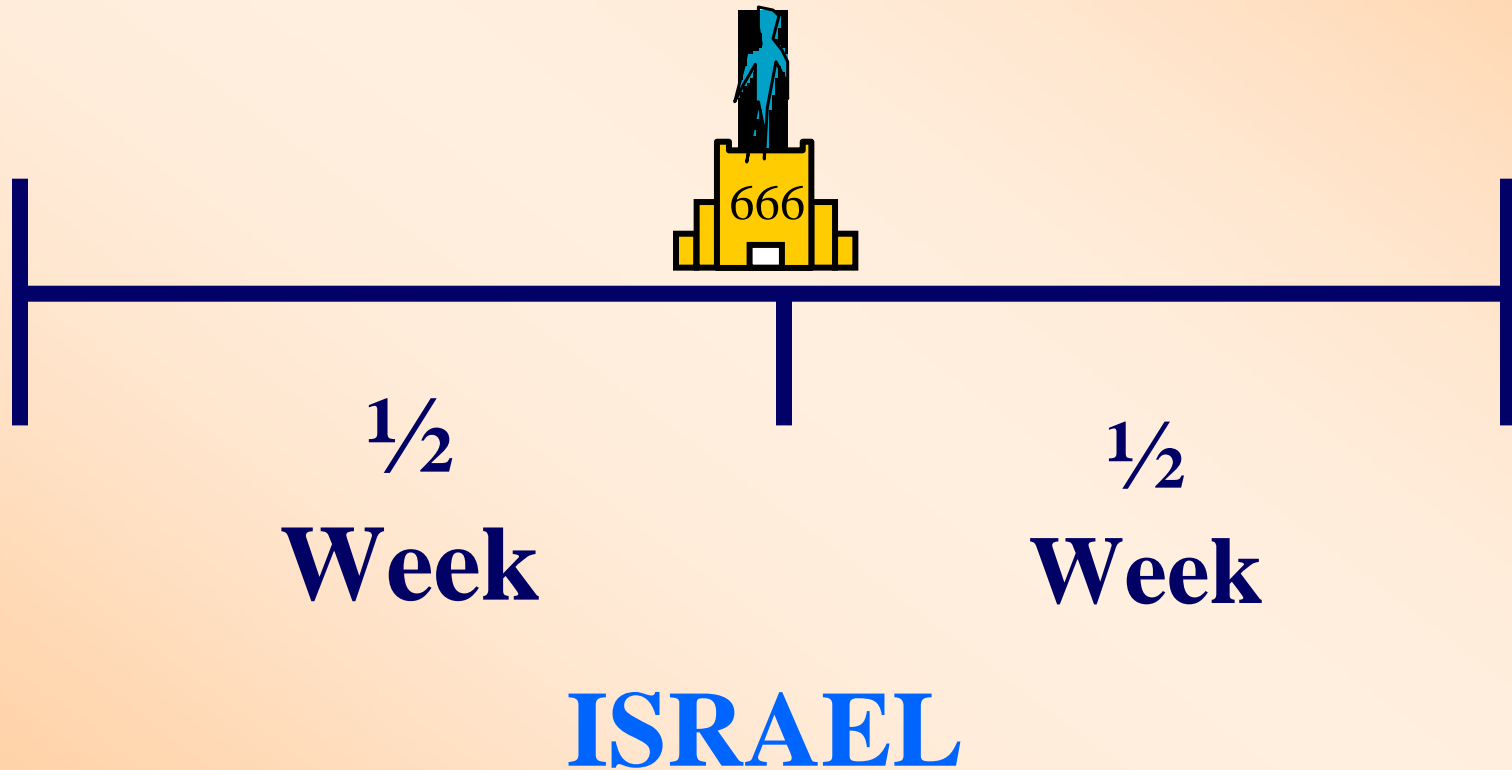
ISRAEL

**is the best friend
the USA ever had!**



The Great Tribulation

Daniel's Seventieth Week



The Great Tribulation

The Day of the Lord

Daniel 12:1, “At that time Michael shall stand up, the great prince who stands *watch* over the sons of your people; And **there shall be a time of trouble, such as never was since there was a nation, even to that time.** And at that time your people shall be delivered, every one who is found written in the book.”

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Zech. 12:2, “Behold, I am going to make Jerusalem a cup that causes reeling to all the peoples around; and when the siege is against Jerusalem, it will also be against Judah.

Zech. 12:3, “And it will come about in that day that I will make Jerusalem a heavy stone for all the peoples; all who lift it will be severely injured. And all the nations of the earth will be gathered against it.

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Zech. 12:4, “‘In that day,’ declares the LORD, ‘I will strike every horse with bewilderment, and his rider with madness. But I will watch over the house of Judah, while I strike every horse of the peoples with blindness.’”

Zech. 12:5, “Then the clans of Judah will say in their hearts, ‘A strong support for us are the inhabitants of Jerusalem through the LORD of hosts, their God’.”

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Is. 13:6, “Wail, for the day of the LORD is near! It will come as destruction from the Almighty.

Is. 13:7, “Therefore all hands will fall limp, and every man’s heart will melt.

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Is. 13:8, “And they will be terrified, pains and anguish will take hold of them; they will writhe like a woman in labor, they will look at one another in astonishment, their faces aflame.

Is. 13:9, “Behold, the day of the LORD is coming, Cruel, with fury and burning anger, to make the land a desolation; and He will exterminate its sinners from it.”

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Amos 5:18, “Alas, you who are longing for the day of the LORD, for what purpose will the day of the LORD be to you? It will be darkness and not light;

Amos 5:19, “As when a man flees from a lion, and a bear meets him, or goes home, leans his hand against the wall, and a snake bites him.

Amos 5:20, “Will not the day of the LORD be darkness instead of light, even gloom with no brightness in it?”

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The day of the Lord includes darkness of the heavenly bodies in judgment followed by the light of blessing in the Millennial Kingdom.

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Joel 2:28, “And it will come about after this that I will pour out My Spirit on all mankind; and your sons and daughters will prophesy, your old men will dream dreams, your young men will see visions.

Joel 2:29, “And even on the male and female servants I will pour out My Spirit in those days.

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Joel 2:30, “And I will display wonders in the sky and on the earth, blood, fire, and columns of smoke.

Joel 2:31, “The sun will be turned into darkness, and the moon into blood, before the great and awesome day of the LORD comes.

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Joel 2:32, “And it will come about that whoever calls on the name of the LORD will be delivered; For on Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there will be those who escape, as the LORD has said, even among the survivors whom the LORD calls.”

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Jacob's Trouble

Jer. 30:7, “Alas! for that day is great, there is none like it; And it is the time of Jacob’s trouble, but he will be saved from it.”

The Great Tribulation

The Wrath of God

Zeph. 1:15, “A day of wrath is that day, a day of trouble and distress, a day of destruction and desolation, a day of darkness and gloom, a day of clouds and thick darkness.”

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Matt. 24:29, “But immediately after the tribulation of those days the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light, and the stars will fall from the sky, and the powers of the heavens will be shaken.”

Mark 13:19, “For those days will be a time of tribulation **such as has not occurred since the beginning of the creation which God created, until now, and never shall.”**