



Signs of the Times

“But you, brethren, are not in darkness, so that this Day should overtake you as a thief.” (1Thessalonians 5:4)

Reference: Matthew 16:1-4

1. Why were the Pharisees and Sadducees hypocrites?
2. What should the Pharisees have been able to discern?
3. What is "the sign of the prophet Jonah"?

Israel: God's Prophetic Clock

4. What miracle does Malachi 3:6 represent?
5. Has the Church replaced Israel in God's promises?
6. How do we know that the prophecies about Israel regathering have not been fulfilled in history?
7. What indicates this is a prophecy related to the return of Christ and that Israel is returning to the land in unbelief?
8. How has Israel profaned the name of the Lord?
9. Could God re-gather Israel another time?

Reference: Zephaniah 3:8-9

10. How is the Hebrew language contrary to world trends?
11. Are there more or less languages in the world today?
12. How does a pure language describe Hebrew?
13. Zechariah 12:3 - Why is there always something about Jerusalem in the news?
14. Zechariah 12:5 - How will the last days government of Israel differ from times before they were dispersed?
15. Zechariah 12:6 - What do know about Israel's military power in the end times?

Signs in Society (Spiritual Decay)

16. Matthew 24:37 - Describe the return of Jesus.
17. 2 Timothy 3:1-5 - What can we expect to see in the society of mankind before Christ returns?
18. What will make the last days perilous?
19. How are undisciplined children an end-times sign?
20. What is a form of godliness but denying its power?
21. What trend should we expect to see in society as we get closer to the return of the Lord?
22. What is causing the escalation of crime?
23. What can we do about the problems in society?

Spiritual Decay

24. 2 Timothy 3:13 - What trend can we expect for religious deception as we near Christ's return?
25. Who believes society will get better?
26. Why shouldn't it be a surprise that society will get worse prior to the Lord's return?
27. 2 Timothy 4:3-4 - What happens when people get away from the God of the Bible?
28. Why do people embrace astrology, psychics, ESP, etc.?

Reference: 2 Peter 3:3-6?

29. 3:3 - What trend do we expect to see in end-times?
30. What does it mean to scoff at the return of Christ?
31. What does it mean to walk according to their own lusts?
32. How can scoffers say the return of Christ is delayed?
33. 3:5-6 - What are the end-time scoffers forgetting?
34. What does "willfully forgetting" the flood mean?
35. What do people believe about the flood of Noah?
36. 3:5 - What else will people willfully forget?
37. How does the willful forgetfulness of creation cause people to scoff at the return of Christ?
38. What good spiritual signs are there in Joel 2:28-29?
39. What does Daniel 12:4 have to say about good spiritual signs in the end-times?

Signs in Technology

40. Daniel 12:8-10 - Who did God say would understand?
41. Daniel 12:4 - What is today's fulfillment?
42. For a lot of people to travel, what had to happen?
43. What does the expansion of knowledge mean?
44. Why does God generally work through natural means rather than the supernatural?
45. Rev 11:8-11 - How will the whole world see the resurrection of God's two tribulation witnesses?
46. Nahum 2:3-4 - What does this verse describe?
47. What are the flaming torches a reference to?
48. What does it mean the spears are brandished and the chariots rage in the streets jostling one in the broad roads?
49. What does it mean they run like lightning?

World Politics

50. Revelation 13:7 - What sort of government is described?
51. Where is America in prophecy?
52. Are we are moving closer to a one-world government?

World Religion

53. Revelation 13:8 - What sort of religion is described?
54. What is ecumenicalism?
55. Where have we seen ecumenicalism?
56. If God intends the church to be one, why are there so many denominations?
57. Hebrews 10:24-25 - What should we be doing as we see the Day of the Lord approaching?
58. What message should these signs of the soon coming of the Lord send to unbelievers?
59. What message should these signs of the soon coming of the Lord send to believers?