

*Understanding The
Terms: Prophecy
Terms Made Simple*

"FOR THE TESTIMONY OF JESUS IS THE
SPIRIT OF PROPHECY" REVELATION 19:10

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“Freely you have received; freely give.”

— Matthew 10:8

“Buy the truth and do not sell it—wisdom, instruction, and insight as well.”

— Proverbs 23:23

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Understanding the Language of Prophecy

PROPHECY TERMS MADE
SIMPLE (A PLAIN LANGUAGE
GUIDE TO KEY BIBLICAL
PROPHECIES & EVENTS)

***“SURELY THE LORD GOD DOES NOTHING, UNLESS HE REVEALS
HIS SECRET TO HIS SERVANTS THE PROPHETS.” — AMOS 3:7***

Prophecy can sound intimidating—especially if you didn’t grow up in church or haven’t studied the Bible deeply.

But **God never meant for prophecy to be hidden** or confusing. He gave it to us as a **roadmap**, so we wouldn’t be caught off guard when the time came.

“Surely the Lord God does nothing, unless He reveals His secret to His servants the prophets.” — Amos 3:7

When you first begin studying end-time prophecy, it can feel like learning a completely new language.

Terms like *rapture*, *tribulation*, or *abomination of desolation* might seem overwhelming—especially if you’ve never heard them before.

But take heart—this guide was created with **you** in mind.

It’s for the seeker.

The curious.

The remnant rising in this hour.

This simple resource will break down **key prophetic terms**, giving you clear explanations and context—so that you can better understand what the Bible says is coming, and most importantly...

What it means for you.

Prophecy Terms Made Simple

“FOR PROPHECY NEVER HAD ITS ORIGIN IN THE HUMAN WILL, BUT PROPHETS, THOUGH HUMAN, SPOKE FROM GOD AS THEY WERE CARRIED ALONG BY THE HOLY SPIRIT.” — 2 PETER 1:21

A BEGINNER’S GUIDE TO END-TIME LANGUAGE

PROPHECY

Definition: A message given by God through a human, revealing His will or future events.

Why It Matters: Prophecy proves that God is in control of history. It validates the Bible as true and prepares believers for what lies ahead.

Scripture:

“For prophecy never had its origin in the human will, but prophets, though human, spoke from God as they were carried along by the Holy Spirit.” — 2 Peter 1:21

APOSTASY (THE FALLING AWAY)

Definition: A total rebellion against God’s truth. A great falling away from biblical faith in the last days.

Why It Matters: This is happening within the Church. Many are abandoning sound doctrine, accepting a watered-down, compromised gospel, choosing comfort over conviction. A massive falling away from the truth before Jesus returns.

Scripture:

2 Thessalonians 2:3

1 Timothy 4:1–2

THE RAPTURE

Definition: The supernatural event where Jesus calls up His true followers to meet Him in the air before the Tribulation begins.

Why It Matters: This is the great rescue of the faithful—those who truly follow Jesus—before God’s wrath is poured out.

Scripture:

1 Thessalonians 4:16–17

1 Corinthians 15:51–52

THE TRIBULATION

Definition: A 7-year period of suffering, deception, and judgment on the earth. Divided into two halves—the second half is the “Great Tribulation.”

Why It Matters: A time of purging and judgment for those left behind.
A final wake-up call before Christ returns.

Scripture:

Daniel 9:27

Matthew 24:21–22

Revelation Chapters 6–18

THE ANTICHRIST

Definition: A charismatic end-time world leader who deceives many and demands worship.

Why It Matters: He is the counterfeit Christ—offering false peace, then turning against God and His people.

Scripture:

2 Thessalonians 2:3–4

Revelation 13

Daniel 9:27

ABOMINATION OF DESOLATION

Definition: When the Antichrist enters the future Temple and declares himself to be God.

Why It Matters: This marks the midpoint of the 7-year Tribulation and the start of the Great Tribulation.

Scripture:

Matthew 24:15

Daniel 9:27

70 WEEKS OF DANIEL

Definition: A prophetic timeline given to Daniel—70 sets of 7 years (490 years) concerning Israel.

Why It Matters: 69 weeks (483 years) ended with Jesus' first coming. The 70th week is the Tribulation.

Scripture:

Daniel 9:24–27

THE CHURCH AGE (AGE OF GRACE)

Definition: The current time period where salvation is freely offered through Jesus Christ.

Why It Matters: This is the era we are in now—it ends with the Rapture.

Scripture:

Romans 11:25

Ephesians 3:2

THE MARK OF THE BEAST

Definition: A required mark (physical or digital) symbolizing allegiance to the Antichrist. Without it, people cannot buy or sell.

Why It Matters: Accepting it is a spiritual death sentence—refusing may cost you your life, but honors God.

Scripture:

Revelation 13:16–18

THE SECOND COMING

Definition: Jesus returns to earth—not quietly this time, but in power and glory.

Why It Matters: He defeats the Antichrist and takes His rightful place as Ruler. The whole world will see it. Every knee will bow.

Scripture:

Revelation 19:11–16

Zechariah 14:4

Matthew 24:30

THE MILLENNIAL KINGDOM

Definition: Jesus' 1,000-year reign on earth after His return.

Why It Matters: A time of peace, justice, and the fulfillment of God's promises to Israel.

Scripture:

Revelation 20:1–6

Isaiah 2:2–4

THE GREAT WHITE THRONE JUDGMENT

Definition: The final judgment for all who rejected Jesus.

Why It Matters: This is where eternal destinies are sealed—Heaven or the lake of fire.

Scripture:

Revelation 20:11–15

THE NEW HEAVEN AND NEW EARTH

Definition: The eternal home for all who belong to Jesus. A new creation free from sin, death, and sorrow.

Why It Matters: This is our hope—eternal peace, joy, and communion with God forever.

Scripture:

Revelation 21:1–4

Closing Encouragement

“SON OF MAN, I HAVE MADE
YOU A WATCHMAN... SO HEAR
THE WORD I SPEAK AND GIVE
THEM WARNING FROM ME.” —
EZEKIEL 3:17

Understanding these terms isn't about sounding spiritual—it's about being spiritually awake.

You don't need a theology degree to understand prophecy.
You just need the Holy Spirit and a heart that's humble and ready to receive truth.

These words, these warnings, and these promises are not for scholars alone—they're for the remnant.
For you.

Now that you understand the language of the final hour, you're no longer asleep.
You're equipped to **see**, to **warn**, and to **stand**—as a Watchman on the wall.

“Son of man, I have made you a watchman... so bear the word I speak and give them warning from Me.” — Ezekiel 3:17

A Final Call

If any of this stirs your spirit...
If you feel the urgency in your bones...

Don't wait.

Repent.

Turn to Jesus.

Surrender your life completely.

**He is the only shelter from what is coming—
And the only way to eternal life.**

***“I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life. No one comes to the Father except
through Me.” — John 14:6***