

## WHAT DO I HAVE TO DO TO BE SAVED?

Jesus said, in Matthew 7:13-14, that there are only two roads to choose, the **NARROW ROAD, AND THE WIDE ROAD!** But Jesus said many will choose the road that leads to **SPIRITUAL DEATH!** Which road are you on? There are some things one must do to be sure they are on the narrow road, and apart from these there is NO salvation but death!(1 John 5:12) The truth is simple, **REPENT, FORSAKE ALL YOUR SINS!** And get baptized! In Repentance you die with Christ (to sin) crucify “your” flesh, (Gal 2-20) and your heart is made PURE by Faith Working by Love! (1 Peter 1-22, Gal 5-6) (Evidence of a saving faith) Now you **OBEY GOD** Cleansed, Purged and Scrubbed Clean of all your overflow of wickedness and defilement (Gal 5-24) able to receive with meekness the implanted Word that can **SAVE YOUR SOUL!** (Romans 6:4-6, James:1-21-23) Then Come Sorrowing after the Mercy of God, **CLEARED** of wrong doings by **FORSAKING THEM ALL** (past sins, never future sins, Romans 3-25) and making restitution where necessary. Vehemently desiring in your heart to **OBEY HIM** with great zeal and passion, presuming nothing and plead for Reconciliation. (2 Cor 5-11-21) (This is the Model of Redemption set forth in the Bible! (2Cor7:10-11) Thus the **TRUE MEANING OF BIBLE REDEMPTION:** ‘Release from bondage by Payment of Ransom!’ What Jesus did on the Cross was NOT take anyone’s place, **BUT** Provide Himself as A **SIN OFFERING** (Heb 9-14) to Ransom Man and turn him from Darkness to Light, from the Power of Satan to God! (Acts 26-18) Hence the ‘Works’ of the Devil are **DESTROYED** and Man can be Restored to an upright heart. (1 JH 3-7-8) Now the Bible makes sense! **DEEDS** will be the deciding factor in your final Salvation, not some mystical Trust in an illusion. (Rom2:7-8, 1Pet1:17) Professed Christians today are believing ‘Everything’ but the Truth. Simply because most of them have **NEVER** been exposed to the truth. It’s an unfortunate reality however that their belief Systems has a very Strong tendency to Silence their Conscience to the **CONVICTING POWER** of the Holy Spirit. Thus when they do hear the Truth it cannot Cut them to the heart (Acts 2-37) so that they would be **MOTIVATED TO REPENT.** When a person is convinced that some

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form of Doctrine is Correct, it is almost impossible to persuade them otherwise. (2 Thess 2-11) To them the Bible Supports their fallacies and absolves them from **Obedience.** Given that the Substitution Model provides the **PERFECT excuse** for Sin, there is NOT much of a chance many will escape its clutches and see the Light before their time is up. If You Believe in God and Trust that Jesus is your Savior you **NEED** to get this Right! The Foundation on which you stand should be deeply rooted in the Truth. Don’t rely on someone else to dig for you. (Luke 6:46-49) **CHOOSE THE RIGHT ROAD! AND REMEMBER SIN IS A CHOICE, NOT A DISEASE WE INHERITED, OR WERE BORN INTO! Repent first.** (Isa 55-7, Acts 3-19) Seek HIS mercy, and get **BORN AGAIN!** You must die once to be born again! (John 3:3) The Holy Spirit, can now indwell you, to produce good fruit, and guide you into all righteousness and **TRUTH!** (Eph 5:18)! Now **fear God** hope in His great mercy, forsake all the dead things of this world, and serve Him to the bitter end!

**Exodus 20:3** Thou shalt have no other gods before me.

**Jeremiah 25:6** And go not after other gods to serve them, and to worship them, and provoke me not to anger with the works of your hands; and I will do you no hurt.

**John 3:3** Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.

**John 14:6** Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

**1John 3:8** He that committeth sin is of the devil; for the devil sinneth from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that he might destroy the works of the devil.

**John 9:31** Now we know that God heareth not sinners: but if any man be a worshipper of God, and doeth his will, him he heareth.

**Revelation 3:16** So then because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spue thee out of my mouth.

**James 2:26** For as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is dead also.

## IN THE BEGINNING...

**What is the absolute truth about life?**

**How do we know what it TRUE?**

Let’s start off by looking at what day of the week it is. Monday? Tuesday? Maybe Saturday? How about the hour, minute, second? Time keeps on going no matter if we are living or not. We are but a vapor.

Now, what year is it? 1850? 1929? 2001? 2016? The entire world keeps time by one single person who walked this earth about 2,000 years ago. That man is Jesus Christ and HE is the Beginning and the End. HE is the one true GOD and the creator of ALL things. We will prove this shortly.

The term *anno Domini* is Medieval Latin, which means *in the year of the Lord* but is often translated as *in the year of our Lord*. It is occasionally set out more fully as *anno Domini nostri Iesu (or Jesu) Christi* (“in the year of Our Lord Jesus Christ”). The terms *anno Domini* (AD or A.D.) and *before Christ* (BC or B.C.) are used to label or number years in the Julian and Gregorian calendars.

There is NO other God that is this powerful! Let’s look at the undeniable proof over thousands of years of writings and prophecy. Continue with us just for a few more minutes, your life is going to drastically change when you know the *absolute truth.*



## Odds of Christ Fulfilling Prophecy?

The focus of this topic is to look at the probability of Christ fulfilling the prophecies in the Old Testament. There are more than 300 prophecies in the Holy Bible written over thousands of years. We are just going to calculate 8 of them! Look closely below.

So, what is probability? Probability, also known as "odds", is a branch of mathematics that measures the likelihood that a given event will occur. To begin, let's look at some interesting "odds":

- Being struck by lightning in a year =  $7 \times 10^5$  or 1 in 700,000
- Being killed by lightning in a year =  $2 \times 10^6$  or 1 in 2,000,000
- Becoming president =  $1 \times 10^7$  or 1 in 10,000,000
- A meteorite landing on your house =  $1.8 \times 10^{14}$  or 1 in 180,000,000,000,000
- You will eventually die = 1 in 1

The Bible is full of prophecies, either events that have happened or events that will happen in the future. Let's look at the probability that one man, Jesus Christ, could have fulfilled even 8 of the 300 prophecies that pertain to Him in the Bible. Let's look at these eight prophecies from the Old Testament pertaining to Christ, their fulfillment by Christ in the New Testament, the probability of one man fulfilling each prophecy, and the sum of one man fulfilling all eight prophecies. Keep in mind, the time span between the prophecies of the Old Testament and the New Testament fulfillment is hundreds, even thousands of years.

WHAT'S THE ODDS JESUS IS THE ONLY TRUE GOD?

IS IT MATHEMATICALLY PROBABLE THIS WAS BY CHANCE OR IS IT IMPOSSIBLE AND JESUS IS GOD?

Old Testament Prophecy	New Testament Fulfillment	Probability
Christ to be born in Bethlehem ( <a href="#">Micah 5:2</a> )	And Herod asked where Christ had been born ... they answered Bethlehem ( <a href="#">Matt 2:4-6</a> )	$2.8 \times 10^5$ or 1 in 280,000
Forerunner of Christ ( <a href="#">Malachi 3:1</a> )	John the Baptist, the forerunner of Christ ( <a href="#">Mark 1:2-8</a> )	$1 \times 10^3$ or 1 in 1,000
Christ to enter Jerusalem riding on a donkey ( <a href="#">Zech 9:9</a> )	Christ enters Jerusalem riding on a donkey ( <a href="#">Matt 21:4-11</a> )	$1 \times 10^2$ or 1 in 100
Christ to be betrayed by a friend ( <a href="#">Psalm 41:9</a> )	Judas betrayed Jesus ( <a href="#">Luke 22:21</a> )	$1 \times 10^3$ or 1 in 1,000
Christ to be betrayed for 30 pieces of silver ( <a href="#">Zech 11:12</a> )	Judas sold out Jesus for 30 pieces of silver ( <a href="#">Matt 26:15</a> )	$1 \times 10^3$ or 1 in 1,000
30 pieces of silver casted down and used to buy a potter's field ( <a href="#">Zech 11:13</a> )	30 pieces of silver used to buy a potter's field ( <a href="#">Matt 27:3-10</a> )	$1 \times 10^5$ or 1 in 100,000
Although innocent, Christ kept silent when on trial ( <a href="#">Isaiah 53:7</a> )	Jesus kept silent when questioned ( <a href="#">Mark 14:60-61</a> )	$1 \times 10^3$ or 1 in 1,000
Christ crucified ( <a href="#">Psalm 22:16</a> )	Jesus was crucified ( <a href="#">John 19:17, 18</a> )	$1 \times 10^4$ or 1 in 10,000

To answer the question what is the probability of one man fulfilling all eight prophecies, the principal of probability is applied. Therefore, multiplying all eight probabilities together ( $1 \times 2.8 \times 10^5 \times 10^3 \times 10^2 \times 10^3 \times 10^3 \times 10^5 \times 10^3 \times 10^4$ ) gives us  $2.8 \times 10^{28}$ , or for simplicity sake  $1 \times 10^{28}$  or 1 in 10,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000. Given this and the time span between the writings of the Old Testament and the fulfillment by Christ in the New Testament, the prophecies were either given to the prophets by God, or the prophets just wrote them down as they thought they should be.

With Christ fulfilling all eight prophecies, what are the odds the prophets were just guessing? The bible says 2Ti 3:15 And that from a child thou hast known the holy scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation through faith which is in Christ Jesus. 2Ti 3:16 All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: 17 That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works. NO DOUBT, JESUS IS THE ONE TRUE GOD!

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