

Is Bible Prophecy Happening Now? The Signs Are Unmistakable

As the world spirals toward chaos, many believers are searching for answers about the times we are living in. Are we on the cusp of biblical prophecy unfolding before our eyes? L.A. Marzulli sat down with Mondo Gonzales of Prophecy Watchers to discuss recent events and their potential connection to the final days. Their conversation covered everything from the ongoing conflict in Israel to the mysterious role of the red heifer and the inevitable rise of the Antichrist.

Hamas and the Red Heifer

One of the more intriguing aspects of their discussion centered around the red heifer—a biblically significant animal required for Jewish purification rites. Some have speculated that the red heifer ceremony played a role in triggering the Oct. 7, 2023, attacks on Israel by Hamas, but Gonzales dismissed this notion outright.

“If you go back to [Hamas’] charter, they don’t need a reason to kill Jews,” Gonzales states plainly. He points out that Hamas is notorious for propaganda, often fabricating narratives to manipulate global opinion. “They create whole scenarios... dress people up in makeup, put a child there and record it like it’s a real event.”

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The Third Temple and the Coming Antichrist

Perhaps one of the most pressing topics in Bible prophecy today is the rebuilding of the Third Temple in Jerusalem. Scripture foretells that the Antichrist will make a covenant with Israel to allow the construction of this temple, an event that many believe to be politically impossible at the moment. However, Gonzales and Marzulli both emphasize that circumstances can shift rapidly.

“When people say, ‘There’s no way in a million years this could happen,’ I would argue that everything is changing right before our eyes,” Gonzales observes. He pointed out that Saudi Arabia—an Islamic powerhouse—has quietly signaled that it has no issue with a Jewish temple in Jerusalem. “They’ve even offered to take over control of the Temple Mount’s management from the Jordanians.”

Marzulli added, “Look at Syria. A couple of months ago, no one saw that coming. Assad flees the country, the prisons are emptied... Everything changed in an instant. That’s how fast this could happen.”

The Millennial Kingdom: Literal or Allegorical?

Marzulli and Gonzales strongly reject the idea that the Millennial Kingdom is merely symbolic. “There are people out there who say we’re already living in the Millennial Kingdom,” Marzulli says, incredulously. “Two World Wars, Korea,

Vietnam—if this is the Millennial Kingdom, I’ll shave my head and become a Buddhist.”

Gonzales took a more scholarly approach, tracing this theological error back to St. Augustine in the 4th century.

“When Christianity became the dominant power of the Roman Empire, theologians started allegorizing prophecy because it didn’t fit their worldview.” However, he pointed to the Bible’s explicit promises that Christ will reign physically from Jerusalem for a thousand years. “Zechariah 14 is crystal clear—His feet will touch the Mount of Olives. That’s not allegory.”

Smartphones have changed everything. They started as simple tools for calling and texting but have now become extensions of ourselves—shaping our thoughts, emotions and even our faith.

Pastor Vlad Savchuk of HungryGen Ministries recently sounded the alarm on the dangers of digital addiction, calling it more than just a bad habit; it’s a spiritual battle.

Satan is Using Your phone Against You

In a recent video, Savchuk warns that our phones are more than just distractions—they are traps.

“See, your attention is someone’s business model,” he says, referencing Columbia law professor Tim Wu’s book “The Attention Merchants.” Social media giants design their platforms to keep us hooked, selling our time for profit. As former Google engineer Tristan Harris put it, “You’re not paying for the product because you are the product.”

But beyond the economic consequences, Savchuk argues that the smartphone is a weapon used by the enemy to steal our intimacy with God, weaken our faith and keep us spiritually weak.

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10 Signs You're Addicted to Your Phone

Savchuk offers a self-checklist, asking: "Are you already hooked on this? Have you already fallen prey to the plan of the enemy?" Here are 10 warning signs:

1. Checking your phone first thing in the morning.
2. Feeling anxious without it.
3. Aimlessly scrolling for hours without realizing it.
4. Neglecting relationships because of screen time: "Someone in your circle is complaining, 'You're always on your phone.'"
5. Seeking validation through likes and comments: "You need that dopamine rush."
6. Struggling to focus on prayer and Bible reading: "When you open the Scriptures, you can't focus because of so many notifications."
7. Prioritizing entertainment over spiritual growth: "You have no plan for your development, but your default setting for numbing yourself is your phone."
8. Losing sleep due to late-night scrolling: "You're missing prayer early in the morning because you stayed up scrolling."
9. Texting and driving: "This is a big one."
10. Using your phone during worship: "People can't worship without capturing a worship moment for Instagram."

If any of these sound familiar, Savchuk warns that your phone may be controlling you, not the other way around.

The Devil's Tactics

Savchuk argues that the smartphone is one of the most effective tools of distraction, much like how Eve was lured away by what she didn't have in Genesis 3.

The phone doesn't just waste time—it pulls people into sin. Savchuk highlights several ways this happens:

- **Pornography and Lust** – “What starts as aimless scrolling becomes something you look at that you're not supposed to look at.”
- **Gossip and Drama** – “People love drama, hate, division. And Christians can be the meanest of them all.”
- **Comparison and Envy** – “Social media helps us see the perfect lives of others, and we begin to covet what they have.”
- **Wasting Time** – “Even if it's not a sin, the devil wants you to waste your time, your potential. Ephesians 5:16 says, ‘Redeem the time because the days are evil.’”

Steps to Reclaim Your Life

So what's the solution? Savchuk offers practical steps to break free from smartphone addiction and take control of your time:

1. **Digital Detox:** “Fast from your phone. Try a 24-hour phone fast every week or a 30-day reset.”
2. **Prioritize Prayer Over Scrolling:** “Psalm 5:3: ‘In the morning, Lord, you will hear my voice.’ Don't check your phone before prayer.”
3. **Delete Time-Wasting Apps:** “Most social media apps my ministry is on are not on my phone.”
4. **Turn Off Notifications:** “Remove notifications so that you have to search for it to go on it.”

5. **Replace Scrolling with Real Activities:** “Memorize Bible verses, work out, go outside, join a small group.”
6. **Create Phone-Free Zones:** “No phone at meals, church, bedtime or while driving.”
7. **Make Social Media Purposeful:** “Use it for ministry, encouragement and wisdom—not mindless scrolling.”

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Savchuk shares his own journey, admitting, “Social media has been one of the most effective tools to take my attention from the things that matter.” But he reminds his audience that smartphones are just tools—it’s up to us to control them, not be controlled by them.

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Don’t miss Vlad Savchuk’s newest book “Make the Devil Homeless” releasing Fall 2025!

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Golden Idols, Broken Ground: Is God Shaking Hollywood?

Los Angeles is no stranger to earthquakes, but when the ground shook just hours after Hollywood’s biggest night, it left some

wondering if there was more to the tremor than mere coincidence.

As reported by “The New York Post,” a earthquake struck North Hollywood at 10:13 p.m. Sunday, just after the conclusion of the 97th Academy Awards.

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The quake was felt across LA, including Pasadena, Long Beach and the San Fernando Valley. While no major damage or injuries were reported, the timing of the event raised eyebrows. Attendees at exclusive afterparties, including those at the Vanity Fair event and the Governors Ball, reportedly felt the shaking as they celebrated the night’s winners.

California has experienced a string of minor earthquakes this year, with tremors also recorded in Malibu and Northern California. While some may chalk it up to natural seismic activity, others can’t help but wonder: was this simply an act of nature, or is there a deeper message at play?

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For decades, the Oscars have elevated golden statues as the highest symbol of achievement, with many treating them as the ultimate prize in life. But could it be that the idolatry of these awards—where actors and filmmakers glorify themselves—has finally worn thin with God? The Bible warns against lifting up false idols (Exod. 20:3-5), and few things in modern culture are as worshiped as fame and fortune.

Throughout history, God has used natural events to awaken people to their ways—sometimes as a call to repentance. In the Bible, earthquakes often accompanied moments of judgment or revelation (Matt. 27:51; Rev. 6:12).

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This One Biblical Truth About Sleep Will Change How You View Sleep

A Historic Development

For the first time in 2,000 years, qualified red heifers have arrived in Israel. Five red cows were brought over in September 2022, and three still remain viable candidates for the sacred ritual. This is a monumental event. “This is the first time in 2,000 years that they’ve had a qualified red heifer,” Stearman points out. And yet, mainstream media is silent.

Why Should Christians Care?

At this point, some might ask, “What does this have to do with us?” After all, as believers in Jesus Christ, we know that salvation comes through His sacrifice, not through temple rituals. Hebrews 9:13-14 draws the connection: if the ashes of a red heifer could provide purification in the Old Covenant, “how much more the blood of Jesus” cleanses us completely?

Stearman acknowledges this perspective but reminds us of something crucial: “We live under the blessing of the New Covenant... but the Jewish people don’t know that yet.” They are still striving to restore the temple and its sacrificial system, unaware that the ultimate sacrifice has already been made.

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A Prophetic Warning

For those following prophecy, the pieces are falling into place. As Gonzalez warns, “The tribulation period is going to be a time when they’re going to be duped by the Antichrist.” Scripture tells us that temple sacrifices will resume, only for the Antichrist to halt them midway through the Tribulation (see Dan. 9:27). In light of this, the renewed push for a Third Temple and the arrival of these red heifers should be setting off alarm bells.

Even Israel’s enemies are taking notice. Hamas, in a statement after the October 2023 attacks, admitted that one of their reasons for striking Israel was because of the red heifers. Think about that—terrorist organizations are tracking biblical prophecy. Shouldn’t Christians be doing the same?

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Lee Strobel's Investigation Into the Supernatural Will Leave You Speechless

Once again, the people of Israel find themselves mourning after a senseless act of violence.

A terrorist attack at Karkur Junction left 13 wounded, including a 17-year-old girl fighting for her life. The attacker, a Palestinian Arab who had been living illegally in Israel for years, first used his car to ram into civilians before attempting to stab others with a screwdriver. He knew he wouldn't survive—this was a suicide mission fueled by hatred.

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Attacks like these are not random. They are the product of a dangerous ideology that seeks to instill fear and chaos. For decades, the people of Israel have endured waves of violence—from stabbings and car rammings to suicide bombings.

And yet, they refuse to be broken.

They continue to build, to raise families, to live their lives

in the face of constant threats. This resilience is nothing short of remarkable.

Despite these horrors, Israel remains a beacon of democracy in a volatile region. Twenty-one percent of Israeli citizens are Arabs, living and working alongside Jewish neighbors. They are doctors, teachers and business owners. They vote. They serve in the government. The unity of daily life in Israel stands in stark contrast to the division and hatred pushed by those who seek to destroy it.

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The question is often asked: How do Israelis keep going? How do they not allow hatred to consume them? The answer is simple yet profound—faith, community and an unwavering belief in the right to exist.

As we hear of yet another attack on innocent lives, let us do what we can from afar. Let us pray. Pray for the victims and their families, for healing, comfort and strength. But also pray for the nation of Israel, that it may continue to stand strong against those who seek to do it harm. May peace one day reign, but until that day, may Israel remain unshaken.

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Is Pope Francis Preparing for the End? His Latest Words Raise Questions

If you've been paying attention to world events, it's clear that we are witnessing monumental shifts in global politics and security. Pastor Tom Hughes recently broke down some of the biggest headlines, analyzing them through the lens of biblical prophecy. Let's take a look at the key developments shaking the world right now.

1. A Major Expansion of the Abraham Accords

A groundbreaking deal is reportedly in the works, with the U.S. leading negotiations to expand the Abraham Accords. According to Hughes:

- The deal aims to replace the Shiite Crescent (Iran-backed forces) with a moderate Sunni alliance, including Saudi Arabia, Syria and Lebanon.
- Saudi Arabia is set to invest billions in Syria and Lebanon for reconstruction.
- The U.S. will build a major military base in Jordan and assist Egypt in constructing a nuclear reactor.
- Russia will maintain a military presence in Syria but is expected to disengage from its Shiite alliances (Iran, Hezbollah, etc.).
- Gaza will be handed over to management, turning it into a key trade hub for Gulf oil exports and Western imports.

Hughes emphasizes the significance of this: "Israel must come

to a place of peace and safety according to Ezekiel 38:11... This is truly amazing to watch this happen."

But could this be the moment of "peace and security" that eventually sets the stage for the prophesied Ezekiel 38 war? Only time will tell.

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2. Pressure Mounts to Release Epstein's Client List

Another major headline is the renewed demand for Attorney General Pam Bondi to release Jeffrey Epstein's alleged client list. Lawmakers from both parties—including Marsha Blackburn, Lauren Boebert and even Ilhan Omar—are calling for transparency.

Yet, Hughes suggests there could be more at play:

- There is an ongoing war between the Deep State and the Trump Administration over these records.
- Some speculate the list contains fake names designed to discredit Trump and derail the investigation.
- Others believe Bondi is protecting certain high-profile individuals.

The deeper this goes, the murkier it becomes.

3. Tulsi Gabbard Warns: Radical Islamist

Terrorism is the #1 Threat

U.S. Director of National Intelligence Tulsi Gabbard has made it clear: radical Islamist terrorism is the greatest national security threat facing America. In a recent interview, she rejected the 2021 claim that white supremacy was the top concern, stating:

“The threat of radical Islamist terrorism here within our country is higher than it’s ever been before.”

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Gabbard cites the massive influx of illegal border crossings under the Biden administration, noting that Iranian operatives are already inside the U.S. This raises an urgent question: What happens when Iran decides to act?

Hughes also highlights Dr. Peter Hammond’s research on Islamization patterns, warning that as Muslim populations grow within a nation, so does their political and social influence—eventually leading to open conflict.

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