Acts 2

The Coming Kingdom



Psalm 2

• 1 – 2, 6 – 7 "Why do the nations rage and the peoples plot in vain? The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the LORD and against his Anointed, saying, ... v. 6 "As for me, I have set my King on Zion, my holy hill." 7 I will tell of the decree: The LORD said to me, "You are my Son; today I have begotten you."

Acts 4:24 - 27

 "Sovereign Lord, who made the heaven and the earth" and the sea and everything in them, 25 who through the mouth of our father David, your servant, said by the Holy Spirit, "Why did the Gentiles rage, and the peoples plot in vain? 26 The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers were gathered together, against the Lord and against his Anointed'— (Psalm 2) 27 for truly in this city there were gathered together against your holy servant Jesus, whom you anointed, both Herod and Pontius Pilate, along with the **Gentiles and the peoples of** Israel,"

Isaiah 2:1 - 3

 "The word that Isaiah the son of Amoz saw concerning Judah and Jerusalem. 2 It shall come to pass in the **latter** (last) days that the mountain of the house of the LORD shall be established as the highest of the mountains, and shall be lifted up above the hills; and **all the nations shall flow to it**, 3 and many peoples shall come, and say: "Come, let us go up to the *mountain of the LORD*, to the house of the God of Jacob, that he may **teach us his ways** and that we may walk in his paths." For out of Zion shall go the law, and the word of the LORD from Jerusalem."

"Great Mountain"

• Daniel 2:35 "Then the iron, the clay, the bronze, the silver, and the gold, all together were broken in pieces, and became like the chaff of the summer threshing floors; and the wind carried them away, so that not a trace of them could be found. But the **stone** that struck the image became a great mountain and filled the whole earth."

Luke 24:44 - 47

• "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled." 45 Then he opened their minds to understand the **Scriptures**, 46 and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, 47 and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem."

Daniel 2:36 - 40

• "This was the dream. Now we will tell the king its interpretation. 37 You, O king, the king of kings, to whom the God of heaven has given the kingdom, the power, and the might, and the glory, 38 and into whose hand he has given, wherever they dwell, the children of man, the beasts of the field, and the birds of the heavens, making you rule over them all-you are the head of **gold**. 39 **Another kingdom** inferior to you shall arise after you, and yet a third kingdom of bronze, which shall rule over all the earth. 40 And there shall be a **fourth kingdom**, strong as iron, because iron breaks to pieces and shatters all things. And like iron that crushes, it shall break and crush all these."

Daniel 2:44 - 45

• "44 And in the days of those kings the God of heaven will **set up a kingdom** that shall never be destroyed, nor shall the kingdom be left to another people. It shall break in pieces all these kingdoms and bring them to an end, and **it shall stand forever**, 45 just as you saw that **a stone** was cut from a mountain by **no** human hand, and that it broke in pieces the iron, the bronze, the clay, the silver, and the gold. A great God has made known to the king what shall be after this. The dream is certain, and its interpretation sure."

606 to 561 B C Nebuchadaezzar's Reign

538 B C Fall of Babylon Under Cyrus

330 B C Alexander The Great

146 B C The Caesars Eastern Rome

TRUNKS SHOW

-----Head of Gold Kingdom of Babylon

> Arms of Silver Geder & Perrian Kingdom

Thighs of Brass Greetian Empire

Daniel 2: Four Kingdoms

Daniel 7:13 - 14

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Luke 1:30 - 33

- "And the angel said to her, "Do not be afraid, Mary, for you have found favor with God. 31 And behold, you will conceive in your womb and bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus. 32 He will be great and will be called the Son of the Most High. And the Lord God will give to him the throne of his father David, 33 and he will reign over the house of Jacob forever, and of his kingdom there will be no end."...
- 2:1 "In those days a decree went out from **Caesar Augustus** that all the world should be registered."

Joel 2:28 - 32

• "And it shall come to pass **afterward**, that I will **pour out my Spirit** on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions. 29 Even on the male and female servants in those days I will pour out my Spirit. 30 "And I will show wonders in the heavens and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of smoke. 31 The sun shall be turned to darkness, and the moon to blood, before the great and awesome day of the LORD comes. 32 And it shall come to pass that everyone who calls on the name of the LORD shall be saved. For in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be those who escape, as the LORD has said, and among the survivors shall be those whom the LORD calls."



Romans 10:11 - 13

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13 For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

Message Confirmed by Miracles

 Hebrews 2:3b "It was declared at first by the Lord, and it was attested to us by those who heard, 4 while God also bore witness by signs and wonders and various miracles and by gifts of the Holy Spirit distributed according to his will."

What Shall We Do?

- "Now when they heard this they were cut to the heart, and said to Peter and the rest of the apostles, "Brothers, what shall we do?" 38 And Peter said to them, "Repent and be baptized every one of you in the *name of Jesus Christ* for the forgiveness of your sins, and you will receive the *gift of the Holy Spirit*. 39 For the promise is for you and for your children and for **all who are far off**, everyone whom the Lord our God calls to himself." And with many other words he bore witness and continued to exhort them, saying, "Save yourselves from this crooked generation."
- Acts 2:37 41

What God Will Do?

Act 2:41 "So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls."...2:47 "And the Lord added to their number day by day those who were being saved."

Will you permit God to transfer you out of Satan's domain and into the kingdom of God's beloved Son?

(Col. 1:13 - 14) "He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins."