BIBLE TOPICS · OLD AND NEW TESTAMENT

Messianic Prophecies Fulfilled in Jesus

All Things Must Be Fulfilled · Luke 24:44

Written	Born in	Suffering	Still to come
Centuries before His birth	Bethlehem (Micah 5:2)	Isaiah 53 · Psalm 22	His reign on earth

LUKE 24 · ACTS 10

The Old Testament Points to Christ

Jesus and His apostles taught that the whole Old Testament bears witness to Him.

JESUS SAID

They Testify of Me

The scriptures point to Him.

"Search the scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life: and they are they which testify of Me."

JOHN 5:39

ON THE EMMAUS ROAD

Moses and All the Prophets

He explained them Himself.

"He expounded unto them in all the scriptures the things concerning Himself."

LUKE 24:27

MOSES

A Prophet Like Me

Moses foretold a greater Prophet.

"The LORD thy God will raise up unto thee a Prophet from the midst of thee"

DEUTERONOMY 18:15

PETER

All the Prophets

Their message is forgiveness through Him.

"To Him give all the prophets witness"

ACTS 10:43

THE PROPHETS

They Searched It Out

They wrote of His sufferings and glory.

"the sufferings of Christ, and the glory that should follow."

1 PETER 1:11

GOD'S WORD

Moved by the Holy Ghost

Prophecy came from God.

"but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost."

2 PETER 1:21

KEY VERSE

"These are the words which I spake unto you, while I was yet with you, that all things must be fulfilled, which were written in the law of Moses, and in the prophets, and in the psalms, concerning Me."

Luke 24:44 (KJV)

Messianic Prophecies Chart

THE LAW · THE PROPHETS · THE PSALMS

Messianic Prophecies

Foretold of old, fulfilled in Jesus

Twenty-eight prophecies and their fulfilment · King James Version

His Coming and Birth

1 Seed of the Woman
Fulfilled: Galatians 4:4
GENESIS 3:15

2 Seed of Abraham
Fulfilled: Matthew 1:1
GENESIS 22:18

3 From the Tribe of Judah
Fulfilled: Hebrews 7:14
GENESIS 49:10

4 The Son of David
Fulfilled: Luke 1:32
ISAIAH 11:1

5 Born of a Virgin
Fulfilled: Matthew 1:22–23
ISAIAH 7:14

6 Born in Bethlehem
Fulfilled: Matthew 2:1–6
MICAH 5:2

7 Called Out of Egypt
Fulfilled: Matthew 2:14–15
HOSEA 11:1

8 A Voice Prepares the Way
Fulfilled: Matthew 3:1–3
ISAIAH 40:3

His Life and Ministry

9 A Great Light in Galilee
Fulfilled: Matthew 4:12–16
ISAIAH 9:1–2

10 Anointed to Preach
Fulfilled: Luke 4:18–21
ISAIAH 61:1

11 A Prophet Like Moses
Fulfilled: Acts 3:20–22
DEUTERONOMY 18:15

12 The Blind See, the Deaf Hear
Fulfilled: Matthew 11:4–5
ISAIAH 35:5–6

13 Teaching in Parables
Fulfilled: Matthew 13:34–35
PSALM 78:2

14 The King on a Donkey
Fulfilled: Matthew 21:4–5
ZECHARIAH 9:9

His Suffering and Death

15 Betrayed by a Friend
Fulfilled: John 13:18
PSALM 41:9

16 Thirty Pieces of Silver
Fulfilled: Matthew 26:15; 27:9
ZECHARIAH 11:12–13

17 Silent Before His Accusers
Fulfilled: Matthew 27:12–14
ISAIAH 53:7

18 Hands and Feet Pierced
Fulfilled: John 20:25–27
PSALM 22:16

19 Numbered with Transgressors
Fulfilled: Mark 15:27–28
ISAIAH 53:12

20 Lots Cast for His Clothes
Fulfilled: John 19:23–24
PSALM 22:18

21 Given Vinegar to Drink
Fulfilled: Matthew 27:34, 48
PSALM 69:21

22 Not a Bone Broken
Fulfilled: John 19:33, 36
PSALM 34:20

23 His Side Pierced
Fulfilled: John 19:34, 37
ZECHARIAH 12:10

24 Buried with the Rich
Fulfilled: Matthew 27:57–60
ISAIAH 53:9

His Resurrection and Reign

25 Raised from the Dead
Fulfilled: Acts 2:31
PSALM 16:10

26 Ascended on High
Fulfilled: Ephesians 4:8–10
PSALM 68:18

27 Seated at God's Right Hand
Fulfilled: Hebrews 1:3
PSALM 110:1

28 Reigning on David's Throne
At His return: Luke 1:32–33
ISAIAH 9:6–7

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LUKE 24:44 (KJV)

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His Birth Foretold

ISAIAH · MICAH · HOSEA

His Birth Foretold

The prophets told the family, the manner and the place of the Messiah's birth.

GENESIS 3:15

The Seed of the Woman

The first promise of a Saviour.

"and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise His heel."

GENESIS 3:15

GENESIS 49:10

From Judah

The tribe of the kings.

"The sceptre shall not depart from Judah"

GENESIS 49:10

ISAIAH 7:14

Born of a Virgin

God with us.

"Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son"

ISAIAH 7:14

ISAIAH 9:6

The Mighty God

A child born, a Son given.

"For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given"

ISAIAH 9:6

MICAH 5:2

Born in Bethlehem

The little town of David.

"But thou, Beth-lehem Ephratah, though thou be little among the thousands of Judah"

MICAH 5:2

HOSEA 11:1

Out of Egypt

The family fled from Herod.

"and called My son out of Egypt."

HOSEA 11:1

> *"But when the fulness of the time was come, God sent forth His Son, made of a woman, made under the law"*
>
> Galatians 4:4 (KJV)

Isaiah 53: The Suffering Servant

ISAIAH 52:13 – 53:12

Isaiah 53: The Suffering Servant

Written about seven hundred years before the cross, Isaiah 53 reads like an eyewitness account of it.

Isaiah Wrote	Fulfilled in Jesus
“He is despised and rejected of men” ISAIAH 53:3	“He came unto His own, and His own received Him not.” JOHN 1:11
“But He was wounded for our transgressions” ISAIAH 53:5	“Who His own self bare our sins in His own body on the tree” 1 PETER 2:24
“He was oppressed, and He was afflicted, yet He opened not His mouth” ISAIAH 53:7	“And He answered him to never a word” MATTHEW 27:14
“And He made His grave with the wicked, and with the rich in His death” ISAIAH 53:9	“There came a rich man of Arimathaea, named Joseph” MATTHEW 27:57
“He was numbered with the transgressors” ISAIAH 53:12	“And with Him they crucify two thieves” MARK 15:27
“He shall see His seed, He shall prolong His days” ISAIAH 53:10	“He is not here: for He is risen, as He said.” MATTHEW 28:6

Psalm 22 and the Cross

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Psalm 22 and the Cross

David wrote Psalm 22 about a thousand years before Jesus died, long before crucifixion was ever used.

The Psalm Said	At the Cross
“My God, My God, why hast Thou forsaken Me?” PSALM 22:1	**“Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani?”** MATTHEW 27:46
“they shoot out the lip, they shake the head” PSALM 22:7	**“And they that passed by reviled Him, wagging their heads”** MATTHEW 27:39
“He trusted on the LORD that He would deliver Him” PSALM 22:8	**“He trusted in God; let Him deliver Him now”** MATTHEW 27:43
“they pierced My hands and My feet.” PSALM 22:16	**“Except I shall see in His hands the print of the nails”** JOHN 20:25
“They part My garments among them, and cast lots upon My vesture.” PSALM 22:18	**“They parted My raiment among them, and for My vesture they did cast lots.”** JOHN 19:24
“He keepeth all His bones: not one of them is broken.” PSALM 34:20	**“A bone of Him shall not be broken.”** JOHN 19:36

> *“They gave Him vinegar to drink mingled with gall”*
>
> Matthew 27:34 (KJV)

What They Mean for Us and Key Themes

FOR TODAY

What the Prophecies Mean for Us Today

Fulfilled prophecy is not only a wonder to study. It calls us to trust the Saviour it points to.

1

The Bible Is True

Only God can tell the future.

"Declaring the end from the beginning"

ISAIAH 46:10

2

Jesus Is the Christ

He alone fits every promise.

"We have found the Messias, which is, being interpreted, the Christ."

JOHN 1:41

3

He Died for You

Isaiah 53 is personal.

"and the LORD hath laid on Him the iniquity of us all."

ISAIAH 53:6

4

Believe the Prophets

Slow hearts miss what is written.

"O fools, and slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have spoken"

LUKE 24:25

5

Share the Good News

Preach Jesus from the scriptures.

"and began at the same scripture, and preached unto him Jesus."

ACTS 8:35

6

Watch for His Return

The rest will be fulfilled too.

"shall so come in like manner as ye have seen Him go into heaven."

ACTS 1:11

KEY THEMES

Six Truths the Prophecies Teach

The prophecies of the Messiah tell one story from Eden to the throne of David.

1

God Keeps His Word

What He promised, He did.

"Behold, the former things are come to pass, and new things do I declare"

ISAIAH 42:9

2

The Son of David

The Messiah came from the royal line.

"And there shall come forth a rod out of the stem of Jesse"

ISAIAH 11:1

3

God with Us

The virgin's Son is God in the flesh.

"Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call His name Immanuel."

ISAIAH 7:14

4

The Suffering Servant

He died in our place.

"But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities"

ISAIAH 53:5

5

Risen and Exalted

Death could not hold Him.

"neither wilt Thou suffer Thine Holy One to see corruption."

PSALM 16:10

6

The Coming King

He will reign over all the earth.

"And the LORD shall be king over all the earth"

ZECHARIAH 14:9