

# Are You Ready For 2012?

"Watch therefore, for you do not know what hour your Lord is coming." Matthew 24:42 (New King James Version)

A \_\_\_\_\_ engineer said the \_\_\_\_\_ would come in \_\_\_\_\_!

## The Doomsday Prophecies Surrounding The Year 2012

A. Why is there this discussion about 2012?

1. The "long-count" \_\_\_\_\_ of the Mayans is set to \_\_\_\_\_ on December 21, 2012. Some have marked this as the day when \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ as we know it will \_\_\_\_\_.
2. A large number of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ have been produced on this theme. Most present the date as a day of \_\_\_\_\_.

B. Are these predictions based on facts?

1. Our own \_\_\_\_\_ come to an \_\_\_\_\_ every \_\_\_\_\_! But then we \_\_\_\_\_ all over. So with the Mayan version.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ has set up a web site to answer fears. They see \_\_\_\_\_ that supports such hysteria.
3. Gillespie sees "\_\_\_\_\_ and other people making use of the Maya past to fulfill \_\_\_\_\_ that are really their \_\_\_\_\_."

## What Christians Should Know About Doomsday Prophecies

A. One site lists \_\_\_\_\_ predictions that have been made of the \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_. \_\_\_\_\_ of these have proven true.

B. What does the Bible say about such predictions?

1. Matthew 24 - Jesus taught about the end:
  - a. 24:36 - \_\_\_\_\_ one knows the \_\_\_\_\_ or the \_\_\_\_\_.
  - b. 24:37-39 - Did anyone know when the \_\_\_\_\_ would occur? \_\_\_\_\_.
  - c. 24:42-44 - His coming will be like a \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. 2 Peter 3:10 - The end will come like a \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_ and all of the \_\_\_\_\_ realm will be \_\_\_\_\_.
3. 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 - When \_\_\_\_\_ comes, the dead will be \_\_\_\_\_ and all will meet the \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_.
4. 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6 - Since \_\_\_\_\_'s coming will be like a \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_, we must \_\_\_\_\_ be ready.

C. Because there are many \_\_\_\_\_ prophets in the \_\_\_\_\_ we must \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ to see if they are from \_\_\_\_\_.

Will the \_\_\_\_\_ come to an \_\_\_\_\_ in 2012? \_\_\_\_\_

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