

## **God Warns His People Of Imminent Danger - Matthew 2B**

**Summarized of god calling Gentiles & some local shepherds to worship His Son.**

**Matthew 2:13-15 - 13 Now when they (the 3 wise men) had departed, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream, saying, Arise, take the young Child and His mother, flee to Egypt, and stay there until I bring you word; for Herod will seek the young Child to destroy Him. 14 When he arose, he took the young Child and His mother by night and departed for Egypt, 15 and was there until the death of Herod, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the Lord through the prophet, saying, Out of Egypt I called My Son.**

**Matthew 2:11,12 And when they had come into the house, they saw the young Child with Mary His mother, and fell down and worshiped Him. And when they had opened their treasures, they presented gifts to Him: gold, frankincense, and myrrh. 12 Then, being divinely warned in a dream that they should not return to Herod, they departed for their own country another way.**

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**Matthew 1:20 But while he thought about these things, behold, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream, saying, "Joseph, son of David, do not be afraid to take to you Mary your wife, for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Spirit.**

**Genesis 7:1 Then the LORD said to Noah, Come into the ark, you and all your household, because I have seen *that you are* righteous before Me in this generation.**

**2 Corinthians 6:2 For He says: In an acceptable time I have heard you, And in the day of salvation I have helped you. Behold, now *is* the accepted time; behold, now *is* the day of salvation.**

**Luke 8:12 Those by the way side are they that hear; then cometh the devil, and taketh away the word out of their hearts, lest they should believe and be saved.**

**Acts 17:30 And the times of this ignorance God winked at; but now commandeth all men every where to repent:**

**Jeremiah 44 Summarized prophesy about Israelites going to Egypt & God punishing them there too.**

**Matthew 2:16 Then Herod, when he saw that he was mocked of the wise men, was exceeding wroth, and sent forth, and slew all the children that were in**

Bethlehem, and in all the coasts thereof, from two years old and under, according to the time which he had diligently enquired of the wise men.  
**Isaiah 40:31** But those who wait on the LORD Shall renew *their* strength; They shall mount up with wings like eagles, They shall run and not be weary, They shall walk and not faint.

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Matthew wrote this for the Jews that Jesus was the fulfilment of many Old Testament prophecies.

**Hosea 11:1** When Israel was a child, then I loved him, and called My Son out of Egypt.

**1 Thessalonians 5:18** in everything give thanks; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you.

**Exodus 19:21** And the LORD said to Moses, Go down and warn the people, lest they break through to gaze at the LORD, and many of them perish.

**Exodus 19:23** But Moses said to the LORD, The people cannot come up to Mount Sinai; for You warned us, saying, Set bounds around the mountain and consecrate it.

**Acts 5:19** But at night an angel of the Lord opened the prison doors and brought them out, and said,

**Acts 27:23** For there stood by me this night an angel of the God to whom I belong and whom I serve,

**Hebrews 1:14** Are they (God's angels) not all ministering spirits sent forth to minister for those who will inherit salvation?

**Mark 13:14** But when ye shall see the abomination of desolation, spoken of by Daniel the prophet, standing where it ought not, (let him that readeth understand,) then let them that be in Judaea flee to the mountains:

**Psalms 17:1-15** A Prayer of David. Hear a just cause, O LORD, Attend to my cry; Give ear to my prayer which is not from deceitful lips. 2 Let my vindication come from Your presence; Let Your eyes look on the things that are upright. 3 You have tested my heart; You have visited me in the night; You have tried me and have found nothing; I have purposed that my mouth shall not transgress. 4 Concerning the works of men, By the word of Your lips, I have kept away from the paths of the destroyer. 5 Uphold my steps in Your paths, That my footsteps may not slip. 6 I have called upon You, for You will hear me, O God; Incline Your ear to me, and hear my speech. 7 Show Your marvelous lovingkindness by Your right hand, O You who save those who trust in You From those who rise up against them. 8 Keep me as the apple of Your eye; Hide me under the shadow of Your wings, 9 From the wicked who oppress me, From my deadly enemies who surround me. 10

**They have closed up their fat hearts; With their mouths they speak proudly.  
11 They have now surrounded us in our steps; They have set their eyes,  
crouching down to the earth, 12 As a lion is eager to tear his prey, And like  
a young lion lurking in secret places. 13 Arise, O LORD, Confront him, cast  
him down; Deliver my life from the wicked with Your sword, 14 With Your  
hand from men, O LORD, From men of the world who have their portion in  
this life, And whose belly You fill with Your hidden treasure. They are  
satisfied with children, And leave the rest of their possession for their  
babes. 15 As for me, I will see Your face in righteousness; I shall be  
satisfied when I awake in Your likeness.**

**Job 2:9 Then his wife said to him, Do you still hold fast to your integrity?**

**Curse God and die! 10 But he said to her, You speak as one of the foolish  
women speaks. Shall we indeed accept good from God, and shall we not  
accept adversity? In all this Job did not sin with his lips.**

**1 Corinthians 10:13 No temptation has overtaken you except such as is  
common to man; but God is faithful, Who will not allow you to be tempted  
beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will also make the way  
of escape, that you may be able to bear it.**

**Philippians 4:13 I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.**

**2 Corinthians 10:5 Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that  
exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity  
every thought to the obedience of Christ;**

**2 Corinthians 12:7-9 And lest I should be exalted above measure by the  
abundance of the revelations, a thorn in the flesh was given to me, a  
messenger of Satan to buffet me, lest I be exalted above measure. 8  
Concerning this thing I pleaded with the Lord three times that it might  
depart from me. 9 And He said to me, My grace is sufficient for you, for My  
strength is made perfect in weakness. Therefore most gladly I will rather  
boast in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.**

**Isaiah 64:6 But we are all like an unclean *thing*, And all our righteousnesses  
*are* like filthy rags; We all fade as a leaf, And our iniquities, like the wind,  
Have taken us away.**

**Matthew 24:1-51 - V1-5 Then Jesus went out and departed from the temple,  
and His disciples came up to show Him the buildings of the temple. 2 And  
Jesus said to them, Do you not see all these things? Assuredly, I say to  
you, not one stone shall be left here upon another, that shall not be thrown  
down. 3 Now as He sat on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to Him  
privately, saying, Tell us, when will these things be? And what will be the  
sign of Your coming, and of the end of the age? 4 And Jesus answered and  
said to them: Take heed that no one deceives you. 5 For many will come in  
My name, saying, I am the Christ, and will deceive many.**

**Acts 8:9,10 But there was a certain man, called Simon (Magus), which**

beforetime in the same city used sorcery, and bewitched the people of Samaria, giving out that himself was some great one: 10 To whom they all gave heed, from the least to the greatest, saying, This man is the great power of God.

**Matthew 24:6-13** And you will hear of wars and rumors of wars. See that you are not troubled; for all these things must come to pass, but the end is not yet. 7 For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. And there will be famines, pestilences, and earthquakes in various places. 8 All these are the beginning of sorrows. 9 Then they will deliver you up to tribulation and kill you, and you will be hated by all nations for My name's sake. 10 And then many will be offended, will betray one another, and will hate one another. 11 Then many false prophets will rise up and deceive many. 12 And because lawlessness will abound, the love of many will grow cold. 13 But he who endures to the end shall be saved.

**Ephesians 6:12** For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high *places*.

**Matthew 24:14** And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in all the world as a witness to all the nations, and then the end will come.

**Genesis 19:15,16** When the morning dawned, the angels urged Lot to hurry, saying, Arise, take your wife and your two daughters who are here, lest you be consumed in the punishment of the city. 16 And while he lingered, the men took hold of his hand, his wife's hand, and the hands of his two daughters, the LORD being merciful to him, and they brought him out and set him outside the city.

**More service Notes:**

**Matthew 24:15-51** Therefore when you see the abomination of desolation, spoken of by Daniel the prophet, standing in the holy place (whoever reads, let him understand), 16 then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains. 17 Let him who is on the housetop not go down to take anything out of his house. 18 And let him who is in the field not go back to get his clothes. 19 But woe to those who are pregnant and to those who are nursing babies in those days! 20 And pray that your flight may not be in winter or on the Sabbath. 21 For then there will be great tribulation, such as has not been since the beginning of the world until this time, no, nor ever shall be. 22 And unless those days were shortened, no flesh would be saved; but for the elect's sake those days will be shortened. 23 Then if anyone says to you, Look, here is the Christ! or There! do not believe it. 24 For false christs and false prophets will rise and show great signs and wonders to deceive, if possible, even the elect. 25 See, I have told you beforehand. 26 Therefore if they say to you, Look, He is in the desert! do not go out; or Look, He is in the inner rooms! do not believe it. 27 For as the

lightning comes from the east and flashes to the west, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. 28 For wherever the carcass is, there the eagles will be gathered together. 29 Immediately after the tribulation of those days the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light; the stars will fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens will be shaken. 30 Then the sign of the Son of Man will appear in heaven, and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. 31 And He will send His angels with a great sound of a trumpet, and they will gather together His elect from the four winds, from one end of heaven to the other. 32 Now learn this parable from the fig tree: When its branch has already become tender and puts forth leaves, you know that summer is near. 33 So you also, when you see all these things, know that it is near--at the doors! 34 Assuredly, I say to you, this generation will by no means pass away till all these things take place. 35 Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will by no means pass away. 36 But of that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, but My Father only. 37 But as the days of Noah were, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. 38 For as in the days before the flood, they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day that Noah entered the ark, 39 and did not know until the flood came and took them all away, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. 40 Then two men will be in the field: one will be taken and the other left. 41 Two women will be grinding at the mill: one will be taken and the other left. 42 Watch therefore, for you do not know what hour your Lord is coming. 43 But know this, that if the master of the house had known what hour the thief would come, he would have watched and not allowed his house to be broken into. 44 Therefore you also be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect. 45 Who then is a faithful and wise servant, whom his master made ruler over his household, to give them food in due season? 46 Blessed is that servant whom his master, when he comes, will find so doing. 47 Assuredly, I say to you that he will make him ruler over all his goods. 48 But if that evil servant says in his heart, My master is delaying his coming, 49 and begins to beat his fellow servants, and to eat and drink with the drunkards, 50 the master of that servant will come on a day when he is not looking for him and at an hour that he is not aware of, 51 and will cut him in two and appoint him his portion with the hypocrites. There shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.