Hello,

There is so much confusion regarding prophecy among Christians and nonbelievers alike today-popularized in books, TV programs, radio shows, and websites-especially when reckless, specific predictions of Christ's return are broadcast and then fail to happen. It makes every believer look gullible and undermines the credibility of God's Word before the whole world.

It's high time Christians do something to set the record straight concerning Bible prophecy. See now what Pastor Doug has to say about this controversial and vital topic.

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From Pastor Doug

Knowing the Times

**An Amazing Fact:** Dendrochronology is the method of dating based on tree rings. By studying and comparing the little nuances in annual tree rings, scientists can identify certain periods of time. For instance, it appears that many Redwoods, Spruce, and Bristlecone pines have been around since before Jesus was born. Yet according to leading dendrochronologists, there are no living trees in the world that can be dependably dated older than 4,360 years. That would be 2,350 B.C.—or the approximate time of Noah’s Flood.

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I wish I could have spoken to the man before he made such a drastic decision.

You see, he recently announced to his co-workers that he was quitting his well-paying job in Sacramento to warn the world that Jesus was coming on May 21… this month. His dedication is admirable, but he will face great disappointment.

He has been misled by a false prophet predicting an imminent “rapture”—the same radio speaker who confidently predicted the second coming would happen in 1994. It would be a joke if the results were not so sad … and serious.

The problem is that because so many people are confused by all these conflicting and false claims, they never examine the real evidence for themselves. They just give up—as the unbelieving world mocks them mercilessly.

But properly understood, Bible prophecy is one of the most powerful ways to build our faith and validate the Bible.

**Understanding Prophecy**

Contrary to what most people think, the primary purpose for prophecy is not predicting the future; it is to better understand the past. Jesus said, “I tell you before it comes, that when it does come to pass, you may believe that I am He” (John 13:19).

The purpose for these prophecies is redemptive, to strengthen our faith in Christ. Jesus repeats this point in John 14:29: “I have told you before it comes, that when it does come to pass, you may believe.

Jesus warned us that in the last days, Satan, a master of confusion, will have a virtual conveyor belt of false prophets and false prophecies to discourage and distract. He knows that properly understanding prophecy leads to faith and salvation.

The enemy is using this Babylon of false prophecies as an effective weapon to demoralize believers.

**Bible Prophecy Timeline**

That’s why Amazing Facts is preparing to launch a unique, interactive, online Bible prophecy timeline. There is simply nothing like this out there now on the Internet. It’s going to be amazing!

This will be a careful, thorough, and spectacular study tool spanning the history of God’s Word from Creation to Eden restored. Among a host of other Bible information and timelines, this interactive panorama will help people see prophecy spread out in clear timeline charts. We will span the entire scope of human history from Adam to the millennium and the new earth.

People will be able to click on specific events connected with Bible history and see when it happened and how God has worked to fulfill the promises of His Word!

As they click on the various icons on the timeline, pictures and more information will pop up with dynamic links to deeper study to help them understand the big picture of God’s plan.

Plus, as the project matures, we’ll add an entire timeline of the Bible—including major events, characters, locations, kingdoms, and so much more.

For now, as visitors explore the final years of the timeline, they will see a visually clear, logical, and scriptural eschatology of the last days. Isn’t this an incredible alternative to the confusing secret rapture scenarios that have been so heavily promoted by various televangelists?

**Powerful Evangelism Tool**

This new timeline will be a very powerful evangelism tool for people around the world. Even Jews and Muslims, who also believe in Old Testament history, can go to this resource to see clearly that the Bible can be fully relied upon—including its message of salvation.

This will also be a wonderful resource for Bible students and teachers. It will help them personally understand and convey to their students Bible prophecy in a clear visual timeline, especially the teachings of Daniel and Revelation regarding things to come.

There’s something about the truth of the end times that brings both conviction and encouragement and motivates the church to holiness and evangelism. This is the truth that our world today so desperately needs.

I believe this project will be able to reach people all over the world. It will also help us accomplish three main critical objectives:

1. **Evangelism**—by reaching new souls with the message of salvation by directing timeline visitors to our online Bible studies.
2. **Training**—by providing believers with a clear visual understanding of Bible history and prophecy to share with others.
3. **Revival**—by impressing believers with a new, powerful experience regarding the certainty of prophecy and Jesus’ soon return.

Our planning indicates that the design, development, coding, and promotion of the website will cost approximately $210,000. But we believe this project is one of those mountaintop opportunities that will make a difference around the world for years to come.
So many dear people have been discouraged, confused, and deceived by false teachings. Your investment in this exciting opportunity will change lives—so keep this project in your prayers.

**Please Give Today**

The new Bible Prophecy Timeline will be a great resource for you too—not only to share with your friends and loved ones, but to deepen your daily Bible study and appreciation for what God has done … as well as your knowledge of what is coming next. You can help by making a tax-deductible donation here.

**You Are Making a Difference**

Amazing Facts websites are already reaching across the globe making a huge difference in the lives of millions …

“My name is Avega. I’m 30 years old and live in Australia. I just want to say thank you! I have learned so much from your sites. I’m so excited about what I’m learning and telling everybody! God bless this work and you!”

“Today I stumbled on your website and was truly blessed … I was glued to it for six hours. The youth program, the lesson study by Pastor Batchelor, the messages by the two other speakers …”

“Since logging in after watching your show, I have spent hours engrossed in the online studies that you provide free of charge. They have expanded my understanding of God’s Word in ways that years of studying the Bible on my own and listening to teachers from other ministries have never come close to. I thank the Almighty for bringing me here.”

**Do You Need Prayer?**

Click here to submit your request to our prayer team.

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