# THE ABOMINATION OF DESOLATION

What no one recognized on October 7, 2023...

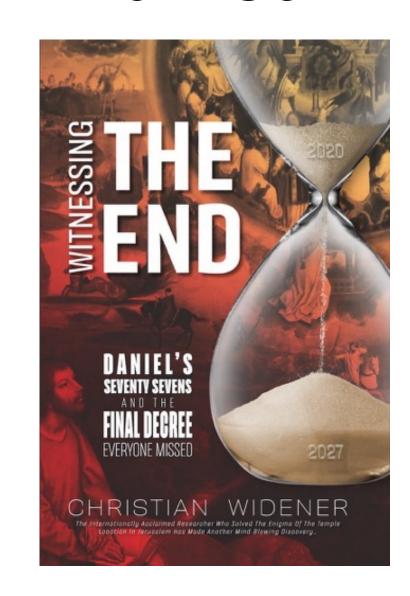


## THE TRIBULATION HAS BEGUN

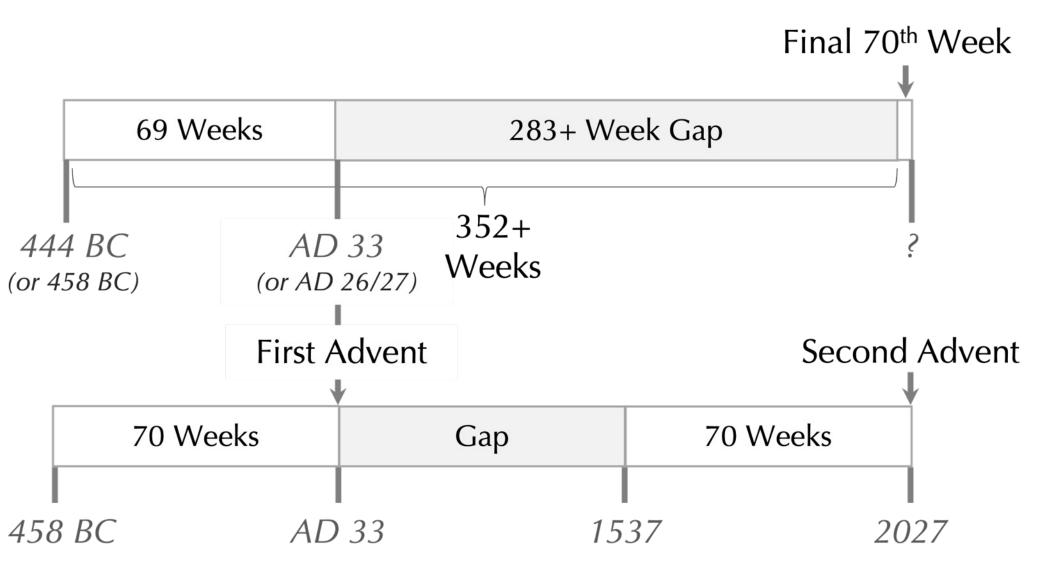
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# THERE ARE <u>TWO</u> SEVENTY SEVENS?



MILNESSING

DANIEL'S SEVENTY SEVENS AND THE

CHRISTIAN WIDENER

# BUT, THERE'S A PROBLEM

- We are now past the mid-point of a 2020-2027 window.
- Where was the abomination of desolation?
- What about rebuilding the Temple and restarting sacrifices?
- Are things even really bad enough for us to be in the Tribulation?

# FIRST, ARE THINGS BAD ENOUGH?

- If you are asking yourself if things are really bad enough to be in the Tribulation, I have two things to say:
- You must live somewhere nice, i.e. not Ukraine, China, Iran, Israel, Gaza, Sudan, Nigeria, Azerbaijan, Brazil, Haiti, any large city, US southern border states, etc.
- 2. OR, you lost your 2019 glasses and have already forgotten what we have lost and have adjusted to this crazy world, like the frog in the boiling pot.

# DON'T WE NEED THE TEMPLE AND SACRIFICES?

- The preparations are ready.
  - >They have the red heifers
  - >The altar is built.
  - The menorah and other temple articles have been made.
  - They have the priests.
  - >The northern temple area is open.
- But nothing has happened...

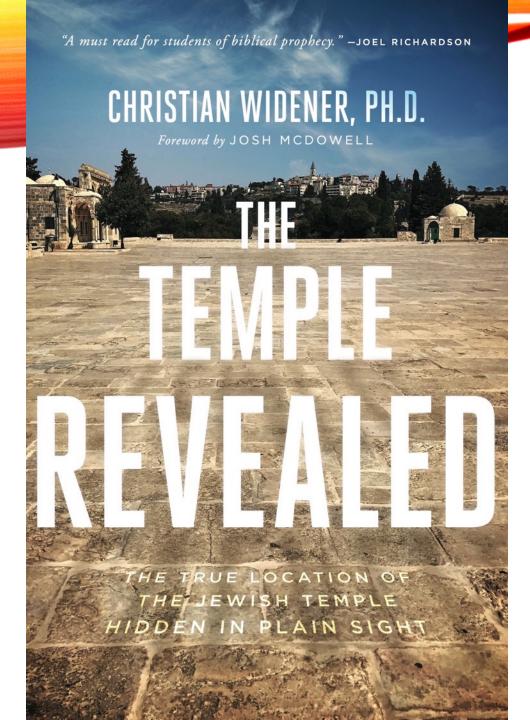












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# WHEN AND WHERE WAS THE ABOMINATION OF DESOLATION?

### Did we miss it?

Was the attack on October 7, by Hamas, the Abomination of Desolation that the Bible warns us to watch for?



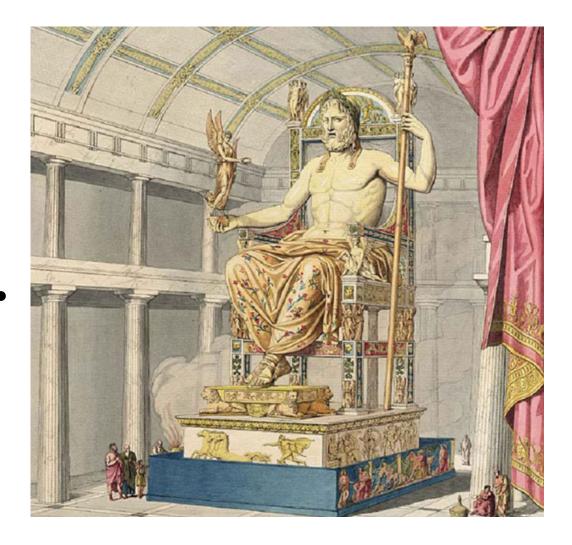
# DO WE REALLY KNOW WHAT SCRIPTURE SAYS ABOUT THE ABOMINATION?

- There are 4 MAIN passages:
  - ➤Daniel 9:27
  - ➤ Daniel 11:29-37
  - ➤ Matthew 24:15-22
  - ≥2 Thessalonians 2:1-12
- Sounds like they describe TWO SEPARATE EVENTS
  - >Abomination that makes desolate <u>AGAINST</u> God's temple
  - >Antichrist declaring himself to be God IN God's temple

# **TWO EVENTS**



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# THE FIRST EVENT IS THE ABOMINATION

And he will confirm a covenant with the many for one week, but in the middle of the week he will put a stop to sacrifice and grain offering; and on the wing (kanaph) of abominations will come the one who makes desolate, until a complete destruction, one that is decreed, gushes forth on the one who makes desolate." Daniel 9:27

# WHAT DANIEL 9 TEACHES ABOUT THE ABOMINATION

- 1. Occurs in the middle of the last 7 years
- 2. It will **stop efforts** to make **sacrifice** and grain offering
- 3. Abominations will come to make desolate
- 4. It will come on the **kanaph** (edge, border, wing) the text **does NOT** say temple...

# IN THE MIDDLE OF THE SEVEN YEARS

• It came 1290 days, THREE and a HALF YEARS, after the START of the Coronavirus Pandemic.

 March 27, 2020 (when churches started to close) to October 7, 2023.



# THEY WILL HALT THE SACRIFICE

- The attack by HAMAS caused all the plans for sacrificing the red heifer to be SET ASIDE and LEFT UNDONE.
- The ashes of the red heifer are needed to purify sacrifices and grain offerings.



*Jerusalem* – When Hamas spokesman Abu Ubaida began <u>a speech</u> marking the 100th day of the <u>war in Gaza</u>, one confounding yet eye-opening proclamation escaped the headlines. Listing the motives for the Palestinian militant group's <u>Oct. 7 massacre</u> in Israel, he accused Jews of "bringing red cows" to the Holy Land.

### WHAT IS AN ABOMINATION?

- 16 There are six things which the Lord hates,
- Yes, seven which are an abomination to Him:
- <sup>17</sup> Haughty eyes, a lying tongue,
- And hands that shed innocent blood,
- <sup>18</sup> A heart that devises wicked plans,
- Feet that run rapidly to evil,
- <sup>19</sup> A false witness who utters lies, and one who spreads strife among brothers.
  - Proverbs 6:16-19 NASB

# WAS OCT. 7 AN ABOMINATION?

### YES, OCTOBER 7TH 2023 WAS HORRIFYING

- 1. They devised evil plans
- 2. Their feet ran swiftly to carry them out
- 3. They shed innocent blood
- 4. They did it proudly
- 5. They did it deceptively
- 6. They included lying reporters as witnesses in their attack
- 7. They took hostages to spread fear and strife in Israel

# ATTACKING ON THE WING

- Hamas attacked at the border of Israel on paragliders
- This fulfilled the Hebrew word
   kanaph (wing, edge or border) in two different ways

Hamas uses paragliders to breach Israeli border

Range of Hamas rockets

by Gareth Jennings



Screenshot from a Hamas video shows Palestinian militants using a paraglider to infiltrate the Gaza-Israel border on 7 October. (Hamas)

Palestinian militants used paragliders to breach the Gaza-Israel border on 7 October, marking the first known use of the tactic.

# DANIEL 11 ALSO DESCRIBES THE TIME OF THE ABOMINATION

<sup>29</sup> At the appointed time [*moed*] he will invade the South [Negev] again, but this time the outcome will be different from what it was before. 30 Ships of the western coastlands will oppose him, and he will lose heart... 31 His armed forces will **rise up to desecrate** the temple fortress and will abolish [soor] the daily sacrifice. Then they will set up the abomination that causes desolation. – Daniel 11:29-31 NIV

## MATCHING UP EVENTS WITH OCT. 7

- 1. The attack came on a **MOED**, an appointed feast of the LORD, the last and greatest day of **SUKKOT**.
- 2. Israel was defended by the SHIPS OF THE WESTERN COASTLANDS.
- 3. A full-scale invasion of Israel was TURNED-BACK.
- 4. They rose up against the **TEMPLE MOUNT**
- 5. They **STOPPED RED HEIFER SACRIFICE**
- 6. It was an **ABOMINATION OF DESOLATION**

### AT THE APPOINTED TIME

- MOED The Hebrew word used for the seven appointed times (feasts) of the Lord
  - ➤ Passover, Unleavened Bread, First Fruits
  - >Pentecost
  - >Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, Sukkot
- October 7 was the last day of Sukkot in 2023.

# WESTERN SHIPS DEFEND ISRAEL

- The USA sent two aircraft carrier naval strike groups to defend Israel, including nuclear submarines.
- In the Mediterranean Sea: USA & Britain
- In the Red Sea: USA, Britain, France, Bahrain, Canada, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Seychelles and Spain

### **RED SEA ATTACKS**

# France joins 10-nation coalition against Houthi attacks on Red Sea shipping lanes

France has joined a US-led international force to protect ships transiting the Red Sea that have come under attack by drones and ballistic missiles fired from Houthi-controlled areas of Yemen.

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This photo released by the Houthi Media Center shows Houthi forces boarding the cargo ship Galaxy Leader on Sunday, 19 November 2023. Yemen's Houthis seized the ship in the Red Sea off the coast of Yemen after threatening to seize all vessels owned by Israeli companies. AP



## TURNED BACK LARGER INVASION

- It worked, the Gaza War did not escalate into a multi-nation invasion, YET.
- The **stage is set** for Ezekiel 38, though.
- Yes, fighting is ongoing, but there was no full-scale invasion.



### THE TIMES OF ISRAEL ISRAEL AT WAR - DAY 195

# IT WAS AGAINST THE TEMPLE MOUNT

- They called the attack, THE AL-AQSA FLOOD
- Claimed they were defending the Temple Mount
- And its end will come with a flood; even to the end there will be war; desolations are determined. - Daniel 9:26b

### Hamas commander says attacks are in defense of Al-Agsa, claims 5,000 missiles fired

Muhammad Deif calls on Arabs in Israel and West Bank, as well as Iranbacked terror groups, to join Operation 'Al-Aqsa Deluge'; 'Today the people are regaining their revolution'

By GIANLUCA PACCHIANI V FOLLOW

7 October 2023, 11:22 am













Hamas fires a large number of rockets towards Israel in the city of Rafah in the southern Gaza Strip, October 7, 2023. (Abed Rahim Khatib/Flash90)

## THEY STOPPED THE SACRIFICE

- Hebrew word soor, also means to cause to be set aside or left undone.
- The intention was to conduct the red heifer ceremony before Passover in 2024—It did not happen.
- Why not? OCT. 7, 2023
- The ideal date was April 10, 2024, Nisan 2, the same day Moses performed the first red heifer ceremony... (1290 days from the end of Sukkot 2027)

Red Heifer could be ready for sacrifice for Passover 2024



Four non-disqualified Red Heifer candidates March 2023
Photo from Temple Institute's Facebook page

# THE ABOMINATION OF DESOLATION

 Part of identifying the abomination of desolation is connecting it to all the other events mentioned in Scripture.

• If October 7 didn't have all these other elements along with it, we wouldn't be talking about it...

### THE NATIONS AGAINST ISRAEL

32 Then with smooth words he will corrupt those who have rejected the covenant. But the people who are loyal to their God will act valiantly. 33 These who are wise among the people will teach the masses. However, they will fall by the sword and by the flame, and they will be imprisoned and plundered for some time. 34 When they stumble, they will be granted some help. But many will unite with them insincerely. - Daniel 11:32-34

### **MATCHING EVENTS WITH DANIEL 11**

- 1. October 7<sup>th</sup> also unleashed a **MASSIVE** wave of **ANTISEMITISM** *SMOOTH WORDS* have deceived many around the world who reject God's covenant to give the land to Israel.
- 2. Starting on October 7, Israelis have been KILLED, BURNED, PLUNDERED (raped & ravaged), kidnapped and held HOSTAGE.
- 3. They world at first supported Israel, but it was **INSINCERE**, and quickly turned on them.

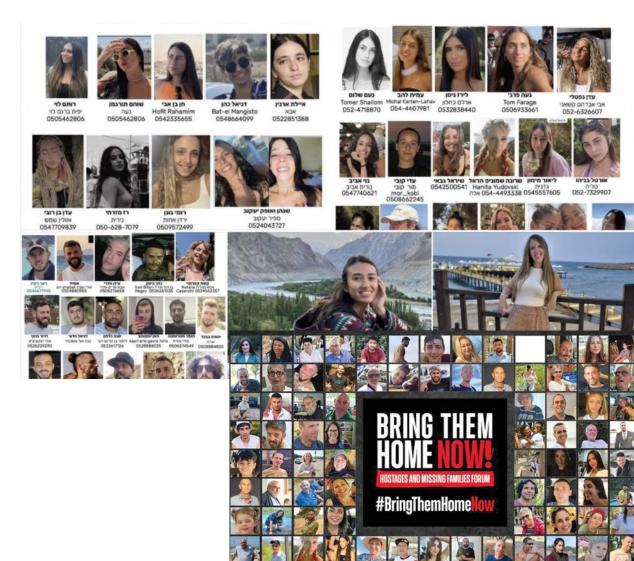
# **WAVE OF ANTISEMITISM**

 He will corrupt many with deceptive talk rejecting God's



# ATTACKS IN ISRAEL MATCH DANIEL'S DESCRIPTION

- MURDERED Killed with the sword
- 2. BURNED ALIVE Many died deaths on October 7 by fire
- 3. IMPRISONED Kidnapped and taken hostage
- 4. PLUNDERED Raped and ravaged, likely the most horrific acts evercaptured on film



# NATIONS OF THE WORLD QUICKLY TURNED ON ISRAEL

- 1. Nations began condemning Israel
- 2. ICC issues arrest warrants PM Netanyahu and DM Gallant
- 3. US Halts Weapons Shipments
- 4. UNGA votes to recognize Palestinian Statehood
- 5. Ireland, Norway, and Spain unilaterally recognize PA state.





# JESUS WARNED ABOUT THIS TOO

15 "Therefore when you see the abomination of desolation which was spoken of through Daniel the prophet, standing in the holy place—let the reader understand— 16 then those who are in Judea must flee to the mountains. 17 Whoever is on the housetop must not go down to get things out of his house. 18 And whoever is in the field must not turn back to get his cloak. 19 But woe to those women who are pregnant, and to those who are **nursing babies** in those days! <sup>20</sup> Moreover, pray that when you flee, it will not be in the winter, or on a Sabbath. - Matthew 24:15-20

## MATCHING UP THE DESCRIPTION

- 1) Attack was an ABOMINATION that made DESOLATE
- 2) It was against the TEMPLE MOUNT (holy place)
- **3)** The attack came from Gaza into the Negev region of Israel. That's in **JUDEA**...
- **4)** The people living around there had to immediately **FLEE TO THE MOUNTAINS**.
- 5) The attack was ON THE SABBATH
- 6) They targeted PREGNANT WOMEN and BABIES

## WHEN YOU SEE

- It was a watershed moment, like 9/11, NO ONE MISSED IT.
- Headlines around the world were captured and have continued to be focused on Israel and the Gaza war.
- Abomination that caused Desolation

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PALESTINIAN MILITANTS STAGE ATTACK ON ISRAEL

### CAUGHT OFF GUARD, ISRAEL FIGHTS BACK

Signs and Slow





Slipped In and Unleashed Horror

'Shaken to the Core,' Israelis Ouestion the Nation's Securit

At a Dance and a Kibbutz, Attackers



### Migrant Influx Of New Yorkers

### 'The Children Were Terrified': As Netanyahu Speaks of War, Blasts and Gunmen at the Door The Question Is. What Then

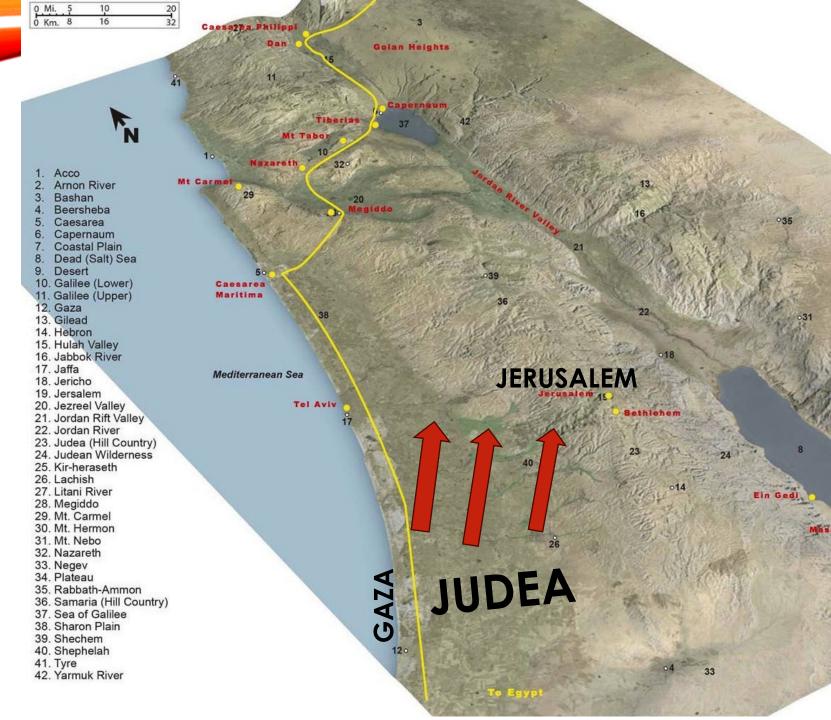
## STANDING IN THE HOLY PLACE

Could "**Standing in the Holy Place**" be a reference to Hamas' War in defense of their hold on the Temple Mount?

- Greek for "standing in" has meanings that include to make firm, fix, establish, to cause a person or a thing to keep his or its place, to uphold or sustain the authority or force of anything
- Followed by (let the reader understand)
- When you see the abomination of desolation, based on, justified on, established on, standing on (as its reason for being) the holy place (Temple Mount)...

# JUDEA FLED TO THE MOUNTAINS

- The attack was in the Judean plains around Gaza
- People fled to the mountains and areas around Jerusalem.



# FORCED TO FLEE

- Around 200,000 Israelis were displaced by the attack and subsequent war with Hamas.
- NO TIME TO COLLECT **BELONGINGS** on Oct. 7
- People just fled

# About 200,000 Israelis internally displaced amid ongoing Gaza war, tensions in north

Hotels are near capacity as government orders evacuations of dozens of communities near Hamas-run Strip, Lebanon border

**By TOI STAFF** 

22 October 2023, 6:31 pm













# THE ATTACK CAME ON THE SABBATH

- October 7<sup>th</sup> was a SATURDAY, i.e.,
   a Sabbath day
- It was the last day of Sukkot
- Before Winter



# MERCILESSLY TARGETED PREGNANT WOMEN AND BABIES

 The pictures are too graphic to look at, but Jesus' words, "woe to pregnant women and nursing mothers" was tragically true of Oct. 7.

#### NATIONAL POST

#### These are the graphic photos Israel released of burned babies to reveal horror of Hamas attack

'The world is seeing new evidence of depravity and the inhumanity of Hamas — depravity and inhumanity directed at babies, at small children'

#### **National Post Staff**

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Photo released showing where murdered children were found. PHOTO BY ISRAEL /  ${\sf X}$ 

### WAS OCTOBER 7 THE ABOMINATION OF DESOLATION?

- Yes, I think so.
- It resembled it too closely and it fits the timeline of the final decree.
- Should **AT LEAST** be considered...
- What would be next?



# THE SECOND EVENT IS AC DECLARING HIMSELF TO BE GOD

<sup>36</sup> "Then the king will do as he pleases, and **he will** exalt and magnify himself above every god and will speak monstrous things against the God of gods; and he will prosper until the indignation is finished, for that which is decreed will be done. <sup>37</sup> He will show no regard for the gods of his fathers or for the desire of women, nor will he show regard for any other god; for he will magnify himself above them all.

- Daniel 11:36-37 NASB

### PAUL WARNED ABOUT THE SECOND ONE

<sup>1</sup> Now we request you, brethren, with regard to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our gathering together to Him...<sup>3</sup> Let no one in any way deceive you, for it will not come unless the apostasy comes first, and the man of lawlessness is revealed, the son of destruction, 4 who opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, displaying himself as being God.

- 2 Thessalonians 2:1,3-4 NASB

### WHEN WILL WE SEE THE SECOND ONE?

Q: Then when will we see the Antichrist declaring himself to be God in God's temple?

A: Something to be watching for, but it could be 12-24 months from now, and it may not be what we expect...but most likely it will be on the Temple Mount.



## WHAT ABOUT THE DOME OF THE ROCK?

• Is the Dome of the Rock an abomination of desolation?

By putting their threshold by My threshold, and their door post beside My door post, with only the wall between Me and them. And they have **defiled My holy** name by their abominations which they have committed... Ezekiel 43:8 NASB



### DANIEL'S COUNT OF DAYS

And from the time that the regular sacrifice is abolished and the abomination of desolation is set up, **there will be 1,290 days** (yomim). Blessed is the one who is patient and attains to the **1,335 days**! – Daniel 12:11-12 NASB

- In some instances, the word for **yom** (H3117) in Hebrew can mean a year, instead of a day.
- But it sounds like a count of days in Daniel's 70<sup>th</sup> week.
- However, might this prophecy <u>also or instead</u> have a fulfillment in terms of 1290 and 1335 years?

### **COUNTING THE YOMIM AS YEARS**

- Sacrifices were likely halted when Jerusalem was first besieged by Nebuchadnezzar in 598 BC
- Counting 1290 years (including partial years) forward takes us to 692 AD, when the Dome of the Rock was completed.
- Counting 1335 years since the Dome of the Rock was set up is 2027...
- It does look like another abomination...



### WHERE'S THE BEAST FROM THE SEA?

- The last world kingdom, the sevenheaded beast with ten horns that rises out of the sea (Revelation 13:1-10), HAS IT ALREADY BEGUN TO TAKE POWER?
- WEF, UN, WHO, IMF, WTO, G7, G20, BRICS, etc.
- 1260 days / 42 MONTHS
   April 29, 2024 to October
   11, 2027 (Yom Kippur)
- Time will tell...



## SHELTERED IN HER PLACE FOR 1260 DAYS

- Revelation 12:14, Israel will be sheltered "**in her place**" for 1260 days, i.e. the land of Israel.
- It's the same time as the two witnesses and 42-month reign of the beast.
- This looks to have already started...



## THE DRAGON WILL SPEW OUT A RIVER AT THE WOMAN

<sup>15</sup> And the serpent hurled water like a river out of his mouth after the woman, so that he might cause her to be swept away with the flood. <sup>16</sup> But the earth helped the woman, and the earth opened its mouth and drank up the river which the dragon had hurled out of his mouth. – Revelation 12:15-16 NASB

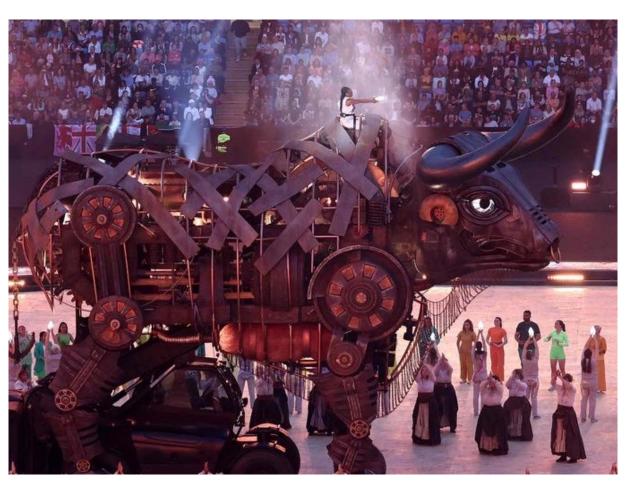
• The al-Aqsa Flood of October 7 led to the largest aerial attack in Israel's history by Iran, but the nations helped Israel and over 99% of the missiles, drones and rockets were stopped.



#### Revelation 17 tells us about her

- 1. She sits on the seven mountains (heads) of the beast.
- 2. She is the mother of the seed of the serpent (Gen. 3:15).
- 3. She sits on many waters and represents all mankind.
- 4. She is a Jezebel and represents idolatry, immorality, and apostasy
- 5. She is the great city (Babylon) who rules the kings of the earth.
- 6. She will be betrayed and destroyed by the beast.

## WHO IS THE WOMAN THAT RIDES THE BEAST?



But who is she, really?!?!

### OTHER REMAINING QUESTIONS

#### Q: When will the beast from the Earth, the false prophet, appear?

A: This is also something that we just have to watch for, but it will likely not be what we imagined. It's two horns may mean it is also more than one person...

#### Q: Where are the two witnesses?

A: It's something to be watching for, but their power may not be fully revealed until the AC is fully revealed...

#### Q: Do unanswered questions mean this might not be the end?

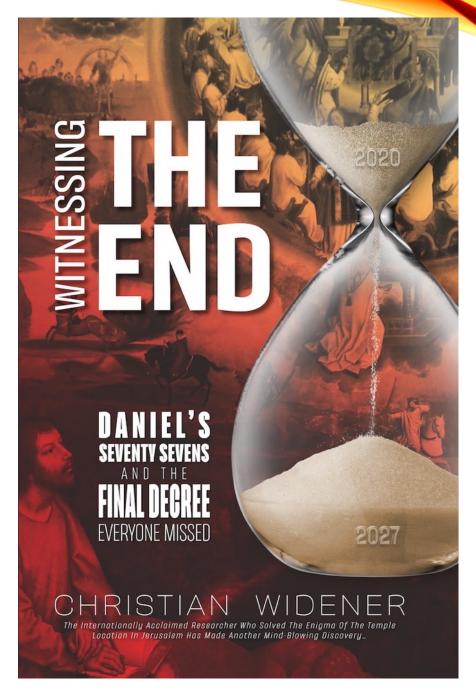
A: No, there are too many fulfillments at this point. Was Jesus recognizable as the Messiah before his ministry was complete?

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