

“Be found faithful”
Matthew 24: 36 – 51

Parallel passages to Matthew 24 are found in Mark 13 and Luke 21

This Scripture tells us that no one knows the day of the Lord’s return. Some have tried to make predictions. Our folly knows no bounds!

2 Problems that arise from verse 36 of this passage:

- 1) Skeptics have seized upon the phrase “...nor the Son...” to assert that Jesus can’t be God because God knows everything.
- 2) The Bible is corrupted since some of the manuscripts don’t have the phrase “...nor the Son...” while others do.

Don’t miss the point of this whole statement from Jesus:

When the end comes, and no one knows when that will be, there will be no more chances to put your faith in Christ. (v. 40 – 41)

The Key (v. 42) Therefore, keep watch for the return of the King!

Understand this (v. 43)

Who then is he faithful & wise servant? Am I? Are you? (v. 45)

(v. 51) The cost of not being ready seems pretty steep!