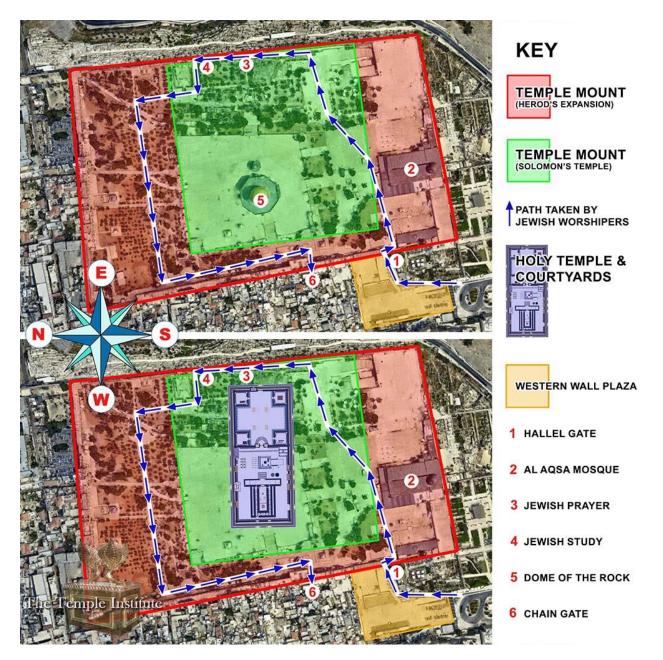
Matthew 24:6-8 ESV

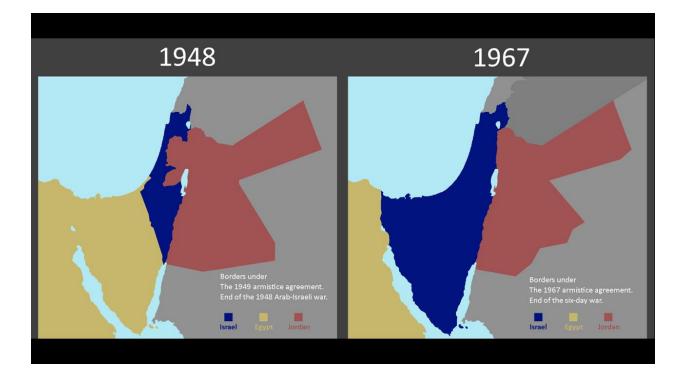
(6) And you will hear of wars and rumors of wars. See that you are not alarmed, for this must take place, but the end is not yet.

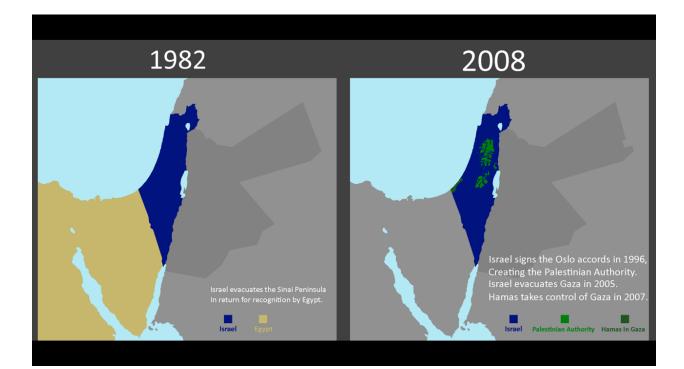
(7) For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom, and there will be famines and earthquakes in various places.

(8) All these are but the **beginning** of the birth pains.









Daniel 2:40-45 ESV

(40) And there shall be a fourth kingdom, strong as iron, because iron breaks to pieces and shatters all things. And like iron that crushes, it shall break and crush all these.

(41) And as you saw the feet and toes, partly of potter's clay and partly of iron, it shall be a divided kingdom, but some of the firmness of iron shall be in it, just as you saw iron mixed with the soft clay.

(42) And as the toes of the feet were partly iron and partly clay, so the kingdom shall be partly strong and partly brittle.

(43) As you saw the iron mixed with soft clay, so they will mix with one another in marriage, but they will not hold together, just as iron does not mix with clay.

(44) And <u>in the days of those kings</u> the God of heaven will set up a kingdom that shall never **be destroyed**, nor shall the kingdom be left to another people. It shall break in pieces all these kingdoms and bring them to an end, and it shall stand forever,

(45) just as you saw that a stone was cut from a mountain by no human hand, and that it broke in pieces the iron, the bronze, the clay, the silver, and the gold. A great God has made known to the king what shall be after this. The dream is certain, and its interpretation sure."

Daniel 7:7-8 ESV

(7) After this I saw in the night visions, and behold, **a fourth beast**, terrifying and dreadful and exceedingly strong. It had great iron teeth; it devoured and broke in pieces and stamped what was left with its feet. **It was different from all the beasts that were before it, and** <u>it had ten</u> <u>horns.</u>

(8) I considered the horns, and behold, there came up among them **another horn, a little one**, before which **three of the first horns were plucked up by the roots.** And behold, in this horn were eyes like the eyes of a man, and a mouth speaking great things.

Daniel 7:17-28 ESV

(17) 'These four great beasts are four kings who shall arise out of the earth.

(18) But the saints of the Most High shall receive the kingdom and possess the kingdom forever, forever and ever.'

(19) "Then I desired to know the truth about the fourth beast, which was different from all the rest, **exceedingly terrifying**, with its teeth of iron and claws of bronze, and which devoured and broke in pieces and stamped what was left with its feet,

(20) and about the ten horns that were on its head, and the other horn that came up and before which three of them fell, the horn that had eyes and a mouth that spoke great things, and that seemed greater than its companions.

(21) As I looked, this horn made war with the saints and prevailed over them,

(22) **<u>until the Ancient of Days came</u>**, and judgment was given for the saints of the Most High, and the time came when the saints possessed the kingdom.

(23) "Thus he said: 'As for the fourth beast, there shall be a fourth kingdom on earth, which shall be different from all the kingdoms, and it shall devour the whole earth, and trample it down, and break it to pieces.

(24) As for the ten horns, out of this kingdom ten kings shall arise, and another shall arise

after them; he shall be different from the former ones, and shall put down three kings.

(25) He shall speak words against the Most High, and shall wear out the saints of the Most High, and shall think to change the times and the law; and **they shall be given into his hand for a time, times, and half a time.**

(26) But the court shall sit in judgment, and his dominion shall be taken away, to be consumed and destroyed to the end.

(27) And the kingdom and the dominion and the greatness of the kingdoms under the whole heaven shall be given to the people of the saints of the Most High; **His kingdom shall be an everlasting kingdom, and all dominions shall serve and obey Him.'**

(28) "Here is the end of the matter. As for me, Daniel, my thoughts greatly alarmed me, and my color changed, but I kept the matter in my heart."

Revelation 17:12-13 ESV

(12) And the ten horns that you saw are ten kings who have not yet received royal power, but they are to receive authority as kings for one hour, together with the beast.

(13) These are of one mind, and they hand over their power and authority to the beast.

2 Thessalonians 2:9-12 ESV

(9) The coming of the lawless one is by the activity of Satan with all power and false signs and wonders,

(10) and with all wicked deception for those who are perishing, because they refused to love the truth and so be saved.

(11) Therefore God sends them a strong delusion, so that they may believe what is false,

(12) in order that all may be condemned who did not believe the truth but had pleasure in unrighteousness.

2 Thessalonians 2:11 YLT

(11) and because of this shall God send to them a working of delusion, for their believing <u>the</u> <u>lie</u>,

Galatians 3:16; 25-29 ESV

(16) Now the promises were made to Abraham and to his offspring. It does not say, "And to offsprings," referring to many, but referring to one, **"And to your offspring," who is Christ.**

(25) But now that faith has come, we are no longer under a guardian,

(26) for in Christ Jesus you are all sons of God, through faith.

(27) For as many of you as were baptized into Christ have put on Christ.

(28) **There is neither Jew nor Greek**, there is neither slave nor free, there is no male and female, **for you are all one in Christ Jesus**.

(29) And if you are Christ's, then you are Abraham's offspring, heirs according to promise.

Ephesians 2:11-22 ESV

(11) Therefore remember that at one time you Gentiles in the flesh, called "the uncircumcision" by what is called the circumcision, which is made in the flesh by hands—
(12) remember that you were at that time separated from Christ, alienated from the commonwealth of Israel and <u>strangers to the covenants of promise</u>, having no hope and

without God in the world.

(13) **<u>But now in Christ Jesus</u>** you who once were far off have been brought near <u>by the blood</u> <u>of Christ.</u>

(14) For He Himself is our peace, **who has made us both one** and has broken down in His flesh the dividing wall of hostility

(15) by abolishing the law of commandments expressed in ordinances, that He might create in Himself **one new man in place of the two, so making peace**,

(16) and might reconcile us both to God in one body **through the cross**, thereby killing the hostility.

(17) And He came and preached peace **to you who were far off** and peace to those who were near.

(18) For through Him we both have access in one Spirit to the Father.

(19) So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, **but you are fellow citizens with the saints** and members of the household of God,

(20) built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone,

(21) in whom the whole structure, being joined together, grows into a holy temple in the Lord.

(22) In Him you also are being built together into a dwelling place for God by the Spirit.

Genesis 2:7-10 ESV

(7) then the LORD God formed the man of dust from the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and the man became a living creature.

(8) And the LORD God planted **a garden in Eden**, in the east, and **there He put the man whom He had formed.** (9) And out of the ground the LORD God made to spring up every tree that is pleasant to the sight and good for food. The tree of life was in the midst of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil.

(10) A river flowed out of Eden to water the garden, and there it divided and became four rivers.

Revelation 21:1-4 ESV

(1) Then I saw **a new heaven and a new earth**, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more.

(2) And I saw the holy city, **new Jerusalem**, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.

(3) And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, **"Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be His people, and God Himself will be with them**

as their God.

(4) He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away."

Revelation 21:22-27 ESV

(22) And I saw no temple in the city, for its temple is the Lord God the Almighty and the Lamb.

(23) And the city has no need of sun or moon to shine on it, for the glory of God gives it light, and its lamp is the Lamb.

(24) By its light will the nations walk, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it,

(25) and its gates will never be shut by day—and there will be no night there.

(26) They will bring into it the glory and the honor of the nations.

(27) But nothing unclean will ever enter it, nor anyone who does what is detestable or false, **but only those who are written in the Lamb's book of life.**

Revelation 22:1-5 ESV

(1) Then the angel showed me **the river of the water of life**, bright as crystal, flowing from the throne of God and of the Lamb

(2) **through the middle of the street of the city**; also, on either side of the river, **the tree of life** with its twelve kinds of fruit, yielding its fruit each month. The leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations.

(3) No longer will there be anything accursed, but the throne of God and of the Lamb will be in it, and His servants will worship Him.

(4) They will see His face, and His name will be on their foreheads.

(5) And night will be no more. They will need no light of lamp or sun, for the Lord God will be their light, and <u>they will reign forever and ever.</u>