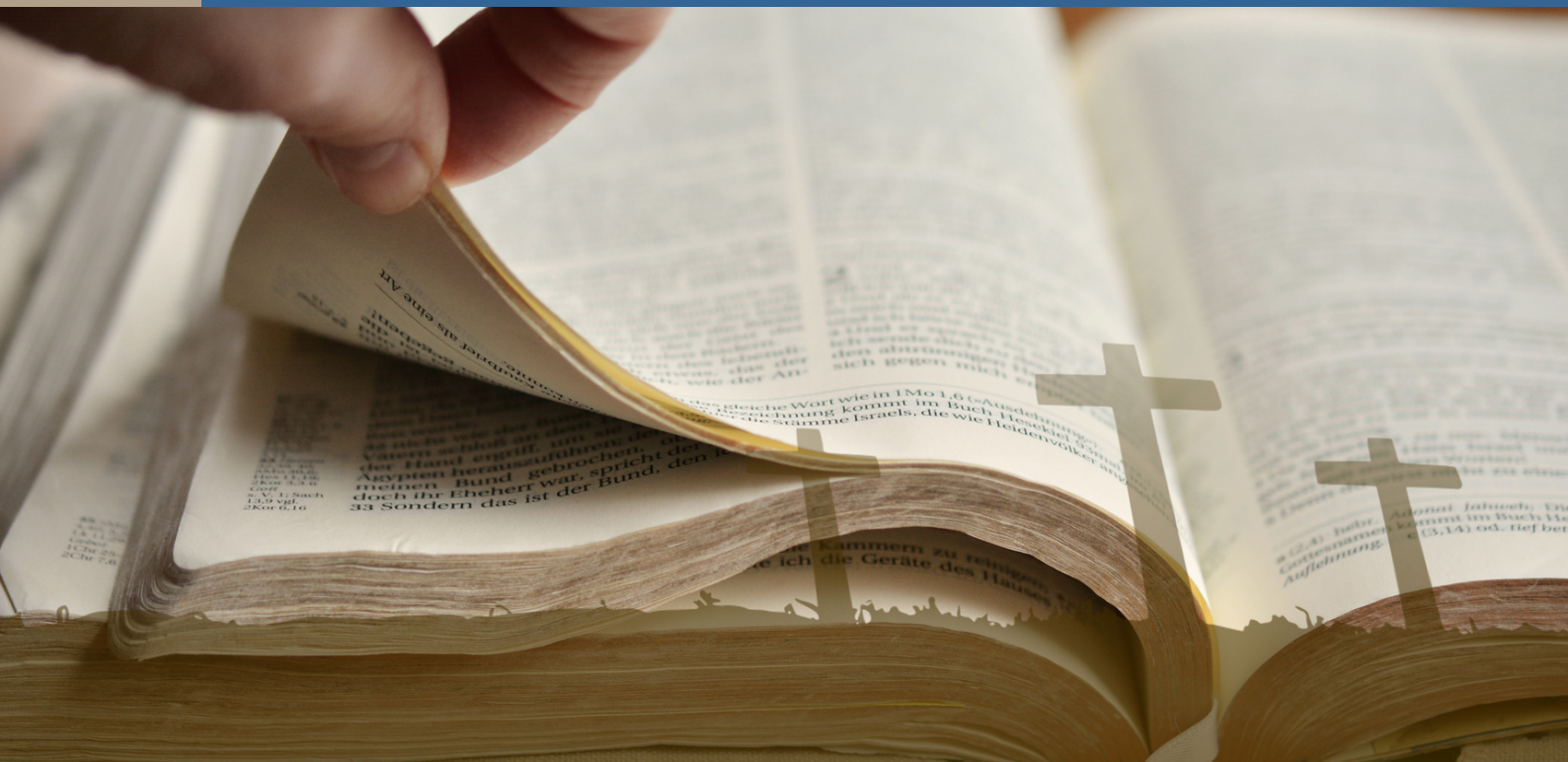


*"And so I predicted your future long ago, announcing events before they took place, to keep you from claiming that your idols and images made them happen." -
Isa 48:5*



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Prophecies about Jesus

PROPHECIES ABOUT JESUS

It is only the Bible that can accurately prophesy the future. 27% of the Bible contains prophecies about the future. That is the strongest evidence for the existence of prophecies. Sixty-two of the 66 books of the Bible contain prophecy.

	Old Testament	New Testament
Verses	23,210	7,914
Predictions	6,641	1,711
Percentage	28.5 %	27 %

22% of all this, about 1800 (including 318 of the new testament) are about the second coming of Jesus Christ.

What does this mean to us?

That the second coming of Jesus Christ will happen and because the other prophecies are correct, this will happen and it is 100% accurate.

When somebody tells you, "**that the bible was only written by humans**", then you can show him some of the prophecies in the Old Testament that came true in the New testament.

After you have read it to him, ask

"what did I just read to you?"

If he says of the life and birth of Jesus Christ, you answer him like this:

You are certainly correct, but I have read it to you out of the old testament which was written 400-600 years before the new testament.

If the Bible is a book that has been written by people, how did they know all these things?

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	Old Testament	New Testament
Born of a virgin	Isa. 7:14	Matt. 1:23
He will live in Nazareth	Isa.9:1,2	Matt.2:22,23; Matt. 4:15
Prophecy of the killing of the babies in Bethlehem	Jer.31:15	Matt.2:16 – 18
His calling will include the sinner/heathen	Isa.42:1 – 3,6	Matt. 12:18 – 21
Will be rejected by His own people the Jews	Psalms 118:22	1 Pet.2:7
His ministry will include miracle	Isa.35:1 – 6; Isa. 61:1,2	Matt.9:35; Luke.4:16–21
He will be like a shepherd and His sheep will be scattered	Zeg.13:12,13	Matt.26:31 Mark.14:27, 49,50
He will be betrayed by a friend for 30 silver coins pieces	Zeg.11:12,13	Matt.27:7 – 10

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	Old Testament	New Testament
He will keep quiet, when they accuse Him	Isa.53:7	Matt.27:12 – 14
They will insult and mock Him	Psalms 22:7	Matt.27:31
His feet and hands will be pierced	Psalms 22:16	Luke 23:33
He will be crucified with murderers and thief's	Isa.53:12	Matt.27:38
He will pray for His accusers	Isa.53:12	Luke 23:43
They will gamble over His garment	Psalms 22:18	John 19:23,24
His side will be pierced with a spear	Zech. 12:10	– John.19:34
Will be buried in a rich man's grave	Isa.53:9	Matt.27:57 – 60

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	Old Testament	New Testament
He will rise from the death	Psalms 16:10	Mark 16:6; Acts 2:31
He will go up to heaven	Psalms 68:18	Acts 1:9

Even someone who is skeptical or an atheist should admit that all these prophecies are only possible if there is a miracle behind them. No other book or religion can ever be as definitive as the bible. This book is the inspired word of God. People who distrust the bible claim that they don't believe it just for the sake of being skeptical. There are many reasons this has been proven wrong, but usually people who want to prove it wrong become believers in it. Once they understand the truth of the Bible, they become believers themselves. They are being saved from hell itself.

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