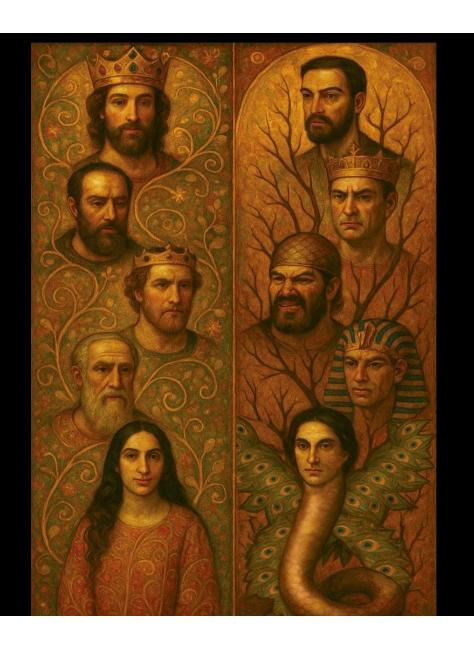
October 7 and Biblical Prophecy

"And I will put enmity Between you and the woman, And between your seed and her seed; He shall bruise you on the head, And you shall bruise him on the heel." (Genesis 3:15)

- History will be defined by a clash between two "seed-lines"
- The righteous line and the unrighteous line
- From each line comes an ultimate seed: The Messiah and the Antichrist

Until the ultimate, final conflict happens, various historical enemies of Israel serve as types or foreshadows of the final, ultimate Antichrist:

- Cain
- Nimrod
- Pharoah
- Goliath
- Sisera
- Nebuchadnezzar
- Antiochus Epiphanes IV



Pharoah



"Behold, I am against you, Pharaoh king of Egypt, the great dragon (tannin) that lies in the midst of his rivers, that says, 'My Nile is mine, and I myself have made it." (Ezekiel 29:3)

"You (God) divided the sea by Your strength; You broke the heads of the sea monsters in the waters. You crushed the heads of Leviathan; You gave him as food for the creatures of the wilderness."

(Psalm 74:13–14)



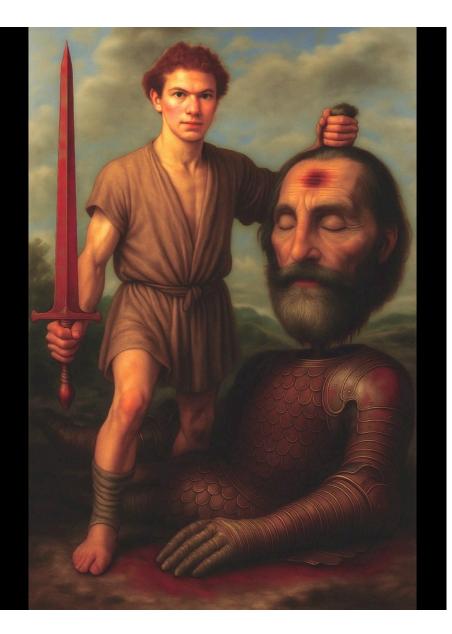
Goliath

Then a champion came out from the armies of the Philistines named Goliath, from Gath, whose height was six cubits and a span. He had a bronze helmet on his head, and he was clothed with scale-armor which weighed five thousand shekels of bronze. He also had bronze greaves on his legs and a bronze javelin slung between his shoulders. (1 Samuel 17:4-6)

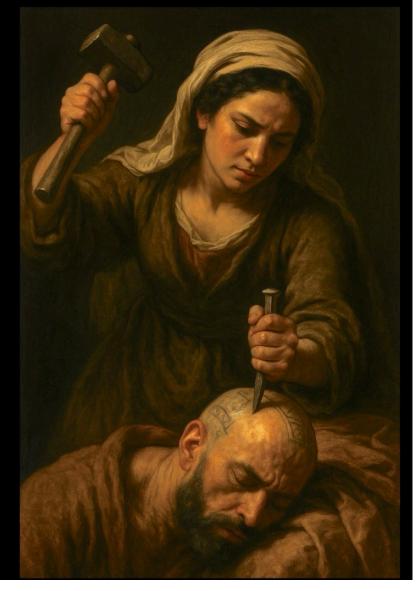
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"You come to me with a sword, a spear, and a javelin, but I come to you in the name of the Lord of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom you have taunted. This day the Lord will deliver you up into my hands, and I will strike you down and remove your head from you. And I will give the dead bodies of the army of the Philistines this day to the birds of the sky and the wild beasts of the earth, that all the earth may know that there is a God in Israel" (1 Samuel 17:45-46)



"Most blessed of women is Jael, The wife of Heber the Kenite; Most blessed is she of women in the tent. He asked for water and she gave him milk; In a magnificent bowl she brought him curds. She reached out her hand for the tent peg, And her right hand for the workmen's hammer. Then she struck Sisera, she smashed his head; And she shattered and pierced his temple. Between her feet he bowed, he fell, he lay; Between her feet he bowed, he fell; Where he bowed, there he fell dead." (Judges 5:24-27)





"For the Lord of hosts has visited His flock, the house of Judah, and will make them like His majestic horse in battle. From them will come the cornerstone, from them the tent peg"

(Zech 10:3–4)







You will be thrust down to Sheol, to the recesses of the pit. Those who see you will gaze at you, saying, "Is this the man who made the earth tremble, who shook kingdoms, who turned the world into a wilderness and destroyed its cities, who did not allow the prisoners to go home?" All the kings of the nations lie in splendor, each in his own tomb. But you are thrown out without a grave, like a worthless branch, covered by those slain with the sword and dumped into a rocky pit like a trampled corpse. You will not join them in burial, because you destroyed your land and slaughtered your own people.

(Isaiah 14:15-20)

The Blessings and The Curses of the Covenant

The Blessings

"If you walk in My statutes and keep My commandments so as to carry them out, then I shall give you rains in their season, so that the land will yield its produce and the trees of the field will bear their fruit. ... You will thus eat your food to the full and live securely in your land."

(Leviticus 26:3–5)

The Curses

But if you do not obey Me and do not carry out all these commandments, if, instead, you reject My statutes, and if your soul abhors My ordinances so as not to carry out all My commandments, and so break My covenant, *I, in turn, will do this to you: I will appoint over you a sudden terror,* consumption and fever that will waste away the eyes and cause the soul to pine away; also, you will sow your seed uselessly, for your enemies will eat it up. I will set My face against you so that *you will be struck down before your enemies;* and those who hate you will rule over you.

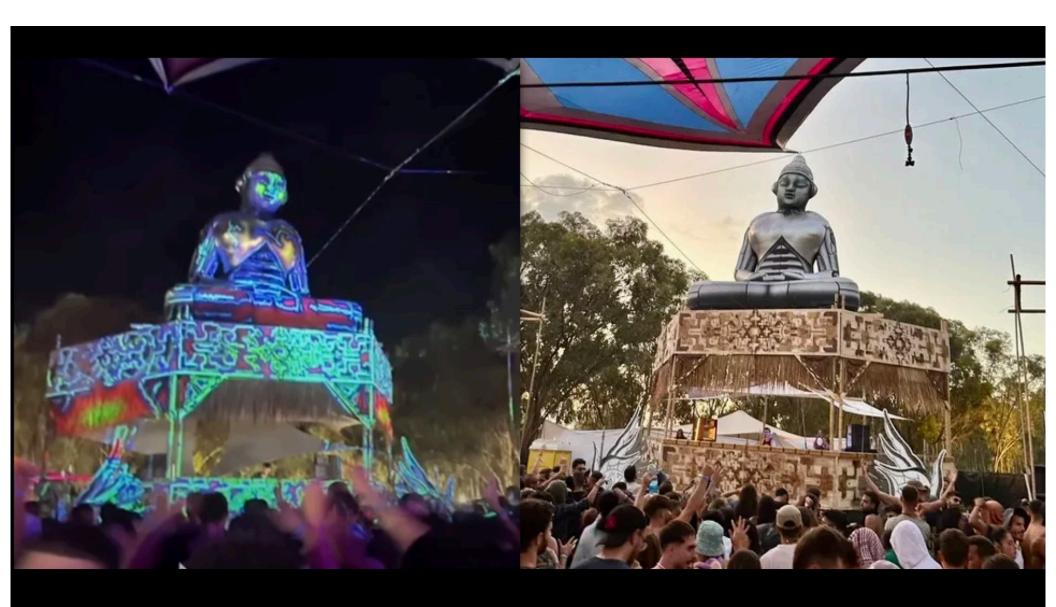
(Leviticus 26:14–17)

For the Lord your God is a consuming fire, a jealous God. When you become the father of children and children's children and have remained long in the land, and act corruptly, and make an idol in the form of anything, and do that which is evil in the sight of the Lord your God so as to provoke Him to anger, I call heaven and earth to witness against you today, that you will surely perish quickly from the land where you are going over the Jordan to possess it. You shall not live long on it, but will be utterly destroyed. The Lord will scatter you among the peoples, and you will be left few in number among the nations where the Lord drives you....

(Deuteronomy 4:24–31)

...There you will serve gods, the work of man's hands, wood and stone, which neither see nor hear nor eat nor smell. But from there you will seek the Lord your God, and you will find Him if you search for Him with all your heart and all your soul. When you are in distress and all these things have come upon you, in the latter days you will return to the Lord your God and listen to His voice. For the Lord your God is a compassionate God; He will not fail you nor destroy you nor forget the covenant with your fathers which He swore to them.

(**Deuteronomy 4:24–31**)









Return of the Captives and The Final Redemption



Emily Damari





"How blessed is he whose help is the God of Jacob... Who executes justice for the oppressed; Who gives food to the hungry.

The Lord sets the prisoners free."

(Psalm 146:5–7)

"For behold, in those days and at that time, When I bring back the captives of Judah and Jerusalem . . ."

(Joel 3:1)

"For the Lord their God will intervene for them, and return their captives."

(Zephaniah 2:7)



"The wilderness and the desert will be glad, And the Arabah will rejoice and blossom; Like the crocus It will blossom profusely And rejoice with rejoicing and shout of joy. The glory of Lebanon will be given to it, The majesty of Carmel and Sharon. They will see the glory of the Lord, The majesty of our God." (Isaiah 35:1-2)

"Encourage the exhausted, and strengthen the feeble." Say to those with anxious heart, "Take courage, fear not. Behold, your God will come with vengeance; The recompense of God will come, But He will save you." Then the eyes of the blind will be opened And the ears of the deaf will be unstopped. Then the lame will leap like a deer, And the tongue of the mute will shout for joy. For waters will break forth in the wilderness And streams in the Arabah." (Isaiah 35:3-6)

"The scorched land will become a pool And the thirsty ground springs of water; In the haunt of jackals, its resting place, Grass becomes reeds and rushes. A highway will be there, a roadway, And it will be called the Highway of Holiness. The unclean will not travel on it, But it will be for him who walks that way, And fools will not wander on it" (Isaiah 35:7-8)

No lion will be there, Nor will any vicious beast go up on it; These will not be found there. But the redeemed will walk there, And the ransomed of the Lord will return And come with joyful shouting to Zion, With everlasting joy upon their heads. They will find gladness and joy, And sorrow and sighing will flee away." (Isaiah 35:9-10)