

# April 8, 2024 SOLAR ECLIPSE

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## I. NOTES:

A. **Tribute to Shelby** — (so good to see Karin & Harlow)

1. **Vivacious Leader** — Inaugural Leader of our Security Team & Personal Protection Officer of mine!

a. We miss Shelby!

b. I know he would be doing cartwheels over all that is happening for COC and Optimal Family Care Clinic.

c. I have asked *His Excellency* & *His Majesty* to consider allowing us to name the first clinic in **Fort Portal, Uganda** after **Shelby Dickerson** to memorialize his faith & legacy —

B. **Our Teams:** **WOW!** Praise each one of them — show pictures. Our Custodial Crews, Repair Teams, Paint Crews, Hospitality, Frontline, Parking, ChampKids City, Band, Ushers, Culinary, Décor, Media, Social Media, Pastoral, Prayer, Escort, Chauffeur, etc...

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- C. **This week:** — *on campus*. Show **Mattress Mack** ad without sound... while I am speaking about it. Multiply Mastery
- D. **This weekend:** — ***Palm Sunday*** — I am back & on fire — bring family & friends.

## II. HOW MANY OF YOU HAVE BEEN FOLLOWING THE NEWS, PROGNOSTICATIONS, & PREDICTIONS REGARDING THE UPCOMING APRIL 8, 24 SOLAR ECLIPSE?

- A. Tonight, we want to look at the **Solar Eclipse** & what it might mean, & do so knowing that we need **God** to grant us extraordinary wisdom for this hour —
- B. While some will be shocked & others alarmed, I know some will simply dismiss it as a coincidence & plan to go on with their lives as if all of this is just another novelty in the sky.

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- C. But, I am speaking to you “*who have ears to hear what the Spirit is speaking expressly to the Church*” —
- D. This **Celestial Event** is much more than Our Galaxy stunning our imaginations —
1. The total **Solar Eclipse on April 8, 2024** is part of a larger set of heavenly events that seem to coincide with serious earthly events of potential Biblical Proportion —
- E. **Genesis 1:14** declares, “*Then God said, 'Let there be lights in the expanse of the heavens to separate the day from the night, & let them be for signs & for seasons & for days & years...*”
- F. **Luke 21:25** - “*There will be signs in the sun, moon & stars. On the earth, nations will be in anguish & perplexity at the roaring & tossing of the sea.*”
- G. We see that **God’s Word** declares that **He** uses the sun, moon & stars to communicate with us,

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H. There are **3 areas** of interest that I would like to look at it with you tonight, & study for your consideration & intercessory prayer —

1. #1 — The **Eclipse of the Sun**, which is alluded to or referenced in **Amos 8:9**; **Micah 3:6**; **Zechariah 14:6**; & **Joel 2:10** are all regarded as **signs** of **God's Anger**.
  - a. **Amos 8:9** speaks of a prophetic vision of a time of darkness & calamity. In this verse, **God** tells of a day when **He** will make the sun go down at noon & darken the earth in broad daylight. This imagery is often interpreted as a symbol of judgment and a disruption of the natural order, reflecting the seriousness of the **people's wrongdoing** & the depth of the coming judgment.
  - b. **Micah 3:6** describes a **judgment** upon the prophets who lead people astray. In this verse, it is said **that night will come over them without visions, & darkness,**

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*without divination. The sun will set for the prophets, & the day will go dark for them.* This imagery symbolizes the loss of their prophetic vision & authority as a consequence of their misleading guidance & corruption. It reflects a *divine judgment* on those who have misused their *spiritual gifts & callings*

- c. **Zechariah 14:6** speaks about a unique & extraordinary event in the context of the *Lord's day*. The verse describes a time when it will not be clear, nor dark: a day known only to the *Lord*, with no distinction between day & night, & at evening time there will be light. This imagery is part of a broader prophecy detailing the *Lord's* return and the establishment of *His* kingdom, highlighting a time of great change & divine intervention where normal natural laws do not apply. The passage is often interpreted in the context of

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eschatological events, symbolizing **God's** ultimate victory & the restoration of Jerusalem.

d. **Joel 2:10** describes a time of **cosmic disturbances** that accompany the ***day of the Lord***. It mentions that the earthquakes, the heavens tremble, ***the sun & the moon are darkened, & the stars no longer shine***. This verse is part of a passage that vividly portrays the **Lord's appearance** as a day of darkness & gloom, a powerful & terrifying event. The imagery is symbolic of the profound impact of **God's judgment** & **the awe-inspiring nature of His presence**. This description serves to highlight the severity of the ***day of the Lord*** & its significance as a time of **divine intervention** in human affairs.

2. #2 — **The Path of the Eclipse** — With the path of this **April 8<sup>th</sup> Eclipse**, combined with the **first 2 eclipses** (one in

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2017 and the other in 2023), it will create the **Hebrew letter** over **America** that is **"Aleph Tav"** & it's Greek counterpart **"Alpha & Omega"** - both mean: **"The beginning & the end."** **God** said in Rev. 21:6 that **"He is the beginning & the end"** & this **Aleph Tav** is equivalent to His signature.

3. #3 — **God** has used eclipses to **warn nations of coming judgment** so that the nation can repent of their sinful ways & come back to Him.
  - a. This happened with the story of Ninevah. **God** told **Jonah** to go to the **wicked nation of Ninevah** & warn them about coming judgment.
  - b. **Jonah** ran away from the assignment & while out at sea, was consequently swallowed up by great fish & was in the belly of that great fish (whale) for 3 days.
  - c. **Jonah** repented of running away, was spit up on shore, & then went into **Ninevah**



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& warned the people but there was something that also happened while he was warning the people... an eclipse came over the land.

d. In the 19th century, ancient tablets were discovered that describe an eclipse called the Bur-Sagale eclipse, where the totality of the eclipse landed right over Ninevah while Jonah was there preaching of the 40-day warning before the coming destruction.

e. Because of this, the people realized that this was a sign from God that what Jonah was saying was true & they repented & God spared their nation.

II. **BEFORE OUR DISCUSSION, I WANT YOU TO WATCH THIS VIDEO THAT JIM STALEY PUT TOGETHER ABOUT THIS SUBJECT: THE 2024 SOLAR ECLIPSE —**

A. (**Watch Video**)



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## III. GOD'S TIMECLOCK —

A. The Hebrew word here for **seasons** is the word **moadim** it does not mean *spring* *summer* *fall* or *winter* it literally means **God's appointed feast days** —

1. **Passover, unleavened bread, first fruits, shavout** better known as Pentecost, **trumpets Yom Kippur, & Sukkot**, so the first reason why he put the **celestial bodies in the heavens** was so that we would know when to meet with him this is why Paul says in 1 Thess. that although the **Lord will come like a thief in the night & no man knows the day of the hour** — we would know the times & the seasons for that he doesn't need to write about us & because these seasons are all about the first & **second coming** of **Messiah** they are intimately connected with prophecy but the other reason He says they are for signs which in *Hebrew* means a **signal** or an

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**omen** this means that the **sun moon & stars** were put into place to give us signals warnings & to forecast the two times when the **Messiah** was going to visit earth once as a **humble Shepherd & suffering servant** that lays his life down for sheep & the other as a **conquering King** intent on **redeeming His bride** —

B. In Rev. 6:12, ***“I looked when He opened the Sixth Seal & behold there was a great earthquake & the sun became black as sackcloth of hair & the moon became like blood”***

C. Here we see another **correlation** between an earthquake & a solar & lunar eclipse the ***moon becoming like blood*** is referring to a **blood red moon** which is when the Earth's moon is in **total lunar eclipse** Zechariah 14: 6-7 says it this way, ***“it shall come to pass in that day that there will be no more light the lights will diminish it shall be one day which is known to the Lord***

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***neither day nor night but at evening time  
it shall happen that it will be light*** —

D. Joel 2:10 it says, ***“the sun & the moon will grow dark and the Stars will lose their brightness”*** there can be no doubt that over and over again throughout the Bible that solar & lunar eclipses are not connected to anything good even many of the Native Americans have deep spiritual beliefs that total solar eclipses are either very bad Omens & or bring a time of transition & rebirth throughout the Bible we see solar & lunar eclipses connected to events that surround major wars —

E. More interesting statistics about this Eclipse —

1. It is amazing how much America mirrors Ninevah. (If you don't see it, you may be part of the problem.) To make this even more clear, this last eclipse on April 8th will be going over 7 cities here in America called — yep - NINEVAH!

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2. With this eclipse going over these cities (and there will be an 8th one that it goes over also called Ninevah in Canada.)

Here are the cities:

▲ **Nineveh, Texas**

▲ **Nineveh, Missouri**

▲ **Nineveh, Indiana** (this will be the highest magnitude of eclipse Mag 1.023, the local time predicted for it to occur is at 3:07 PM)

▲ **Nineveh, Ohio**

▲ **Nineveh, Pennsylvania**

▲ **Nineveh, Virginia**

▲ **Nineveh, New York**

▲ **Nineveh, Nova Scotia** (Not in the US)

3. This begs the question: ***“Is this God warning us just as He warned Ninevah?”***

4. There have been many ***“Jonahs”*** in the past few years warning the nation that we need to repent & add this sign to them, we

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can't turn away from the fact that it is not a coincidence.

5. The first part of this 3-part eclipse series was in 2017. The path of that eclipse went over seven cities named Salem, which is short for Jerusalem.

▲ **Salem, Oregon**

▲ **Salem, Idaho**

▲ **Salem, Wyoming**

▲ **Salem, Nebraska**

▲ **Salem, Missouri**

▲ **Salem, Kentucky**

▲ **Salem, South Carolina**

6. I think it goes without saying, that the mathematical "**chance**" of there being 7 **Salems** with the first eclipse and then 7 **Ninevahs** for the third eclipse is unthinkable.

7. Also, one of the more striking pieces of information about the 2nd eclipse is that

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the precise center-line of eclipse path exits the **USA** directly over **Corpus Christi**.

**Corpus Christi** means the “*Body of Christ*” & is one of the only towns named that in the world!

8. But, let’s keep looking at the upcoming eclipse —

- a. **Jonah** was giving a 40-day warning to **Ninevah** during the eclipse.
- b. If you look at our **April 8th** eclipse & **count** forward 40 days then you get to **May 18, 2024** - the day before **Pentecost**.
- c. The history of **Pentecost** is that it is the last **Spring Feast** that the **Lord** has given us (there are 4 in the Spring & 3 in the Fall).
- d. **Pentecost** is when the **Lord poured out the Holy Spirit** upon all those who accepted **Him** as their **Redeemer Messiah** —
- e. In Scripture, we are told that the

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**"Restrainer"** (the Holy Spirit) will be removed before the Tribulation - could it be that this is a warning for that?

- f. I'm not sure as that is a worldwide event & this eclipse will be just over **North America** but it is something definitely pray about for more **clarity** & **wisdom**.
- g. There are far too many things lining up for it to not be consequential, therefore you must get this information so that you can pray about these signs that **God** is giving us —
- h. So, let's keep going...
  - i. From the start of this 3 eclipse to the end, it will be 7 years. **God** uses numbers a lot to communicate with us, & 7 has significant meaning.
  - ii. A few examples: **God** created the world in 7 days, there will be a 7-year tribulation, 7 is used for completion, etc.



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- i. Going back to how this correlates with **Jonah** & **Ninevah's** story -at the time of this eclipse, there will be another sign in the sky...it will take place under the **constellation, Cetus**, which is the **whale constellation!** And not only will it pass through the **8 cities in North America** named **Ninevah**, it will also pass through **Jonah, Texas!**
- ii. Consider the other towns it is projected to pass through —these are some of the other city names:
  - ▲ **Rapture, Indiana**
  - ▲ **Williamston, Kentucky** - this is where the Ark Encounter is located. The Ark Encounter is a full-size replica of Noah's Ark.
  - ▲ **Eagle Pass, Texas** - where we are having so many border issues.
  - ▲ And the point where it crosses the 2017 eclipse to mark the **center of the X** is an area in southern **Illinois** called **Little Egypt**.

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- iii. What is even more fascinating about this is that **Little Egypt** is sandwiched in between 2 other cities called **Alpha, Kentucky, & Omega, Illinois** - both having the **2017** eclipse come over their cities.
- iv. Furthermore, the intersection of the **2017 & 2024 Solar Eclipses** occur directly over the **New Madrid Fault Line**, a major seismic zone.
- v. It has been said that an earthquake along this fault line could potentially destroy the U.S., making it one of the most perilous fault lines in the country. I have no idea if this will happen or not, but there are too many things here that are all lining up for you not to be aware & praying for the **Lord's mercies** & for **His salvation** —