



"THAT YOU WILL KNOW I AM THE LORD" Part 7 EZEKIEL **38-39**

I. GOD'S COVENANT LOVE FOR AND WITH ISRAEL

II. GOD'S FUTURE RESTORATION OF ISRAEL EZEK. 36

- *III. GOD'S MIRACULOUS RESTORATION OF ISRAEL FROM THEIR GRAVES!* EZEK 37
- IV. THE EVENT THAT WILL RESTORE ISRAEL'S FAITH IN THE LORD PSA 83; EZEK 38-39 (Continued) A. through H. (Previously on 4/16/2023)
 - I. An intentional fight: when God's longsuffering reaches its end and justice is called forward
 - J. A select group with whom God has cause: Gog and his allies - Turkey, Russia, Iran, Libya, Sudan, some parts of eastern Europe, some of the -stans, China?, the Mongols?
 - K. Hooks in the jaws not singular but plural; the tool box of God is full of "hooks" - economic, agrarian, political, ethnic, metals/minerals, etc.
 - L. It will happen in the latter years when Israel has been brought back to the land
 - M. It will be a host of people like a "cloud", a "storm", covering the land, the mountains of Israel
 - N. This leader and alliance will perceive a weakness in Israel that would be convenient to attack them
 - O. The goal of the attack is to plunder the land and its people, to take away what they have worked for, and to become wealthy at their expense

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- P. They are well-armed and suited for war
- Q. All the rest of the nations of the world will protest the invasion but do nothing to help Israel resist and fight this massive army
- R. With no one to help, with their "backs against the wall" (think Red Sea and the Egyptian army) God directly intervenes!
- S. He had spoken through His prophets what He was going to do with this invader from the north
- T. God's judgment of this army begins
 - 1. A great earthquake large enough that the whole world is affected by it; it will change the topography of the land; it is the LORD!
 - 2. Battle confusion from the LORD will take over and allies will fight and kill one another
 - 3. God brings pestilence and bloodshed on them
 - 4. Rain will flood their positions and drown them
 - 5. Great hailstones, fire and brimstone will fall on them
 - 6. Fire will consume Magog and much of the rest of the world who chose not to get involved
 - 7. The birds of prey and the beasts of the field will feed on them by God's command 39:17-20
 - 8. Their weapons will become fuel for the next 7 years; it will take at least 7 months to bury the carnage
- U. God uses this event to change the heart of Israel; they will know the LORD and His Christ; aliyah
- V. The Tribulation will happen shortly Joel 2