

MATTHEW 24



Several Warning Signs of Jerusalem's Coming Destruction

- **False christs**
- **Wars and rumors of wars**
- **Nation against nation**
- **Kingdom against kingdom**
- **Earthquakes and famines**
- **Persecution and betrayals**
- **False prophets**
- **Gospel preached in all the world**



THE TWO QUESTIONS (Matthew 24:3)



When will these things happen?

What will be the sign of His coming and the end of the world?



Understanding Matthew 24

The Transition Text: *Matthew 24:36*

"But of that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, but My Father only."

BEFORE VERSE 36

time could be known
famine, pestilence, wars
fig tree, indicating nearness
those days
local events

AFTER VERSE 36

time unknown
peace, normality
thief in the night
that day, that hour
universal event



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- “the earth and its works will be burned up”
(2 Peter 3:10b)



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- **The sheep and the goats (Matthew 25:31-46)**



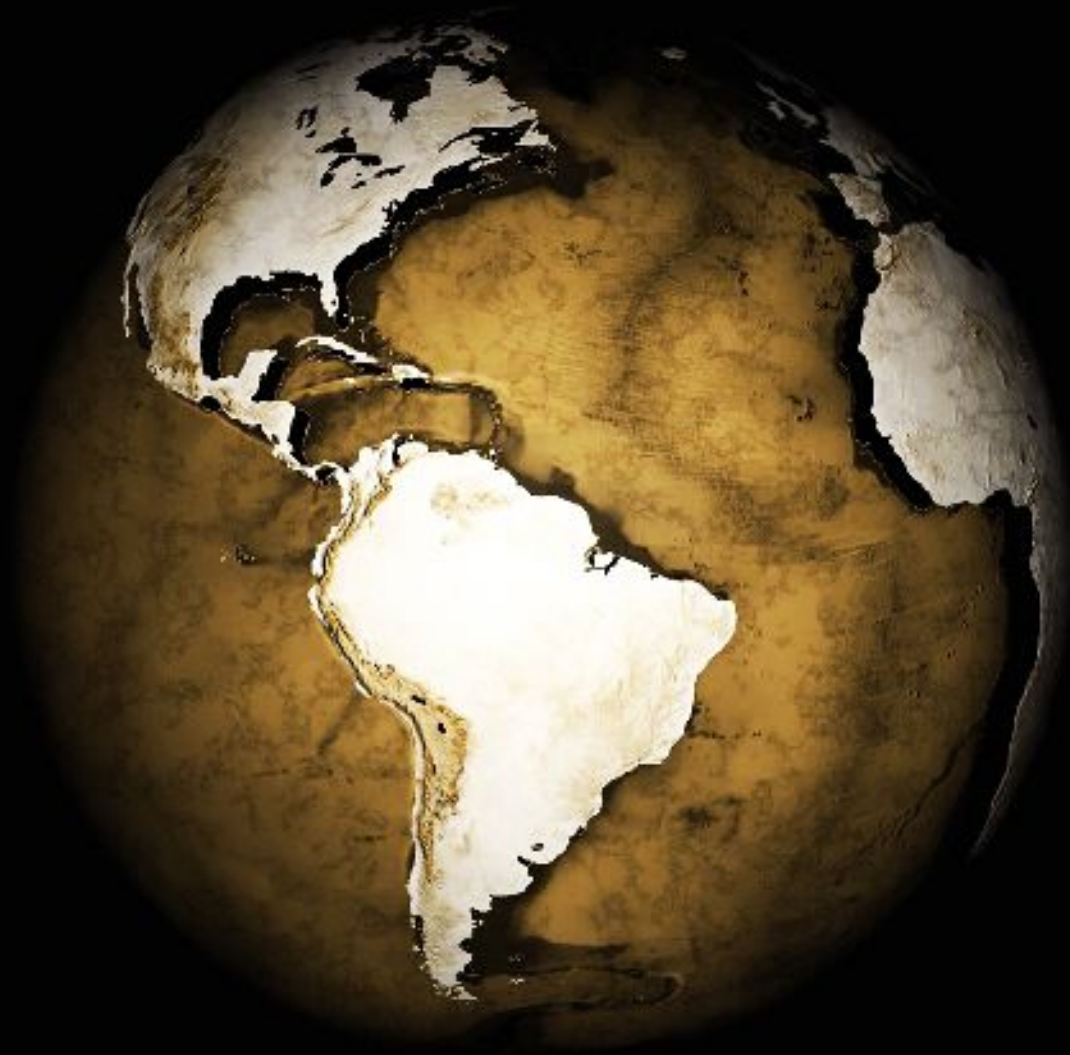
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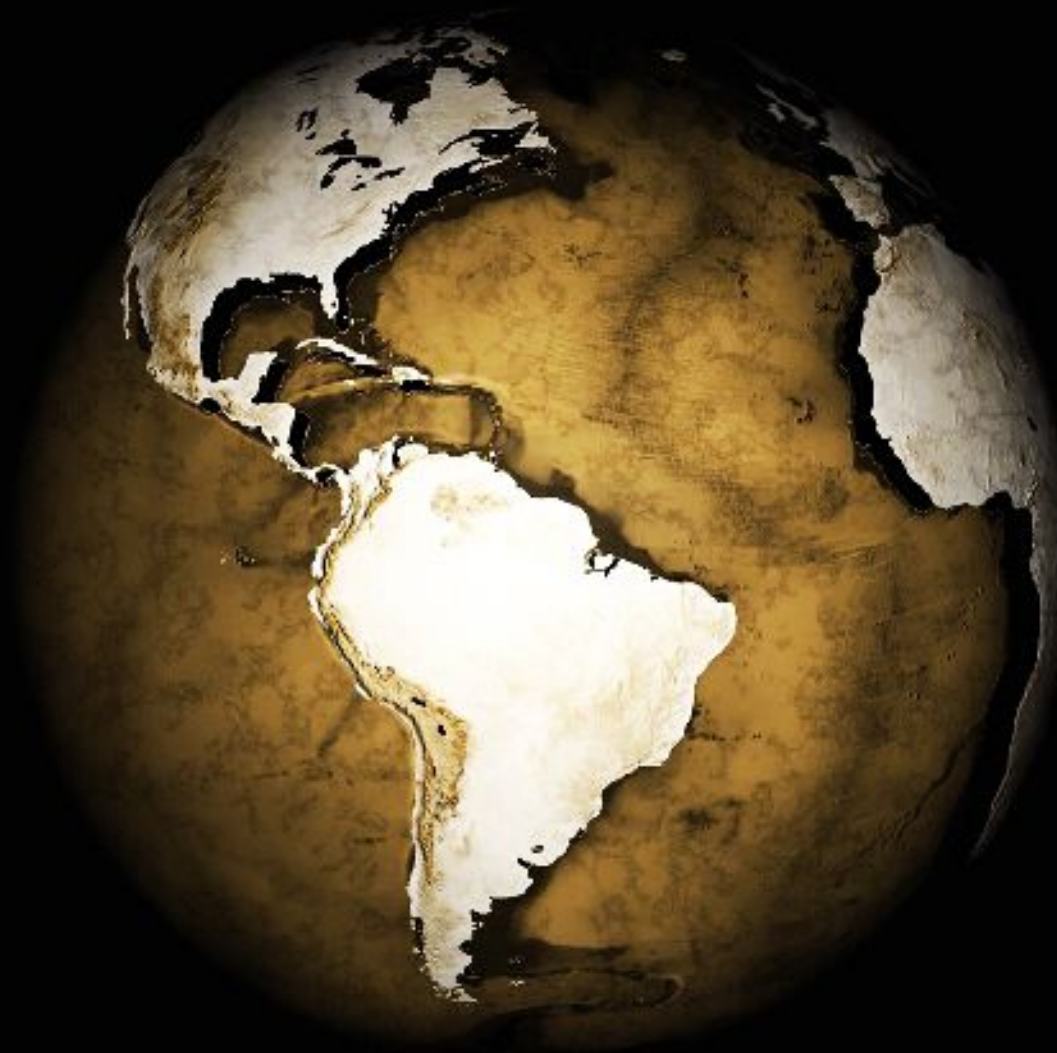


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