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*Go ye therefore, and teach all nations" (Matt 28:19)*

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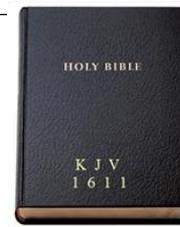
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# Bible Prophecy

*As It Was In The Days Of Noah And Lot*



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## 3. Like The Days Of Noah And The Days Of Lot

**Matt 24:37**

But **as the days of Noe were**, so shall also the coming of the Son of man be.

**Luke 17:28a,30**

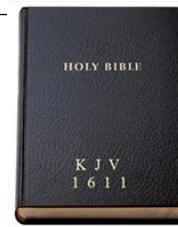
Likewise also **as it was in the days of Lot**;

Even thus shall it be in the day when the Son of man is revealed.

- The words used to describe the days of Noah and Lot also describe the last days

### **Words Used To Describe The Days Of Noah**

1. Wicked (Gen 6:5)
2. Evil (Gen 6:5)
3. Corrupt (Gen 6:11-12)
4. Violent (Gen 6:11,13)- Heb. chamas (pronounced HAMAS)
5. Ungodly (2 Pet 2:5; Jude 15)



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## Words Used To Describe The Days Of Lot

1. Wicked (Gen 13:13; 2 Pet 2:7)
2. Sinners exceedingly (Gen 13:13)
3. Filthy (2 Pet 2:7)
4. Unlawful (2 Pet 2:8)
5. Unjust (2 Pet 2:9)

1) In spite of signs of impending judgment, life goes on as normal until judgment falls

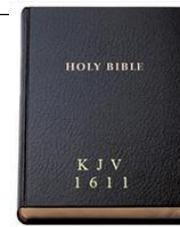
### **Matt 24:38-39**

For as in the days that were before the flood they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day that Noe entered into the ark,

And knew not until the flood came, and took them all away; so shall also the coming of the Son of man be

### **2 Pet 2:5**

And spared not the old world, but saved Noah the eighth *person*, a preacher of righteousness, bringing in the flood upon the world of the ungodly;



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## Luke 17:28-30

Likewise also as it was in the days of Lot; they did eat, they drank, they bought, they sold, they planted, they builded;

But the same day that Lot went out of Sodom it rained fire and brimstone from heaven, and destroyed *them* all.

Even thus shall it be in the day when the Son of man is revealed.

## 2) Indulgence In Base Appetites (i.e.- food, drink, sex)

## Luke 17:26-29

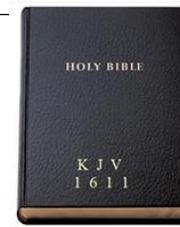
And as it was in the days of Noe, so shall it be also in the days of the Son of man.

They did eat, they drank, they married wives, they were given in marriage, until the day that Noe entered into the ark, and the flood came, and destroyed them all.

Likewise also as it was in the days of Lot; they did eat, they drank, they bought, they sold, they planted, they builded;

But the same day that Lot went out of Sodom it rained fire and brimstone from heaven, and destroyed *them* all.

- In the face of impending judgment, society in the days of Noah and Lot lived to party, just like today



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## 3) Economic and engineering expansion

### Gen 4:20-22

And Adah bare Jabel: he was the father of such as dwell in tents, and of such as have cattle.

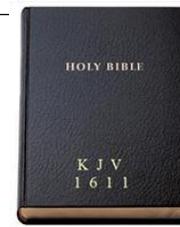
And his brother's name *was* Jubal: he was the father of all such as handle the harp and organ.

And Zillah, she also bare Tubalcain, an instructor of every artificer in brass and iron: and the sister of Tubalcain *was* Naamah.

### Luke 17:28

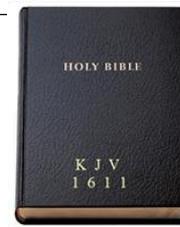
Likewise also as it was in the days of Lot; they did eat, they drank, they bought, they sold, they planted, they builded;

- Society in the days of Noah and Lot was pre-occupied with building bigger and getting richer, just like today
- The Industrial revolution and Information Age produced an unprecedented quality of life and standard of living for the average person
- We take the true necessities of life for granted and deem comforts and conveniences (i.e.- “nice-ities”) as necessities



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- Having a house is a necessity; having electricity in the house is a “nicety” but we regard it as a necessity- this is evident by the fact that when the power goes out, we freak out
- Comforts and conveniences did not stop with electricity being brought into the home, through the telephone this electricity was used to enable us to talk to people separated from us by great distances, within the confines of our home
- We didn’t like being restricted to a particular space in our home when talking to people, so the comfort and convenience of the telephone was advanced to the cordless phone
- Then we didn’t like being restricted to our homes when talking to people so the comfort and convenience of the telephone was advanced to the cellular phone
- Then we didn’t like having multiple electronic devices and being restricted to using our cell phones for just phone calls, so the comfort and convenience of the cell phone advanced to the smart phone
- Our smart phones today are used as phones, PCs, TVs, music players, gaming systems, and practical tools so the ultimate convenience item is deemed an absolute necessity



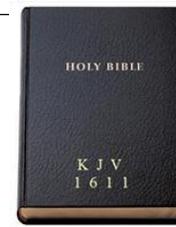
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## 4) A population explosion

### Gen 6:1

And it came to pass, when men began to multiply on the face of the earth, and daughters were born unto them,

- The population of the world in the days of Noah could have been **14 billion** (double the current world's population) or more, based on the following facts/assumptions:
  - There are 10 generations from Adam to Noah
  - The average life span for each person was 900 years
  - Each set of parents had an average of 25 children- this equates to one child for every 36 years of life ( $900/36= 25$ ), which is the same today assuming a parental life expectancy of 72 years and two children for each set of parents

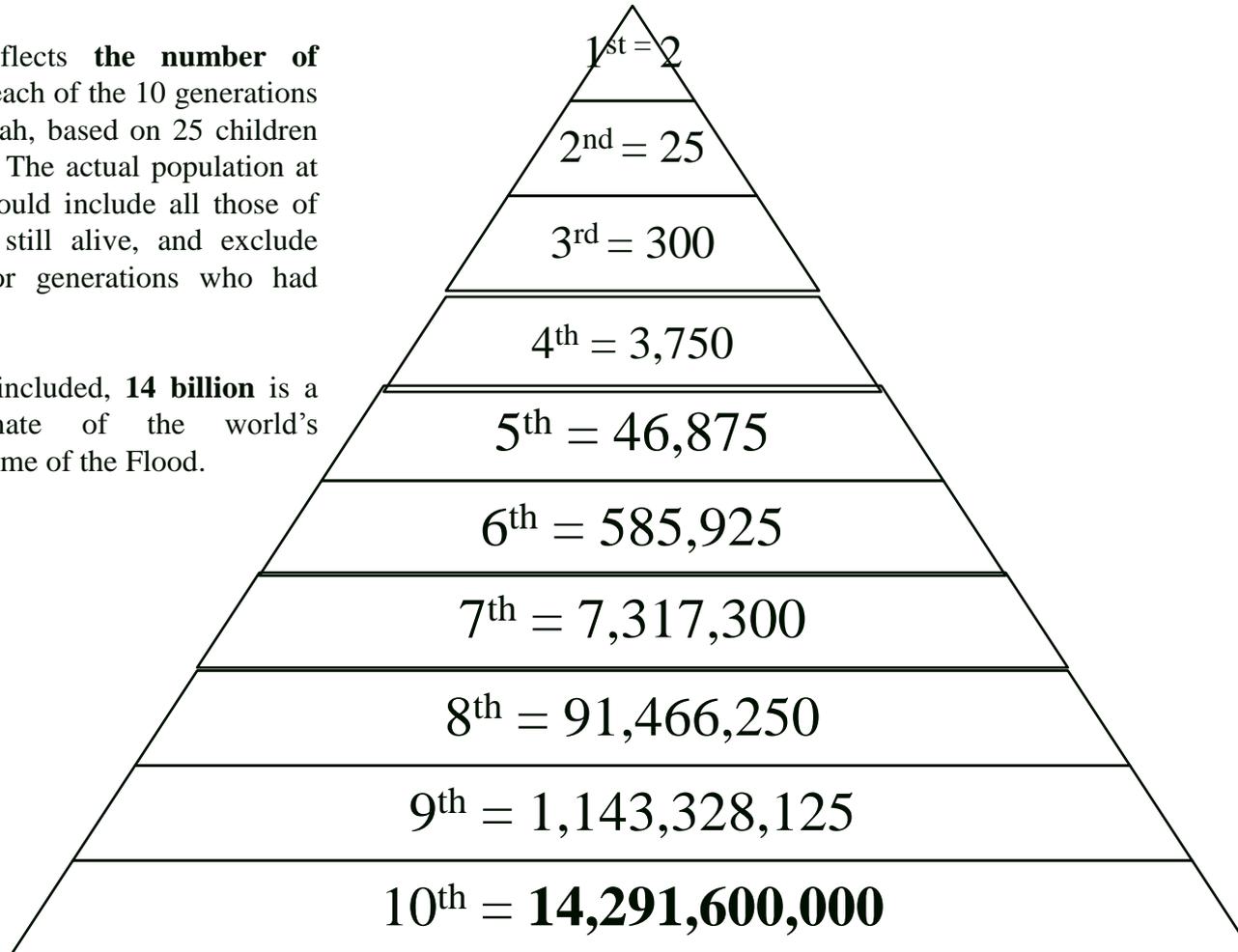


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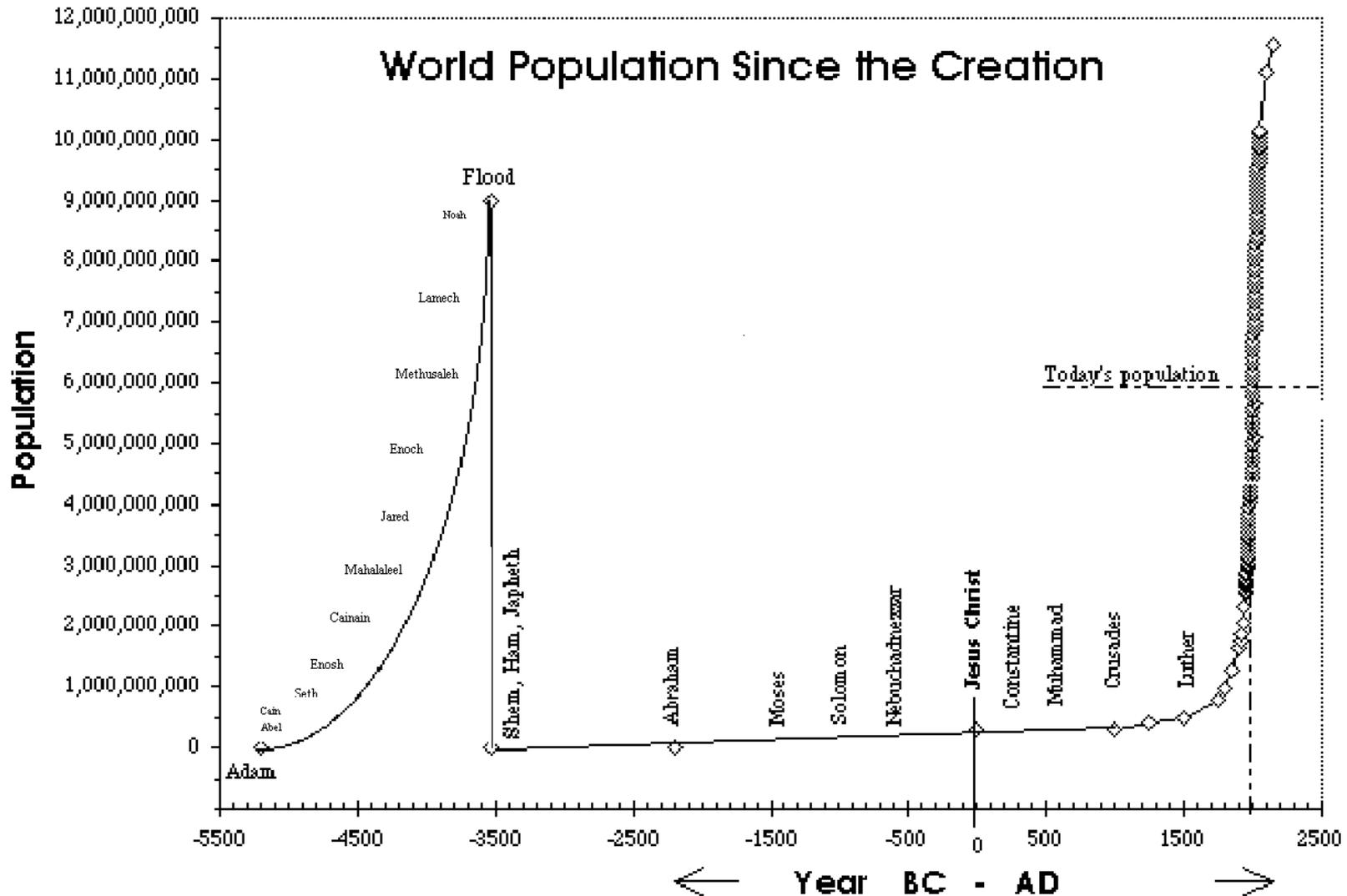
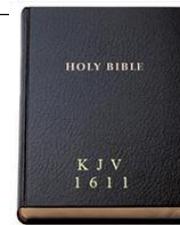
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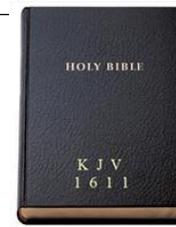
This pyramid reflects **the number of children born** to each of the 10 generations from Adam to Noah, based on 25 children per set of parents. The actual population at any given time would include all those of prior generations still alive, and exclude anyone from prior generations who had died.

All other factors included, **14 billion** is a reasonable estimate of the world's population at the time of the Flood.



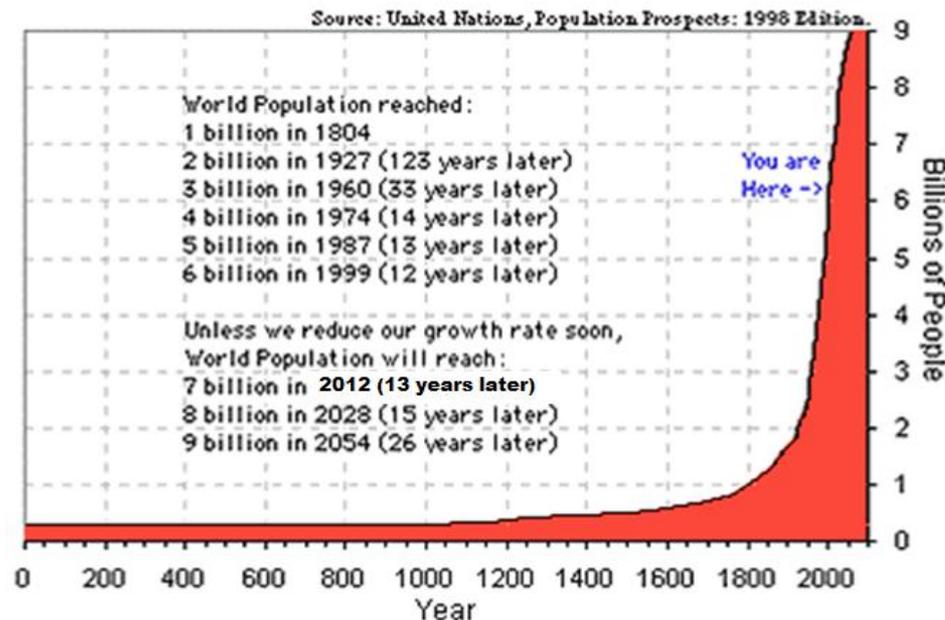
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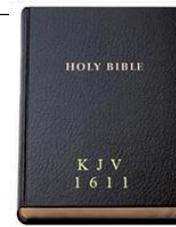




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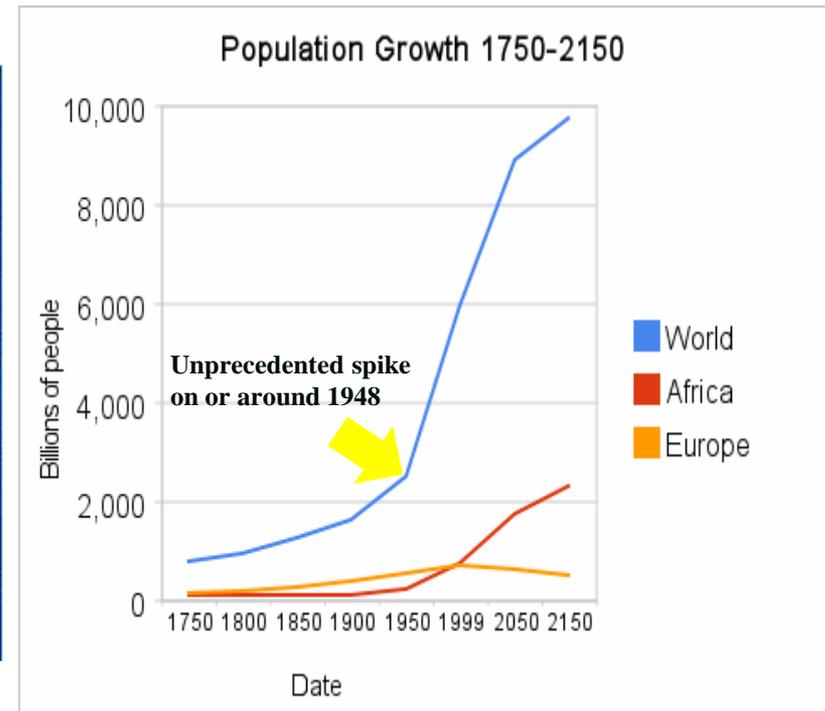
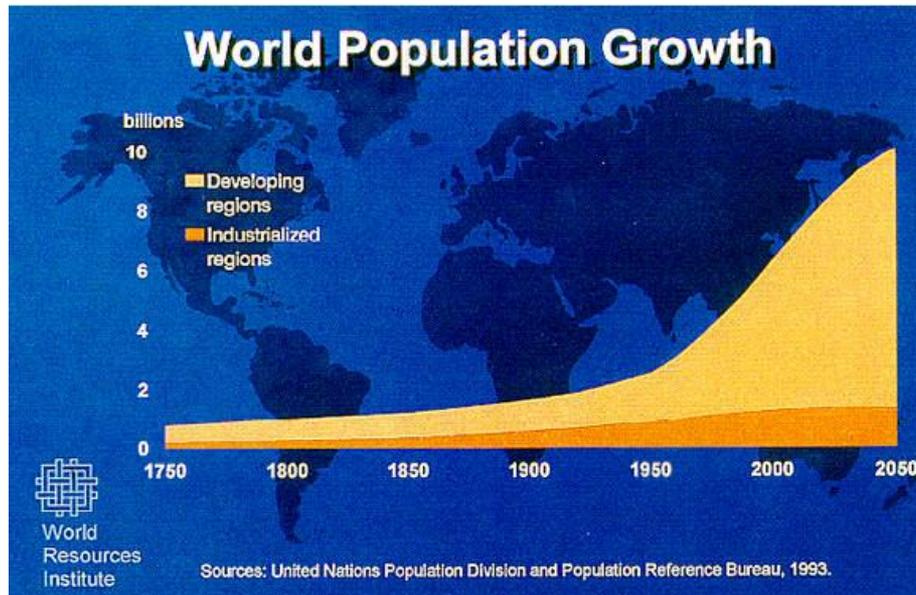
- It took 4,152 years (following the Flood) for the world to reach a population of 1 billion in 1804
- It only took another 123 years to reach 2 billion in 1927
- It only took another 33 years to reach 3 billion in 1960
- It only took another 14 years to reach 4 billion in 1974; 13 years to reach 5 billion in 1987; 12 years to reach 6 billion in 1999; and 13 years to reach 7 billion in 2012



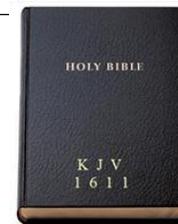


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- The majority of the population explosion is occurring in non-Industrialized regions, primarily in Africa and Asia
- The largest spike in population growth occurred during the “baby boom” generation following World War II (1945-1960)- a time coinciding with the rebirth of the nation of Israel in 1948



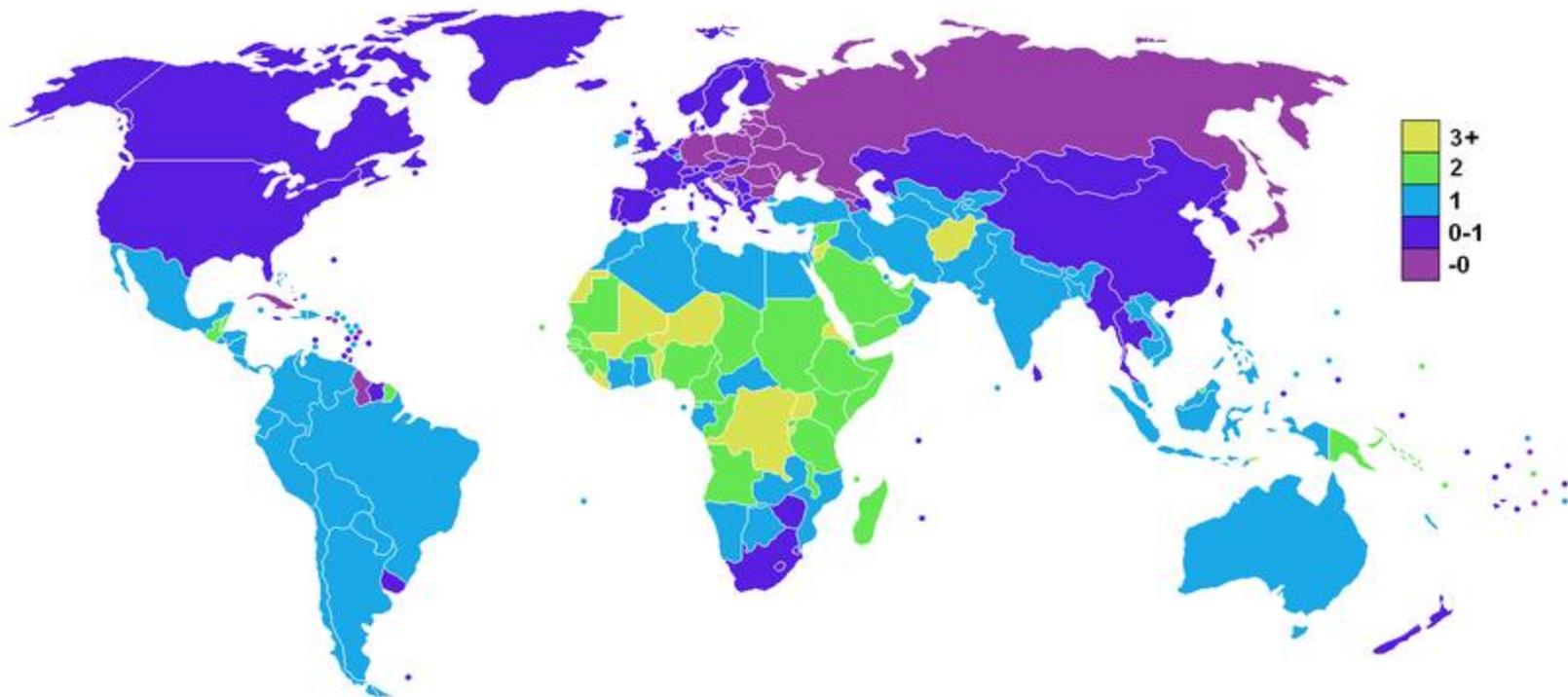
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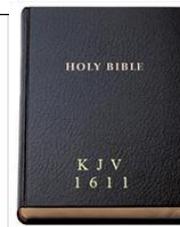


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