

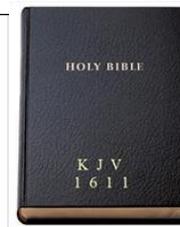
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*Go ye therefore, and teach all nations” (Matt 28:19)*

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# Bible Prophecy

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## 3. The Conquest (Psa 83:9-12)

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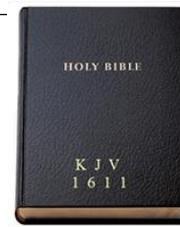
**Do unto them as unto the Midianites; as to Sisera, as to Jabin, at the brook of Kison:**

**Which perished** at Endor: they **became as dung** for the earth.

**Make their nobles like Oreb, and like Zeeb:** yea, all their princes **as Zebah, and as Zalmunna:**

**Who said, Let us take** to ourselves **the houses of God** in possession.

- DO UNTO THEM= the 10 nation confederacy will be defeated by Israel just like the MIDADIANITES were in the days of Gideon (Jud 6-7), and just like SISERA and JABIN were in the days of Deborah and Barak (Jud 4-5)
- AS UNTO THE MIDADIANITES...AS TO SISERA= in both instances, Israel was faced with overwhelming numbers against them but was victorious due to divine intervention
- The Midianites outnumbered Israel 450 to 1 (i.e.- 135,000 against 300)
- Sisera and his multitude consisted of 900 iron chariots (Jud 4:3,13)



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## Jud 7:3-6

Now therefore go to, proclaim in the ears of the people, saying, Whosoever is fearful and afraid, let him return and depart early from mount Gilead. And there returned of the people twenty and two thousand; and there remained ten thousand.

And the LORD said unto Gideon, The people are yet too many; bring them down unto the water, and I will try them for thee there: and it shall be, that of whom I say unto thee, This shall go with thee, the same shall go with thee; and of whomsoever I say unto thee, This shall not go with thee, the same shall not go.

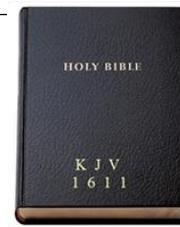
So he brought down the people unto the water: and the LORD said unto Gideon, Every one that lappeth of the water with his tongue, as a dog lappeth, him shalt thou set by himself; likewise every one that boweth down upon his knees to drink.

And the number of them that lapped, putting their hand to their mouth, were three hundred men: but all the rest of the people bowed down upon their knees to drink water.

And the LORD said unto Gideon, By the three hundred men that lapped will I save you, and deliver the Midianites into thine hand: and let all the other people go every man unto his place.

## Jud 8:10

Now Zebah and Zalmunna were in Karkor, and their hosts with them, about fifteen thousand men, all that were left of all the hosts of the children of the east: for there fell an hundred and twenty thousand men that drew sword.



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- The Lord intervened against the Midianites by having them turn their swords on each other

### Jud 7:22

And the three hundred blew the trumpets, and **the LORD set every man's sword against his fellow**, even throughout all the host: and the host fled to Beth-shittah in Zererath, and to the border of Abel-meholah, unto Tabbath.

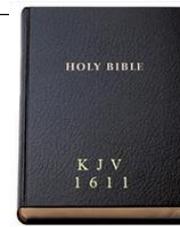
- This appears to be what happens to Edom, as the leader of the confederacy in the war of Psalm 83

### Oba 6-7

How are the things of **Esau** searched out! how are his hidden things sought up!

**All the men of thy confederacy** have brought thee even to the border: the men that were at peace with thee **have deceived thee, and prevailed against thee**; they that eat thy bread have laid a wound under thee: there is none understanding in him.

- The Lord intervened against Sisera by having Jael the wife of Heber the Kenite execute him



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## Jud 4:21

Then Jael Heber's wife took a nail of the tent, and took an hammer in her hand, and went softly unto him, and smote the nail into his temples, and fastened it into the ground: for he was fast asleep and weary. So he died.

- AT THE BROOK KISON= KISON, KISHON appears 7x
- Kishon was a city within the inheritance of the tribe of Issachar

## Jos 21:28

And out of the tribe of Issachar, Kishon with her suburbs, Dabareh with her suburbs,

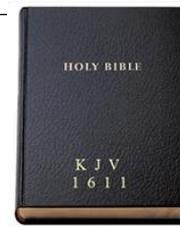
- The river of Kishon is where Barak defeated the armies of Sisera

## Jud 4:6-7,13

And she sent and called Barak the son of Abinoam out of Kedesh–naphtali, and said unto him, Hath not the LORD God of Israel commanded, saying, Go and draw toward mount Tabor, and take with thee ten thousand men of the children of Naphtali and of the children of Zebulun?

And I will draw unto thee to the river Kishon Sisera, the captain of Jabin's army, with his chariots and his multitude; and I will deliver him into thine hand.

And Sisera gathered together all his chariots, even nine hundred chariots of iron, and all the people that were with him, from Harosheth of the Gentiles unto the river of Kishon.



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## Jud 5:21

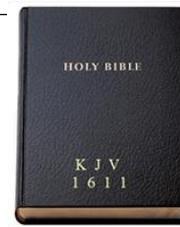
The river of Kishon swept them away, that ancient river, the river Kishon. O my soul, thou hast trodden down strength.

- The brook of Kishon is where Elijah had the prophets of Baal slain after the contest on Mount Carmel

## 1 Kin 18:40

And Elijah said unto them, Take the prophets of Baal; let not one of them escape. And they took them: and Elijah brought them down to the brook Kishon, and slew them there.

- The words RIVER and BROOK are used interchangeably in these verses (Heb. *nachal*)
- Although Elijah invited a total of 850 of the prophets of Baal and the groves (1 Kin 18:19) to participate in the contest, only the prophets of Baal came
- Although there were 7,000 others willing to stand for the Lord at the time (1 Kin 19:18), it was just Elijah on Mount Carmel



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- Although the prophets of Baal outnumbered Elijah 450 to 1 (just like the Midianites outnumbered Israel in the days of Gideon), they would all be slain

### 1 Kin 18:22

Then said Elijah unto the people, **I, even I only**, remain a prophet of the LORD; but **Baal's prophets are four hundred and fifty** men.

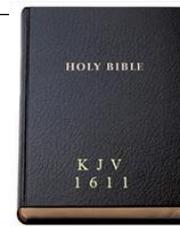
- The contest on Mount Carmel was to determine WHO WAS GOD, the Lord or Baal

### 1 Kin 18:21,24

And Elijah came unto all the people, and said, How long halt ye between two opinions? **if the LORD be God**, follow him: but **if Baal**, then follow him. And the people answered him not a word.

And **call ye on the name of your gods**, and **I will call on the name of the LORD**: and **the God that answereth by fire, let him be God**. And all the people answered and said, It is well spoken.

- With the war of Psalm 83, the Lord's forbearance with Islam and the promotion of its false god Allah and false prophet Mohammed, will be over



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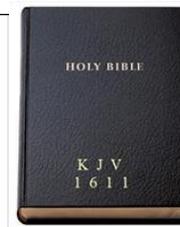
- The Lord is calling Allah out just like he did Baal that day on Mount Carmel
- Jehovah and Allah are not the same and both cannot be the God of creation, salvation, and judgment
- The war of Psalm 83 is the first of a two round fight (the second will be the invasion of Ezekiel 38) to show the world who the ONE, TRUE, LIVING God is (Jehovah or Allah; the God of the BIBLE or the god of the KORAN; the God of ISRAEL or the god of ISLAM; the God of the JEWS or the god of the ARABS) and who the true PEOPLE of God are

### 1 Kin 18:30

And Elijah said unto all the people, Come near unto me. And all the people came near unto him. And he repaired the altar of the LORD *that was* broken down.

### Isa 50:8

*He is* near that justifieth me; who will contend with me? let us stand together: who *is* mine adversary? let him come near to me.



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