

Years 538 AD to 1798 AD. Now just do the math. 1798 minus 538 = the 1260 years Rome was allowed to make war with the saints."

"For teaching faith contrary to the teaching of the Church of Rome, history records the martyrdom of more than 100 million people."  
-Brief Bible Readings for the home, p. 16

**PROPHECY #9** - "He (the beast) shall... think to change times and laws" -Daniel 7:25

Daniel says the Vatican will think to have authority to change "times and laws." Do they think this?  
"The Pope has the power to change times, to abrogate (change) laws,"  
-Decretal, de Tranlatic Episcop. Cap. (The Pope can modify divine law.) Ferraris' Ecclesiastical Dictionary.

"The Bible says, Remember that thou keep holy the Sabbath day. The Catholic church says, No! By my divine power I abolish the Sabbath day, and command you to keep the first day of the week. And lo, the entire civilized world bows down in reverent obedience to the command of the holy Catholic church!" -Fr Enright, C.S.S.R. of the Redemptoral College, Kansas City, Mo., History of the Sabbath, p. 802

**PROPHECY #10** - "And upon her forehead was a name written, MYSTERY, BABYLON THE GREAT, THE MOTHER OF HARLOTS AND ABOMINATIONS OF THE EARTH." -Revelation 17:5  
We learned earlier that a "woman = church" in prophecy. A harlot is indeed a woman, but an impure one because she commits spiritual adultery against Jesus her bridegroom. (See Rev. 18:23.) Do all the churches of the world commit adultery by doing as "mother Rome" instructs them to?

"Had she not such power, she could not have done that in which all modern religionists agree with her; --she could not have substituted the observance of Sunday the first day of the week, for the observance of Saturday the seventh day, a change for which there is no Scriptural authority." -Rev. Stephan Keenan, A Doctrinal Catechism, "On the Obedience Due to the Church," chap. 2, p. 174. (Imprimatur, John Cardinal McCloskey, archbishop of New York

"The Pope was recognized as the overall authority in the Christian world by an Anglican and Roman Catholic commission yesterday which described him as a "gift to be received by all the Churches".  
...if a new united Christian Church was created it would be the 'Bishop of Rome who would exercise a universal primacy.' The Rt Rev Cormac Murphy-O'Connor, Bishop of Arundel and Brighton and the other co-chairman, added: "The primacy of the Pope is a gift to be shared." -Electronic Telegraph-UK News May 13, 1999 Oliver Poole  
The UNITED RELIGIONS INITIATIVE was signed on June 26, 2000. At the signing of that document, the Pope became the global moral authority to all Christian denominations on earth. The Vatican is now controlling the One World Church that YOUR church denomination actually has membership in.

**PROPHECY #11** - "...ten kings, ...receive power as kings one hour with the beast." -Revelation 17:12  
Prophecy predicts here that just before the end, the Vatican will generate a global rule structure by separating the world into ten kingdoms.  
"The Club had its beginnings in April of 1968, when leaders from ten different countries gathered in Rome...The organization claims to have the solutions for world peace and prosperity... The Club of Rome has charged with the task of overseeing the regionalization

and unification of the entire world... "The Club's findings and recommendations are published from time to time in special, highly confidential reports, which are sent to the power-elite to be implemented. On 17th of September 1973, the Club released one such report, entitled Regionalized and Adaptive Model of the Global World System... The document reveals that the Club has divided the world into ten political/economic regions, which it refers to as 'kingdoms.'" As of the last known meeting of the "Club of Rome," the planet has been quietly divided into **TEN SEPARATE KINGDOMS.**

#### THE TEN KINGDOMS

- 1: Canada & United States of America
- 2: European Union - Western Europe
- 3: Japan
- 4: Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Israel and Pacific Islands
- 5: Eastern Europe
- 6: Latin America - Mexico, Central & South America
- 7: North Africa and the Middle East
- 8: Central Africa
- 9: South and Southeast Asia
- 10: Central Asia



2 Thessalonians 2:3 says, "Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed..."

Today's society proves there has been a "falling away" from the faith in all walks of life. Antichrist has been revealed to God's people exactly as promised. Christian prophecy is so accurate!

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# ANTICHRIST

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**2 THESSALONIANS 2:3**

**The Bible plainly instructs us that,** "...no prophecy of the scripture is of any private interpretation." -2Peter 1:20. We will look at **ELEVEN** prophecies of Antichrist to see if there is one entity on earth that matches all eleven of them. Doing so will hopefully erase all doubt.

**PROPHECY #1** - "I saw a woman sit upon a scarlet coloured beast," -Revelation 17:3

**WOMAN = A CHURCH** - Jeremiah 6:2  
**BEAST = A NATION / KINGDOM** - Daniel 7:17

Daniel says the woman (church) will join a beast (nation). Where on earth do we see a church and nation joined as one political entity today? Daniel 7:23 also stated that doing so would make it utterly unique than any nation before or after it. This fulfillment can only be seen in the nation called **VATICAN CITY**. Furthermore, Vatican City is also the Roman Catholic **CHURCH** simultaneously.

**PROPHECY #2** -"I saw a woman sit upon a scarlet coloured beast,... having seven heads" -Revelation 17:3

Apostle John declares the beast (nation) this woman (church) is sitting on has seven heads. What do these seven heads represent in prophecy? During this vision the angel actually explains what those seven heads mean in reality. Later on in verse nine of the same book he tells John, "The seven heads are seven mountains, on which the woman sitteth." ("Mountain" is also defined as "hill." See Strong's Concordance #3735 to confirm.)

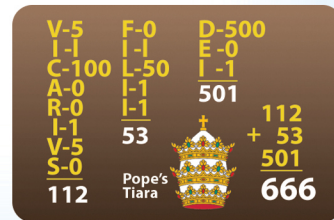
The Roman Catholic Church admits - "It is within the city of Rome, called The City on Seven Hills, that the entire area of Vatican State Proper is now confined."-*Catholic Encyclopedia*, p.529

**PROPHECY #3** "... the name of the beast, or the number of his name. ... is the number of a man; and his number is Six hundred threescore and six." -Rev. 13:17,18

The prophecy states there will be a man at the head of this church & state entity that will have a name with a numeric value on it. That value will be 666. Truth is, the Vatican government must always have a pope stand as the leader. When a pope dies, a new pope is elected immediately to stand in the same position as the previous pope. He carries his office, his title, and his name beyond the grave. All popes have the exact same title in the office of pope. What is this name they must carry together?

"The letters inscribed in the Pope's miter are these '**VICARIUS FILII DEI**'. which is the Latin for '**VICAR OF THE SON OF GOD**'. Catholics hold that the church, which is a visible society, must have a visible head. Christ, before his ascension into heaven, appointed St. Peter to act as His representative... Hence to the Bishop of Rome, as head of the church, was given the title, 'VICAR OF CHRIST.'" -*Our Sunday Visitor*, (Catholic Weekly) "Bureau of information," Huntington, Ind., April 18, 1915

Interesting thing about the Latin Language is that it is both their Roman alphabet, as well as their Roman numeral system collectively.



**PROPHECY #4** - "... I stood upon the sand of the sea, and saw a beast rise up out of the sea, having seven heads...and upon his heads the name of blasphemy." -Revelation 13:1

Prophecy states this beast on seven hills will be a blasphemous beast. How does the Bible define blasphemy? There are two definitions.

(1) When a man claims to be God Himself.

"The Jews answered him, saying, For a good work we stone thee not; but for blasphemy; and because that thou, being a man, makest thyself God." -John 10:33

(2) When a man claims ability to forgive sins.

"...Who is this which speaketh blasphemies? Who can forgive sins, but God alone?" -Luke 5:21

(1) Does the pope claim to be a god on earth?

"**The Pope and God are the same**, so he has all power **in Heaven and earth.**" -*Pope Pius V, quoted in Barclay, Chapter XXVII, p.218, "Cities Petrus Bertanous*

"**The Pope** is not only the representative of Jesus Christ, he **is Jesus Christ himself**, hidden under the veil of flesh." -*Catholic National July 1895*

(2) Does the pope claim the ability to forgive sin?

This judicial authority **will even include the power to forgive sin.**" -*The Catholic Encyclopaedia Vol 12, -article "Pope" pg 265*

"And God himself is obliged to abide by the judgment of his priest and either not to pardon or to pardon, (sin) according as they refuse to give absolution, provided the penitent is capable of it." -*Liguori, Duties and Dignities of the Priest, p.27*

**PROPHECY #5,6, & 7** - "...behold the beast that **was, and is not, and yet is.**" -Revelation 17:8

Prophecy declares here that this beast will be in power at one time, (**was**) will then be inactive, (**is not**) and then come back to power. (**yet is**) Does history affirm these three events took place with the Vatican?

**WAS: Vatican becomes a church & state power.**

"Vigilius... **Ascended the papal chair** (538 AD) under the military protection of Belisarius." -*History of the Christian Church, Vol. 3, p. 327*

**IS NOT: Vatican looses church & state power.**

"In 1798 General Berthier... **abolished the papal government**, and established a secular one." -*Encyclopedia Britannica 1941 edition*

**YET IS: Vatican regains church & state power.**

"... this morning there was **another sovereign independent State in the world.** .. Premier Mussolini... and Cardinal Gasparri, signed... **the sovereign independent State of Vatican City ... into existence.**" -*New York Times July 7, 1929*

The Vatican "was" a power from 538 AD to 1798 AD. It was "not" a power from 1798 AD to 1929 AD. Then as of 1929 AD we see it "**is**" a power once again.

**PROPHECY #8** - "... power was given unto him to continue forty and two months... To make **war with the saints**..." -Revelation 13:5,7

In prophecy a day = a year. (See Ezek. 4:6 and Num. 14:34.) A biblical month = 30 days. (See Gen. 7:11 & Gen 8:3,4.) Divide the 5 months by the 150 days during Noah's flood, and you get 30 days per month.) This means, 42 months = 1260 years in prophecy. (Also see Dan 7:25 and Rev 12:6 to confirm the 1260 years.) On March 12, 2000, Pope John Paul II admitted in a globally publicized "mea culpa" that the Vatican did in fact kill millions of people between the