

# The Prophecy Bible Study

1. The Bible gives us the answer to the question: What is prophecy?
  - a. According to 2 Kings 17:13 what is one reason for prophecy to take place?  
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  - b. According to Isaiah 45:21 who is the author or inspiration of prophecy?  
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  - c. According to Amos 3:7 what does God reveal through prophets? \_\_\_\_\_.
  - d. According to Acts 1:16 what is one source of prophecy? \_\_\_\_\_.
  - e. According to 2 Peter 1:19 what is prophecy? \_\_\_\_\_.  
What should be our response to prophecy? \_\_\_\_\_.
  
2. The Bible also reveals how prophecy comes to people.
  - a. According to Acts 11:28 how was Agabus, the prophet, able to tell what was going to happen in the future? \_\_\_\_\_.
  - b. According to Romans 12:6 what do people need in order to prophesy?  
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  - c. According to 1 Corinthians 14:31-32 are people able to control themselves when they prophesy or not? \_\_\_\_\_.
  - d. According to James 5:10 who do the prophets speak for? \_\_\_\_\_.
  - e. According to 2 Peter 1:20-21 what is the origin of prophecy and how do people speak it? \_\_\_\_\_.
  
3. All believers have the ability to prophesy to some extent. This is called the gift of prophecy. It is described in various verses.
  - a. According to Luke 1:67 what condition are people in when they prophesy?  
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  - b. According to Acts 2:17-18 who does God give the ability to express the gift of prophecy? \_\_\_\_\_.
  - c. According to 1 Corinthians 12:8 list the nine spirit gifts including prophecy: \_\_\_\_\_.
  - d. According to 1 Corinthians 14:3 what are the three purposes for the gift of prophecy? \_\_\_\_\_.
  
4. Some people have an extraordinary gift of prophecy and are called by God to be prophets. The Bible speaks of the characteristics of prophets.
  - a. According to 1 Kings 17:1 what did the prophet Elijah have the power to do through being a prophet? \_\_\_\_\_.
  - b. According to Jeremiah 1:5 how did Jeremiah become a prophet? \_\_\_\_\_.
  - c. According to Amos 2:11 who raises up prophets? \_\_\_\_\_.
  - d. According to Matthew 23:33-34 who sends out prophets and for what purpose? \_\_\_\_\_.

- e. According to Ephesians 1:9-10 what is to be the goal of the prophets? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- f. According to Ephesians 4:11-12 what are prophets to do for the Lord? \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. Consider the purposes for prophecy.
- a. According to Deuteronomy 29:29 in what way will prophecy help us? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- b. According to Luke 24:44 what must take place in regard to prophecy? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- c. According to 1 Corinthians 12:7 what is the purpose of prophecy as well as other spiritual gifts? \_\_\_\_\_.
- d. According to 1 Peter 1:10-12 what was the message of all the prophets? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- e. According to Revelation 1:3 what happens to people who read the prophecy about Jesus? \_\_\_\_\_.
- f. According to Revelation 19:10 what is the spirit of prophecy? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- What does this tell us about what prophecy should lead to? \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. The Bible also talks about false prophets
- a. According to Deuteronomy 18:20 what is the penalty for being a false prophet? \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. According to Jeremiah 14:14-15 what will happen to the prophet that speak lies? \_\_\_\_\_.
- c. According to Jeremiah 23:14 what is the effect of false prophets on people? \_\_\_\_\_.
- d. According to Matthew 7:22-23 what will Jesus do at the judgment to the false prophets? \_\_\_\_\_.
- e. According to Revelation 22:18-19 what are people commanded not to do? \_\_\_\_\_  
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7. The Bible tells us how to test prophecies and prophets.
- a. According to Deuteronomy 13:1-3 what does a false prophet try to get people to do? \_\_\_\_\_.  
How does God use this false prophet? \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. According to Deuteronomy 18:22 how are we able to test prophecies? \_\_\_\_\_  
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8. Now consider what our attitude should be in regard to prophecy.
- a. According to Luke 24:25 what did Jesus criticize the disciple for in regard to prophecy? \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. According to 1 Thessalonians 5:19-22 what are some things we should do in regard to prophecies? \_\_\_\_\_  
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