

THE SECOND COMING ON THE DAY OF THE LORD
Parallel Passages Detailing Messiah's Physical Return

We know psalm 18:7-14 is literal, not figurative, because it parallels many other passages describing the most important event of prophecy - the Second Coming of Messiah. Important things to know about: The Day of the Lord, the Winepress of the Wrath of God in the Valley of Jehoshaphat, Edom, Riding a Cherub, Sword of His Mouth, Lasers from His Hand, etc.

		Ps 18	Hab 3	Is 34	Is 63	Jer 49	Joel 2-3	Zech 12-14	Mt 24	2 Thess 2	Rev 14	Rev 19
WHO	JESUS MESSIAH		X	X	X				X	X	X	
WHEN	DAY OF THE LORD		X	X	X		X	X				
& WHY	WRATH OF GOD	X	X	X	X							
START	EDOM		X	X	X	X	X	X				
WAR: MESSIAH VS. THE GENTILES	GENTILE ARMIES		X	X	X		X	X				X
	FLESH & BLOOD		X	X	X			X	X		X	X
	RIDING A CHERUB	X	X		X	X				X		X
	SWORD OF MOUTH	X	X	X				X				X
	HEAVENS ARMIES		X				X	X				X
	LASERS FROM HAND	X	X									
SIGHTS & SOUNDS	BRIGHTNESS	X	X		X		X		X	X		X
	DARKNESS	X					X		X			
	CLOUDS	X					X		X		X	
	EARTHQUAKE	X	X			X	X	X	X			
	FIRE/BRIMSTONE	X	X		X		X					
	VOICE OF GOD	X	X				X					
FINISH	VALLEY OF JEHOSEPHAT						X	X			X	
	WINEPRESS OF WRATH				X		X				X	X
	TREADING BLOOD						X				X	X

Psalm 18 - Riding a Cherub

[EARTHQUAKE] [WRATH OF GOD] [FIRE/BRIMSTONE] [SWORD OF MOUTH]

Ps.18:7 Then the earth shook and trembled, the foundations also of the hills moved and were shaken, because he was wroth. 8 There went up a smoke out of his nostrils, and fire out of his mouth devoured, coals were kindled by it.

Fire Out of His Mouth: Rev. 11:3-6, *I will give power to my two witnesses, and they will prophesy a thousand two hundred and threescore days [3½ 360-day years] clothed in sackcloth. ... 5 And if any man would hurt them, fire proceeds out of their mouth, and devours their enemies. ... 6 These have power to shut heaven, that it rain not, ... and to smite the earth with all plagues. (If the power to stop rain like Elijah and the power to smite with plagues like Moses are literal, then so is the fire from their mouths. And if the two witnesses can do it, so can the Messiah.)* Rev. 19:15, Out of his mouth goes a sharp sword that with it he will smite the Gentile nations. Gen. 3:24, *So he drove out the man, and he placed at the east of the garden of Eden Cherubims, and a flaming sword which turned every way, to guard the way of the tree of life.*

[DARKNESS] [RIDING A CHERUB] [CLOUDS] [BRIGHTNESS] [FIRE/BRIMSTONE]

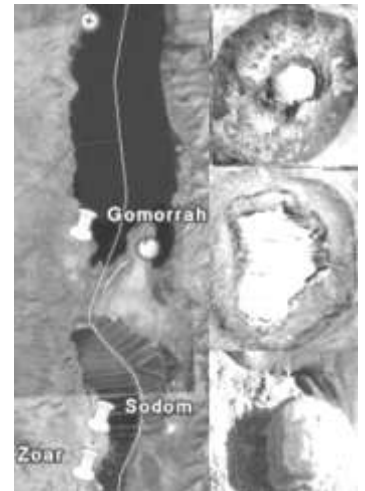
Ps.18:9 He bowed the heavens also, and came down, and darkness was under his feet. 10 And he rode on a cherub, and did fly; yes, he did fly on the wings of the wind. 11 He made darkness his secret place; his pavilion round about him were dark waters and thick clouds of the skies. 12 At the brightness that was before him his thick clouds passed, hail stones and coals of fire.

Brightness Within a Dark Cloud that Shines Out at Night, i.e. the Shekinah Glory: Ex. 13:21, The Lord went before them by day in a pillar of a cloud, ... and by night in a pillar of fire. Ex. 14:19, The Angel of God, which went before the camp of Israel, removed and went behind them; and the pillar of the cloud went from before their face, and stood behind them. Ez. 1:4, I looked, and, behold, ... a great cloud, and a fire enfolding itself, and a brightness was about it, and out of the midst thereof as the color of amber, out of the midst of the fire. ... 26 And above the firmament that was over their heads was the likeness of a throne, ... and on ... the throne was the likeness as the appearance of a man. ... From the appearance of his loins even upward, and ... downward, I saw as it were the appearance of fire, and it had brightness round about. ... This was the appearance of the likeness of the glory of the Lord. Rev. 1:10, I ... heard behind me a great voice, as of a trumpet, saying, I am Alpha and Omega. ... And I turned to see the voice that spoke with me. And ... I saw ... one like the Son of man. ... His eyes were as a flame of fire, and his feet like fine brass, as if they burned in a furnace; and his voice as the sound of many waters, ... and out of his mouth went a sharp two-edged sword, and his face was as the sun shining in its strength, ... saying to me, ... I am he that lives, and was dead; and, behold, I am alive for evermore. Rev. 21:23, The city had no need of the sun, neither of the moon, to shine in it, for the glory of God lighted it, and the Lamb is the light thereof.

[FIRE/BRIMSTONE] [VOICE OF GOD] [LASERS FROM HAND] [EARTHQUAKE] [SWORD OF MOUTH]

Ps.18:13 The Lord also thundered in the heavens, and the Highest gave his voice; hail stones and coals of fire. 14 Yea, he sent out his arrows, and scattered them; and he shot out lightnings, and discomfited them. 15 Then the channels of waters were seen, and the foundations of the world were discovered at your rebuke, O Lord, at the blast of the breath of your nostrils.

Hail Stones and Coals of Fire: Gen. 19:24, 24 The Lord rained on Sodom and on Gomorrah brimstone and fire from the Lord out of heaven. Ex. 9:23 The Lord sent thunder and hail, and the fire ran along on the ground; and the Lord rained hail on the land of Egypt. 24 So there was hail, and fire mingled with the hail, very grievous. Merriam-Webster.com, brimstone, noun : SULFUR. Five locations on the west coast of the Dead Sea that have millions of high purity (95% pure) sulfur balls. commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Sodom.jpg



Habakkuk 3 - Lasers from His Hand

[BRIGHTNESS] [EDOM] [LASERS FROM HAND] [FIRE/BRIMSTONE] [EARTHQUAKE] [GENTILE ARMIES]

Hab. 3:3 God came from Teman [Edom], and the Holy One from mount Paran [Edom]. Selah. His brightness covered the heavens. ... 4 His brightness was as the light; he had rays [lasers] coming out of his hand. ... 5 Before him went the pestilence, and burning coals went forth at his feet. ... 6 He drove asunder the nations [Gentiles], and the everlasting mountains were scattered, the perpetual hills did bow. ...

[WRATH OF GOD] [RIDING A CHERUB] [JESUS MESSIAH] [SWORD OF MOUTH] [EARTHQUAKE] [LASERS FROM HAND] [BRIGHTNESS]

Hab. 3:8 Was your anger against the rivers? Was your wrath against the sea, that you did ride on your horses and your chariots of salvation? 9 Thy bow was made quite naked, according to the oaths of the tribes, even your word. ... 10 The mountains saw you, and they trembled; ... the deep uttered his voice. ... 11 The sun and moon stood still in their habitation, at the light of your arrows they went, and at the shining of your glittering spear.

[RIDING A CHERUB] [JESUS MESSIAH] [SWORD OF MOUTH] [LASERS FROM HAND] [RIDING A CHERUB] [FLESH & BLOOD]

Hab. 3:12 You marched through the land in indignation, you threshed the Gentiles in anger. 13 You went forth for the salvation of your people, even for salvation with your anointed; you wound the head [the Antichrist] out of the house of the wicked, by discovering the foundation unto the neck. ... 14 You struck through with his staves the head of his [Antichrist's] villages. ... 15 You walked through the sea with your horses. ...

[VOICE OF GOD] [DAY OF THE LORD] [HEAVENS ARMIES]

Hab. 3:16 When I heard, my belly trembled, my lips quivered at the voice; ... I trembled in myself, that I might rest in the day of trouble; when he comes up to the people, he will invade them with his troops.

Isaiah 34 - Specific Place of Messiah's Return : Edom (in the air, feet don't touch down until Mount of Olives)

[GENTILE ARMIES] [WRATH OF GOD] [FLESH & BLOOD]

Is. 34:1 Come near, you Gentile nations, to hear; and hearken, you Jewish people. ... 2 For the indignation of the Lord is on all Gentile nations, and his fury on all their armies; he has utterly destroyed them, he has delivered them to the slaughter. 3 Their slain also will be cast out, and their stink will come up out of their carcasses, and the mountains will be eroded with their blood. ...

[SWORD OF HIS MOUTH] [EDOM] [FLESH & BLOOD] [DAY OF THE LORD] [FIRE & BRIMSTONE]

Is. 34:5 For my sword will be bathed in heaven; behold, it will come down on Idumea [Edom], and on the people of my curse [Edomites], to judgment. 6 The sword of the Lord is filled with blood, ... for the Lord has a sacrifice in Bozrah [Edom], and a great slaughter in the land of Idumea [Edom]. 7 And their land will be soaked with blood. ... 8 For it is the day of the Lord's vengeance, and the year of recompences for the controversy of Zion. 9 And the streams thereof will be turned into pitch, and the dust thereof into brimstone, and the land thereof will become burning pitch. 10 It will not be quenched night nor day; the smoke thereof will go up for ever, from generation to generation it will lie waste; none will pass through it for ever and ever. (Edom, southern Jordan, won't enter the Messianic Kingdom as a nation or area.)

Isaiah 63 - Messiah's Blood Spattered Garments from the Winepress of Wrath

[EDOM] [GENTILE ARMIES] [FLESH & BLOOD] [BRIGHTNESS] [RIDING A CHERUB] [JESUS MESSIAH]

Is. 63:1 Who is this that comes from Edom, with dyed garments from Bozrah [Edom]? This that is bright in his apparel, travelling in the greatness of his strength? I that speak in righteousness, mighty to save.

[WINEPRESS OF WRATH] [DAY OF THE LORD] [WRATH OF GOD] [JESUS MESSIAH]

Is. 63:2 Why are you red in your apparel and your garments like him that treads in the winepress? 3 I have tread the winepress alone, and of the [Jewish] people there was none with me, for I will tread them in mine anger, and trample them in my fury, and their blood will be sprinkled on my garments, and I will stain all my raiment. 4 For the day of vengeance is in mine heart, and the year of my redeemed is come. 5 And I looked, and there was none to help, and I wondered that there was none to uphold; therefore my own arm brought salvation to me; and my fury, it upheld me. 6 And I will tread down the people in my anger, and make them drunk in my fury.

Jeremiah 49 - God's Wrath Against Edom (as a nation, individual descendants of Esau can be justified)

[EDOM] [EARTHQUAKE] [RIDING A CHERUB]

Jer. 49:20 Therefore hear the counsel of the Lord, that he has taken against Edom; and his purposes, that he purposed against the inhabitants of Teman [Edom]. ... 21 The earth is moved at the noise of their fall, at the cry the noise thereof was heard in the Red sea [from Edom]. 22 Behold, he will come up and fly as the eagle, and spread his wings over Bozrah

[Edom], and at that day will the heart of the mighty men of Edom be as the heart of a woman in her pangs.

Edom: *There's a whole book about Edom in the Bible: Obadiah. The doctrine of Edom is an important biblical doctrine to know. Why does Messiah return to Edom? Because that's where "the tents of Judah will be." (See the next page.)*

Joel 2-3 - Campaign (not battle) of Armageddon (Armageddon is just a staging area for Antichrist's armies)

[DAY OF THE LORD] [DARKNESS] [CLOUDS] [BRIGHTNESS] [FIRE & BRIMSTONE]

Joel 2:1 The day of the Lord comes, ... 2 A day of darkness and of gloominess, a day of clouds and of thick darkness, as the morning spread on the mountains. ... 3 A fire devours before them [supernatural locusts], and a flame burns behind them. ... 4 The appearance of them is as the appearance of horses. ... 10 The earth will quake before them, ... the sun and the moon will be dark, and the stars will withdraw their shining.

The Locusts of the 5th Trumpet which is the 1st Woe: Rev. 8:12 -9:11. 8:12 The third part of the sun was smitten, and the third part of the moon, and the third part of the stars. 9:7 The shapes of the locusts were like horses, ... 10 and they had tails like scorpions, ... 17 and the heads of the horses were as the heads of lions, and out of their mouths issued fire and smoke and brimstone. 18 By these three was the third part of men killed, by the fire, and by the smoke, and by the brimstone, which issued out of their mouths.

[GENTILE ARMIES] [HEAVENS ARMIES] [VALLEY OF JEHOSHAPHAT] [WINEPRESS OF WRATH] [DAY OF THE LORD]

Joel 3:9 Proclaim this among the Gentiles. Prepare war, wake up the mighty men, let all the men of war draw near; let them come up. 10 Beat your plowshares into swords and your pruninghooks into spears; let the weak say, I am strong. 11 Assemble yourselves, and come, all you Gentiles; ... there cause your mighty ones to come down, O Lord. 12 Let the Gentiles be wakened, and come up to the Valley of Jehoshaphat. ... 13 Put in the sickle, for the harvest is ripe; come, get you down; for the press is full, the vats overflow; for their wickedness is great. 14 Multitudes, multitudes in the Valley of Decision; for the Day of the Lord is near in the Valley of Decision.

Valley of Armageddon: Rev. 6:12 The sixth angel poured out his vial on the great river Euphrates, and the water of it was dried up, so that the way of the kings of the east would be prepared. 13 And I saw three unclean spirits like frogs come out of the mouth of the dragon, and out of the mouth of the beast, and out of the mouth of the false prophet. 14 For they are the spirits of devils, working miracles, which go forth to the kings of the earth and of the whole world to gather them to the battle of that great day of God Almighty. 15 Behold, I come as a thief. Blessed is he that watches. ... 16 And he gathered them together into a place called in the Hebrew tongue 'Armageddon.'

The Valley of Jehoshaphat: *The Kidron Valley between the Temple Mount in Jerusalem and the Mount of Olives to the East. Jesus crossed this valley to go to death on the cross at his first coming to bring spiritual salvation to individuals, and he will fill the same valley at his second coming with the blood of the Gentile armies gathered against Jerusalem to bring physical salvation to the nation of Israel and the world by setting up the Messianic Kingdom.*

[DARKNESS] [VOICE OF GOD] [EARTHQUAKE] [EDOM]

Joel 3:15 The sun and the moon will be darkened, and the stars will withdraw their shining. 16 The Lord also will roar out of Zion, and utter his voice from Jerusalem; and the heavens and the earth will shake: but the Lord will be the hope ... and the strength of the children of Israel. ... 19 Edom will be a desolate wilderness, for the violence against the children of Judah. 20 But Judah will dwell for ever, and Jerusalem from generation to generation. 21 ... For the Lord dwells in Zion.

Zechariah 12-14 - Messiah Will Return as a Jew to Fight the Gentiles with Laser and Radiation Type Emanations

[EDOM] [GENTILE ARMIES]

Zech. 12:7 The Lord will also save the tents of Judah [in Edom] first, that the glory of the ... inhabitants of Jerusalem do not magnify themselves against Judah. 8 In that day the Lord will defend the inhabitants of Jerusalem, ... 9 and it will come to pass in that day, that I will seek to destroy all the [Gentile] nations that come against Jerusalem.

***The Tents of Judah Will Be in Edom.** Dan. 11:41, He [the Antichrist] will also enter into the glorious land [Israel], and many countries will be overthrown, but these will escape out of his hand, even Edom, and Moab, and the chief of the children of Ammon [i.e., the modern country of Jordan]. Rev. 12:5 She [Israel] brought forth a man child, who was to rule all nations with a rod of iron [Jesus], and her child was caught up to God and to his throne [the Ascension, Acts 1]. 6 And the woman [Israel] fled into the wilderness [of Edom] where she has a place prepared of God [Petra], that they should feed her there a thousand two hundred and threescore days (3½ 360-day years). Mt. 24: 15 When you see the abomination of desolation spoken of by Daniel the prophet, stand in the holy place (whoever reads let him understand), 16 then let them which are in Judaea flee into the mountains [of Edom].*

[DAY OF THE LORD] [GENTILE ARMIES] [VALLEY OF JEHOSEPHAT]

Zech. 14:1 Behold, the Day of the Lord comes, and your spoil will be divided in the midst of you. 2 For I will gather all Gentile nations against Jerusalem to battle; and the city will be taken, and the houses rifled, and the women ravished, and half of the city will go forth to captivity. ... 3 [But] then the Lord will go forth, and fight against those Gentile nations, as when he fought in the day of battle. 4 And his feet will stand in that day on the mount of Olives, which is before Jerusalem on the east.

[EARTHQUAKE]

Zech. 14:4 And the mount of Olives will split in the middle toward the east and toward the west, and there will be a very great valley. ... 9 And the Lord will be king over all the earth; in that day there will be one Lord, and his name one. 10 All the land [of Israel] will be turned into a plain from Geba to Rimmon south of Jerusalem, and it [Jerusalem] will be lifted up, and inhabited in her place. ...

[GENTILE ARMIES] [LASERS FROM HAND] [SWORD OF MOUTH] [FLESH & BLOOD]

Zech. 14:12 And this will be the plague with which the Lord will smite all the [Gentile] people that have fought against Jerusalem: their flesh will consume away while they stand on their feet, and their eyes will consume away in their eye sockets, and their tongue will consume away in their mouth.

Matthew 24 - Brightness of Messiah's Return in the Air

[BRIGHTNESS] [FLESH & BLOOD] [DARKNESS] [EARTHQUAKE] [JESUS MESSIAH] [CLOUDS]

Mt. 24:27 As the lightning comes out of the east, and shines even to the west, so will also the coming of the Son of man be. 28 For wherever the carcass is, there will the eagles be gathered together. 29 Immediately after the tribulation of those days the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give her light, ... and the powers of the heavens will be shaken, 30 and then the sign of the Son of man will appear in heaven, and then all the Gentile tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great brightness.

2 Thessalonians 2 - Messiah Kills the Antichrist with the Laser-like Fiery Blast of His Mouth

[JESUS MESSIAH] [SWORD OF HIS MOUTH] [BRIGHTNESS]

2 Thess. 2:1 We beseech you, brethren, by the coming of our Lord Jesus Messiah, and by our gathering together to him. ... 3 That man of sin [will] be revealed, the son of perdition [the Antichrist]; 4 who opposes and exalts himself above all that

is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sits in the temple of God, showing himself that he is God, ... 8 whom the Lord will consume with the spirit of his mouth, and will destroy with the brightness of his coming.

Revelation 14 - Messiah Will Tread the Winepress of the Wrath of God

[CLOUDS] [JESUS MESSIAH] [WINEPRESS OF WRATH] [VALLEY OF JEHOSEPHAT] [TREADING BLOOD] [FLESH & BLOOD]

Rev. 14:14 And I looked, and behold a white cloud, and on the cloud one sat like the Son of man, having on his head a golden crown, and in his hand a sharp sickle. ... 17 And another angel came out of the temple which is in heaven, he also having a sharp sickle. 19 And the angel thrust in his sickle into the earth, and gathered the vine of the earth, and cast it into the great winepress of the wrath of God. 20 And the winepress was trodden outside the city [Jerusalem], and blood came out of the winepress, even to the horse bridles, by the space of a thousand and six hundred furlongs.

Revelation 19 - Messiah's Great Supper of Carcasses

[RIDING A CHERUB] [BRIGHTNESS] [FLESH & BLOOD] [HEAVENS ARMIES] [SWORD OF MOUTH] [GENTILE ARMIES] [TREADING BLOOD] [WINEPRESS OF WRATH]

Rev. 19:11 And I saw heaven opened, and behold a white horse; and he that sat on him was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness he judges and makes war. 12 His eyes were as a flame of fire, ... 13 and he was clothed with a vesture dipped in blood, and his name is called The Word of God. 14 And the armies which were in heaven followed him on white horses. ... 15 And out of his mouth goes a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the Gentile nations, ... and he treads the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God.

[FLESH & BLOOD] (not figurative because of repetitive abundance of details) [GENTILE ARMIES] [HEAVENS ARMIES]

Rev. 19:17 And ... an angel ... cried with a loud voice, saying to all the fowls that fly in the midst of heaven, Come and gather yourselves together to the supper of the great God; 18 so that you may eat the flesh of kings, and the flesh of captains, and the flesh of mighty men, and the flesh of horses, and of them that sit on them, and the flesh of all men. ... 19 And I saw the beast [Antichrist], and the kings of the earth, and their armies, gathered together to make war against him that sat on the horse, and against his army.

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