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The Old in the New

MESSIANIC PROPHECIES
FULFILLED IN THE GOSPELS





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The Bible presents the plan of God to bring redemption to mankind - its need, its nation, its Person, its explanation and its end. Jesus Christ is the promised Messiah sent to Earth to complete God's plan.



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Define Messiah:

King & Deliverer expected by the Jews



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Jesus Christ

Christ = the Messiah

“Jesus the Christ”

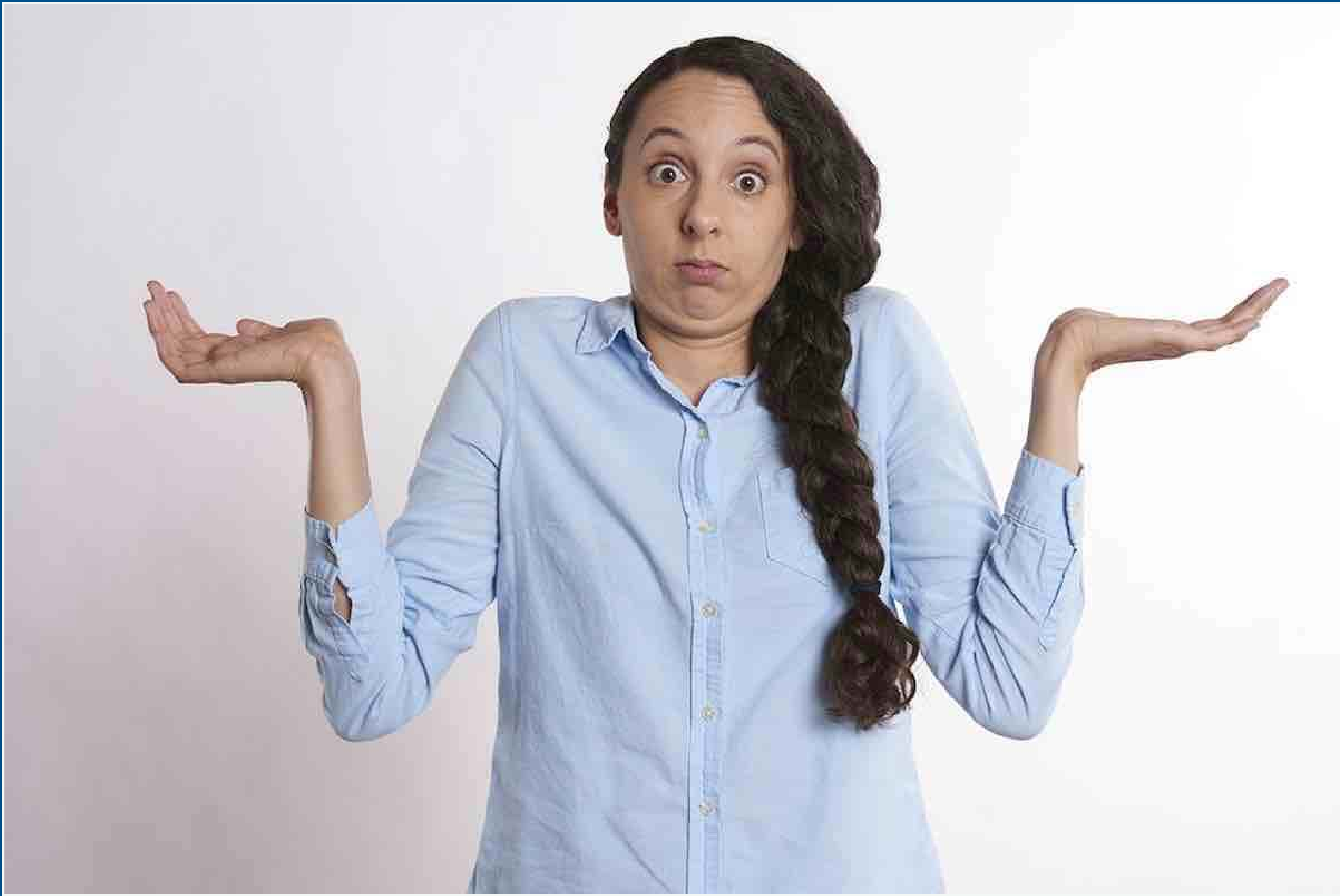


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Suppose you were trying to talk with a Jewish person about salvation. Since the Jewish people do not accept the New Testament, how would you explain the Jesus Christ died for them?









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Unfortunately, many Jews still haven't accepted Jesus as the Messiah and are still praying for Him to arrive!





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Keep in mind, the Jewish Nation has been oppressed since their birth and expected a political, military, and financial king to “deliver them”.



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We, as believers, understand that Jesus came to “deliver” the world from sin!



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So... back to our question. How would you talk to a Jew about salvation using the Old Testament?



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The answer is OT Messianic Prophecy.



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The majority of Biblical prophecy concerns Jesus' first coming (*birth, life, death, resurrection*) or His second coming.



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The Purpose of Prophecy

Revelation 19:10



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“... for the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy.” Revelation 19:10



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The primary purpose of prophecy is to
tell us about Jesus Christ!



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Four sets of prophetic examples:



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Prophecy 1:

Genesis 49:10, Isaiah 7:14



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Prophecy 1:

God will send a Savior



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Prophecy 2:

Isaiah 61:1



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Prophecy 2:

The Savior is for Everyone!



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Prophecy 3:

Psalm 41:9, Isaiah 53:3,5-6



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Prophecy 3:

He will be crucified



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Prophecy 4:

Pslam 16:10; 68:18



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Prophecy 4:

He will raise from the dead



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It's ALL about Him!

“The Scarlet Thread”



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Jesus is the “Scarlet Thread” that ties
all scripture together!



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Read Genesis 3:15,21 & Romans 5:12



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From the beginning, God required
a blood sacrifice.



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Read Leviticus 17:11 & Ephesians 1:7



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Examples of OT prophecies fulfilled
by Jesus in the gospels.



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His Coming

“A descendant of Abraham”

Genesis 17:7 & Matthew 1:1



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His Coming

“Born a king in the line of King David”

Isaiah 9:7 & Matthew 1:1; Luke 1:32



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His Coming

“Be born of a virgin”

Isaiah 7:13-14 & Matthew 1:18, Luke 1:27



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His Coming

“Born in Bethlehem”

Micah 5:2 & Matthew 2:1-6



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His Coming

“Be called out of Egypt”

Hosea 11:1 & Matthew 2:13-15



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His Ministry

*“His way prepared by a messenger sent
in the spirit of Elijah”*

Isaiah 40:3; Malachi 3:1; 4:5 & Matthew
11:13-14; Luke 3:4; 7:27



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His Ministry

“Minister in Zebulun and Naphtali (Galilee)”

Isaiah 9:1-2 & Matthew 4:12-14



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His Ministry

“He will speak in parables”

Psalm 78:2 & Matthew 13:34-35



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His Ministry

“He will be a healer”

Isaiah 29:18; 35:5 & Matthew 11:4-5



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His Sacrifice

“Arrive in Jerusalem as king on a donkey”

Zechariah 9:9 & Matthew 21:1-7



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His Sacrifice

“Be sold for 30 pieces of silver”

Zechariah 11:12 & Matthew 26:14-15



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His Sacrifice

“Be beaten, struck, spat on, and mocked”

Isaiah 50:6; 52:14; Micah 5:1 & Matthew

26:67; 27:30; John 19:2



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His Sacrifice

“Have his hands and feet pierced”

Psalm 22:16 & John 20:25-27



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His Sacrifice

“Be buried with the rich”

Isaiah 53:9 & Matthew 27:57-60



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His Sacrifice

“Be raised from the dead”

Psalm 16:8-10; 49:15; 86:13 &

Luke 24:6-8



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There are over 300 prophecies in the OT fulfilled through Jesus' life, death, and resurrection!



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At least 29 OT prophecies were fulfilled
on Good Friday alone!



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The chances of **ONE** person fulfilling on
8 of these prophecies are **1** in
100,000,000,000,000,000!