

***This Salvation of Grace
Was Prophesied, part 2***
1 Peter 1:11 - 12

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Short Review of Last Study

1 Peter 1:10 - 11

- ***Salvation - called Gospel of Grace***
- ***Careful searches and inquiries***
- ***Prophets:***
 - ***Searches***
 - ***Inquiries***

Seeking To Know Who & When

1 Peter 1:11

- ***Time***
 - ***Time to Christ's death – Dan. 9:24-27***

Decrees Related to the Rebuilding of Jerusalem

Cyrus' Decree: 538 B.C.

Cyrus' decree was only for the rebuilding the temple. - [2 Chron. 36:22-23](#)

Decree to rebuild the temple is repeated in Ezra. - [Ezra 1:1-2; 6:3](#)

Cyrus' decree was ONLY for the temple. - [Ezra 5:17-6:11](#)

Artaxerxes' Decree: 457 B.C.

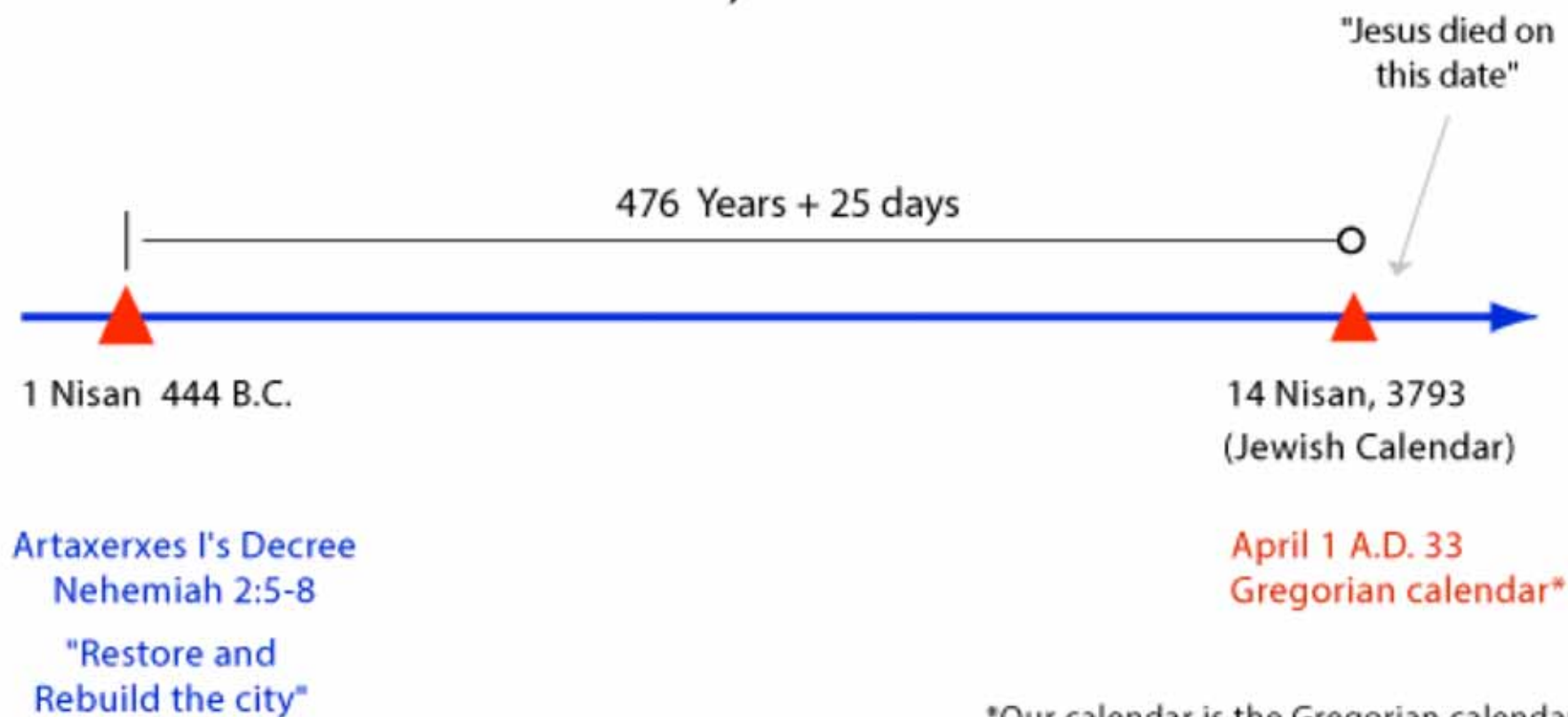
Artaxerxes' decree only allowed Ezra and others to return to Jerusalem for the purpose of worship. - [Ezra 7:11-27](#)

Artaxerxes' Decree: 444 B.C.

This decree directed that Jerusalem be rebuilt. - [Neh. 2:5-8](#)

**This Is the
Decree**

Prediction Of Messiah's Death



In Which Year Did Jesus Die?

A.D. 30

Gregorian Calendar March-April A.D. 30							Jewish Calendar Nisan 3790						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				20	21	22					1	2	3
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
31	1	2	3	4	5	6	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
14	15	16	17	18	19		25	26	27	28	29	30	

A.D. 31

Gregorian Calendar March-April A.D. 31							Jewish Calendar Nisan 3791.						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		11	12	13	14	15			1	2	3	4	5
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
30	31	1	2	3	4	5	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
6	7	8	9				27	28	29	30			

A.D. 32

Gregorian Calendar March-April A.D. 32							Jewish Calendar Nisan 3792						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		30	31	1	2	3			1	2	3	4	5
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
25	26	27	28	29	30		27	28	29	30			

A.D. 33

Gregorian Calendar March-April A.D. 33							Jewish Calendar Nisan 3793						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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20	21	22	23	24	25	26	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
27	28	29	30	31	1	2	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
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17							30						

Day of Jesus'
Triumphal Entry
into Jerusalem

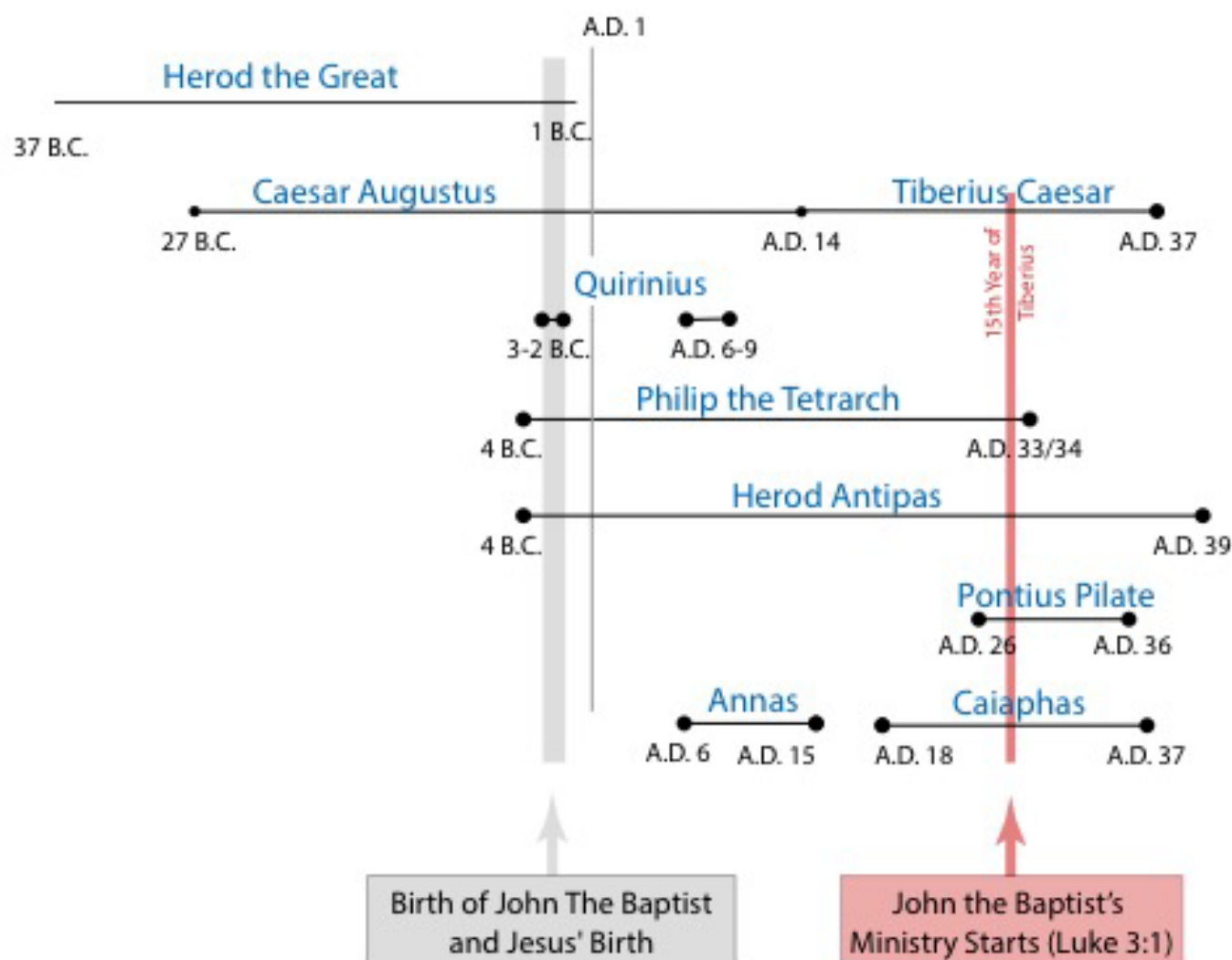
Only year* that Nisan
14 falls on a Friday
between A.D. 30 and
A.D. 35

*Nisan A.D. 34 and 35 are
identical to Nisan A.D. 31

Jesus Had 3-4 Years of Ministry

PASSOVER REFERENCE	PASSAGE	TIMING OF HIS MINISTRY
Ministry Started And on the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there . . . (NASB)	John 2:1	Start
1st Passover And the Passover of the Jews was at hand, and Jesus went up to Jerusalem. (NASB)	John 2:13	1st Passover
2nd Passover Now it came about that on a certain Sabbath He was passing through some grainfields . . . (NASB) A comparison of the gospels will show that another Passover occurred between John 2:13 and 6:4. The UBS Greek text refers to the "Sabbath" in Luke 6:1 as a second-first Sabbath or Passover .[1, 2]	Luke 6:1	2nd Passover
3rd Passover Now the Passover, the feast of the Jews, was at hand. (NASB)	John 6:4	3rd Passover
4th Passover Jesus, therefore, six days before the Passover, came to Bethany. (NASB)	John 12:1	4th Passover
Died on Passover Now it was the day of preparation for the Passover; it was about the sixth hour. And he said to the Jews, "Behold, your King!" (NASB)	John 19:14	Total time of 3-4 years of ministry

Timeline of Jesus and John The Baptist's Birth



Ancient Testimony To Jesus' Birth

Herod the Great

- He started his reign in 1 Nisan 35 B.C.
 - He reigned 34 years
 - Josephus, the Jewish historian, says that a full lunar eclipse occurred shortly before his death
 - A total lunar eclipse occurred on 10 January 1 B.C.
 - He died in 1 B.C.
- Quirinius was governor of Syria in 3-2 B.C. (Luke 2:1-2)

Jesus

- He was born in 3-2 B.C. according to the following historians:
 - Dionysius
 - Eusebius of Caesarea
 - Exigius
 - Hippolytus of Rome
 - Hippolytus of Thebes
 - Irenaeus
 - Josephus
 - Julius Africanus
 - Origin
 - Paulus Orosius
 - Tertullian

Therefore, Jesus was born in 3-2 B.C.

Seeking To Know Who & When

1 Peter 1:11

- ***Time***
 - ***Time to Christ's death – Dan. 9:24-27***
- ***Who***
 - ***58 Prophecies***

General O.T. Prophecies About Christ

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| <i>Genesis 3:15</i> | <i>- 1st Promised of a Savior</i> |
| <i>Genesis 22:17-18</i> | <i>- 2nd Promised of a Savior</i> |
| <i>Genesis 49:10</i> | <i>- 1st Promise of a Messiah</i> |
| <i>Numbers 24:17</i> | <i>- 2nd Promise of a Messiah</i> |
| <i>Deut. 18:15</i> | <i>- Promise of a Prophet</i> |
| <i>2 Samuel 7:16-17</i> | <i>- 3rd Promise of a Messiah</i> |
| <i>Psalms 2:6-12</i> | <i>- 4th Promise of a Messiah</i> |

General O.T. Prophecies About Christ – Psalms

- Psalms 8:4-6*** – ***All things subject to Christ***
- Psalms 16:10*** – ***Christ will be resurrected***
- Psalms 22:1*** – ***Christ forsaken on the cross***
- Psalms 22:7-8*** – ***Christ humiliated***
- Psalms 22:16*** – ***Christ's hands & feet pierced***
- Psalms 22:18*** – ***Christ's clothes gambled for***
- Psalms 34:20*** – ***None of Christ's bones broken***
- Psalms 35:19*** – ***Christ would be hated***

General O.T. Prophecies About Christ - Psalms

- Psalms 40:7-8*** – ***Christ would do God's will***
- Psalms 41:9*** – ***Christ would be betrayed***
- Psalms 45:6-7*** – ***Christ will reign forever***
- Psalms 68:18*** – ***Christ would ascend to heaven***
- Psalms 69:9*** – ***Christ have zeal for temple***
- Psalms 69:21*** – ***Christ given gall and vinegar***
- Psalms 109:8*** – ***Christ's betrayer replaced***
- Psalms 110:1*** – ***Christ's enemies will bow to Him***

General O.T. Prophecies About Christ - Psalms

- Psalms 110:4*** - ***Christ will be a High priest***
- Psalms 118:22*** - ***Christ will be chief cornerstone***
- Psalms 118:26*** - ***Christ comes in name of the Lord***

General O.T. Prophecies About Christ - Isaiah

- Isaiah 7:14*** - ***Virgin birth of Christ***
- Isaiah 8:14-15*** - ***Christ - a stumbling stone***
- Isaiah 8:17*** - ***Christ would trust in God***
- Isaiah 8:18*** - ***Christ would be son of God***
- Isaiah 9:1-2*** - ***Visit to Zebulun & Naphtali***
- Isaiah 9:6-7*** - ***Birth of Immanuel & the King***
- Isaiah 11:1*** - ***Rebirth of David's dynasty***
- Isaiah 12:3*** - ***Rejoicing in living water***

General O.T. Prophecies About Christ - Isaiah

- Isaiah 25:8*** - ***Death swallowed up***
- Isaiah 28:16*** - ***Christ - the cornerstone***
- Isaiah 29:18*** - ***Spiritual blindness will cease***
- Isaiah 40:3-5*** - ***Forerunner would come***
- Isaiah 42:1-3*** - ***Christ anointed with the Spirit***
- Isaiah 42:6*** - ***A light to the nations***
- Isaiah 42:7*** - ***Christ would heal***
- Isaiah 50:6*** - ***Christ - beaten & spat on***

General O.T. Prophecies About Christ - Isaiah

- Isaiah 50:7*** - ***Christ determined to die***
- Isaiah 53:1*** - ***Christ not recognized***
- Isaiah 53:4*** - ***Christ would heal***
- Isaiah 53:7-8*** - ***Lamb of God died for our sins***
- Isaiah 53:9*** - ***Christ was innocent***
- Isaiah 53:11*** - ***Christ died with thieves***
- Isaiah 62:1*** - ***Christ preached good news***
- Isaiah 62:11*** - ***Christ praised at triumphal entry***

General O.T. Prophecies About Christ – Other Prophets

- Jeremiah 31:15*** - ***Children murdered***
- Micah 5:2*** - ***Christ born in Bethlehem***
- Zechariah 6:13*** - ***Christ both priest & king***
- Zechariah 9:9*** - ***Enters Jerusalem On Donkey***
- Zechariah 12:10*** - ***Hands & Feet Were Nailed***
- Zechariah 13:7*** - ***Forsaken By Disciples***
- Malachi 3:1*** - ***Goes To The Temple***

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