

The Season of Birthing

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SCRIPTURE likens the raising of the dead at the Rapture to a “birth”:

“Your dead will live, LORD; their bodies will rise—let those who dwell in the dust wake up and shout for joy—your dew is like the dew of the morning; the earth will *give birth* to her dead. Go, my people, enter your rooms and shut the doors behind you; hide yourselves for a little while until his wrath has passed by. See, the LORD is coming out of his dwelling to punish the people of the earth for their sins. The earth will disclose the bloodshed on it; the earth will conceal its slain no longer” (Isa. 26:19-21).

God’s favored time for birth is the spring.

Spring is when—

- Animals are born (Job 39).
- Jacob, the father of Israel, was born.
- King David, Israel’s greatest ruler, was born.
- The Nation of Israel was born and later reborn (Circa 1500 BC and 1948).
- Enoch, a prophetic type of the Church, was born.
- The Church, or body of Christ, was born (Acts 2).
- According to some scholars, Jesus, the Head of the Church, was born.

One of God’s main attributes is that He is consistent and works to patterns:

“Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever” (Heb. 13:8).

“What has been done will be done again” (Ecc. 1:9).

Seeing that spring is the Lord’s appointed time for birth, is it possible that the “birth” described in Isaiah 26, namely the resurrection/rapture of believers, could be a springtime event?

Absolutely!

Due to a one-of-a-kind convergence of prophetic timelines and circumstances, a spring Rapture seems more plausible than ever.

As of this spring—

- 70 years have passed since the “fig tree,” Israel, came to life and began putting forth leaves in 1948-49 (Matt. 24:32-35; Ps. 90:10; Jer. 29:10)
- 49 years have passed since the Jews began to rebuild Jerusalem in 1969 (Dan. 9:25).
- A Middle East peace plan dubbed the “deal of the century” is set to be unveiled (1 Thess. 5:3).

Additionally, all the signs Jesus said would precede His return—drought, famine, disease, threats of war, seismic activity, anti-Semitism, economic prosperity, spiritual blindness, and wickedness—are manifesting with greater frequency and intensity, like birth pains (Matt. 24).

God says He will not bring to the point of birth without giving delivery (Isa. 66:9).

The season of birthing is upon us.

Therefore, be ready!

NOTES:

1. Summary of reasons Jesus was likely born in the spring:

<https://www.wnd.com/.../.../clue-to-christs-birth-date-revealed/>

2. Blue Letter Bible Commentary on the Rapture in Isaiah 26:19-21: “When is this time when God’s people are carried away, securely hidden, from a time of great indignation the Lord brings upon the earth? It can refer to the deliverance of the Jewish people from the fury of the Antichrist described in Rev 12:6 and 12:13-16. But it is more likely that it speaks of the refuge, the safety, the security of God’s people when they are caught up together with the Lord in the air (1Th 4:16-17) and escape the horrific indignation of the Lord that He pours out upon the world in the Great Tribulation (Mat 24:21-22, Rev_9:15-21), which will immediately precede the second coming of Jesus Christ (Mat 24:29-30). Seen this way, this is a powerful passage supporting the teaching of the Pre-Tribulation Rapture, which says that Jesus Christ will remove His people from this earth before the time of Great Tribulation coming upon the earth immediately before His ultimate return.”

<https://www.blueletterbible.org/.../StudyGuide2017.../Isa-26.cfm>