

#### MEYOUF WHICH LASTS LONGER? Life Cycle of the Sun Red Giant Planetary Nebula Gradual warming White Dwarf 9 5 8 10 12 13 Birth 1 Billions of Years (approx.) not to scale



Luke 21:32-33 "I tell you the truth, this generation will certainly not pass away until all these things have happened. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will never pass away."

### 1. THE PUBLIC RECORD MEANS NOTHING.

(though we act like it means everything)





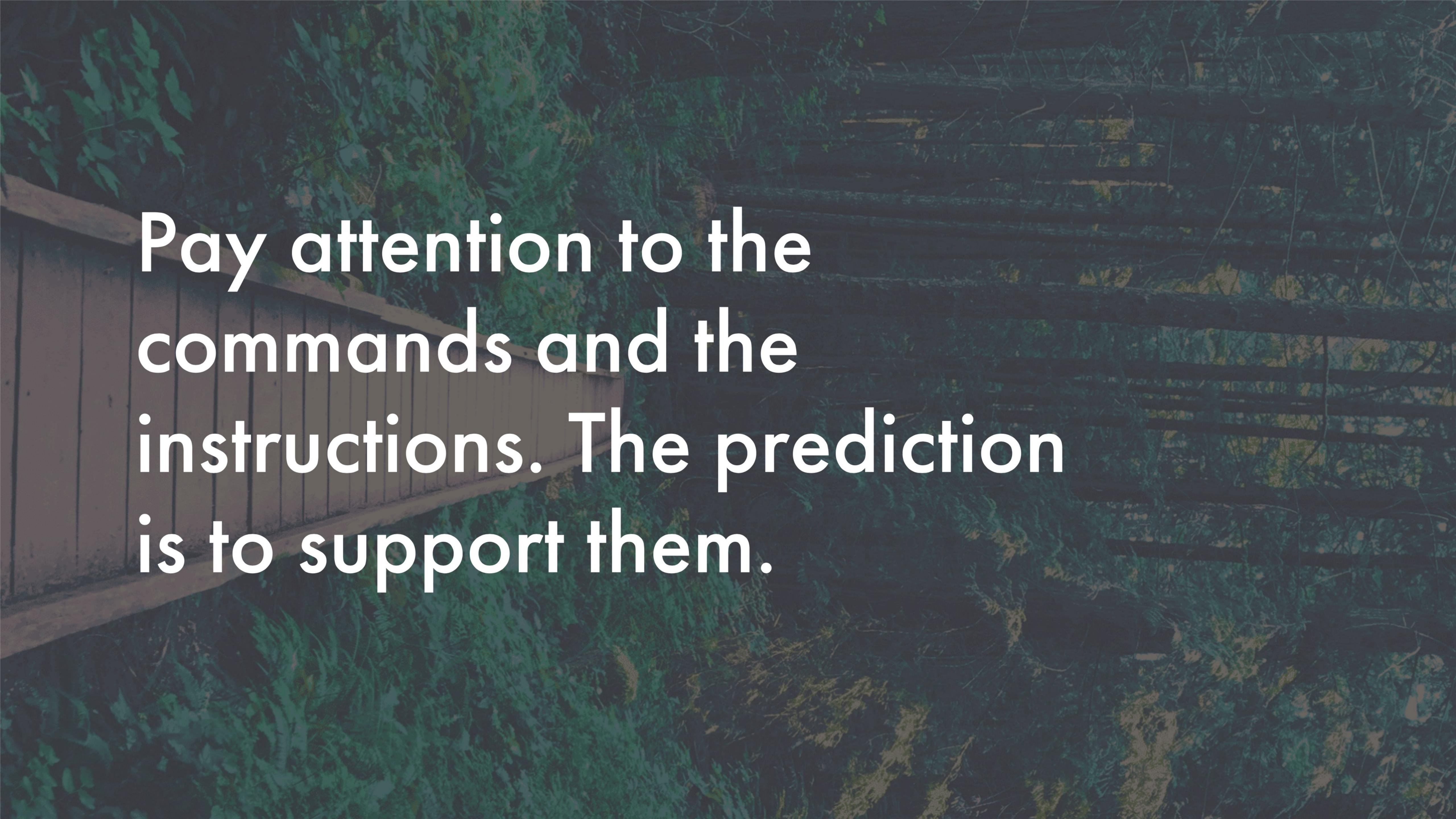




# 2. WE TAKE THE WRONG THING FROM HIS INSTRUCTIONS.

INISDOM

Prophesy includes just enough about the future to reckon with some truths now.



## TRUTHS ABOUT PERSEVERING:

- 1. A lot is going to happen—don't get confused
- 2. You are going to be persecuted
- 3. One purpose of this is for you to be a witness
- 4. Don't worry about what you will say
- 5. Be ready for profane mistreatment
- 6. Betrayals will be terrible and close
- 7. "Everyone" will hate you because of me
- 8. By standing firm you will gain life

## GOD'S PLANIS COMPLICATED

(it isn't just 2 acts)

Luke 21:8-9

He replied: "Watch out that you are not deceived. For many will come in my name, claiming, 'I am he,' and, 'The time is near.' Do not follow them. When you hear of wars and revolutions, do not be frightened. These things must happen first, but the end will not come right away."





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Luke 21:27-28
"At that time they will see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory. When these things begin to take place, stand up and lift up your heads, because your redemption is drawing

Luke 21:33-36
Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will never pass away.

Be careful, or your hearts will be weighed down with dissipation, drunkenness and the anxieties of life, and that day will close on you unexpectedly like a trap. For it will come upon all those who live on the face of the whole earth. Be always on the watch, and pray that you may be able to escape all that is about to happen, and that you may be able to stand before the Son of Man."