

Title: The King's Forecast

Subtitle: I Promise!

Text: Luke 21:29-33

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Subject Matter: Faithfulness. Prophecy. Sovereignty.

1. Be _____ (vv.29-31)

Luke 21

29 And he told them a parable: "Look at the fig tree, and all the trees. **30** As soon as they come out in leaf, you see for yourselves and know that the summer is already near. **31** So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that the kingdom of God is near. **32** Truly, I say to you, this generation will not pass away until all has taken place. **33** Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

2. Be _____ (v.32)

3. Be _____ (v.33)

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

1. Read **1 Kings 8:54-56**. In what way should the biblical record of God's faithfulness to His promises affect our daily worship of Him as we await the fulfillment of His promise related to the future?
2. Read **2 Peter 1:3-4**. What are some of the promises of God directed toward us as Christians that you would categorize as "precious and very great"?
3. Read **Hosea 3:4-5; Romans 9:4** and **11:28-29**. Why is God's fidelity to His promises regarding the children of Israel impressive to you?
4. Read **Romans 1:1-4; John 11:25-27** and **1 Thessalonians 4:13-18**. How can the promises regarding the first coming of Christ prepare you to confidently and fearlessly anticipate the second coming of Christ?
5. Read **1 Peter 1:3-9**. What would you tell a Christian whose painful circumstances have him doubting God's faithfulness?