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Matt. 24:36, "But of that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, but My Father only."

Matt. 25:13, "Watch therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour in which the Son of Man is coming."

Area which appears bright gray Refraction and scattering Moon

Sun



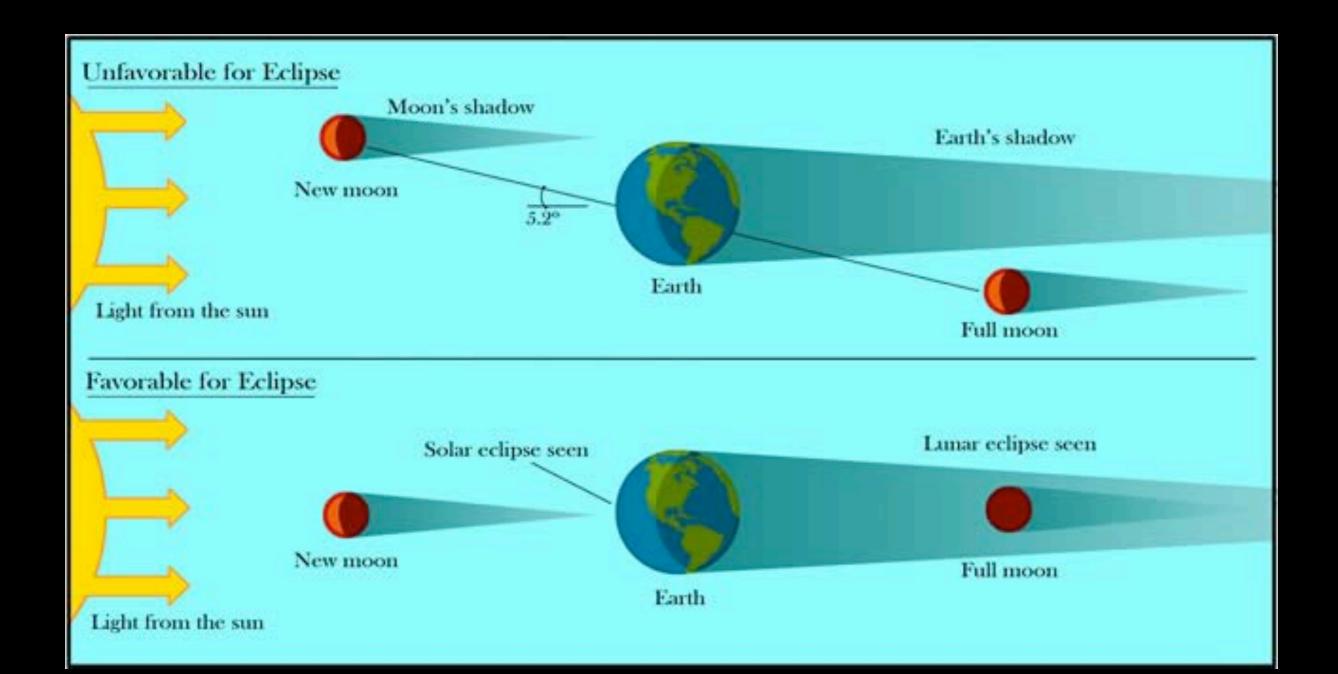
Year 2014-2015



Blood Moon Tetrad

BLOOD MOONS PROPHECY:

Science, history, and the Bible have aligned in an unique convergence pointing irrefutably to the significance of the four blood moons as prophetic omens of coming events.





BLOOD MOONS OF 2014–2015

04 / 15 / 2014 - Passover

10 / 08 / 2014 - Feast of Tabernacles

03 / 20 / 2015 - Total Solar Eclipse

04 / 04 / 2015 - Passover

09 / 28 / 2015 - Feast of Tabernacles

Does the Bible predict "blood moons" as a sign of the end times?

Joel 1:15, "Alas for the day! For the day of the LORD is at hand; It shall come as destruction from the Almighty."

Joel 2:10, "The earth quakes before them, the heavens tremble; The sun and moon grow dark, and the stars diminish their brightness."

Joel 2:31, "The sun shall be turned into darkness, and the moon into blood, before the coming of the great and awesome day of the LORD."

Joel 3:15, "The sun and moon will grow dark, and the stars will diminish their brightness."

Joel 2:30, "And I will show wonders in the heavens and in the earth: Blood and fire and pillars of smoke.

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Mal. 4:5, "Behold, I will send you Elijah the prophet before the coming of the great and dreadful day of the LORD."

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Joel 3:12, "Let the nations be wakened, and come up to the Valley of Jehoshaphat; For there I will sit to judge all the surrounding nations.

Joel 3:13, "Put in the sickle, for the harvest is ripe. Come, go down; For the winepress is full, the vats overflow—for their wickedness is great.

Joel 3:14, "Multitudes, multitudes in the valley of decision! For the day of the LORD is near in the valley of decision."

Rev. 14:14, "Then I looked, and behold, a white cloud, and on the cloud sat One like the Son of Man, having on His head a golden crown, and in His hand a sharp sickle.

Rev. 14:15, "And another angel came out of the temple, crying with a loud voice to Him who sat on the cloud, 'Thrust in Your sickle and reap, for the time has come for You to reap, for the harvest of the earth is ripe.'

Rev. 14:16, "So He who sat on the cloud thrust in His sickle on the earth, and the earth was reaped."

Rev. 14:17, "Then another angel came out of the temple which is in heaven, he also having a sharp sickle.

Rev. 14:18, "And another angel came out from the altar, who had power over fire, and he cried with a loud cry to him who had the sharp sickle, saying, 'Thrust in your sharp sickle and gather the clusters of the vine of the earth, for her grapes are fully ripe.'

Rev. 14:19, "So the angel thrust his sickle into the earth and gathered the vine of the earth, and threw it into the great winepress of the wrath of God."

Mount of Olives

- When will these things be?
- What will be the sign of Your coming?
- What will be the sign of the end of the age?

Matt. 24:29, "Immediately after the tribulation of those days the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light; the stars will fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens will be shaken."

Mark 13:24, "But in those days, after that tribulation, the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light;"

Luke 21:25, "And there will be signs in the sun, in the moon, and in the stars; and on the earth distress of nations, with perplexity, the sea and the waves roaring;"

Matt. 24:26, "Therefore if they say to you, 'Look, He is in the desert!' do not go out; or 'Look, He is in the inner rooms!' do not believe it.

Matt. 24:27, "For as the lightning comes from the east and flashes to the west, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be.

Matt. 24:28, "For wherever the carcass is, there the eagles will be gathered together."

Matt. 24:30, "Then the sign of the Son of Man will appear in heaven, and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.

Matt. 24:31, "And He will send His angels with a great sound of a trumpet, and they will gather together His elect from the four winds, from one end of heaven to the other."

But this is preceded by:

- 1. The seal judgments outlined in Matt. 24:4-7.
- 2. The abomination of desolation in Matt. 24:15.
- 3. The most intense period of the tribulation, Matt. 24:21, which is the period of the final bowl judgments.
- 4. And then immediately after that period, the sun is darkened and the moon will not give its light.

Blood Moon Claim:

"The Bible clearly describes both blood moons and a solar eclipse in Joel 2:30–31 and Acts 2:19–20, and Jesus confirms them in Matthew 24:29."

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Problems:

- 1. The sun is darkened and moon not giving its light happen at the same time.
- 2. This is probably a supernatural event, or part of the cosmic collapse of the physical universe at the time of judgment on the earth-similar to darkness in Egypt during the plagues and darkness on Golgotha.
- 3. The timing is at the end of the Tribulation just prior to the Second Coming.
- 4. Other events also take place.

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"The expulsion of the Jews from Spain in 1492 was a world-changing moment. The mantle of prosperity was lifted from Spain and placed upon the shoulders of an infant nation that would become the United States of America. God Almighty used the Four Blood Moons of 1493–94 as a heavenly billboard to mankind."

Chronology of the Tetradin 1493–1494

03 / 30 / 1492 **Edict of Expulsion** October 1492 Columbus discovers **America** 04 / 02 / 1493 **Passover Total Solar Eclipse** 09 / 24 / 1493 09 / 25 / 1493 **Feast of Tabernacles** 03 / 22 / 1494 **Passover** 09 / 15 / 1494 **Feast of Tabernacles**

Problem: It can't be a sign if it is after the event.

The Blood Moon Tetrad of 1949–1950 again occurs AFTER the event of Israel's independence in 1948.

THE THIRD TETRAD: BLOOD MOONS OF 1967–1968

04 / 24 / 1967 - Passover

June 6, 1967 - Six Day War

10 / 18 / 1967 - Feast of Tabernacles

11 / 02 / 1967 - Total Solar Eclipse

04 / 13 / 1968 - Passover

10 / 06 / 1968 - Feast of Tabernacles