

PT. 6 ISRAEL'S GOG & MAGOG WAR

Ezekiel 38-39

The Alliance for the Invasion...

Magog / Rosh = Russia

- the people of Magog are the people whom the Greeks called "Scythians."
- the Scythians were a people group that migrated from the Middle East northward

Persia = Iran (today called the Islamic Republic of Iran)

Ethiopia / Cush = Sudan

Put = Libya & Algeria

Gomer, Meshech, and Tubal = Turkey

- Turkish government has swung dramatically away from the West, towards Russia and Iran.
- Has become deeply hostile towards the State of Israel.

Beth-togarmah = Turkish-speaking people of Asia Minor & Central Asia

Who will spearhead this invasion?

1. Vs.2.... identifies the leader as "Gog"

a. "Gog" is a military or political leader, a tyrant, or a demagogue.

2. Vs. 10.... he is described as developing an "evil plan".

Motive behind the Ezekiel 38 - 39 Battle...

1. A growing number of Radical Islamic leaders are declaring that Israel be "wiped off the map."
2. Iran is feverishly trying to build nuclear weapons and the ballistic missiles to deliver them.
3. The nations want to rob, kill, and destroy Israel

When will this Battle happen? 2 Views

1. Right before the "Rapture of the Church" (Believers)
2. Shortly after Israel signs Peace Treaty and "Tribulation" begins.

God's Judgment on Gog... Ezek. 38:17 thru 39:29

1. Destruction of the invading armies (39:4 - 6)
2. Seven months to bury the dead (39:11 -12)
3. Believed by some that the conclusion of this battle will be the eradication of the Muslim faith.

What are we as Christians to do?

<u>Depend</u> on the Lord!	Philippians 4: 6,7
<u>Devour</u> the word!	2 Timothy 2:15
<u>Determine</u> to watch!	Titus 2: 12, 13
<u>Defend</u> the faith!	1 Peter 3:15

DON'T LET END TIME EVENTS CAUSE YOU TO FEAR.

LET END TIMES EVENTS MOTIVATE YOU TO BE MORE FAITHFUL IN YOUR SERVICE!