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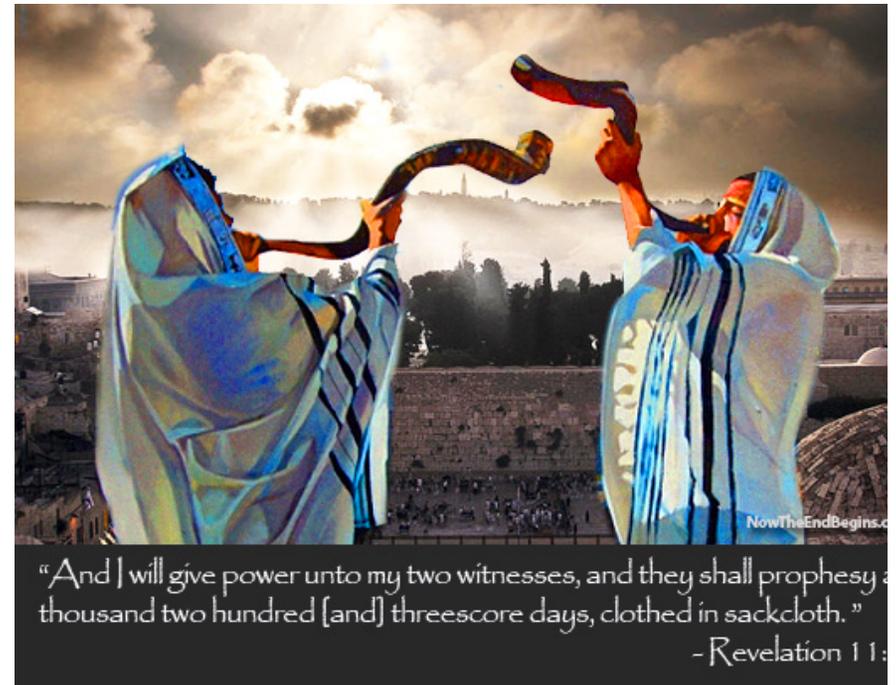
1. What did you learn from our study of the “two witnesses” that you did not already know? What one change do you purpose to make in your life as a result of this study?
2. Have you ever testified as a witness in a court of law? If so, describe your experience. What qualified you as a witness? What is the role of a witness?
3. Some have suggested these two witnesses are Israel and the Church, Michael and Gabriel, Enoch and Elijah, and a few have determined they are Satan’s witnesses. What evidence could support each of these suggestions? Who do you believe are the two witnesses mentioned in Revelation 11? Why?
4. Why are these two witnesses arrayed in “sackcloth”? What is “sackcloth”? What does it symbolize? What application can you make to those delivering God’s Word today?



## Digging Even Deeper

- In Acts 1:8 Jesus declared to His disciples “...you shall be witnesses to Me...” To what event are Christians witnesses of (Acts 1:22, 2:32; 3:15; 4:33; 5:32; 10:39)? In what way are you a witness of this event? What does our Lord promise His disciples in Acts 1:8 they will receive, enabling them to be witnesses?
- The Greek word for witness is *martus*, which is the etymology of our English word martyr. Why is our Lord’s witness often a martyr?

# TWO WITNESSES



## Revelation 11:1-14

*“Making & maturing disciples of Jesus Christ  
to the glory of God”*

The 22<sup>nd</sup> in a Series of Studies on  
Biblical Prophecy

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### **Revelation 11:3–6**

<sup>3</sup> And I will give *power* to my two witnesses, and they will prophesy one thousand two hundred and sixty days, clothed in sackcloth.” <sup>4</sup> These are the two olive trees and the two lampstands standing before the God of the earth. <sup>5</sup> And if anyone wants to harm them, fire proceeds from their mouth and devours their enemies. And if anyone wants to harm them, he must be killed in this manner. <sup>6</sup> These have power to shut heaven, so that no rain falls in the days of their prophecy; and they have power over waters to turn them to blood, and to strike the earth with all plagues, as often as they desire.

#### **I. Definition of a Witness:**

#### **II. Their Number:**

#### **III. Their Responsibility:**

#### **IV. Their Length of Time:**

#### **V. Their Apparel:**

#### **VI. Their Metaphors**

A. “Two Olive Trees”

B. “Two Lampstands”

#### **VII. Their Identity**

#### **VIII. Their Murder**

#### **IX. Their Resurrection**

#### **X. Their Effect**