

"But God hath chosen the foolish things of the world to confound the wise; and God hath chosen the weak things of the world to confound the things which are mighty; And base things of the world, and things which are despised, hath God chosen, yea, and things which are not, to bring to nought things that are: That no flesh should glory in his presence." *1 Corinthians 1:27-29 No2 KJV*



The books of Daniel and Revelation are portions of God's Word that defy human reason, because they speak of "*things which are not.*" Some of Daniel's prophecies are yet to materialize and the beasts and plagues of Revelation are yet to be. In the very beginning we are told that the things revealed are "*from Him which is, and which was, and which is to come.*" God is not subject to nor limited by His own creation any more than an artist is limited by a portrait. There are wonders of the universe man has yet to discover which are beyond his ability to understand. The most learned genius will admit that he is but a student when it comes to understanding creation yet God thought of and created it all from nothing with the omnipotence of His spoken Word in six, twenty-four hour days! And on the seventh Day He rested: NOT because He was tired, but because He was finished. The word in Hebrew that was translated "rested," means "to cease or desist." Men read the pages of God's Word and immediately try to reason some possible natural phenomenon that could explain away its recorded miracles. The same is done speculatively with the cataclysmic prophecies of Revelation. The Truth is; they don't yet exist! Men think that there bodes some nuclear holocaust on our horizon, because the destruction recorded, "must come from some man-made or natural occurrence. It's the only REASONABLE explanation. The things depicted must be some sort of euphemism or hyperbole from the writer, because it's ludicrous to believe they will actually occur and exist!" Only arrogant ignorant fools that deny God would assume such nonsense! If God said it will happen in a particular order and way, then it will surely come to pass exactly as recorded! *"For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways,' saith the LORD. 'For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts. For as the rain cometh down, and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth, and maketh it bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the sower, and bread to the eater: So shall my Word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it."* Man's puny efforts will have no bearing whatsoever on God's plans. Man's free will has never threatened the Sovereign of Eternity! Only proud fools would reason that something other than God could produce the end of the world and time! As they twist in eternal torment they will know for a certainty the absolute helplessness of man before the living God!

Things which are not will come to be,
God will cause all of men to see,
His pow'r and might will come to light,
And foolish men will mourn their plight! ~CGP

Only pure arrogance assumes God cannot create "*things which are not*" to accomplish His will. In another vein of thought; just because you don't see how God can meet your need doesn't mean it won't be met. *"With God nothing shall be impossible!"* Just because something is not, doesn't mean it can't be when God is involved! If God speaks it so, it is so and it is good! It has been so from the beginning of time and the sun still rises and sets every day!

"And God said, Let there be light: and there was light." *Genesis 1:3 KJV*