



## Prophecy & The Seven Spheres of Influence

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**I**N THE GREAT tapestry of human history, there has always been an undercurrent of prophecy—a divine whisper of the future interwoven with the present. Throughout the ages, men and women have been gifted with the ability to receive glimpses of God’s overarching plan, providing profound insights into the trajectory of humanity. Prophecy has shaped the destinies of nations, cultures, and civilizations with its mysterious allure and undeniable significance.

I have been captivated by the multifaceted nature of prophecy and its profound impact on society. In this chapter, we embark on a journey to explore the intersection of prophecy and the Seven Spheres of Influence—a powerful framework for understanding how divine revelation influences various areas of society.

The Seven Spheres of Influence, also known as the Seven Mountains, stand as pillars that shape and guide societies across the globe. These seven spheres encompass Religion and Spirituality, Family and Relationships, Education and Learning, Government and Politics, Media and Communication, Arts and Entertainment, and Business and Economy. Collectively they hold the keys to shaping culture, morality, and the human experience as a whole.

In the following pages, we will explore how prophecy has influenced religious movements, inspired leaders, and guided the paths of nations. We will discover how divine revelations have breathed life into families, inspired the pursuit of knowledge, and illuminated the creative expressions of humanity. Moreover, we will see how prophecy has cast light upon the corridors of power and the business world, shaping policies and decisions that affect millions.

## **The Sphere of Religion**

The Sphere of Religion (or Kingdom) has been a defining force throughout human history, shaping beliefs, customs, and values that resonate at the core of individuals and communities. Within this influential sphere, the gift of prophecy has played an integral role in connecting humanity with the divine, offering profound insights and guidance for spiritual journeys. In this chapter, we will explore the significance of prophecy in religion, its impact on religious movements, its role in fostering unity among believers, and its profound implications for the future of spirituality.

### **A. The Significance of Prophecy in Religion and Spirituality**

Prophecy holds a central place in the religious fabric of humanity. Throughout the biblical narrative, the voices of God's chosen messengers resounded with divine revelations, providing invaluable insights into the nature of the Almighty and His will for His people. One of the most remarkable prophecies foreshadowing the coming of Jesus Christ is found in the book of Deuteronomy. "I will raise up for them a Prophet like you from among their brethren, and will put My words in His mouth, and He shall speak to them all that I command Him. And it shall be that whoever will not hear My words, which He speaks in My name, I will require it of him." Deuteronomy 18:18-19.

This prophecy, uttered by Moses, speaks of a future Prophet who will be like him, a mediator between God and His people, who will communicate God's message and commandments with divine authority. This foretelling points directly to the coming of Jesus Christ, the ultimate Prophet, who bridged the gap between God and humanity, offering a path of redemption and eternal life.

### **B. Prophecies and Religious Movements**

Prophecies have historically been instrumental in shaping religious movements, inspiring hope, and guiding the course of faith communities. The prophecies surrounding the birth and ministry of Jesus Christ are among the most significant and transformative in history. One such prophecy foretelling the birthplace of the Messiah is found in the book of Micah. "But you, Bethlehem Ephrathah, Though you are little among the thousands of Judah, Yet out of you shall come forth to Me the One to be Ruler in Israel, whose goings forth are from of old, From everlasting." Micah 5:2

This prophecy pointed to the humble town of Bethlehem as the birthplace of the long-awaited Ruler of Israel. Centuries later, this prophecy found fulfillment in the birth of Jesus Christ, the Savior of the world. The realization of these prophecies galvanized faith communities, leading to the establishment and spread of Christianity, impacting billions of lives across the globe.

### C. Prophecy and the Quest for Spiritual Unity

Beyond predicting future events, prophecy has a profound impact on fostering unity and reconciliation among believers. Prophecies often carry messages of divine restoration and renewal, urging God's people to turn back to Him and to one another. The book of Joel contains a notable prophecy about the outpouring of the Holy Spirit. In Joel 2:28-29 we read, "And it shall come to pass afterward that I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions. And also on My menservants and on My maidservants, I will pour out My Spirit in those days."

This prophecy speaks of a time when God's Spirit will be poured out on all people, transcending social and cultural boundaries. It promises that prophetic gifts will be bestowed upon individuals of diverse backgrounds, uniting them in a common pursuit of divine truth. This vision of spiritual unity remains a powerful motivator for believers to seek reconciliation and a shared sense of purpose.

### D. Prophecy and the Future of Religion

As we peer into the future, prophecy unveils the ultimate destiny of religion and spirituality. The book of Revelation, filled with apocalyptic visions, offers a glimpse of the final chapters of human history, where God's plan for redemption and restoration culminates. In Revelation 21:3-4, we find, "And I heard a loud voice from heaven saying, 'Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and He will dwell with them, and they shall be His people. God Himself will be with them and be their God. And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away.'"

This prophecy reveals a future where God dwells with His people, wiping away all suffering and sorrow. It paints a portrait of eternal unity between God and humanity, where the boundless joy of divine presence replaces the

limitations of the mortal realm. This vision provides hope and assurance to believers as they navigate the present challenges, knowing their faith is firmly anchored in a future of unparalleled glory.

## **The Sphere of Family and Relationships**

The Sphere of Family and Relationships holds a pivotal role in shaping the fabric of society. Strong family foundations contribute to the overall well-being and stability of communities. Within this sphere, the gift of prophecy provides profound insights into the dynamics of family life and reveals God's divine plan for restoration and unity among families.

### **A. The Importance of Strong Family Foundations**

The institution of family was established by God from the very beginning, with the union of Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden. The Bible emphasizes the importance of family as the fundamental unit of society. In his letter to the Ephesians, the apostle Paul offers guidance on the roles and responsibilities within the family. "Wives, submit to your own husbands, as to the Lord. Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the Church and gave Himself for her... Nevertheless, let each one of you in particular so love his own wife as himself, and let the wife see that she respects her husband." (Ephesians 5:22-33)

These instructions highlight the significance of mutual love, respect, and submission within the family unit. Prophecy reminds us of the divine design for families to function harmoniously, with each member fulfilling their unique roles to create a nurturing environment.

### **B. Prophecy and Family Dynamics**

Throughout history, prophecy has intersected with family dynamics, guiding individuals and families through challenging circumstances. The biblical story of Joseph, a renowned dream interpreter, exemplifies how prophecy can bring about restoration and reconciliation within families. Joseph's prophetic dreams foreshadowed his future rise to prominence and his family's eventual reconciliation. In Genesis 37:5-11 we read, "Now Joseph had a dream, and he told it to his brothers... And he told it to his father and his brothers; and his father rebuked him and said to him, 'What is this dream that you have dreamed? Shall your mother and I and your brothers indeed come to bow down to the earth before you?'"

Despite the initial hostility from his brothers, Joseph's prophetic gift paved the way for forgiveness and healing in their fractured family relationships. Prophecy continues to offer hope and direction to families today, encouraging them to embrace reconciliation and unity through God's divine guidance.

### **C. God's Plan for Restoration and Unity**

Prophecy unveils God's desire for restoration and unity within families. In Malachi 4:6, the prophet speaks of a future forerunner who would prepare the hearts of fathers and children, ushering in a season of reconciliation: "And he will turn the hearts of the fathers to the children, and the hearts of the children to their fathers, lest I come and strike the earth with a curse."

This prophecy points to the ministry of John the Baptist, who prepared the way for Jesus Christ. It emphasizes the importance of familial love and harmony in ushering in God's blessings and avoiding divine judgment. Prophecy is a reminder of God's unwavering commitment to healing and restoring broken family relationships.

## **The Sphere of Education and Learning**

Education and learning play a vital role in shaping the trajectory of society and future generations. The Sphere of Education encompasses institutions, educators, and students and serves as a conduit for imparting knowledge and wisdom. Within this sphere, prophecy serves as a source of inspiration, guiding visionaries in education and fostering a culture of learning that aligns with God's divine plan.

### **A. The Impact of Education on Culture**

Education is a powerful influencer upon culture, molding the values and beliefs of individuals and communities. The book of Proverbs emphasizes the significance of knowledge and wisdom, Proverbs 1:7, "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge, But fools despise wisdom and instruction." And Proverbs 9:10 says, "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom, and the knowledge of the Holy One is understanding."

These verses underscore the foundational role of reverence for God in the pursuit of knowledge and wisdom. Prophecy reinforces the value of education that is rooted in God's truth and principles, leading to a culture of understanding that benefits society at large.

## **B. Prophecy Inspiring Visionaries in Education**

Throughout history, educational visionaries have been inspired by prophetic insights to revolutionize learning. The biblical narrative of King Solomon exemplifies this notion, as he sought divine wisdom to govern his Kingdom and fostered a culture of knowledge. In Exodus 31:1-6, the text reads, “Then the Lord spoke to Moses, saying: ‘See, I have called by name Bezalel... and I have filled him with the Spirit of God, in wisdom, in understanding, in knowledge, and in all manner of workmanship, to design artistic works...’”

God gave prophetic wisdom and understanding to Bezalel, equipping him as a visionary craftsman and educator. This exemplifies how prophecy can inspire educators to impart knowledge and skills that align with God’s purposes.

## **C. A Culture of Knowledge and Wisdom**

Prophecy encourages establishing a culture of knowledge and wisdom, where divine insights enrich the pursuit of learning. Jesus embodies wisdom, and His teachings demonstrate the transformative power of prophetic wisdom. In Matthew 7:24-25, we read, “Therefore whoever hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, I will liken him to a wise man who built his house on the rock: and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house, and it did not fall, for it was founded on the rock.”

The wisdom in Christ’s teachings provides a solid foundation for building one’s life and education. Prophecy encourages educators to infuse biblical principles into their teaching methods, fostering a culture of knowledge firmly rooted in the wisdom of God. By acknowledging God’s role as the ultimate source of wisdom, educators and students can cultivate an environment that nurtures God-given potential and contributes to the flourishing of society.

## **The Sphere of Government and Politics**

The Sphere of Government and Politics exerts immense influence on nations and societies. From local governance to global geopolitics, political decisions impact the lives of countless individuals. Prophecy plays a significant role in shaping political landscapes, guiding leaders, and influencing the destiny of nations according to God’s divine plan.

## A. The Biblical View of Government and Leadership

The Bible provides a foundational view of government and the role of leaders as appointed by God. In his letter to the Romans, the apostle Paul emphasizes the divine authority behind governing institutions: Romans 13:1-2 - “Let every soul be subject to the governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, and the authorities that exist are appointed by God. Therefore whoever resists the authority resists the ordinance of God, and those who resist will bring judgment on themselves.”

This Scripture underscores the importance of submitting to governing authorities, recognizing their God-given role in maintaining order and justice. Prophecy reinforces the concept of divine governance, inspiring leaders to seek wisdom and divine guidance in their decision-making processes.

## B. Prophecy Shaping Political Landscapes

Prophecy has historically shaped political landscapes, often providing insights into the rise and fall of nations and leaders. The Book of Daniel contains prophecies that foretold the succession of empires and the eventual establishment of God’s everlasting Kingdom. In Daniel 2:44, we find, “And in the days of these kings, the God of heaven will set up a kingdom which shall never be destroyed; and the kingdom shall not be left to other people; it shall break in pieces and consume all these kingdoms, and it shall stand forever.”

This prophecy highlights God’s sovereignty over political affairs and the establishment of His eternal Kingdom. Political leaders who heed prophetic warnings can navigate their roles with wisdom and humility, seeking to align their governance with God’s ultimate plan.

## C. Prophetic Guidance for Nations and Rulers

Prophecy provides essential guidance for nations and rulers, calling them to uphold righteousness and justice. The apostle Paul’s instructions to Timothy emphasize the significance of praying for leaders. 1 Timothy 2:1-4 reads, “Therefore I exhort first of all that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks be made for all men, for kings and all who are in authority, that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and reverence. For this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth.”

Prophetic intercession on behalf of leaders acknowledges God's desire for all to come to salvation and the impact of righteous leadership on societal well-being. Prophecy can steer leaders towards just policies and decisions that align with God's heart for the nations.

## **The Sphere of Media and Communication**

The Sphere of Media and Communication holds significant power in shaping public opinion and societal values. Media disseminates information, narratives, and entertainment that can profoundly impact individuals and communities through various channels. Prophecy plays a crucial role in this sphere, providing divine insights and discernment in the realm of media and communication.

### **A. The Power of Words in Media**

Scripture is replete with wisdom on the power of words and their impact on others. The book of Proverbs reminds us of the weight our words carry! Proverbs 18:21 states, "Death and life are in the power of the tongue, and those who love it will eat its fruit."

Our words in the media can either bring life and encouragement or spread destruction and discord. Prophecy calls for media professionals and communicators to be mindful of the impact of their messages, using their platforms responsibly for the greater good.

### **B. Prophetic Insights and Media Reporting**

Prophecy offers unique insights that can shed light on complex issues and provide a holistic perspective. In the Old Testament, the prophet Isaiah brought divine insights on various topics, including social justice. In Isaiah 1:17, we read, "Learn to do good; seek justice, rebuke the oppressor; defend the fatherless, plead for the widow."

Media reporting guided by prophetic insights can advocate for justice, compassion, and equality, contributing to positive societal transformation.

### **C. Discernment in Media Consumption**

In an age of information overload, discernment in media consumption is paramount. Jesus Himself warned about the influence of what we see and hear. The Scripture states in Matthew 6:22-23, "The lamp of



the body is the eye. If, therefore, your eye is good, your whole body will be full of light. But if your eye is bad, your whole body will be full of darkness. If, therefore, the light that is in you is darkness, how great is that darkness!”

Prophecy encourages individuals to be discerning media consumers, choosing content that aligns with godly values and promotes truth and integrity.

## **The Sphere of Arts and Entertainment**

The Sphere of Arts and Entertainment uniquely shapes culture, stir emotions, and challenge perspectives. Artists, musicians, and entertainers possess a profound influence over societal values and trends. Prophecy has inspired artists throughout history, empowering them to convey meaningful messages and positively impact society through their creative expressions.

### **A. Creativity as a Divine Gift**

Scripture affirms that creativity is a divine gift bestowed upon humanity. In the book of Exodus, God appointed skilled artisans and craftsmen for a specific purpose: Exodus 31:1-6 “Then the Lord spoke to Moses, saying: ‘See, I have called by name Bezalel... and I have filled him with the Spirit of God, in wisdom, in understanding, in knowledge, and in all manner of workmanship, to design artistic works...’”

This divine impartation of creativity highlights the profound connection between the Creator and His creation. Prophecy ignites the flame of creativity, inspiring artists to use their talents to reflect God’s truth and beauty in their works.

### **B. Prophecy and Social Transformation through Arts**

Throughout history, prophetic art has served as a catalyst for social transformation. In his musical compositions, the psalmist David expressed profound emotions and spiritual truths: Psalm 150:3-6 - “Praise Him with the sound of the trumpet; praise Him with the lute and harp! Praise Him with the timbrel and dance; praise Him with stringed instruments and flutes! Praise Him with loud cymbals; praise Him with clashing cymbals! Let everything that has breath praise the Lord. Praise the Lord!”

David's prophetic expression through music inspired worship and praise, transforming hearts, and ushering in God's presence. Similarly, prophetic art in the contemporary world can challenge societal norms, bringing healing and hope to brokenness and injustice.

### **C. Art as a Tool for Redemption**

Prophecy reveals God's redemptive plan for humanity; artists can contribute to this divine purpose through their creations. The apostle Paul's letter to the Ephesians highlights the gospel's transformative power. In the book of Ephesians 2:10, he writes, "For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them."

Artists, as God's workmanship, can utilize their creativity to participate in God's redemptive work, influencing culture and inspiring individuals to pursue goodness and truth.

## **The Sphere of Business**

The Sphere of Business impacts people's livelihoods worldwide, influencing trade, commerce, and global markets. Prophecy provides guiding principles for entrepreneurs and business leaders, emphasizing ethical stewardship and responsible wealth management.

### **A. Stewardship and Godly Prosperity**

Scripture teaches the concept of stewardship, acknowledging that all wealth and resources ultimately belong to God. In the book of Proverbs, Solomon imparts wisdom on honoring the Lord with one's possessions: Proverbs 3:9-10 - "Honor the Lord with your possessions and with the first fruits of all your increase; so your barns will be filled with plenty, and your vats will overflow with new wine."

This principle of honoring God with our wealth fosters a heart of gratitude and humility, recognizing that prosperity is a blessing from the Lord. Prophecy urges business leaders to prioritize stewardship and responsible financial management.

### **B. Ethical Business Practices**

The importance of ethical business practices is emphasized throughout Scripture. Jesus instructs His followers to act with integrity and honesty.

In Luke 16:10-12, Jesus said, “He who is faithful in what is least is faithful also in much; and he who is unjust in what is least is unjust also in much. Therefore if you have not been faithful in the unrighteous mammon, who will commit to your trust the true riches? And if you have not been faithful in what is another man’s, who will give you what is your own?”

This warning highlights the significance of honesty and integrity in business dealings. Prophecy calls business leaders to uphold godly values, treating others justly and fairly in their transactions.

### **C. Empowering Others through Business**

Prophecy often envisions a future where people are blessed through business and economic prosperity. The apostle Paul’s letter to the Corinthians encourages giving generously to empower others: 2 Corinthians 9:8 - “And God is able to make all grace abound toward you, that you, always having all sufficiency in all things, may have an abundance for every good work.”

Through ethical and prosperous businesses, individuals can impact their communities and support charitable initiatives, extending God’s grace to those in need. By embracing the prophetic heritage, companies can become instruments of God’s blessing, enabling sustainable prosperity, and uplifting the lives of many.

## **CONCLUSION**

By exploring prophecy and its impact on the Seven Spheres of Influence, we have witnessed the profound interplay between the divine and the human. As a gift from God, prophecy transcends time and space, reaching into every aspect of human existence, offering guidance, foresight, and hope. Let’s remember that prophecy is not confined to the pages of ancient Scripture but remains alive and active today. It is a living gift from a loving God, empowering us to navigate the complexities of life with divine insight and wisdom.

May we, as individuals and communities, embrace the prophetic voice and its profound impact on every sphere of influence. Let us be agents of positive change, empowered by prophecy, as we seek to establish God’s Kingdom on earth and fulfill our divine purpose.

## **PROPHETIC WORD**

For the Spirit of The Lord says I have opened the divine conduits to make My presence known across the seven mountains. Each of my sons and daughters has been assigned to rule, reign, occupy, and maintain dominion over their designated sphere. I have equipped you to advance My Agenda. Doors are opening and closing rapidly; pay close attention to how I am moving in the earth. This is the hour for miraculous manifestations of My power and glory. You are my ambassadors on the earth. Go forth, depose the enemy, set the standard, secure the territory, and shift the environments to align with My perfect will!

### **Prophecy and the Seven Spheres of Influence Decrees**

Through these decrees, may you prophetically declare God's influence over each of the seven mountains or spheres of influence, bringing alignment with His Kingdom values and purposes. May these declarations ignite transformation, bringing light, wisdom, and divine order to every area of societal impact.

- **Kingdom Influence in Government:** I decree that righteousness and justice flow like a mighty river in the realm of government. Just as King Solomon governed with wisdom and discernment, I prophesy divine wisdom and righteous leadership to guide policies, laws, and decisions. May this sphere be a beacon of God's Kingdom values, bringing stability and flourishing to our nation. (Proverbs 8:15-16)
- **Kingdom Impact in Education:** I decree that the fear of the Lord reigns in the realm of education. Just as Daniel and his friends excelled in wisdom and knowledge, I prophesy a generation of educators and students who embrace truth, virtue, and moral integrity. Let wisdom be imparted, and may the pursuit of knowledge lead to the discovery of God's divine order. (Daniel 1:17)
- **Decree of Kingdom Transformation in Media and Arts:** I decree that creativity and expression in media and the arts reflect the beauty and truth of God's creation. Just as David's artistic talents glorified God, I prophesy a resurgence of media and arts that uplift, inspire, and convey redemptive messages. May this sphere be a source of hope, healing, and cultural renewal. (Psalm 33:3)
- **Decree of Kingdom Advancement in Business and Economics:** I decree that honesty, integrity, and prosperity flourish in the realm of business

and economics. Just as Joseph's stewardship brought blessing to Egypt, I prophesy ethical practices, innovation, and economic growth that align with God's principles. May this sphere be a source of provision and generosity for individuals and communities. (Genesis 39:3-6)

- **Decree of Kingdom Influence in Religion and Spirituality:** I decree that the fear of the Lord permeates the realm of religion and spirituality. Just as Elijah confronted false prophets and turned hearts back to God, I prophesy spiritual revival, authenticity, and a hunger for truth. May this sphere lead people to encounter the living God and experience genuine transformation. (1 Kings 18:37-39)
- **Decree of Kingdom Impact in Family:** I decree that godly foundations and values govern the realm of family. Just as Abraham was blessed to be a blessing, I prophesy strong marriages, nurturing parents, and thriving children who carry God's love and purpose. May this sphere be a source of unity, restoration, and generational blessings. (Genesis 18:18-19)
- **Decree of Kingdom Transformation in Healthcare and Science:** I decree that healing and discovery abound in the realm of healthcare and science. Just as Jesus healed the sick and revealed divine truths, I prophesy medical breakthroughs, ethical research, and compassionate care that align with God's healing nature. May this sphere bring restoration to bodies and minds, revealing God's glory. (Matthew 4:24)