

Introduction:

Before you read any prophesy or look to the skies for Blood Moons, you need to first read the scriptures below.

If when you study the end of days and you discover you are feeling fear... you have missed God's point. God in love has forewarned us because He loves us and we just need to trust He has a good plan for protection/provision.

Remember He has empowered us to be His Life force on the earth and carry His Light to the unsaved corners of the earth.

Enjoy...!

2 Timothy 1:7 (NKJV)

⁷ For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind.

1 John 4:4 (NKJV)

⁴ You are of God, little children, and have overcome them, because He who is in you is greater than he who is in the world.

John 5:19 (NKJV)

¹⁹ Then Jesus answered and said to them, "Most assuredly, I say to you, the Son can do nothing of Himself, but what He sees the Father do; for whatever He does, the Son also does in like manner.

John 14:12 (NKJV)

¹² "Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and greater *works* than these he will do, because I go to My Father.

Points to ponder about when the Blood Moon events will occur:

The Feast of Passover was when the Hebrews remembered their liberation from slavery under the Egyptians. This was when they only saw the plagues come on the Egyptians as they stayed protected in the Land of Goshen.

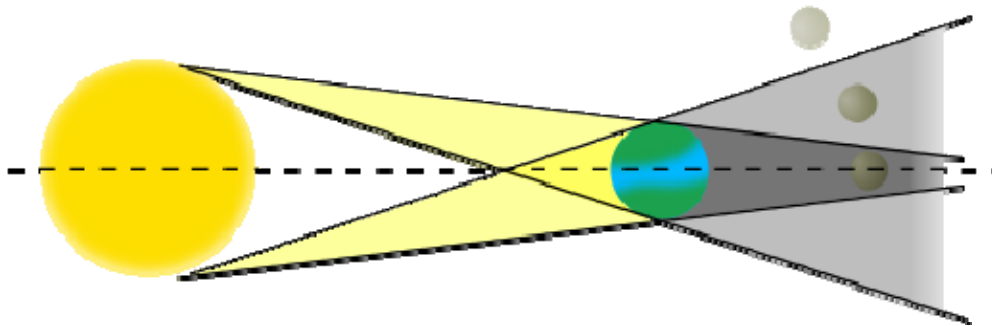
Sukkot, (also called Feast of Booths or the Feast of Tabernacles) was the Feast to give remembrance of the 40 years of wandering in the desert. In this age it is mainly looked to for the Hebrews to give thanks for the fall harvest of provision that has occurred.

The Blood Moons Explained:

What is a Blood Moon?

A Blood Moon or what is sometimes called a “Hunter’s Moon”, is an event that only occurs during a total lunar eclipse.

A total lunar eclipse is when the moon is completely blocked from the sun’s light by the earth.



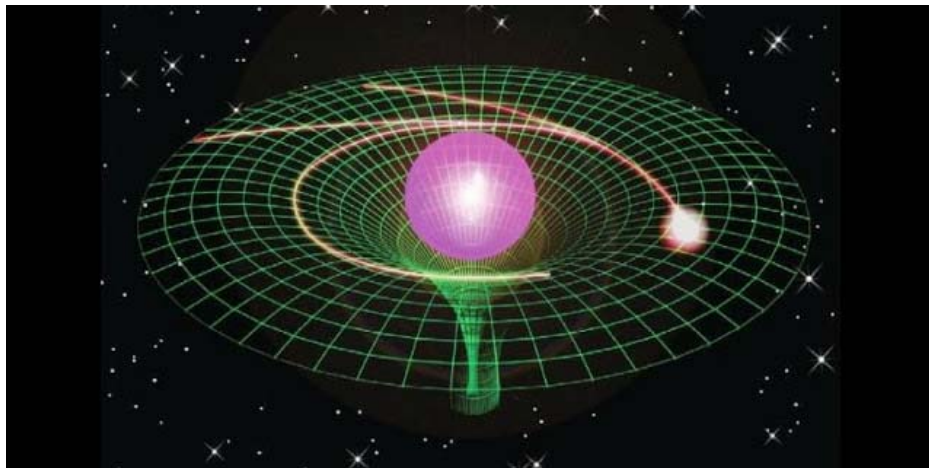
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In this diagram we can see the sun’s light being blocked from intersecting with the moon during a total eclipse. This occurs when the moon travels into the shadow of the earth.

What causes the moon to appear “reddish” is due to the fact that the moon is prevented from any direct contact with the (white or complete) light from our sun. The only light that is able to reach the moon’s surface is indirectly by going through our earth’s atmosphere.

What does the earth’s atmosphere do to the light that makes it to the moon’s surface?

1. During a total lunar eclipse the earth’s atmosphere causes light refraction (or light bending) on the sun’s light as it travels through our atmosphere. The light is bent towards the moon’s surface like a curve ball on a slide over home plate. This means that even though the moon is completely in our shadow the sun’s light is still able to reach its surface.



Sourced from http://www.astrowatch.net/2013_09_01_archive.html

2. The earth’s atmosphere also acts as a “light filter”. As the sun’s light is refracted around earth the atmosphere strips all of the white light waves out except for red. Only this red wave length or the infrared light spectrum is able to make it through.

Full spectrum or white light:



Sourced from <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Spectrum.svg>

This refracted infrared light then hits the moon's surface and bounces back a red glow. In the diagram below you will notice the moon only "glows" blood red while in the total eclipse of the sun. Or when there is no source of white light to cancel the effects of our atmosphere's filtering.

Below we can see while only just the red light is present do the normal grey shades become projected against a red back ground and thus the moon qualifies for the name "blood moon".

The stages of a lunar eclipse showing a blood moon event:



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What is a Blood Moon Tetrad?

Lunar eclipses are somewhat common but this is not true for total eclipses.

To have four of these less common total eclipses to occur in a series becomes an unusual event which causes us to take notice and thus the name a Blood Moons Tetrad. Tetrad defined as a series or group of four.

By definition, a Blood Moon Tetrad is four of these unusual total lunar eclipse events occurring with solar eclipse events somewhere in the middle.

What is the buzz about the current Blood Moon Tetrads?

Over the last 5000 years we have had roughly 3500 total eclipses.

Of these 3500 total eclipses only 142 were Blood Moon Tetrads.

Take these uncommon Blood Moon Tetrads events and now have them correspond with the dates of the Hebrew High Holy Days or the Feasts of Passover and Tabernacles. This becomes not just rare but something very rare or very unusual.

Just how rare?

We are going to see beginning in April 2014 a series of Blood Moons/High Holiday combined events which has only occurred 3 times in the last 500 years and only eight times in 2000 years or since Christ walked the earth.

1. 162-163 C.E. (Common Era or Christian/ Western/Gregorian Calendar)
2. 795-796 C.E.
3. 842-843 C.E.
4. 860-861 C.E.
5. 1493-1494 C.E. – July 30, 1492, The Jews were expelled from Spain and their assets stolen
6. 1949-1950 C.E. – May 14, 1948, The year Israel was declared a nation and began reforming the Land
7. 1967-1968 C.E. – October 29, 1967, The 6 day war against 7 nations and the recapturing of Jerusalem
8. 2014-2015 C.E. – Wait for it...

Some might say “Interesting but what is the importance of the moon to the Israeli nation or us for that matter?”

God’s stated purpose for the sun and moon:

Genesis 1:14-16 (AMP)

¹⁴ *And God said, Let there be lights in the expanse of the heavens to separate the day from the night, and let them be signs and tokens [of God’s provident care], and [to mark] seasons, days, and years,*

¹⁵ *And let them be lights in the expanse of the sky to give light upon the earth. And it was so.*

¹⁶ *And God made the two great lights—the greater light (the sun) to rule the day and the lesser light (the moon) to rule the night. He also made the stars.*

On the fourth day of creation God’s Word tells us He has created the sun and the moon to be “signs and tokens” for us. Just like the wise men or Magi followed the “star” to see Jesus, we are to also look and notice signs of things that are going to happen through signs in the skies.

The Blood Moon Tetrad calendar dates:

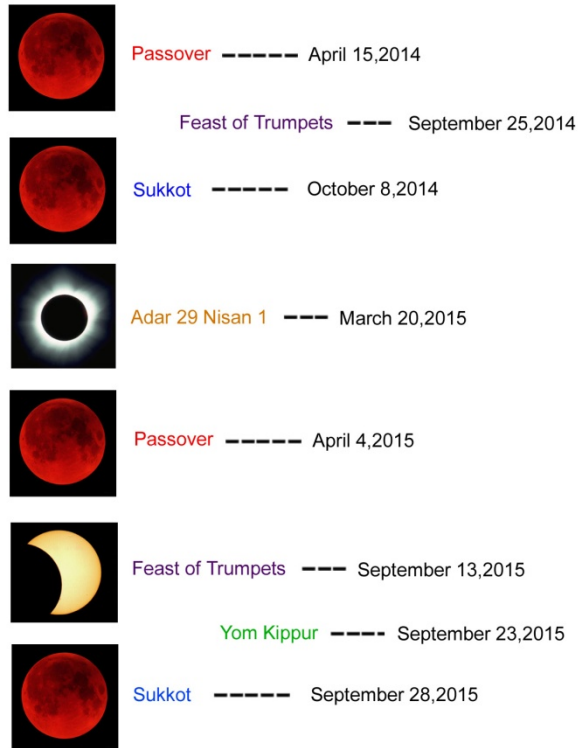
2014:

Total lunar eclipse: April 15 (Able to best be seen in the Western Hemisphere for 78 minutes)
Total lunar eclipse: October 8 (Able to best be seen in the Pacific Ocean and bordering regions for 59 minutes)

2015:

Total lunar eclipse: April 4
Total lunar eclipse: September 28

This chart provides a pictorial:



Sourced from <http://store.pray4zion.org/auto/zoomview.php?picture=20142015bloodmoonsexplained.jpg&domain=Pray4Zion.org&copied=YES>

Important Date facts:

During this Blood Moon Tetrad we are going to have a total solar eclipse on March 20, 2015 which also happens to be the Jewish New Year.

Rosh Hashanah begins on September 25, 2014 and ends during a particle eclipse on September 13, 2015.

God’s scriptures about the darkened sun and blood moons:

Scriptures that connect the signs in the sky and the forewarning of the coming of the Lord!

Joel 2: 29-31 (AMP)

²⁹ *Even upon the menservants and upon the maidservants in those days will I pour out My Spirit.*

³⁰ *And I will show signs and wonders in the heavens, and on the earth, blood and fire and columns of smoke.*

³¹ *The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood before the great and terrible day of the Lord comes.*

See, NASA didn't come up with the name "blood moon"... they copied God's verbiage for that event.

Luke 21:25-28 (AMP)

²⁵ *And there will be signs in the sun and moon and stars; and upon the earth [there will be] distress (trouble and anguish) of nations in bewilderment and perplexity [without resources, left wanting, embarrassed, in doubt, not knowing which way to turn] at the roaring (the echo) of the tossing of the sea,*

²⁶ *Men swooning away or expiring with fear and dread and apprehension and expectation of the things that are coming on the world; for the [very] powers of the heavens will be shaken and caused to totter.*

²⁷ *And then they will see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with great (transcendent and overwhelming) power and [all His kingly] glory (majesty and splendor).*

²⁸ *Now when these things begin to occur, look up and lift up your heads, because your redemption (deliverance) is drawing near.*

Acts 2:19-20 (AMP)

¹⁹ *And I will show wonders in the sky above and signs on the earth beneath, blood and fire and smoking vapor;*

²⁰ *The sun shall be turned into darkness and the moon into blood before the obvious day of the Lord comes—that great and notable and conspicuous and renowned [day].*

Mark 13:23-25 (AMP)

²³ *But look to yourselves and be on your guard; I have told you everything beforehand.*

²⁴ *But in those days, after [the affliction and oppression and distress of] that tribulation, the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light;*

²⁵ *And the stars will be falling from the sky, and the powers in the heavens will be shaken.*

²⁶ *And then they will see the Son of Man coming in clouds with great (kingly) power and glory (majesty and splendor).*

As Christians we need to see that verse 23 directly tell us to be on guard and watch for signs. God is telling us or at least trying to what is to come through signs!

The Days of the Lord:

Mankind has seen 6000 years since his creation:

- 2000 years of chaos,
- 2000 years under the Law,
- 2000 years of Grace or since the Cross,

Could these Blood Moons be the coming of the Lord? Only Father God knows but the season is right and the end of days is upon us.

Make your own conclusions based on what your heart says... and no matter what be ready!

(Read Matthew 24 for further reading for balance.)

Technical terms:

“Mo’ed” defined: Appointed time, place, or meeting and relates to the 7 yearly feasts of the Lord.

“Shemittah” defined is the Sabbatical year or seventh year.

“Sabbat” defined is also called the Sabbath and is the weekly day of rest and worship.

“Yom Kippur” defined is the holiest day of the year known as the Day of Atonement and repentance.

“Sukkot” defined means the Feast of Booths or Tabernacles.

“Rosh Hashanah” defined is the sabbatical year relating to God’s seven-year cycle.

Further reading:

http://www.billyebirim.org/articles/2013_autumn_assembly_handouts

<http://eclipse.gsfc.nasa.gov/OH/OH2014.html>

<http://www.pray4zion.org/TheComingBloodMoons.html>

<http://blogs.christianpost.com/comets-of-god/four-blood-moons-19804/>

John Hagee's book "The Four Blood Moons... Something is about to change"