

# FIG TREE WATCHERS

*Now learn this lesson from the fig tree: As soon as its twigs get tender  
and its leaves come out, you know that summer is near. Even so,  
when you see all these things, you know that it is near, right at the door.*

*Matthew 24:32-33*



## Figtreewatchers Podcast Episode 151: Current Events Update (8/30/23)

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**Episode Summary:** In this episode, we went over censorship by Google, Mastercard's CBDC initiative, 14 US cities supporting bans on food and private vehicles, Saudi Arabia wanting to replace Jordan as custodians of the Temple Mount, an calendar for the 3rd temple created by an Israeli girl, UAPs (UFOs), restaurant chains going cashless, and Bill Gates' support of a digital ID for every human being.

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Culture

[The People's Voice](#) | Google Announces Worldwide BAN on Independent Media From Search Results |  
August 13th, 2023

## Financial

[Cryptopolitan](#) | Mastercard launches CBDC Partner Program in partnership with leading blockchain firms to foster the implementation of digital currencies | August 17th, 2023

## Food Crisis

[Gateway Pundit](#) | THE GREAT RESET: Report Reveals Globalist Climate Organization's Goal to Ban Meat, Dairy, and Private Vehicles In 14 US Cities by 2030 | August 22nd, 2023

## Middle East

[World Israel News](#) | Riyadh seeks to reboot Temple Mount status quo with peace deal | August 15th, 2023

[Israel365News](#) | Girl creates daily schedule calendar for Third Temple | August 15th, 2023

## Technology

[Fox8](#) | Taco Bell, other food chains could move to digital-only sales | August 21st, 2023

[Slay](#) | Bill Gates: Every Person on Earth Should 'Prove Their Identity' with 'Digital ID' | August 22nd, 2023

[The Defender](#) | 'Megalomaniac Ambition for Total Control': Governments Eye New Gates-Funded Biometric Digital ID System | August 23rd, 2023

## UFOs

[Newsnation](#) | UFO vs. UAP: What's the difference? | July 24th, 2023

[Harbinger's Daily](#) | Intended To Deceive And Distract: What Stance Should Christians Be Taking On UFOs? | August 14th, 2023

## Other Sources

1. [Cultish UFO Series](#)
2. [Aliens Exist but 'Humanity Isn't Ready', Claims Former Israeli Space Security Chief](#) (Himitsu Ministries)

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### **The Gospel Presentation**

Revelation 19:10 tells us that the essence of bible prophecy is Jesus Christ. These things were revealed to us so that we ultimately believe in Christ (John 13:19). We've all sinned and fallen short of the glory of God (Psalm 51:5, Romans 3:23). Because God is Holy he must judge sin. The penalty of this sin is death and ultimately the Lake of fire (Romans 6:23, Revelation 20:11-15). There's nothing we can do to save ourselves (Isaiah 64:6).

But God, in his love has provided a way to escape his wrath through Christ (John 3:16-18, John 14:6). Jesus paid for our sin penalty by taking God's wrath in our stead on the cross (Romans 5:8). He died for our sins, was buried, and rose again 3 days later (1 Corinthians 15:1-5).

You can accept this free gift of salvation by believing in Christ (Acts 16:30-31, Romans 6:23, Ephesians 2:8-9). Make sure you've made the right decision about Jesus today (2 Corinthians 6:2)! It will be the most important decision of your life, for eternal life.