

## “Mercy Came a Runnin’ (11): Mercy Comes, Mercy Goes”

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- Uncommon phrase #1: “geometric p\_\_\_\_\_”
  - ◆ Requires these two commitments:
    - A fervent, passionate commitment to your \_\_\_\_\_ .
    - A fervent, passionate commitment to reproduce yourself \_\_\_\_\_ every year.
  - ◆ Results in these numbers:
    - Year 1 = \_\_\_\_\_
    - Year 2 = \_\_\_\_\_
    - Year 3 = \_\_\_\_\_ . . . .
    - Year 10 = \_\_\_\_\_
    - Year 20 = \_\_\_\_\_ million
    - Year 30 = \_\_\_\_\_ billion
    - Year 35 = \_\_\_\_\_ times earth’s population
  - ◆ Isaiah 60:22 NLT—“The smallest family will \_\_\_\_\_ into a large clan. The tiniest group will become a mighty nation. I, the LORD, will bring it all to pass at the right time.”
  - ◆ But “geometric progression” by itself is \_\_\_\_\_ .
- Uncommon phrase #2: “divine p\_\_\_\_\_”
  - ◆ It is a Hebrew grammatical device in which the action of the passive verb is understood to be accomplished by \_\_\_\_\_ himself.
    - E.g., Genesis 2:1
    - E.g., John 19:30
  - ◆ Matthew 24:14—a “divine passive” promise that means the action will ultimately be accomplished by God himself!
  - ◆ Isaiah 60:22 and Matthew 24:14 are God’s promise to combine “geometric progression” with the “divine passive” to reach an \_\_\_\_\_ civilization in \_\_\_\_\_ a generation!
    - Isaiah 60:22—“And I, the LORD, will \_\_\_\_\_ it in its time.”
    - Romans 9:28—“For He will \_\_\_\_\_ the work and cut *it* short in righteousness, because the LORD will make a \_\_\_\_\_ work upon the earth.”
    - “There will be a series of events revealing that God is master of the situation.” “And the final events will be rapid ones.” 9T 96, 11
- The uncommon truth from these two uncommon phrases: The divine passive will not become \_\_\_\_\_ while we remain \_\_\_\_\_ .
  - ◆ Once Mercy has come a runnin’ to us, we must go a runnin’ for \_\_\_\_\_ .

- ◆ How else will Mercy reach the 1.4 billion Muslims of this world?
- ◆ “The only way we can understand the graveyard at Miango is to remember that God also \_\_\_\_\_ his Son on the \_\_\_\_\_ field.”

*God had only one Son,  
and he made him a missionary.*

Answers: -rogression, Lord, once, 2, 4,8; 1,024; 1, 1, 5, multiply, insufficient, -assive, God, entire, half, hasten, finish, short, active, passive, him, buried, mission