**Discerning the times**

I'm an ~~Enginere~~ ~~Engenere~~ ~~Engeneer~~ I'm good with math.

**Matthew 16:3**
… Hypocrites! You know how to discern the face of the sky, but you cannot *discern* the signs of the times.

**Superstition:**
- things can't be understood, they just happen
**Sonship:**
- No longer do I call you servants, for a servant does not know what his master is doing

**Psalm 119:105**
Your word is a lamp to my feet And a light to my path

**Psalm 32:8**
I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will guide you with My eye.

**You are where?**
if we approach the word of God like its a map, we can easily fall into the trap of obsessing about eschatology.

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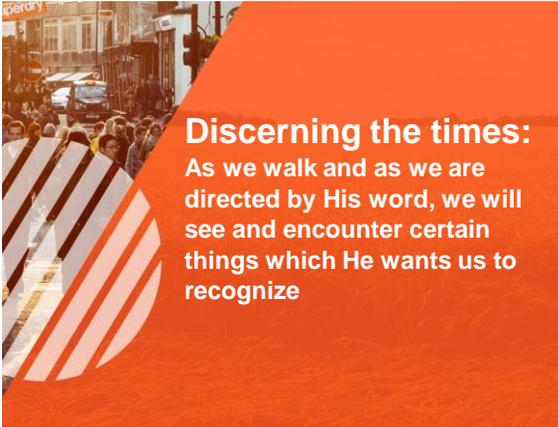
## Discerning the times:

**As we walk and as we are directed by His word, we will see and encounter certain things which He wants us to recognize**
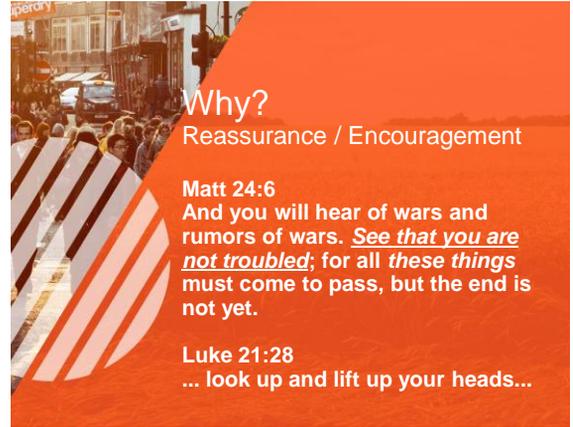
## Why?
Reassurance / Encouragement

**Matt 24:6
And you will hear of wars and rumors of wars. _See that you are not troubled_; for all *these things* must come to pass, but the end is not yet.**

**Luke 21:28
... look up and lift up your heads...**
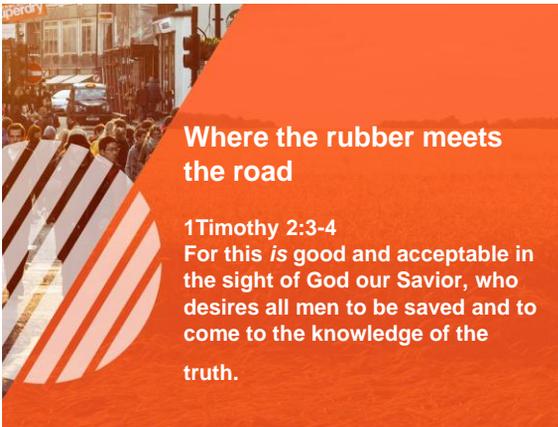
## Where the rubber meets the road

**1Timothy 2:3-4
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.**

## Interview
What do you make of the recent "blood moons" and such occurences?
Do you think christians will soon be persecuted in the west?