

In 2004 a human implantable microchip called "VeriChip" was offered to clubbers in the Baja Beach Club in Barcelona for buying and selling of drinks. Only around 10,000 people worldwide ended up allowing themselves to be implanted with this device (used for a variety of medical, financial and security applications) before it was discontinued. However, what this showed is that for the first time ever technology now exists to enable this prophecy about the 'cashless society' to come to pass.

What is seriously concerning to us is that the vast majority of believers (and non-believers) are not being prepared for this. For believers, one reason for this lack of preparation is down to a teaching that believers are all 'raptured' (taken out of harms way) before the 'Great Tribulation', during which the prophecy about the cashless society is fulfilled.

So, in these people's minds, there is no need to prepare for this eventuality. It doesn't take much to see that this belief is based more on wishful thinking than on sound doctrine. A lot of professing Christians today don't want to consider that God may allow them to be put in a situation where they will actually suffer for their faith. This has led to the Church denying that we will go through the predicted 'Great Tribulation' because of a verse that says we are "spared from wrath". However, it is worth pointing out that there is a big difference between a time of testing for all (the 'Great Tribulation'), and the time when God pours out his anger (the 7 vials of Wrath) on those who have rejected him, which happens soon after the Great Tribulation.

Are we open to hearing Him say that we should drop our 'nets' (jobs, ambitions, careers, burdens etc.) in order to follow Him wherever He leads? If we are accustomed to planning more than our next meal is it possible that we have stopped trusting God and have started trusting in ourselves instead?

This article is an attempt to draw people back to the Way of Truth and Love taught 2000 years ago, and to demonstrate that these truths are as applicable and accessible today as they were when they were first taught, even though it can be hard to believe this.

We will start by looking at the scriptural basis for Faith Outreaches, followed by a look at the practicalities of experimenting with Faith Outreaches. If you are someone who does not consider yourself to have an active faith in God you may wish to skip over the next section (looking at the scriptural basis for Faith Outreaches) to the 'Practical Considerations' section. We are confident that you will find at least some thoughts and ideas expressed in this article to be helpful in your search for an alternative way of living and being.

