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A Weekly Devotional from the  
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## He's Coming Again

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**D**id you know that a religious leader has come forth to announce to the world that Jesus would be returning this coming Monday, September 9, 2002. According to him, he has it all figured out. He's made his calculations from the Old Testament prophets and the New Testament book of Revelation, and has the date set for this coming Monday.

Well folks, the Bible says concerning the return of Christ that when he comes, he'll come as a "thief in the night" (2 Peter 3:10). Thieves don't give advance notice; they come quietly and unexpectedly.

Consequently, I put very little stock in this man's "figuring," or for that matter, any man's attempt to set a date for the return of the Lord.

That said, have you given thought this week to the absolute truth of Jesus' return? No, I don't know when it will be, but some day, an ordinary day much like today, Jesus will once again be revealed in the heavens. Are you prepared for that day? Give it some thought.