When lies and evil and brute force prevail over the humble man, when it appears all hope is lost and the good man disappears from the land, that is when the LORD rises, up to fight his enemies, smite them, and humble them.

Hilkiah the High Priest said: 'I have found the Book of the Law in the Temple of the LORD. When the king heard the words of the Book of the Law he tore his robes. "Great is the anger of the LORD that burns against us."'

Joseph stood by the pillar and renewed the covenant in the presence of the LORD to follow the LORD and keep his commandments and decrees with all his heart and all his soul, thus confirming the covenant written in the Book.

Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon invaded the land, and Jehoiachin became his vassal for three years. But then he changed his mind and rebelled against Babylon. He took Jehoiachin prisoner.

The Great Truths

The deput of every man is to see the will in his enemy and not recognize the faults in his own soul. Yet, God brings judgment down upon his own people first. If we read not humbly we will be taken out of our land and give up to our enemies, smite them, and humble them.

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Judgment comes first to the people of God

Revival starts with people in awe and ends with people who lose their religion and its festivals.