

## Exponents:

10 = 10(1) or 10 to the 1<sup>st</sup> power

100 = 10 x 10 or 10 to the 2<sup>nd</sup> power or 10(2) or 1 followed by 2 zero's

1,000 = 10 x 10 x 10 or 10 to the 3<sup>rd</sup> power or 10(3) or 1 followed by 3 zero's

1,000,000 = 10 x 10 x 10 x 10 x 10 x 10 x 10 or 10 to the 6<sup>th</sup> power or 10(6) or 1 followed by 6 zero's

10(53) = impossible

10(54) = impossible x 10

11 Old Testament prophecies = 1 chance in 10(59) or 1,000,000 times impossible or one million times impossible

48 Old Testament Messianic Prophecies = 1 chance in 10(157) power

Some scholars say there are about 2,500 prophecies in the Bible. 500 relate to the 2<sup>nd</sup> coming of Christ & beyond. The other 2,000 prophecies have been completely fulfilled. Keep in mind that some of these prophecies were conditional.

The chance that these prophecies would be completely fulfilled by chance is 1 chance in 10(2,000) or 1 chance in 10 to the 2,000 power. This is the number 1 followed by 2,000 zero's.

## References:

### Websites:

Easy....[www.christiananswers.net](http://www.christiananswers.net)

Intermediate....[www.provethetbible.net](http://www.provethetbible.net)

Advanced...[www.carm.org](http://www.carm.org)

### Books:

New Evidence That Demands A Verdict by Josh McDowell

A General Introduction to the Bible by Geisler & Nix

The Truth About Jesus and the Lost Gospels by David Marshall