

# Prophetic Proof

The prophecies of the Bible are among the most outstanding evidence of the Bible's divine origin. Take **Zephaniah 3:9**, written as early as 640-608 BC, as an example. This prophecy talks about the time when the Lord would restore the lost Hebrew language to the nation of Israel. ***“For then I will restore to the peoples a pure language that they all may call on the name of the LORD.”***



Such a thing is extremely rare in history, if not unprecedented. But in the early 1900s, a newspaper editor and lexicographer called Eliezer ben Yehuda (1858-1922) successfully recovered thousands of words and compiled a dictionary of ancient Hebrew. This enabled the Jewish people who returned to their ancient homeland in 1948 to speak their ancient mother-tongue. This had been lost through the years of exile in different countries (Nehemiah 13:24). However, God's word always comes true! Some believe that Jeremiah 31:23 also prophesied this miracle of modern history.