

THE URGENCY OF CERTAINTY

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Exodus 12:29-42

*As far back as 1931, Churchill's first publicly spoken warnings had only been predictions. But now, thanks to the factual foundation that Wigram had supplied, Churchill felt **the urgency of certainty**. He immediately began to increase the pressure for a quick and thorough rearmament program for Britain. He laid out the dire truth that German air strength would reach parity with the United Kingdom by the end of 1935, and unless the British government took action, the Nazis' air force would be double the size of Britain's by 1937. On May 2, 1935, when Churchill again spoke to the House of Commons, he grimly reported that "German ascendancy in the air is already a fact. The military part is far advanced, and the naval part is now coming into view."*

Source: Sandys, Jonathan; Henley, Wallace (2015). *God & Churchill: How the Great Leader's Sense of Divine Destiny Changed His Troubled World and Offers Hope for Ours* (p. 76). Tyndale Momentum.

1. We Must Hear and Believe God's Word

(Proverbs 22:17-21)

Know the truth so that you can speak the truth.

2. Action Must Be Taken in Life to Prepare to Meet God

(Ecclesiastes 12:1, 13-14)

3. We Must Remain Ready at All Times

(Matthew 24:35-44)

The return of Christ should change the way we live.

4. We Must Know & Live With the Knowledge that the Night Is Coming (John 9:3-4)