

# PREFACE

From the moment I first discovered him decades ago, I recognized that Nostradamus was an advanced seer of the future. It is likely that you share this perspective with me. I either purchased, or took out from the library, some books written about him and his quatrains, but these all turned out to have little pragmatic value for me. There were many reasons for this disappointing turn of events.

However, out of all of them, the main one was basic: What's supposed to be happening now? What's predicted by the seer for this timeframe and for the intermediate future—a future that may possibly be relevant to me. Sure, there was one dated quatrain: The ominous 1999 reference, which will be discussed in significant detail in a separate chapter.

There was also such a wide divergence of scholarly and avante-garde opinion, concerning interpretations of so many quatrains—as well as dual interpretative suggestions or possibilities—that conclusive determinations could not be secured. If you were to cast your lot with one particular book and author, whether his or her interpretations would pan out was more or less a crapshoot. What was missing? It didn't dawn on me what that was until many years later, when I was least expecting it.

In the spring of 2008, almost exactly one year from the date of this Preface, I was briefly visiting the small town of Chandler, Oklahoma. My long-time friend had grown up there, it was the county seat, and she accompanied me to the main library that providential day. I used its INTERNET facilities, and she remained with me during that short span. After finishing replies to my e-mails, she informed me that she had errands to run and purchases to make. It was decided that I would remain in the library for a couple of hours while she knocked all of that out. I decided to see if the place had an

occult book section, and, as I had presumed, there were only a few literatures on the shelf under this heading.

However, one of them immediately caught my eye: Nostradamus and the New Millenium. I was a sports writer in my younger life (before becoming a full-time, dedicated occultist), and I certainly had enjoyed watching Michael Jordan in his prime. The author of the abovementioned book was of the same name but was not that same person; I considered the synchronicity a bit interesting.

It had been a long time since I had read anything by or about Nostradamus—just short of a decade by my estimation—still I was struck by the title and the feel of this hardcopy. As aforementioned, I had, at least subconsciously, given up on the idea that I could make any ascertainments from the study of Nostradamus. Nevertheless, this was the best book available in the place, was colorfully illustrated, and seemed to have something to say. So, I sat down in a comfortable armchair, facing the large picture window to the street, and immersed myself in its message.

Two hours went by just like that.

What I got from this book was that missing key: The time-code! The treatise unlocked a hidden code that allows virtually any reader to know which quatrains are relevant and applicable to his era or lifetime. I have devoted a separate chapter to this important discussion, but I have also taken Mr. Jordan's astute revelation a step further, in terms of interpretation and application for our specific time.

Messages From Nostradamus Revealed is written in an organized format, and it contains a very logical presentation. The topic of Nostradamus and his mysterious or enigmatic quatrains and epistle is certainly a major feature in this book, but that itself is modified in four of the final chapters. This book is not only a book of knowledge, it is a call to action. It is both provocative and controversial; my critics will pan it.

However, if you can overcome that, this book will turn out to be a most rewarding read for you.

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