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The Disobedient Prophet

Gibbon, the antichristian historian, tells about it in his history of the fall of Rome and raises no question that this is but a fact that happened for Gibbon says that that was no miracle for he says that in == underneath the temple in the old vault of the tample the gasses collected through the centuries and there was all this gass collected there and everything so that when they dug into it it just naturally exploded from natural causes. It does not prove anything.

Well, it's like the case of the altar. God may have cause natural situations to exist == to decide that this would happen right at that time. But the important thing is that Julian tried intentially to cause prophecy to be & broken and Julian failed. God gave Josiah the desire to cause prophecy to be fulfilled. And the other thing that we mentioned entered into it are such as could not possibly have been predicted. Oh, the Word of God is true and will stand every test. And every part of the Word of God has a meaning for us, a purpose for us. There are chapters in it that seem to have little significance, but who knows, a situation may come in your life when if you had gotten the principles of these chapters you find it exactly gives you the answer to the situation you face. God has given us this Word to study it in its entirely to learn these principles and have it become a ingrained part of us. The only way we can get truth in matters of purpose of life and meaning of existence, its ultimate end and gola. In all these matters, the only way we can get an answer is to find what is in God's Word. We cannot just go to it and look at it and say, Here XX it is. We must fill our minds with it and study it and compare Scripture with Scripture and God prepares

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