

- God is able to tell us about the future by means of words, and what else?

- How is this possible?

- What is the basic meaning of the word 'figure'?

- What three other terms can be used to express the same idea as figure?
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 - 2.
 - 3.

- What potential misunderstanding is there with the last of these?

- What is meant by 'escalation'?

- How can we be sure that a figure is really intended (and not just imagined)?

- What is it important to remember about Old Testament figures?

- What is the purpose of these figures?

- Which New Testament passages compare Jesus to the Passover Lamb?

- How can the Old Testament Passover teach us about our salvation?

- In what ways does the Old Testament manna prefigure Jesus? And in what ways is Jesus so much better and greater (= 'escalation') than the manna?

- Why does the New Testament not identify all Old Testament figures?