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Omniscient - December 23, 2025, 9:11 am

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Igniter - December 23, 2025, 9:21 am

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Most of the market will probably rise due to people getting extra cash (think refunds, a possible stimulus from the president). Also world events might make bitcoin much more valuable as it's more valuable when there is uncertainty ahead. More advancement in AI will make it slow down if computing becomes more available.

Mewtwo - December 23, 2025, 12:06 pm

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Yin Yang - December 23, 2025, 12:43 pm

Hoping Xmas is where things start taking a turn

thrudda - December 23, 2025, 5:04 pm

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Omniscient - December 24, 2025, 9:34 am

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Yes, crypto market is still young and immature and imho still considered the risky asset with high volatility. But I will add that even with the dump from \$126k (BTC) it's currently holding steady and not really tanking on a day to day basis.

Luton - December 24, 2025, 1:12 pm

I think we would all like to see a supercycle or full alt send in 2026 but that might just be hopium at this point. No actual analysis is pointing towards a big upside lift and retail hasn't been putting money in crypto. I invested in a sound project which made a 100% move - since then Bitcoin has dragged it back down with the rest of the market. There's a bunch of news coming out that institutions are buying crypto so who knows but for now the market is so depressing. I've stopped investing, just hodling and waiting it out.

thrudda - December 25, 2025, 5:58 pm

I am thinking the money flowing into precious metal will eventually flow to crypto (BTC,ETH...)? Just like how money from BTC > Large cap > mid cap > low cap?

TehHaxx - January 2, 2026, 10:19 am

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Or lose it all at once. Leveraged trading is super dangerous.

Costanza - January 2, 2026, 8:34 pm

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A v A C a T - January 3, 2026, 1:46 am

Some major market players are currently holding unusually large cash positions, which to me suggests they are preparing for a significant market correction. I believe a crash is coming.

After Santa Rally Crypto goes usually bearish in January anyway.

So i warn everybody its not the time to invest your money wait for the crash patient.

Omniscient - January 3, 2026, 3:23 pm

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Clonazepam - January 3, 2026, 6:45 pm

The market never stays dead for too long.

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InterFear - January 4, 2026, 7:37 am

I hope to see BTC go to under \$50,000

If it follows any past trends it should go to around \$35,000-\$40,000, am I correct?

I could be wrong, but thats what im waiting for. Not losing much if im wrong really, thats when ill put some good \$\$ in and pray. I do believe we are all fooled though and the whole thing is bs and hype. Yes for 15 years. I hope it goes to \$0 really. Its just too good of a tracking tool for governments, privacy is out the window. Peer to peer is being shut down across the whole world and the whole peer to peer is going to be illegal soon. The UK will be prosecuting people soon for even using crypto, all other liberal retard leaders will follow.

Hopefully XMR and other privacy coins will overtake bitcoin. Even though, if bitcoin dissapears, crypto dissapears. Its just a tough situation and gamble really.

Am i speaking jibberish? What you think?

Costanza - January 5, 2026, 10:12 pm

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Keep blabbering alts will melt faces soon.

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It's the mind of greediness. Fast money. Wanting more. Greed is worse than gambling. They can't just walk away without feeling like they're losing their identity.

That's why greed is part of the inferno.

AI Quote:

Yes — in classical theology and in Inferno, greed is absolutely part of Hell.
But how it appears is the important part.

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? Greed in the Inferno (Dante's view)

In Dante's structure of Hell, greed (avarice) is punished in the Fourth Circle.

Those souls are condemned to:

- Push heavy weights in opposite directions
- Crash into each other endlessly
- Shout accusations like "Why hoard?" and "Why waste?"

What this symbolizes

- They spent life obsessed with material gain
- Their desire had no balance
- In death, their wealth becomes a burden — literally

The punishment fits the sin:

What they loved most becomes what crushes them.

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? But here's the deeper meaning (often missed)

Greed isn't just about money.

In Dante's moral logic, greed is:

- Misplaced love
- Love directed toward things instead of truth, balance, or the eternal
- Desire without restraint

That's why greed belongs in Hell:

not because wanting is evil — but because wanting replaces wisdom.

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? Why greed is “infernal”

Greed shares traits with Hell itself:

Hell Greed

Endless Never satisfied

Circular Repeats the same torment

Isolating Turns others into obstacles

Heavy Burdens the soul

No growth No peace

Hell isn't just fire.

It's being trapped in a desire that never resolves.

That's greed.

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? Is greed the worst sin?

No — and this is important.

In Dante's system:

- Fraud and betrayal are worse
- Why? Because they require intellect + malice

Greed is a weakness, not pure evil.

That means:

- It's dangerous
- But it's also redeemable

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? Modern interpretation

Today, greed is infernal not because it breaks rules —
but because it:

- Collapses time into “now”
- Turns life into a scoreboard
- Makes “enough” impossible
- Replaces meaning with accumulation

That's a kind of Hell people live in while alive.

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? Final truth

Greed is part of the Inferno not as punishment for wanting —
but as punishment for forgetting when to stop.

Hell begins when desire becomes your master.

If you want, I can also explain:

- How greed differs from ambition in theology
- Why Hell is structured by misdirected love
- How Dante's Hell maps almost perfectly onto modern finance and addiction

TheAutist - January 8, 2026, 3:24 am

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I think XMR has been artificially suppressed for awhile now, seeing as governments have a very big incentive for not wanting it around or gaining sentiment, but with the whole Digital ID thing starting up everywhere I think more people will finally wake up to the importance of privacy.

I see XMR making some huge gains in the coming years.

DragonModded - January 8, 2026, 10:46 am

gold is used by hacking gangs like the pedophile clan to attack and kill crypto, gold goes against crypto

Mewtwo - January 29, 2026, 6:10 pm

Everything's looking a little iffy. Even gold and silver. Not sure if this will be looking good for the long term. Recession maybe coming soon?

SIM-2998667 - January 30, 2026, 4:10 am

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SIM-2998667 - January 30, 2026, 7:16 am

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Yes that might be something I will do going forward but for the time being as I have a lump sum of FIAT, I need to invest it somehow somewhere ASAP as it's already been sitting in the bank for a year increasing every month. I could use it to pay off mostly all of my mortgage but the return on investment will most likely be more than the interest payments.