

Seventy weeks are determined....

Daniel 9:20 And whiles I *was* speaking, and praying, and confessing my sin and the sin of my people Israel, and presenting my supplication before the LORD my God for the holy mountain of my God; (21) Yea, whiles I *was* speaking in prayer, even the man Gabriel, whom I had seen in the vision at the beginning, being caused to fly swiftly, touched me about the time of the evening oblation (*offering*). (22) And he informed *me*, and talked with me, and said, O Daniel, I am now come forth to give thee skill and understanding. (23) At the beginning of thy supplications the commandment came forth, and I am come to shew *thee*; for thou *art* greatly beloved: therefore understand the matter, and consider the vision. (24) Seventy weeks are determined **upon thy people (ISRAEL)** and **upon thy holy city**, to finish the transgression, and to **make an end of sins**, and **to make reconciliation for iniquity**, and **to bring in everlasting righteousness**, and **to seal up the vision and prophecy**, and **to anoint the most Holy**. (25) Know therefore and understand, *that* from the going forth of the commandment **to restore and to build Jerusalem** unto the **Messiah the Prince** shall be seven weeks, and threescore and two weeks: the street shall be built again, and the wall, even in troublous times. (26) And after threescore and two weeks shall **Messiah be cut off**, but not for himself: and the people of the prince that **shall come shall destroy the city and the sanctuary**; and the end thereof shall be with a flood, and unto the end of the war desolations are determined. (27) And he shall confirm the covenant with many for one week: and in the midst of the week he shall cause the sacrifice and the oblation to cease, and for the overspreading of abominations he shall make *it* desolate, **even until the consummation**, and that determined shall be poured upon the desolate.

We start with the END of the 70th week... (24)

Isaiah 60:1 Arise, shine; for thy light is come, and the glory of the LORD is risen upon thee. (2) For, behold, the darkness shall cover the earth, and gross darkness the people: but the LORD shall arise upon thee, and his glory shall be seen upon thee (ISRAEL). (3) And the Gentiles shall come to thy (ISRAEL) light, and kings to the brightness of thy (ISRAEL) rising.

Jeremiah 23:5 Behold, the days come, saith the LORD, that I will raise (to anoint) unto David a righteous Branch, and **a King (Christ) shall reign and prosper, and shall execute judgment and justice in the earth**. (6) In his days Judah shall be saved (ISRAEL), and Israel shall dwell safely: and this *is* his name whereby he shall be called, THE LORD OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS.

Zechariah 8:12 For the seed *shall be* prosperous; the vine shall give her fruit, and the ground shall give her increase, and the heavens shall give their dew; and I will cause the remnant of this people to possess all these *things*. (13) And it shall come to pass, *that* as ye were a curse among the heathen, O house of Judah, and house of Israel; **so will I save you** (ISRAEL), and **ye (ISRAEL) shall be a blessing**: fear not, *but* let your hands be strong.....(23) Thus saith the LORD of hosts; In those days *it shall come to pass*, that ten men shall take hold out of all languages of the nations, even shall take hold of

the skirt of him that is a Jew, saying, We will go with you: for we have heard *that* God *is* with you.

Zechariah 13:8-9 And it shall come to pass, *that* in all the land, saith the LORD, two parts therein shall be cut off *and* die; **but the third shall be left therein.** (9) And I will bring the third part through the fire, and will refine them as silver is refined, and will try them as gold is tried: they shall call on my name, and I will hear them: I will say, It *is* my people: and they shall say, The LORD *is* my God.

Revelation 20:4-5 And I saw thrones, and they sat upon them, and judgment was given unto them: and *I saw* the souls of them that were beheaded for the witness of Jesus, and for the word of God, and which had not worshipped the beast, neither his image, neither had received *his* mark upon their foreheads, or in their hands; and they **lived and reigned with Christ a thousand years.** (5) But the rest of the dead lived not again until **the thousand years were finished.** This *is* the first resurrection.

VERSE (25)

Nehemiah 1:3 And they said unto me, The remnant that are left of the captivity there in the province *are* in great affliction and reproach: the wall of Jerusalem also *is* broken down, and the gates thereof are burned with fire. (4) And it came to pass, when I heard these words, that I sat down and wept, and mourned *certain* days, and fasted, and prayed before the God of heaven,

Nehemiah 2:1 And it came to pass in the month Nisan, in the twentieth year of Artaxerxes the king, *that* wine *was* before him: and I took up the wine, (*He was the king's cupbearer*) and gave *it* unto the king. Now I had not been *beforetime* sad in his presence. (2) Wherefore the king said unto me, Why *is* thy countenance sad, seeing thou *art* not sick? this *is* nothing *else* but sorrow of heart. Then I was very sore afraid, (3) And said unto the king, Let the king live for ever: why should not my countenance be sad, **when the city, the place of my fathers' sepulchres, lieth waste, and the gates thereof are consumed with fire?** (4) Then the king said unto me, For what dost thou make request? So I prayed to the God of heaven. (5) And I said unto the king, If it please the king, and if thy servant have found favour in thy sight, that thou wouldest send me unto Judah, unto the city of my fathers' sepulchres, that **I may build it.** (6) And the king said unto me, (the queen also sitting by him,) For how long shall thy journey be? and when wilt thou return? So it pleased the king to send me; and I set him a time. (7) Moreover I said unto the king, If it please the king, let letters be given me to the governors beyond the river, that they may convey me over till I come into Judah; (8) And a letter unto Asaph the keeper of the king's forest, that he may give me timber to make beams for the gates of the palace which *appertained* to the house, **and for the wall of the city,** and for the house that I shall enter into. And the king granted me, according to the good hand of my God upon me..... (17) Then said I unto them, Ye see the distress that we *are* in, how Jerusalem *lieth waste,* and the gates thereof *are burned with fire:* come, and let us **build up the wall of Jerusalem,** that we be no more a reproach. (18) Then I told them of the hand of my God which was good upon me; as also the king's words that he had spoken unto me. And they said, **Let us rise up and build.** So they strengthened their hands for *this* good *work.*

We need a Chart..

BUT first we need to understand this.... ONE DAY = 1000 yrs. & ONE YEAR

2 Peter 3:7 But the heavens and the earth, which are now, by the same word are kept in store, reserved unto fire against the day of judgment and perdition of ungodly men. (8) But, beloved, **be not ignorant of this one thing**, that **one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day.** (9) The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.

Revelation 20:1 And I saw an angel come down from heaven, having the key of the bottomless pit and a great chain in his hand. (2) And he laid hold on the dragon, that old serpent, which is the Devil, and Satan, and **bound him a thousand years,** (3) And cast him into the bottomless pit, and shut him up, and set a seal upon him, that he should deceive the nations no more, till the thousand years should be fulfilled: and after that he must be loosed a little season.

Psalms 90:3 Thou turnest man to destruction; and sayest, Return, ye children of men. (4) **For a thousand years in thy sight are but as yesterday** when it is past, and *as* a watch in the night. (5) Thou carriest them away as with a flood; they are *as* a sleep: in the morning *they are* like grass *which* groweth up.

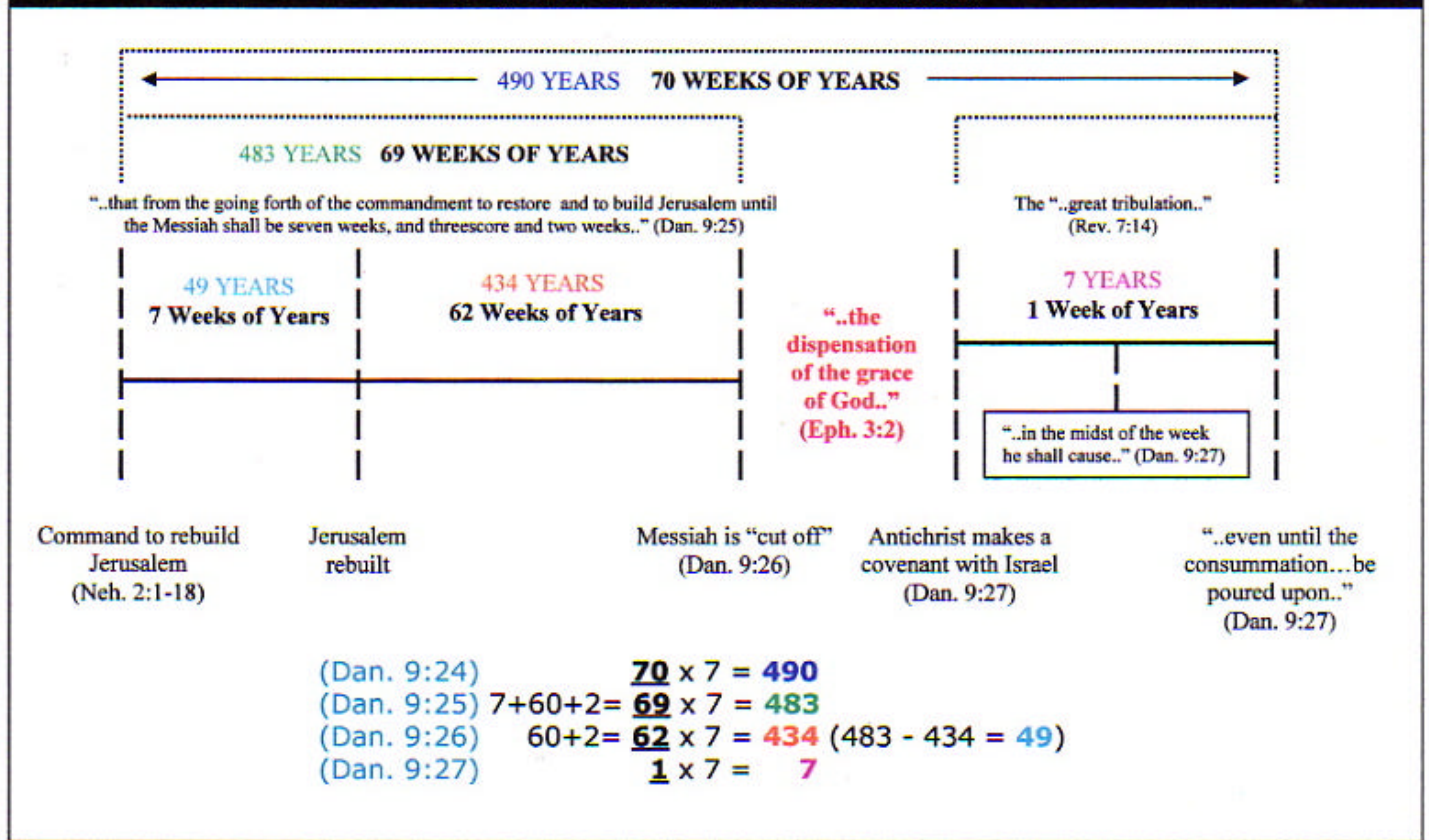
Genesis 2: 17 But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for **in the day** that thou eatest thereof **thou shalt surely die.** ((DID they die that day???? NO, if it were 24 hours, YES if it is a 1000 years.... **Is it a coincidence that those who lived before the Flood died just short of a 1000 years of age??**. Thus figuratively speaking, Adam, and all his offspring before the flood, **died within a "day"---that is, within a thousand years.**))

ONE DAY = ONE YEAR

Numbers 14:33 And your children shall wander in the **wilderness forty years**, and bear your whoredoms, until your carcasses be wasted in the wilderness. (34) After the number of the days in which ye searched the land, **even forty days**, **each day for a year**, shall ye bear **your iniquities**, **even forty years**, and ye shall know my breach of promise.

Eze 4:6 And when thou hast accomplished them, lie again on thy right side, and thou shalt bear **the iniquity of the house of Judah forty days: I have appointed thee each day for a year.**

Daniel's 70 Weeks Vision



Something else to look at..

PROPHECY IN ONE VERSE AND SECOND VERSE IS SEPARATED BY TIME, BUT THE AMOUNT OF TIME IS NOT REVEALED..

Zechariah 9:9-10 Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion; shout, O daughter of Jerusalem: behold, thy King **cometh unto thee**: he *is* just, and having salvation; lowly, **and riding upon an ass, and upon a colt the foal of an ass.** (10) And I will cut off the chariot from Ephraim, and the horse from Jerusalem, and the battle bow shall be cut off: and **he shall speak peace unto the heathen: and his dominion shall be from sea even to sea,** and from the river *even* to the ends of the earth.

Isaiah 9:6-7 For **unto us a child is born**, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace. (7) Of the increase of **his government and peace there shall be no end, upon the throne of David,** and upon his kingdom, to order it, and to **establish it with judgment and with justice from henceforth even for ever.** The zeal of the LORD of hosts will perform this.

- **Zechariah 9:9** and **Isaiah 9:6** refer to the **first coming of Messiah**,
- **Zechariah 9:10** and **Isaiah 9:7** refer two the **second coming**.
- **Daniel 9:26** is referring the first coming of Messiah, **“..shall Messiah be cut off,** but not for himself..” at the end of the 69th week..
- **Daniel 9:27** the 70th week is completed with the second coming. **“... shall be poured upon the desolate.”** **2 Thessalonians 2:8-9** And then shall that Wicked be revealed, whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of his mouth, and shall destroy with the brightness of his coming: (9) *Even him,* whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders,

END OF PART ONE

START OF PART TWO

7 years appointed to mankind on **this earth**.. (May 11th)

Short recap of last week... verses 24 & 25.. (one day=year SHOW BETTER!!)

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- Between **cut off** AND **people of the prince** This break or interruption (the mystery) was not prophesied..
- God having placed a "2000 year gap" between the weeks **did not violate** the keeping of the mystery a secret...
- His disciples never saw it, is Acts they were looking forward to the Kingdom being set up... **He never told them!!!**
- **"shall Messiah be cut off"..** Did you know right dividing dispensationalists have a different view than most others??
- Early Dispensationalists had a problem with **"cut off"** being **the CROSS**.
 1. BECAUSE.. Where was **PENTECOST** and the other **prophesied** events??
 2. These events taking place **between** the 69th and 70th week **A BIG PROBLEM**
 3. Others believers have no problem with this detail,... BUT WE DO **or DID**..
- Everything is fine until "shall Messiah be **cut off**"!!
 1. **IF you conclude**, accept or believe the **CUT OFF is the cross** (like most do) then where is **RESURRECTION, ASCENSION & PENTECOST** ?
 2. These are ALL **VERY SIGNIFICANT** events..
 3. Lets go to Psalms..
 - **CRUCIFIXION** **Psa 22:16** For dogs have compassed me: the assembly of the wicked have inclosed me: they pierced my hands and my feet.
 - **RESURRECTION** **Psa 16:10** For thou wilt not leave my soul in hell; neither wilt thou suffer thine Holy One to see corruption.
 - **ASCENSION** **Psa 68:18** Thou hast ascended on high, thou hast led captivity captive: thou hast received gifts for men; yea, *for* the rebellious also, that the LORD God might dwell *among them*..... **Psalms 110:1** <A Psalm of David.> The LORD said unto my Lord, Sit thou at my right hand, until I make thine enemies thy footstool.
 - **PENTECOST** **Acts 2:16** But this is that which was spoken by the prophet Joel; **(17)** And it shall come to pass in the last days, saith God, I will pour out of my Spirit upon all flesh: and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams:.... **(And on and on)!**

Matthew 23:29 Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! because ye build the tombs of the prophets, and garnish the sepulchres of the righteous, (30) And say, If we had been in the days of our fathers, we would not have been partakers with them in the blood of the prophets. (31) Wherefore ye be witnesses unto yourselves, **that ye are the children of them which killed the prophets.** (32) Fill ye up then the measure of your fathers. (33) *Ye serpents, ye generation of vipers,* how can ye escape the damnation of hell? (34) Wherefore, behold, I send unto you prophets, and wise men, and scribes: and *some* of them ye shall kill and crucify; and *some* of them shall ye scourge in your synagogues, and persecute *them* from city to city: (35) That upon you may come all the righteous blood shed upon the earth, from the blood of righteous Abel unto the blood of Zacharias son of Barachias, whom ye slew between the temple and the altar. (36) Verily I say unto you, All these things shall come upon this generation. (37) O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, ***thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them*** which are sent unto thee, how often would **I have gathered** thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under *her* wings, **and ye would not!**

Acts 3:17 And now, brethren, I wot that through ignorance ye did *it*, ((KILLED CHRIST)) as *did* also your rulers. (18) But those things, which God before had shewed by the mouth of all his prophets, that Christ should suffer, he hath so fulfilled. (19) Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, when the times of refreshing shall come from the presence of the Lord; (20) And **he shall send Jesus Christ**, which before was preached unto you: (21) Whom the heaven must receive until the times of restitution of all things, which God hath spoken by the mouth of all his holy prophets since the world began.

Acts 6:1 And in those days, when the number of the disciples was multiplied, there arose a murmuring of the Grecians against the Hebrews, because their widows were neglected in the daily ministration. (2) Then the twelve called the multitude of the disciples unto them, and said, It is not reason that we should leave the word of God, and serve tables. (3) Wherefore, brethren, look ye out among you seven men of honest report, full of the Holy Ghost and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business. (4) But we will give ourselves continually to prayer, and to the ministry of the word. (5) And the saying pleased the whole multitude: **and they chose Stephen**, a man full of faith and of the Holy Ghost, and Philip, and Prochorus, and Nicanor, and Timon, and Parmenas, and Nicolas a proselyte of Antioch: (6) Whom they set before the apostles: and when they had prayed, they laid *their* hands on them. (7) And the word of God increased; and the number of the disciples multiplied in Jerusalem greatly; and a great company of the priests were obedient to the faith. (8) And Stephen, full of faith and power, did great wonders and miracles among the people. (9) Then there arose certain of the synagogue, which is called *the synagogue* of the Libertines, and Cyrenians, and Alexandrians, and of them of Cilicia and of Asia, disputing with Stephen. (10) And they were not able to resist the wisdom and the spirit by which he spake. (11) Then they suborned men, which said, We have heard him speak blasphemous words against Moses, and *against* God. (12) And they stirred up the people, and the elders, and the scribes, and came upon *him*, and caught him, and brought *him* to the council, (13) And set up false witnesses, which said, This man ceaseth not to speak blasphemous words against this holy place, and the law: (14) For we have heard him say, **that this Jesus of Nazareth** shall destroy this place, and shall change the customs which Moses delivered us. (15) And all that sat in the

council, looking steadfastly on him, saw his face as it had been the face of an angel. (next chapter) Acts 7:1 Then said the high priest, Are these things so? (2) And he said, Men, brethren, and fathers, hearken; The God of glory appeared unto our father Abraham, when he was in Mesopotamia, before he dwelt in Charran, etc.etc.etc..... Isaac Jacob... Joseph.... Moses.... Aaron.... Solomon..... (for 50 verses he spoke of the patriarchs, prophets and great men of faith, of the nation of Israel) 51 Ye stiffnecked and uncircumcised in heart and ears, ye do always resist the Holy Ghost: as your fathers did, so do ye. (52) Which of the prophets have not your fathers persecuted? and they have slain them which shewed before of the coming of the Just One; of whom ye have been now the betrayers and murderers: (53) Who have received the law by the disposition of angels, and have not kept *it*. (54) When they heard these things, they were cut to the heart, and they gnashed on him with *their* teeth. (55) But he, being full of the Holy Ghost, looked up steadfastly into heaven, and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing on the right hand of God, (56) And said, Behold, I see the heavens opened, and the Son of man standing on the right hand of God. (57) Then they cried out with a loud voice, and stopped their ears, and ran upon him with one accord, (58) And cast *him* out of the city, and stoned *him*: and the witnesses laid down their clothes at a young man's feet, whose name was Saul. (59) And they stoned Stephen, calling upon *God*, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. (60) And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep.

Acts 8:1-3 And Saul was consenting unto his death. And at that time there was a great persecution against the church which was at Jerusalem; and they were all scattered abroad throughout the regions of Judaea and Samaria, except the apostles. (2) And devout men carried Stephen *to his burial*, and made great lamentation over him. (3) As for Saul, he made havock of the church, entering into every house, and haling men and women committed *them* to prison.

Acts 9:1-2 And Saul, yet breathing out threatenings and slaughter against the disciples of the Lord, went unto the high priest, (2) And desired of him letters to Damascus to the synagogues, that if he found any of this way, whether they were men or women, he might bring them bound unto Jerusalem.

1. **1961** a simple question. Why does it "cut off" have to be His death on the cross??
2. The key to understanding is to remember Israel and the holy city were the subject of the 70 weeks prophecy, **NOT CHRIST**..
3. The "cut off" in (26) is not Christ being "cut off" by death on the cross, but rather Israel cutting off Messiah by their rejection of HIM...

This understanding, allows acknowledging the prophecies concerning His RESURRECTION, ASCENSION & also PENTECOST and leaves Israel's final recorded rejection to be the final event of the 69th week..

What is practical about this information??

We today, can learn patience in gaining understanding the mysteries and truths of Gods Word!!

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The “people of the prince” and “destroy the city”.. (26)

1. NOT THE ROMANS IN 70A.D. because, **many nations**, **not only Roman!!**
2. **Destroy the city...**

Isaiah 17:12 Woe to the multitude of many people, which make a noise like the noise of the seas; and to the rushing of nations, that make a rushing like the rushing of mighty waters! (13) **The nations** shall rush like the rushing of many waters: but *God* shall rebuke them, and they shall flee far off, and shall be chased as the chaff of the mountains before the wind, and like a rolling thing before the whirlwind.

Isaiah 59:19 So shall they fear the name of the LORD from the west, and his glory from the rising of the sun. When the enemy shall come in like a flood, the Spirit of the LORD shall lift up a standard against him.

Revelation 12:13 And when the dragon saw that he was cast unto the earth, he persecuted the woman which brought forth the man *child*. (14) And to the woman were given two wings of a great eagle, that she might fly into the wilderness, into her place, where she is nourished for a time, and times, and half a time, from the face of the serpent. (15) And the serpent cast out of his mouth water as a flood after the woman, that he might cause her to be carried away of the flood.

Zechariah 14:1 Behold, the day of the LORD cometh, and thy spoil shall be divided in the midst of thee. (2) For I will gather all nations against Jerusalem to battle; and the city shall be taken, and the houses rifled, and the women ravished; and half of the city shall go forth into captivity, and the residue of the people shall not be cut off from the city. (3) Then shall the LORD go forth, and fight against those nations, as when he fought in the day of battle. (4) And his feet shall stand in that day upon the mount of Olives, which *is* before Jerusalem on the east, and the mount of Olives shall cleave in the midst thereof toward the east and toward the west, *and there shall be* a very great valley; and half of the mountain shall remove toward the north, and half of it toward the south.

START OF PART THREE

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I had a hard time limiting the many accounts Gods word say about this one week...

This was exciting to review as it builds faith in Gods Word..

ONLY ONE BOOK does this!!

From Ezekiel, Isaiah, Daniel, Zachariah, Christ on earth, Paul & John..

- Israel is still looking for the prince of peace..
- I believe Israel will assume "this **prince**" to be him.
- I believe that this "peace" pact, covenant or treaty will involve a go-ahead condition to begin reconstruction of the temple.
- Don't forget many Muslims are looking forward for their messiah Al-Mahdi.

Daniel 7:1 In the first year of Belshazzar king of Babylon Daniel had a dream and visions of his head upon his bed: then he wrote the dream, *and* told the sum of the matters..... **(((2-7 describes earlier earthly kingdoms,)))**..... **(8)** I considered the horns, and, behold, there came up among them another little horn, before whom there were three of the first horns plucked up by the roots: and, behold, in this horn *were* eyes like the eyes of man, and a mouth **speaking great things**. **(9)** I beheld till the thrones were cast down, and the Ancient of days did sit, **(((GOD)))** whose garment *was* white as snow, and the hair of his head like the pure wool: his throne *was like* the fiery flame, *and* his wheels *as* burning fire. **(10)** A fiery stream issued and came forth from before him: thousand thousands ministered unto him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood before him: the **judgment was set**, and the books were opened. **(11)** I beheld then because of the voice of the **great words which the horn spake**: I beheld *even* till the **beast was slain**, and his body destroyed, and given to the burning flame. **(12)** As concerning the rest of the beasts, **(((the ten)))** they had their dominion taken away: yet their lives were prolonged for a season and time. **(13)** I saw in the night visions, and, behold, *one* like the Son of man **(((Christ)))** came with the clouds of heaven, and came to the Ancient of days, and they brought him near before him. **(14)** And there was given him **(((Christ)))** dominion, and glory, and a kingdom, that all people, nations, and languages, should serve him: his dominion *is* an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and his kingdom *that* which shall not be destroyed. **(15)** I Daniel was grieved in my spirit in the midst of *my* body, and the visions of my head troubled me. **(16)** I came near unto one of them that stood by, and asked him the truth of all this. So he told me, and made me know the interpretation of the things. **(17)** These great beasts, which are four, *are* four kings, *which* shall arise out of the earth. **(18)** But the saints of the most High shall take the kingdom, and possess the kingdom for ever, even for ever and ever. **(19)** Then I would know the truth of the fourth beast, **(((antichrist)))** which was diverse from all the others,

exceeding dreadful, whose teeth *were of* iron, and his nails *of* brass; *which* devoured, brake in pieces, and stamped the residue with his feet; (20) And of the ten horns that *were* in his head, and *of* the other which came up, and before whom three fell; even *of* that horn that had eyes, and a mouth that spake **very great things**, whose look *was* more stout than his fellows. (21) I beheld, and the **same horn made war** with the saints, and **prevailed against them**; (22) Until the Ancient of days (**(((GOD)))**) came, and judgment was given to the saints of the most High; and the time came that the saints possessed the kingdom. (23) Thus he said, The fourth beast shall be the fourth kingdom upon earth, which shall be diverse from all kingdoms, and shall devour the whole earth, and shall tread it down, and break it in pieces. (24) And the ten horns out of this kingdom *are* ten kings *that* shall arise: and another shall rise after them; and he shall be diverse from the first, and he shall subdue three kings. (25) And he shall **speak great words against the most High**, and **shall wear out the saints** of the most High, and think to change times and laws: and they shall be given into his hand until a time and times and the dividing of time. (26) But the judgment shall sit, and they **shall take away** his dominion (**(((antichrist)))**), to **consume and to destroy it unto the end**. (27) And the kingdom and dominion, and the greatness of the kingdom under the whole heaven, shall be given to the people of the saints of the most High, whose kingdom *is* an everlasting kingdom, and all dominions shall serve and obey him. (28) Hitherto *is* the end of the matter. As for me Daniel, my cogitations (**cog-i-tations** an act of reflection or meditation; contemplation) much troubled me, and my countenance changed in me: but I kept the matter in my heart.

Daniel 11:35 And *some* of them of understanding shall fall, to try them, and to purge, and to make *them* white, *even* to the time of the end: **because it is yet for a time appointed**. (36) And the king (**(((antichrist)))**) shall do according to his will (**(((Satan)))**); and he shall exalt himself, and magnify himself above every god, and shall speak marvellous things **against the God of gods**, and shall prosper till the **indignation be accomplished**: **for that that is determined shall be done**. (37) **Neither shall he regard the God of his fathers**,... (**(((Is he a JEW??)))**) nor the desire of women, nor regard any god: for he shall magnify himself above all. (38) But in his estate shall he honour the God of forces: and a god (**(((Satan)))**) whom his fathers knew not shall he honour with gold, and silver, and with precious stones, and pleasant things. (39) Thus shall he do in the most strong holds with a strange god (**(((Satan)))**), whom he shall acknowledge *and* increase with glory: and he shall cause them to rule over many, **and shall divide the land for gain**. (**(((this could be the means of his treaty or convent)))**)

As we read this next verse FORGET about the 2000 year gap, lets place ourselves in Israel during the time of Christ, Roman rule, wanting peace from the prince.....

1 Thessalonians 5:1 But of the times and the seasons, brethren, ye have no need that I write unto you. (2) For yourselves know perfectly that the day of the Lord so cometh as a thief in the night. (3) **For when they shall say, Peace and safety; then sudden destruction cometh upon them, as travail upon a woman with child; and they shall not escape**. (4) But ye, brethren, are not in darkness, that that day should overtake you as a thief. (5) Ye are all the children of light, and the children of the day: we are not of the night, nor of darkness. (6) Therefore let us not sleep, as *do* others; but let us watch and be sober. (7) For they that sleep sleep in the night; and they that be drunken are drunken in the night. (8) But let us, who are of the day, be sober, putting on the breastplate of faith and love; and for an helmet, the hope of salvation. (9) For God hath not appointed us to wrath, but to obtain salvation by our Lord Jesus Christ,

The Midpoint and END of the Tribulation (70th week)

Revelation 12:5 And she brought forth a man child, who was to rule all nations with a rod of iron: and her child was caught up unto God, and *to* his throne. (6) And the woman fled into the wilderness, where she hath a place prepared of God, that they should feed her there a thousand two hundred *and* threescore days (1260). ((("thousand two hundred and threescore days" are equal to 42 months of 30 days each, $(42 \times 30 = 1260)$ and 42 months = 3½ years))) (7) And there was war in heaven: Michael and his angels fought against the dragon; and the dragon fought and his angels, (8) And prevailed not; neither was their place found any more in heaven. (9) And the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the Devil, and Satan, which deceiveth the whole world: **he was cast out into the earth**, and his angels were cast out with him. (10) And I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, Now is come salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of his Christ: for the accuser of our brethren is cast down, which accused them before our God day and night. (11) And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony; and they loved not their lives unto the death. (12) Therefore **rejoice, ye heavens,** and **ye that dwell in them.** **Woe to the inhabitants of the earth** and of the **sea!** for the devil is come down unto you, having great wrath, because he knoweth that he hath but a short time. (13) And when the dragon saw that he was cast unto the earth, he persecuted the woman which brought forth the man *child*.

Revelation 11:1-10 And there was given me a reed like unto a rod: and the angel stood, saying, Rise, and measure the temple of God, and the altar, and them that worship therein. (2) But the court which is without the temple leave out, and measure it not; for it is given unto the Gentiles: and the holy city shall they tread under foot forty and two months. (((3 ½ yrs))) (3) And I will give *power* unto my two witnesses, and they shall prophesy a thousand two hundred *and* threescore days, (((3 ½ yrs))) clothed in sackcloth. (4) These are the two olive trees, and the two candlesticks standing before the God of the earth. (5) And if any man will hurt them, fire proceedeth out of their mouth, and devoureth their enemies: and if any man will hurt them, he must in this manner be killed. (6) These have power to shut heaven, that it rain not in the days of their prophecy: and have power over waters to turn them to blood, and to smite the earth with all plagues, as often as they will. (7) And when they shall have finished their testimony, **the beast** that ascendeth out of the bottomless pit shall make war against them, and shall overcome them, and kill them. (8) And their dead bodies *shall lie* in the street of the great city, which spiritually is called Sodom and Egypt, where also our Lord was crucified. (9) And they of the people and kindreds and tongues and nations shall see their dead bodies three days and an half, and shall not suffer their dead bodies to be put in graves. (10) And they that dwell upon the earth **shall rejoice over them**, and **make merry**, and shall **send gifts one to another**; because these two prophets **tormented them** that dwelt on the earth.

Revelation 13:1-9 And I stood upon the sand of the sea, and saw a beast rise **up out of the sea**, having seven heads and ten horns, and upon his horns ten crowns, and upon his heads the name of blasphemy. (2) And **the beast** which I saw was like unto a leopard, and his feet were as *the feet* of a bear, and his mouth as the mouth of a lion: and the dragon (((Satan))) gave him his power, and his seat, and great authority. (3) And I saw one of his heads as it were wounded to death; and his **deadly wound was healed**: and

all the world wondered after the beast. (4) And they worshipped the dragon which gave power unto the beast: and they worshipped the beast, saying, Who *is* like unto the beast? who is able to make war with him? (5) And there was given unto him a mouth speaking great things and blasphemies; and **power was given unto him to continue forty and two months.** (((3 ½ yrs))) (6) And he opened his mouth in blasphemy against God, to blaspheme his name, and his tabernacle, and them that dwell in heaven. (7) And it was given unto him to make war with the saints, and to overcome them: and power was given him over all kindreds, and tongues, and nations. (8) And all that dwell upon the earth shall worship him, whose names are not written in the book of life of the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world. (9) If any man have an ear, let him hear. (11) He that leadeth into captivity shall go into captivity: he that killeth with the sword must be killed with the sword. Here is the patience and the faith of the saints. (11) And I beheld another beast ((FALSE PROPHET)) coming up out of the earth; and he had two horns like a lamb, and he spake as a dragon. (12) And he exerciseth all the power of the first beast before him, and causeth the earth and them which dwell therein to worship the first beast, whose deadly wound was healed. (13) And he doeth great wonders, so that he maketh fire come down from heaven on the earth in the sight of men, (14) And deceiveth them that dwell on the earth by *the means of* those miracles which he had power to do in the sight of the beast; saying to them that dwell on the earth, that they should make an image to the beast, which had the wound by a sword, and did live. (((this guy will make the two witnesses look like jerks, to most of the world))) (15) And he had power to give life unto the image of the beast, that the image of the beast should both speak, and cause that as many as would not worship the image of the beast should be killed. ((LETS KILL THE UNBELIEVERS, the BEAST is GOD!!! He is the good guy!!)) (16) And he causeth all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, to receive a mark in their right hand, or in their foreheads: (17) And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name. (18) Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number of the beast: for it is the number of a man; and his number *is* Six hundred threescore *and* six. (((NO MARK UNTIL MID-TRIB)))

Matthew 24:11 And many false prophets shall rise, and shall deceive many. (12) And because iniquity shall abound, the love of many shall wax cold. (13) But he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved. (14) And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come. (15) **When ye therefore shall see the abomination of desolation, spoken of by Daniel the prophet, stand in the holy place,** (whoso readeth, let him understand:) (16) Then let them which be in Judaea flee into the mountains: (17) Let him which is on the housetop not come down to take any thing out of his house: (18) Neither let him which is in the field return back to take his clothes. (19) And woe unto them that are with child, and to them that give suck in those days! (20) But pray ye that your flight be not in the winter, neither on the sabbath day: (21) For then shall be great tribulation, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time, no, nor ever shall be. (22) And except those days should be shortened, there should no flesh be saved: but for the elect's sake those days shall be shortened.....(27) For as the lightning cometh out of the east, and shineth even unto the west; so shall also the coming of the Son of man be. (28) For wheresoever the carcase is, there will the eagles be gathered together. (29) **Immediately after the tribulation of those days shall the sun be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light, and the stars shall fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens shall be shaken: (30) And then shall appear the sign of the Son of man in heaven: and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.**

2 Thessalonians 2:1 Now we beseech you, brethren, by the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, and *by* our gathering together unto him, (2) That ye be not soon shaken in mind, or be troubled, neither by spirit, nor by word, nor by letter as from us, as that the day of Christ is at hand. (3) Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first, **and that man of sin be revealed**, the son of perdition; (4) Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God. (5) Remember ye not, that, when I was yet with you, I told you these things? (6) And now ye know what withholdeth that he might be revealed in his time. (7) For the mystery of iniquity doth already work: only he who now letteth *will let*, until he be taken out of the way. (8) And then shall that Wicked be revealed, **whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of his mouth, and shall destroy with the brightness of his coming:**