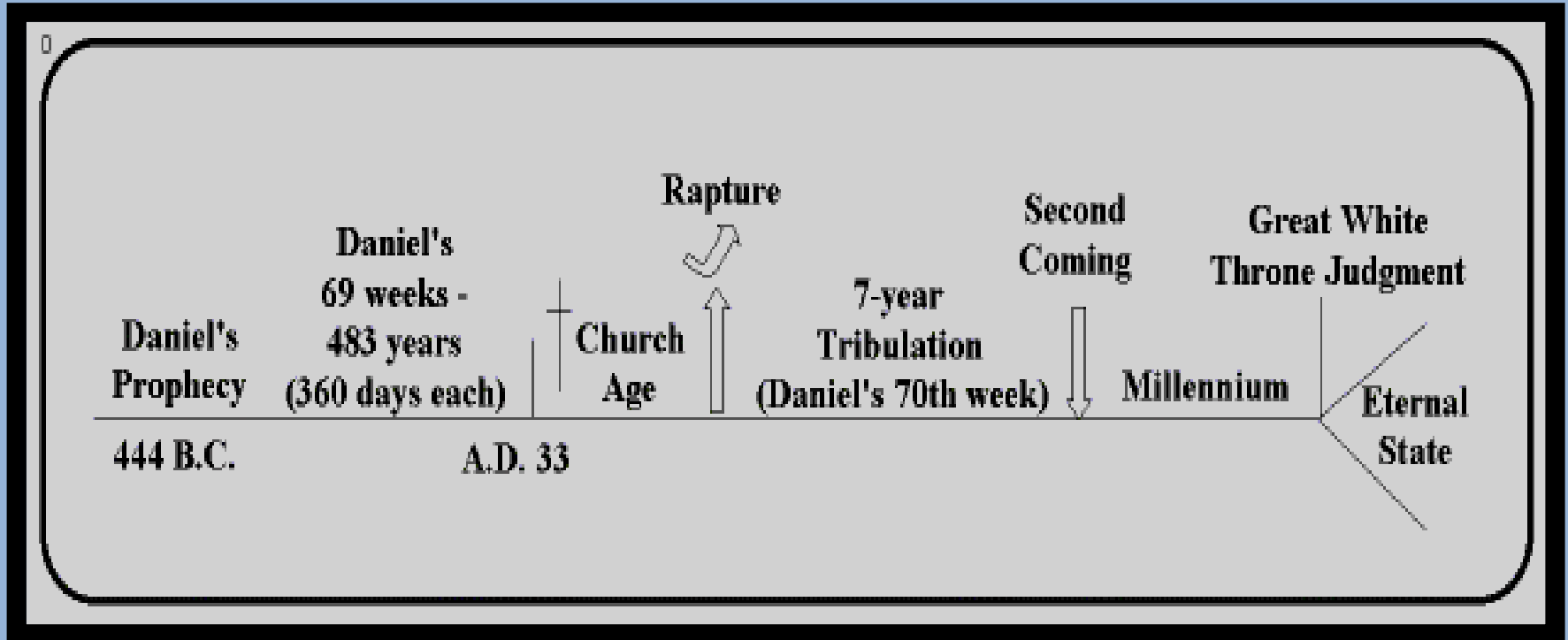


Second Peter Lesson #11

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The Clock



DANIEL 9:24-27

70 WEEKS OF YEARS (70 X 7 = 490 YEARS)


AFTER 69 WEEKS MESSIAH IS CUT-OFF (CROSS)

THEY DIDN'T FORESEE THE BREAK BETWEEN 69 AND 70



II Peter 3:11-18

Since everything will be destroyed in this way, what kind of people ought you to be? You ought to live holy and godly lives 12 as you look forward to the day of God and speed its coming. That day will bring about the destruction of the heavens by fire, and the elements will melt in the heat. 13 But in keeping with his promise we are looking forward to a new heaven and a new earth, the home of righteousness. 14 So then, dear friends, since you are looking forward to this, make every effort to be found spotless, blameless and at peace with him. 15 Bear in mind that our Lord's patience means salvation, just as our dear brother Paul also wrote you with the wisdom that God gave him. 16 He writes the same way in all his letters, speaking in them of these matters. His letters contain some things that are hard to understand, which ignorant and unstable people distort, as they do the other Scriptures, to their own destruction. 17 Therefore, dear friends, since you already know this, be on your guard so that you may not be carried away by the error of lawless men and fall from your secure position. 18 But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To him be glory both now and forever! Amen. NIV



The Return of Jesus

- **O.T. Perspective of messiah's coming -**

- **Sometimes a king**



- **Sometimes a suffering servant**

- **They never considered 2 comings**

The Return of Jesus

- **The ‘Second Coming’ is in two phases.**

- **The Rapture**




- **The Glorious Appearance**

The Rapture of the Church






The Rapture of the Church

- **1 Thess 4:13** But I do not want you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning those who have fallen asleep, lest you sorrow as others who have no hope. **14** For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so God will bring with Him those who sleep in Jesus. **15** For this we say to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive and remain until the coming of the Lord will by no means precede those who are asleep. **16** For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first. **17** Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And thus we shall always be with the Lord. **18** Therefore comfort one another with these words. NKJV
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The arguments for 'Pre-trib'.

- **It can't be imminent if the tribulation has to happen first.**
 - **Rev 4:1 – a door is opened, a shout goes out, and the church is not seen on earth afterward.**
 - **Noah and Lot examples.**
 - **2 Thes 2 – the restrainer is taken away in order to reveal the ant-christ.**
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After the Rapture

- **There are no scriptures that describe the aftermath of the rapture, but we can imagine what will happen.**
 - **Since it is sudden and secret there will be no preparation – whatever believers are doing at the time will be interrupted.**
 - **Chaos will reign for weeks or months.**
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After the Rapture

- **What do you see happening in the chaotic aftermath of the rapture?**
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The Great Tribulation Chronology

- **FORMATION OF THE WORLD CHURCH - REV 17**
- **THE APPEARANCE OF ANTI-CHRIST - REV 13**
- **THE REVIVAL OF THE ROMAN EMPIRE - REV 13**
- **ANTI-CHRIST'S COVENANT WITH ISRAEL - DAN 9**
- **THE 'SEAL' JUDGMENTS - REV 6**
- **MASS RETURN OF JEWS TO PALESTINE - EZEK 37**
- **CONVERSION AND CALL OF THE 144,000 JEWS - REV 6**
- **REBUILDING OF THE JEWISH TEMPLE - DAN 9**
- **THE MINISTRY OF THE TWO WITNESSES - REV 11**
- **RUSSIA INVADES PALESTINE - EZEK 38-39**
- **THE SLAYING OF THE TWO WITNESSES - REV 11**
- **THE SLAYING OF THE 144,000 - REV 14**
- **SATAN CAST OUT OF HEAVEN - REV 12**
- **ANTICHRIST DESTROYS THE WORLD CHURCH - REV 17**
- **ANTICHRIST DEMANDS WORSHIP - MATH 24**
- **WORLDWIDE PERSECUTION OF ISRAEL BY ANTICHRIST - MATH 24**
- **THE TRUMPET JUDGEMENTS - REV 8 - 11**
- **THREE SPECIAL ANGELIC MESSAGES - REV 14**
- **THE BOWL JUDGEMENTS - REV 16**
- **THE DESTRUCTION OF BABYLON - REV 18**
- **ARMAGEDDON - REV 16**

The End Times Chronology

- **THE RAPTURE OF THE CHURCH (1 THES 4:13-18) (1 COR 15:51-53)**
- **THE JUDGEMENT SEAT OF CHRIST (ONLY BELIEVERS, 1 COR 3:11-15)**
- **THE TRIBULATION PERIOD OF 7 YEARS (DAN 9, MATH24)**
- **THE GLORIOUS APPEARANCE OF CHRIST (TITUS 2:13)**
- **SATAN BOUND FOR 1,000 YEARS (REV 20:1-2)**

The End Times Chronology

- **THE MILLENIAL (1,000 YEARS) KINGDOM. (REV 20:2-7)**
- **SATAN'S FINAL UPRISING (REV 20:7-10)**
- **GREAT WHITE THRONE JUDGEMENT (ONLY UNBELIEVERS, REV 20)**
- **EARTH DESTROYED (2 PET 3:10)**
- **THE NEW HEAVEN AND NEW EARTH (REV 21:1)**



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