

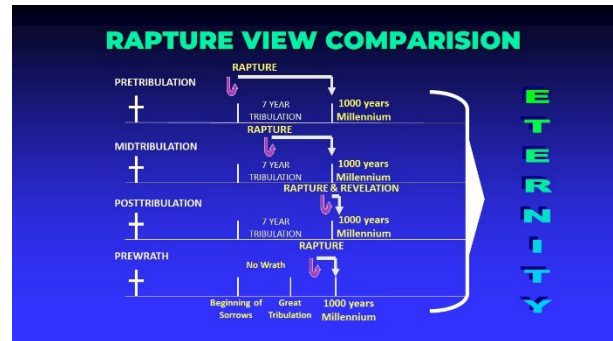
Rapture: The Blessed Hope of Believers

Bible Study #4 – May 27, 2021

“...For I am God, and there is no other; I am God, and there is none like me, declaring the end from the beginning and from ancient times things not yet done, saying, ‘My counsel shall stand, and I will accomplish all my purpose,’” (Isaiah 46:9b-10)

Review

1. What is the Rapture?



Reasons to trust in the Pre-Tribulation Rapture of the church

1. The tribulation's _____ concerns Israel
2. It best explains the _____ between the Rapture and the Second Coming
3. There is no biblical reference to the church on earth during the Tribulation
4. The church is _____ from God's wrath
5. The Rapture is imminent
6. The Rapture is a comfort
7. The Antichrist cannot come to power until the restrainer is removed
8. The symbolic parallels
 - ➔ All of these taken together provide a very convincing case!

Bible Prophecy Update

1. The push for _____
 - What is it? (Rev. 13; Gen. 10)

beholdisrael.org/the-illuminati-and-the-one-world-government-4/
au.thegospelcoalition.org/article/five-questions-christians-should-ask-about-the-great-reset/

- _____ agenda & Paris Climate Agreement

Creation Ministries Int., "Anthropogenic Global Warming," www.creation.com/climate-change
www.weforum.org/agenda/2019/01/globalization-4-0-will-help-us-tackle-climate-change-here-s-how/
The John Haller Prophecy Update, April 4, 2021

- Covid _____ and passports
The Eric Metaxas Show, April 5, 2021

- Unrestrained _____

2. The _____ toward the Battle of Gog and Magog

- What is it? (Ezekiel 38-39)

The End, Mark Hitchcock, chapter 24, "The Battle of Gog and Magog"

- Increasing tension between Israel and Iran
- Russia moves long range bombers to Syria for 1st time
"Russia Deploys Nuclear-Capable Bombers to Syria for Training" (US News & World Report)
- Biden's push to renew the Iran Nuclear Deal (JCPOA)
- Israel/Gaza war
beholdisrael.org/special-middle-east-update-war-in-the-middle-east/
- Growing anti-Semitism
Behold Israel Prophecy Roundtable, May 1, 2021

3. Conclusion

- 2 Timothy 3:1
- 2 Peter 3:9

Discussion questions

1. What are your personal thoughts about the growing push toward globalism?
2. What does the ramp up toward the Ezek. 38 war tell us about the nearness of the Rapture?
3. How do you think the Lord wants you to live as we approach the Rapture of the Church?