

SCRIPTURE REFERENCE NOTES

Fellowship Bible Church

WOMEN IN THE WORD

DANIEL: a man who knew God

April 26, 2016

Daniel 12 "Looking to the End"

INTRO

Matt 24:3-8 (NKJV) Him privately, saying, "Tell us, when will these things be? And what *will* be the sign of Your coming, and of the end of the age?"⁴ And Jesus answered and said to them: "Take heed that no one deceives you.⁵ For many will come in My name, saying, 'I am the Christ,' and will deceive many.⁶ And you will hear of wars and rumors of wars. See that you are not troubled; for all *these things* must come to pass, but the end is not yet.⁷ For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. And there will be famines, pestilences, and earthquakes in various places.⁸ All these are the beginning of sorrows.

2 Tim 3:1-5 (NLT)¹ You should know this, Timothy, that in the last days there will be very difficult times.² For people will love only themselves and their money. They will be boastful and proud, scoffing at God, disobedient to their parents, and ungrateful. They will consider nothing sacred.³ They will be unloving and unforgiving; they will slander others and have no self-control. They will be cruel and hate what is good.⁴ They will betray their friends, be reckless, be puffed up with pride, and love pleasure rather than God.⁵ They will act religious, but they will reject the power that could make them godly. Stay away from people like that!

THE TRIBULATION or the last 7 years of the 70 7's.

Dan 12:1-13 (NKJV) ¹ "At that time Michael shall stand up, The great prince who stands *watch* over the sons of your people; And there shall be a time of trouble, Such as never was since there was a nation, *Even* to that time. And at that time your people shall be delivered, Every one who is found written in the book.

- ***"a time of trouble, Such as never was..."***

Jer 30:7 (NKJV) ⁷ Alas! For that day *is* great, So that none *is* like it; And it *is* the time of Jacob's trouble, But he shall be saved out of it.

Matt 24:15-22 (NKJV)¹⁵ "Therefore when you see the '*abomination of desolation*,' spoken of by Daniel the prophet, standing in the holy place" (whoever reads, let him understand),¹⁶ then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains.¹⁷ Let him who is on the housetop not go down to take anything out of his house.¹⁸ And let him who is in the field not go back to get his clothes.¹⁹ But woe to those who are pregnant and to those who are nursing babies in those days!²⁰ And pray that your flight may not be in winter or on the Sabbath.²¹ For then there will be great tribulation, such as has not been since the beginning of the world until this time, no, nor ever shall be.²² And unless those days were shortened, no flesh would be saved; but for the elect's sake those days will be shortened.

THE TWO RESURRECTIONS

² And many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, Some to everlasting life, Some to shame and everlasting contempt.

- **Resurrections**

Matt 27:52-53 (NKJV) and the graves were opened; and many bodies of the saints who had fallen asleep were raised; ⁵³ and coming out of the graves after His resurrection, they went into the holy city and appeared to many.

Rev 20:4-6 (NKJV)⁴ And I saw thrones, and they sat on them, and judgment was committed to them. Then I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded for their witness to Jesus and for the word of God, who had not worshiped the beast or his image, and had not received *his* mark on their foreheads or on their hands. And they lived and reigned with Christ for a thousand years. ⁵ But the rest of the dead did not live again until the thousand years were finished. This is the first resurrection. ⁶ Blessed and holy is he who has part in the first resurrection. Over such the second death has no power, but they shall be priests of God and of Christ, and shall reign with Him a thousand years.

Rev 20:11-15 (NKJV) ¹¹ Then I saw a great white throne and Him who sat on it, from whose face the earth and the heaven fled away. And there was found no place for them. ¹² And I saw the dead, small and great, standing before God, and books were opened. And another book was opened, which is *the Book of Life*. And the dead were judged according to their works, by the things which were written in the books. ¹³ The sea gave up the dead who were in it, and Death and Hades delivered up the dead who were in them. And they were judged, each one according to his works. ¹⁴ Then Death and Hades were cast into the lake of fire. This is the second death. ¹⁵ And anyone not found written in the Book of Life was cast into the lake of fire.

Quote from Warren Weirsbe: "Resurrection is not "reconstruction"; the Lord doesn't put back together the body that has turned to dust (**Gen. 3:19**), for that dust has become a part of other bodies as people eat food grown in the soil. The resurrection body is a new and glorious body. The relationship between the body that's buried and the body that's raised is like that of a seed to the mature plant (**1 Cor. 15:35-53**). There is continuity (the plant comes from the seed) but not identity (the plant is not identical to the seed). The burial of a body is like the planting of a seed, and the resurrection is the harvest."

THE REWARD of the WISE

³ Those who are wise shall shine Like the brightness of the firmament, And those who turn many to righteousness Like the stars forever and ever.

- ***The wise***
- ***Those who turn many to righteousness***
- ***The reward of the righteous***

Romans 14:9-12 (NKJV) For to this end Christ died and rose and lived again, that He might be Lord of both the dead and the living. ¹⁰ But why do you judge your brother? Or why do you show contempt for your brother? For we shall all stand before the judgment seat of Christ. ¹¹ For it is written: "As I live, says the Lord, Every knee shall bow to Me, And every tongue shall confess to God." ¹² So then each of us shall give account of himself to God.

2 Cor 5:9-10 (NLT)⁹ So whether we are here in this body or away from this body, our goal is to please him.¹⁰ For we must all stand before Christ to be judged. We will each receive whatever we deserve for the good or evil we have done in this earthly body.

1 Cor 3:10-15 (NKJV) According to the grace of God which was given to me, as a wise master builder I have laid the foundation, and another builds on it. But let each one take heed how he builds on it. ¹¹ For no other foundation can anyone lay than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. ¹² Now if anyone builds on this foundation *with* gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw, ¹³ each one's work will become clear; for the Day will declare it, because it will be revealed by fire; and the fire will test each one's work, of what sort it is. ¹⁴ If anyone's work which he has built on *it* endures, he will receive a reward. ¹⁵ If anyone's work is burned, he will suffer loss; but he himself will be saved, yet so as through fire.

Matt 5:11-12 (NKJV) ¹¹ "Blessed are you when they revile and persecute you, and say all kinds of evil against you falsely for My sake. ¹² Rejoice and be exceedingly glad, for great *is* your reward in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

THE PROPHECY is CONFIRMED UNCHANGEABLE

⁴ "But you, Daniel, shut up the words, and seal the book until the time of the end; many shall run to and fro, and knowledge shall increase."

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- ***"...many shall run to and fro, and knowledge shall increase."***

Dan. 12: 4 (AMP) But you, O Daniel, shut up the words and seal the Book until the time of the end. [Then] many shall run to and fro and search anxiously [through the Book], and knowledge [of God's purposes as revealed by His prophets] shall be increased and become great.

THE SOLEMN OATH

⁵ Then I, Daniel, looked; and there stood two others, one on this riverbank and the other on that riverbank. ⁶ And one said to the man clothed in linen, who was above the waters of the river, "How long shall the fulfillment of these wonders be?"

⁷ Then I heard the man clothed in linen, who was above the waters of the river, when he held up his right hand and his left hand to heaven, and swore by Him who lives forever, that *it shall be* for a time, times, and half a time; and when the power of the holy people has been completely shattered, all these *things* shall be finished.

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- ***...and when the power of the holy people has been completely shattered, all these things shall be finished.***

⁸ Although I heard, I did not understand. Then I said, "My lord, what *shall* be the end of these *things*?"⁹ And he said, "Go your way, Daniel, for the words are closed up and sealed till the time of the end.¹⁰ Many shall be purified, made white, and refined, but the wicked shall do wickedly; and none of the wicked shall understand, but the wise shall understand.

- *"I did not understand."*
- *"Go your way, Daniel, for the words are closed up and sealed till the time of the end."*
- ¹⁰ Many shall be purified, made white, and refined,.... , but the wise shall understand.

Rev 7:2-4,8-10,13-14 (NKJV) Then I saw another angel ascending from the east, having the seal of the living God. And he cried with a loud voice to the four angels to whom it was granted to harm the earth and the sea,³ saying, "Do not harm the earth, the sea, or the trees till we have sealed the servants of our God on their foreheads."⁴ And I heard the number of those who were sealed. One hundred *and* forty-four thousand of all the tribes of the children of Israel were sealed:...⁹ After these things I looked, and behold, a great multitude which no one could number, of all nations, tribes, peoples, and tongues, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed with white robes, with palm branches in their hands,¹⁰ and crying out with a loud voice, saying, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" ...¹³ Then one of the elders answered, saying to me, "Who are these arrayed in white robes, and where did they come from?"¹⁴ And I said to him, "Sir, you know." So he said to me, "These are the ones who come out of the great tribulation, and washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

- *"...but the wicked shall do wickedly; and none of the wicked shall understand"*

2 Thess 2:1-4, 9-12 (NKJV) Now, brethren, concerning the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our gathering together to Him, we ask you,² not to be soon shaken in mind or troubled, either by spirit or by word or by letter, as if from us, as though the day of Christ had come.³ Let no one deceive you by any means; for *that Day will not come* unless the falling away comes first, and the man of sin is revealed, the son of perdition,⁴ who opposes and exalts himself above all that is called God or that is worshiped, so that he sits as God in the temple of God, showing himself that he is God...⁹ The coming of the *lawless one* is according to the working of Satan, with all power, signs, and lying wonders,¹⁰ and with all unrighteous deception among those who perish, because they did not receive the love of the truth, that they might be saved.¹¹ And for this reason God will send them strong delusion, that they should believe the lie,¹² that they **all** may be condemned who did not believe the truth but had pleasure in unrighteousness.

Rev 22:10-11 (NKJV)¹⁰ And he said to me, "Do not seal the words of the prophecy of this book, for the time is at hand.¹¹ He who is unjust, let him be unjust still; he who is filthy, let him be filthy still; he who is righteous, let him be righteous still; he who is holy, let him be holy still."

MORE SPECIFICS ABOUT the LENGTH of the GREAT TRIBULATION

¹¹ And from the time *that the daily sacrifice is taken away, and the abomination of desolation is set up, there shall be* one thousand two hundred and ninety days.

- 1290 days! WHAT?

¹² *Blessed is he who waits, and comes to the one thousand three hundred and thirty-five days.*

- 1335 days! WHAT?

Matt 25:31-36 (NKJV)³¹ "When the Son of Man comes in His glory, and all the holy angels with Him, then He will sit on the throne of His glory. ³² All the nations will be gathered before Him, and He will separate them one from another, as a shepherd divides *his* sheep from the goats. ³³ And He will set the sheep on His right hand, but the goats on the left.

³⁴ Then the King will say to those on His right hand, 'Come, you blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world: ³⁵ for I was hungry and you gave Me food; I was thirsty and you gave Me drink; I was a stranger and you took Me in; ³⁶ I was naked and you clothed Me; I was sick and you visited Me; I was in prison and you came to Me.'

Matt 24:30-31 (NLT) ³⁰ And then at last, the sign that the Son of Man is coming will appear in the heavens, and there will be deep mourning among all the peoples of the earth. And they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. ³¹ And he will send out his angels with the mighty blast of a trumpet, and they will gather his chosen ones from all over the world —from the farthest ends of the earth and heaven.

Ezek 20:34-38 (NKJV)³⁴ I will bring you out from the peoples and gather you out of the countries where you are scattered, with a mighty hand, with an outstretched arm, and with fury poured out. ³⁵ And I will bring you into the wilderness of the peoples, and there I will plead My case with you face to face. ³⁶ Just as I pleaded My case with your fathers in the wilderness of the land of Egypt, so I will plead My case with you," says the Lord God. ³⁷ "I will make you pass under the rod, and I will bring you into the bond of the covenant; ³⁸ I will purge the rebels from among you, and those who transgress against Me; I will bring them out of the country where they dwell, but they shall not enter the land of Israel. Then you will know that I *am* the Lord.

¹³ But you, go your way till the end; for you shall rest, and will arise to your inheritance at the end of the days."

- "your inheritance" or allotted portion...

Num 26:52-56 (NLT)⁵² Then the Lord said to Moses,⁵³ "Divide the land among the tribes, and distribute the grants of land in proportion to the tribes' populations, as indicated by the number of names on the list.⁵⁴ Give the larger tribes more land and the smaller tribes less land, each group receiving a grant in proportion to the size of its population.⁵⁵ But you must assign the land by lot, and give land to each ancestral tribe according to the number of names on the list.⁵⁶ Each grant of land must be assigned by lot among the larger and smaller tribal groups."

Josh 11:23 (NLT)²³ So Joshua took control of the entire land, just as the Lord had instructed Moses. He gave it to the people of Israel as their special possession, dividing the land among the tribes. So the land finally had rest from war.

IN CLOSING

"...the Most High rules in the kingdom of men, and gives it to whomever He chooses" Dan 4:25b (NKJV).

2 Cor 4:16-18 (NLT)¹⁶ That is why we never give up. Though our bodies are dying, our spirits are being renewed every day.¹⁷ For our present troubles are small and won't last very long. Yet they produce for us a glory that vastly outweighs them and will last forever!¹⁸ So we don't look at the troubles we can see now; rather, we fix our gaze on things that cannot be seen. For the things we see now will soon be gone, but the things we cannot see will last forever.

NEXT WEEK:

AM Study: Brunch! Bring a dish to share!

PM Study: Dinner! We will meet at 6:30 PM. Bring a dish to share!