

TURMOIL

A STATE OF GREAT DISTURBANCE, CONFUSION, OR UNCERTAINTY.

**What can you
trust during times
of turmoil?**

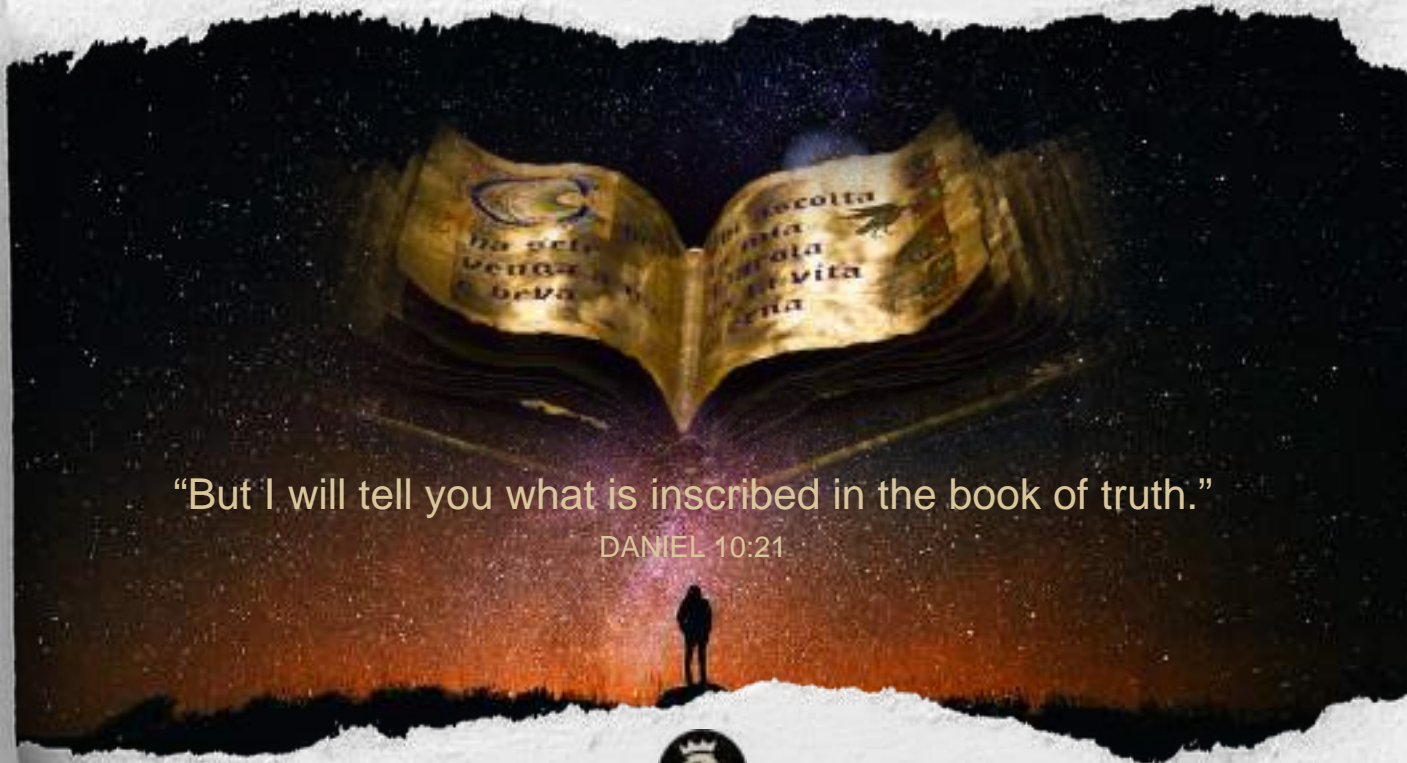






DANIEL 11

THE TRUSTWORTHY GOD



“But I will tell you what is inscribed in the book of truth.”

DANIEL 10:21



THE BOOK OF TRUTH

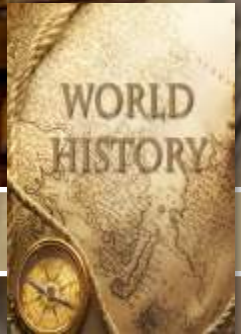


KING CYRUS

538 B C

1. King Cambyses (Cyrus' Son)
2. King Pseudo-Smerdis (Imposter)
3. King Darius
4. King Xerxes (Ahasuerus of Esther)

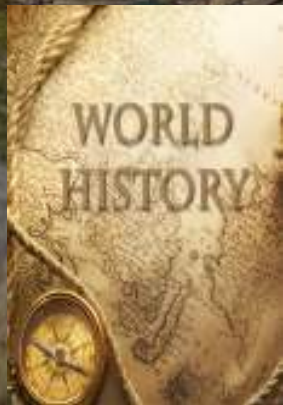
PERSIAN HISTORY



²“And now I will show you the truth. Behold, three more kings shall arise in Persia, and a fourth shall be far richer than all of them. And when he has become strong through his riches, he shall stir up all against the kingdom of Greece. ³Then a mighty king shall arise, who shall rule with great dominion and do as he wills.

DANIEL 11:2-3

“FOUR KINGS WILL COME”



Dominant (Europe and India by age 33)

No Posterity? (Illegitimate / Legitimate killed)

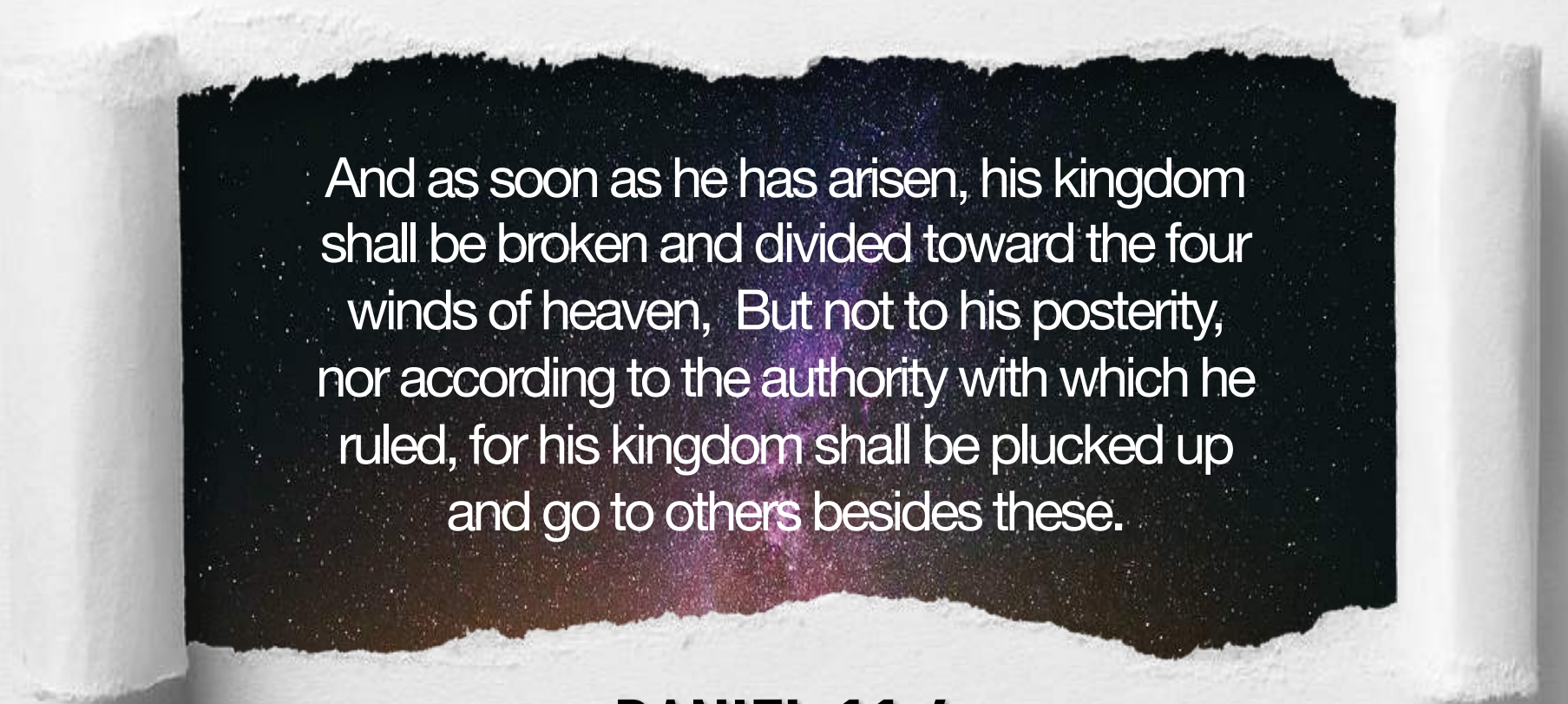
4 Generals (Inherited His Kingdom)

Divided Kingdom

(Macedonia, Asia Minor, Egypt, Syria)

ALEXANDER THE GREAT
GREEKIAN HISTORY {356BC-323BC}





And as soon as he has arisen, his kingdom
shall be broken and divided toward the four
winds of heaven, But not to his posterity,
nor according to the authority with which he
ruled, for his kingdom shall be plucked up
and go to others besides these.

DANIEL 11:4

“HIS KINGDOM SHALL BE DIVIDED”



[11.337] And when the **Book of Daniel** was showed him wherein Daniel declared that one of the Greeks should destroy the empire of the Persians, he supposed that himself was the person intended. Note And as he was then glad, he dismissed the multitude for the present.

JOSEPHUS FLAVIUS
JEWISH HISTORIAN {30AD-100AD}





THE DIVIDED KINGDOM

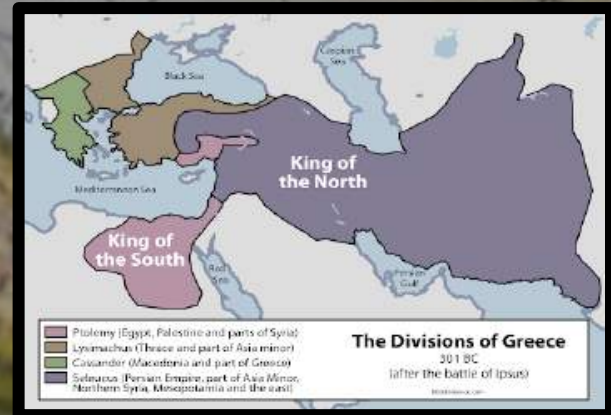
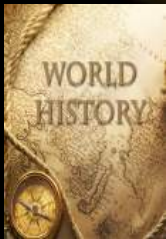
KING OF THE SOUTH

“King of Egypt” (Self-proclaimed 304BC)

Ptolemy Dynasty

PTOLEMY 1 {323BC-285BC}

GENERAL OF ALEXANDER THE GREAT



KING OF THE NORTH

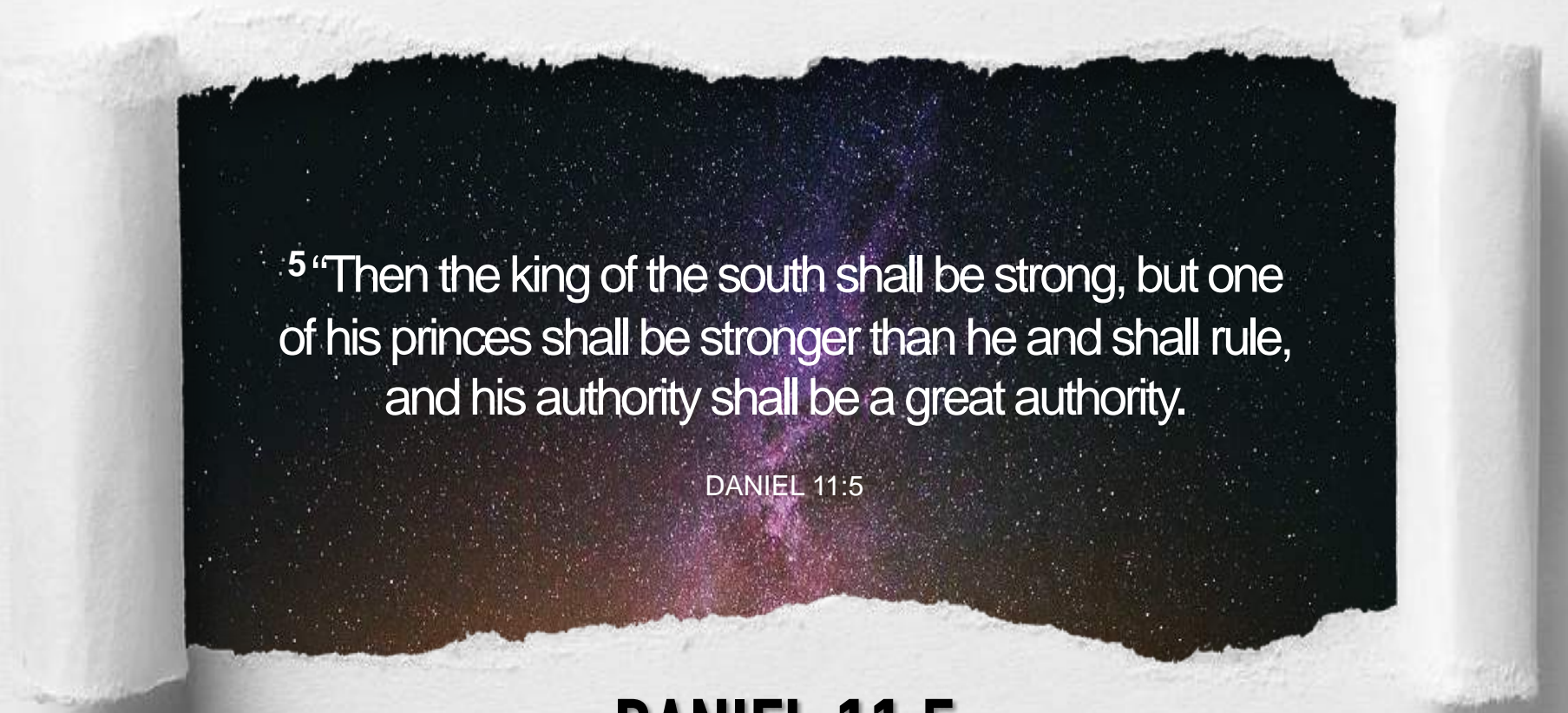
Ptolemy's 'Prince'

Seleucid Dynasty (Antiochus I & II)

SELEUCID 1 {312BC-281BC}

GENERAL OF ALEXANDER THE GREAT





⁵“Then the king of the south shall be strong, but one
of his princes shall be stronger than he and shall rule,
and his authority shall be a great authority.

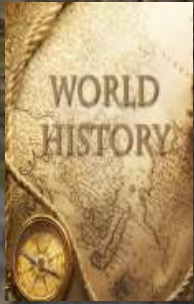
DANIEL 11:5

DANIEL 11:5
“KING OF THE SOUTH”



THE NEXT 200 YEARS

DANIEL 11:6-21



NORTH / SOUTH ALLIANCE

(Ptolemy II of Egypt and Antiochus II of Syria)

SEALED WITH PTOLEMY II's DAUGHTER

(Ptolemy II daughter Berenice to Antiochus II)

ANTIOCHUS DIVORCE OF LAODICE

(Antiochus divorced Laodice for Berenice)

REVENGE OF LAODICE

(Laodice burned Berenice and infant son Antiochus)

BERENICE EGYPTIAN HISTORY
WOMAN OF ALLIANCE {250BC}

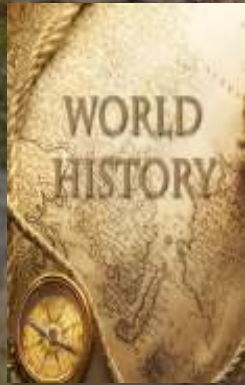


After some years they shall make an alliance, and the daughter of the king of the south shall come to the king of the north to make an agreement. But she shall not retain the strength of her arm, and he and his arm shall not endure, but she shall be given up, and her attendants, he who fathered her, and he who supported her in those times.



DANIEL PROPHECY

DANIEL 11:6



FOLLOWED SELEUCID III

(Became King of the North after Seleucids death – his brother)

BESEIGED FORTIFIED SIDON

(Earned “the great” through militant exploits at fortified Sidon)

AQUIRED THE HOLY LAND

(Gained control of “the glorious land” of Israel from the Ptolemy’s)

ANTIOCHUS THE GREAT III

KING OF THE NORTH {223BC-187BC}



The king of the north shall come and
throw up siegeworks and take a well-
fortified city. And the forces of the south
shall not stand, or even his best troops,
for there shall be no strength to stand.



DANIEL PROPHECY

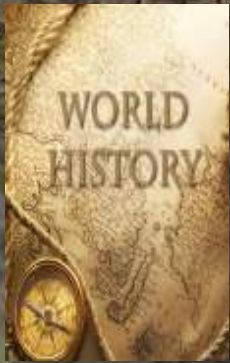
DANIEL 11:15

But he who comes against him shall do as he wills, and none shall stand before him. And he shall stand in the glorious land, with destruction in his hand. He shall set his face to come with the strength of his whole kingdom,



DANIEL PROPHECY

DANIEL 11:16



POWER PLOT WITH EGYPT

(Under threat of Rome – Offered his daughter to Ptolemy V to use the power of Egypt, but also to infiltrate Egypt)

LOYAL TO PTOLEMY V

(Cleopatra consistently sided with Ptolemy V)



CLEOPATRA

DAUGHTER OF WOMEN {223BC-187BC}



And he shall bring terms of an agreement and perform them. He shall give him the daughter of women to destroy the kingdom, but it shall not stand or be to his advantage.



DANIEL PROPHECY

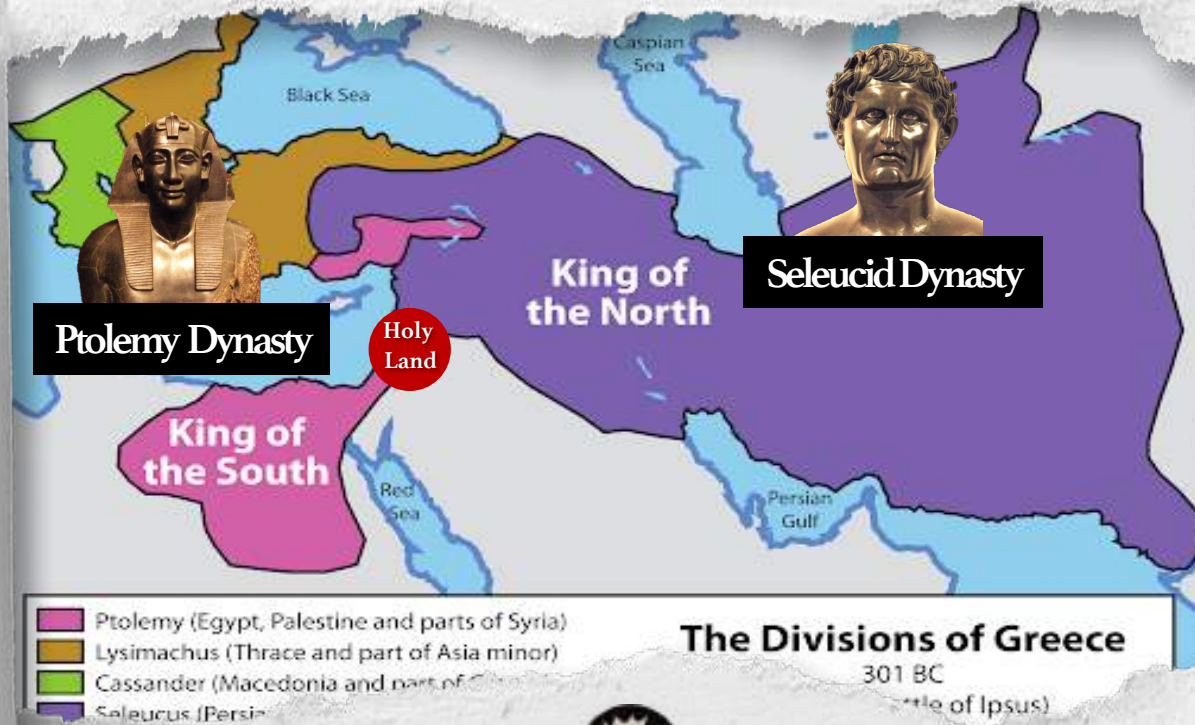
DANIEL 11:17

“Then shall arise in his place one who shall send an exactor of tribute for the glory of the kingdom. But within a few days he shall be broken, neither in anger nor in battle.



DANIEL PROPHECY

DANIEL 11:20



200 YEARS OF PROPHETIC DETAIL

DANIEL 11:6-21

**“God wanted His
people to know
that He knows
what will happen
before it happens.”**



Contemptible Throne

(Seized it unrightfully from Seleucus IV his brother.)

“Illustrious One”

(Epiphanes “Illustrious One” - Magnified himself as a deity)

Deceiver

(Persuaded Syrian leaders to allow him to rule since his brother was being held hostage in Rome.)



ANTIOCHUS EPIPHANES
THE ILLUSTRIOUS ONE {168BC}



“In his place shall arise a contemptible person to whom royal majesty has not been given. He shall come in without warning and obtain the kingdom by flatteries.



DANIEL PROPHECY

DANIEL 11:21

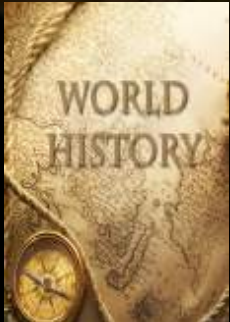


Defeat at Alexandria

(Turned back by the Romans outside Greece (Shittum))

Abomination of Desolation

(In anger he returned to Jerusalem and killed 80,000, Sold 40,000)
(On Sabboath – Stopped Sacrifices, Erected Zeus, and burned a pagan swine on the Holy Altar.)



ANTIOCHUS EPIPHANES
SELEUCID DYNASTY {168BC}



²⁹ “At the time appointed he shall return and come into the south, but it shall not be this time as it was before. ³⁰ For ships of Kittim shall come against him, and he shall be afraid and withdraw, and shall turn back and be enraged and take action against the holy covenant.



DANIEL PROPHECY

DANIEL 11:29-30

He shall turn back and pay attention to those who forsake the holy covenant. ³¹ Forces from him shall appear and profane the temple and fortress, and shall take away the regular burnt offering. And they shall set up the abomination that makes desolate.



DANIEL PROPHECY

DANIEL 11:30-31

He shall seduce with flattery those who violate
the covenant, but the people who know their
God shall stand firm and take action.

Be strong and carry out great exploits



STAND FIRM

DANIEL 11:32

And the wise among the people shall make
many understand, though for some days
they shall stumble by the sword and flame,
but captivity and plunder.



STAND FIRM

DANIEL 11:33

When they stumble, they shall receive a little help. And many shall join themselves to them with flattery, and some of the wise shall stumble, so that they may be refined, purified, and made white, until the time of the end, for it still awaits the appointed time.



STAND FIRM

DANIEL 11:34-35

**“God wanted His
people to have
divine perspective
amid turmoil.”**





“And the king shall do as he wills...”

DANIEL 11



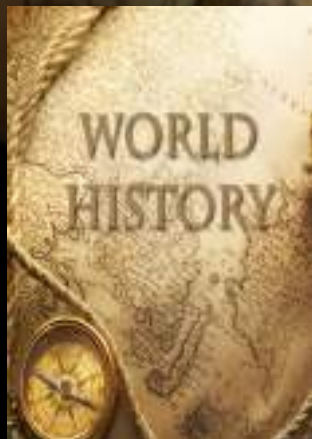
“UNTIL THE TIME OF THE END”

³⁶ “And the king shall do as he wills. He shall exalt himself and magnify himself above every god, and shall speak astonishing things against the God of gods. He shall prosper till the indignation is accomplished; for what is decreed shall be done.



ANTI-CHRIST

DANIEL 11:36



ANTI-CHRIST

FUTURE WORLD LEADER

“THE LITTLE HORN”

An Evil Government Leader Dan. 7:8

“KING OF INTRIGUE”

Insolent & Skilled Dan. 8:23

“PRINCE TO COME”

Global Dictator Dan. 9:26

“MAN OF LAWLESSNESS”

Liar & Cheat 2 Thess. 2:3

“THE FOOLISH SHEPHERD”

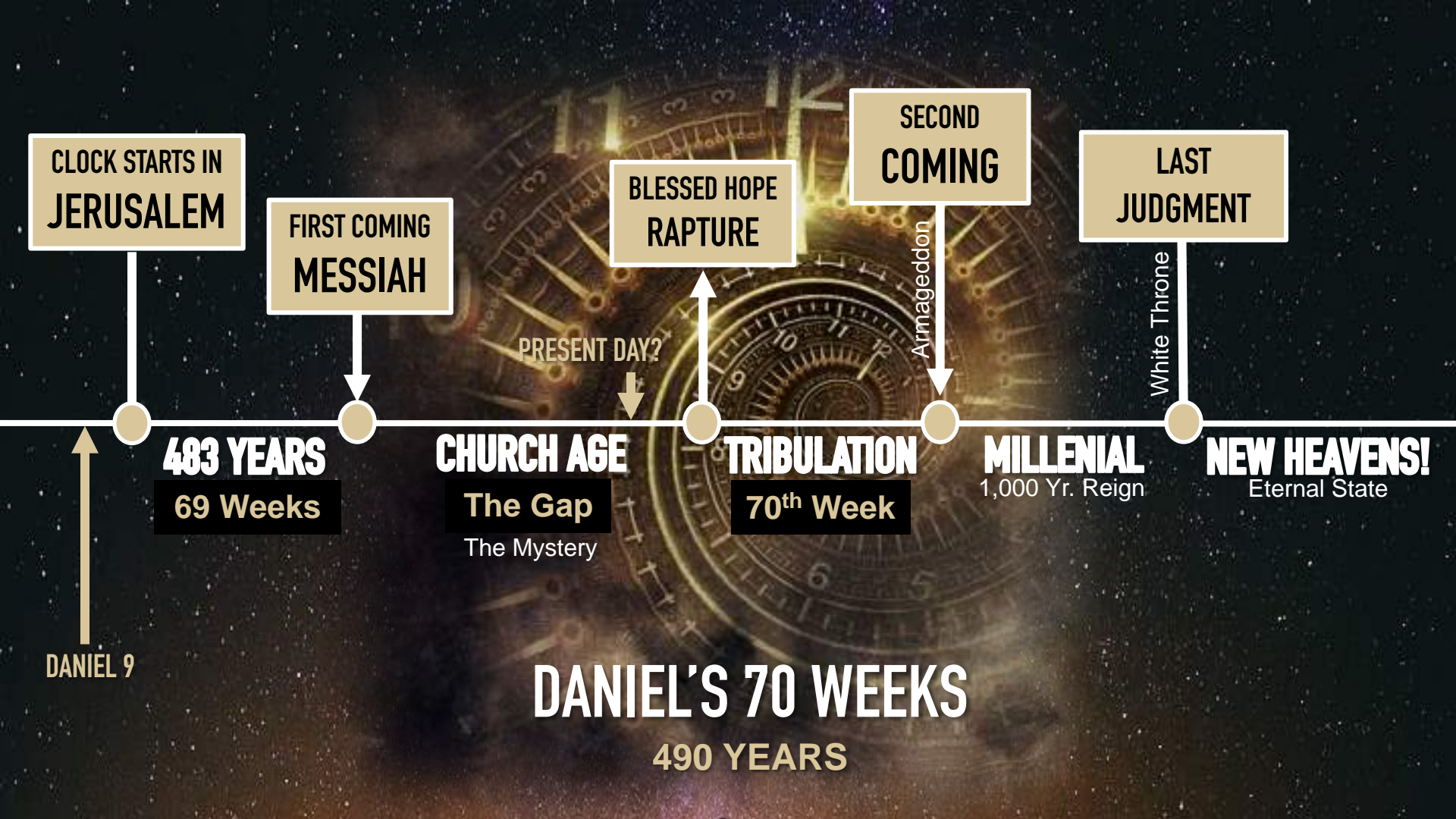
The Leader of Folly Zech. 11:15

“SON OF DESTRUCTION”

A Destroyer of Nations 2 Thess. 2:3

“THE BEAST OF THE SEA”

A monster from Hell Rev. 13:1



**Why does God give
us such detailed
prophecy?**



FOUR WAYS TRUST CAN BE DERAILED

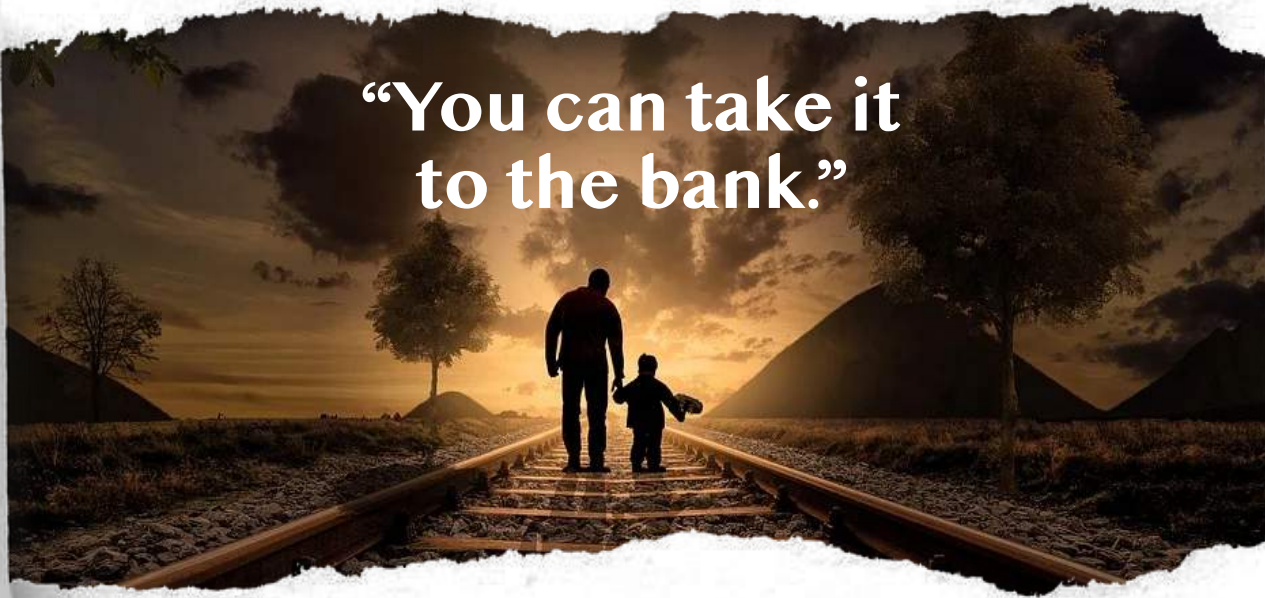
1. Lack of faith in God's goodness
2. Lack of patience in God's timing
3. Lack of submission to God's plan
4. Lack of confidence in God's word



**What can you
trust during times
of turmoil?**



**“You can take it
to the bank.”**




MY 5 FAVORITE PROMISES AMID TURMOIL



**I will always
be there for you**

**“Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed,
For I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help
you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.”**

Isaiah 41:10

A silhouette of a man and a child walking away on a path towards a sunset. The man is holding the child's hand. The path is flanked by trees and hills. The sky is filled with clouds, and the sun is low on the horizon, creating a warm, golden glow. The image is framed by a torn paper effect.

**I will be working
for your good**

“And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purposes.”

Romans 8:28

A photograph of a man and a young child walking away from the viewer on a set of railroad tracks. The tracks lead towards a bright sunset or sunrise, with the sun low on the horizon. The sky is filled with dark, dramatic clouds. There are trees on either side of the tracks, and the overall scene is silhouetted against the bright light of the sun. The image is presented as if it's a torn piece of paper with white edges.

**I will supply all
of your needs**

**“And my God will supply every need of yours
according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus.”**

Philippians 4:19



“For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, not any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.”

Romans 8:38-39



**I will always
be victorious.**

**“I have told you these things, so that in me you may
have peace. In this world you will have trouble,
but take heart! I have overcome the world.”**

John 16:33



MY 5 FAVORITE PROMISES OF GOD

- 1. I will always be there for you**
- 2. I will be working for your good**
- 3. I will supply all of your needs**
- 4. I will never leave you**
- 5. I will always be victorious**