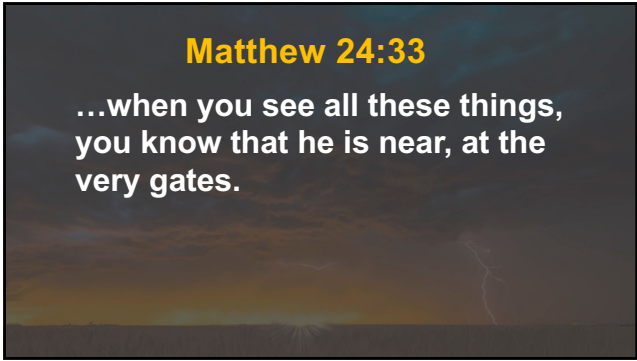




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2Th 2:3	Man of Lawlessness, Son of Destruction
2Th 2:4	Opposes or exalts himself against God and takes seat in the Temple declares himself to be God.
2Th 2:9-10	Activity of Satan with all power and false signs and wonders with wicked deception

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Why so much attention?

Why so much attention to the antichrist?

1. Many will be deceived
2. Many will be offended at God who seems to allow the antichrist to succeed

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Lawlessness vs Righteousness

Lawlessness of the rebellious at full strength will clash with righteousness of the saints at full strength.

Persistent refusal to accept the Messiah on God's terms combined with harassment of God people

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The Antichrist will have world-wide political, military and economic power

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Overview of Daniel 8

v1-14	Daniel's vision
v15-25	Gabriel explains the vision
v15-19	Vision pertains to the end times
v20-22	Gabriel explains symbols
V23-25	Antichrist personality and power
v 26-27	Importance of the vision

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Symbols in the Vision

Ram with 2 horns	Kingdoms of Media and Persia
Male Goat	Kingdom of Greece
Large Horn	Alexander the Great
Broken Horn	Alexander died in Babylon at the age of 32

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Symbols in the Vision

4 Horns	Four of Alexanders notable generals divided up his kingdom into four separate kingdoms
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Daniel 8

19 He said, "Behold, I will make known to you what shall be at the latter end of the indignation, for it refers to the appointed time of the end.

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Daniel 8

23 And at the latter end of their kingdom, when the transgressors have reached their limit, a king of bold face, one who understands riddles, shall arise.

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Dan 8:23	King who arises in a time of peak sin
Dan 8:23	"Bold Face" means resolute cruelty, no capacity for compassion or mercy
Dan 8:23	Who understands riddles "Sinister schemes NKJV" discern evil motives of men and solve complex problems by supernatural demonic insight

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Daniel 8

24 His power shall be great—but not by his own power; and he shall cause fearful destruction and shall succeed in what he does, and destroy mighty men and the people who are the saints.

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Dan 8:24 Great power is from Satan himself will cause antichrist to succeed with unique ways of destruction

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Revelation 13:2

And to it [the beast] the dragon gave his power and his throne and great authority.

2 Thessalonians 2:9

9 The coming of the lawless one is by the activity of Satan with all power and false signs and wonders,

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Dan 8:24	Great power is from Satan himself will cause antichrist to succeed with unique ways of destruction
Dan 8:24	He will destroy the rich and prominent social/political people
Dan 8:24	He will kill Jewish people as well members of the body of Christ.

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Daniel 8

25 By his cunning he shall make deceit prosper under his hand, and in his own mind he shall become great. Without warning he shall destroy many. And he shall even rise up against the Prince of princes, and he shall be broken—but by no human hand.

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Dan 8:25	Cunning = His propaganda in media, arts, music will make his message pervasive and convincing
Dan 8:25	He will cause deceit to prosper. Lies repeated endlessly to convince people
Dan 8:25	In his own mind become great – pride and narcissism

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Revelation 13:4

4 And they worshiped the dragon, for he had given his authority to the beast, and they worshiped the beast, saying, "Who is like the beast, and who can fight against it?"

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Daniel 11:36

36 "...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..."

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Dan 8:25	Rise up against the Prince of princes. Antichrist will exalt Himself as god over Jesus and God the Father
Dan 8:25	and he shall be broken—but by no human hand. The Antichrist will be destroyed

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2 Thessalonians 2:8

And then the lawless one will be revealed, whom the Lord Jesus will kill with the breath of his mouth and bring to nothing by the appearance of his coming.

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Revelation 12:11

11 And they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they loved not their lives even unto death.

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