



The REVELATION of JESUS CHRIST

ALPHA / OMEGA



# ***MID-EAST BEAST***

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**What is the ... ?**

**Beast with  
7 Heads / 10 Horns**

**Revelation 13**

## *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“And the dragon stood on the sand of the sea. And I saw a beast rising out of the sea, with ten horns and seven heads, with ten diadems on its horns and blasphemous names on its heads. **2**And the beast that I saw was **like a leopard; its feet were like a bear’s, and its mouth was like a lion’s mouth. And to it the dragon gave his power and his throne and great authority.**”*

***[Revelation 13:1-2]***

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“One of its heads seemed to have a mortal wound, but its mortal wound was healed, and the whole earth marveled as they followed the beast. **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?”*

**[Revelation 13:3-4]**

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“And the beast was given a mouth uttering haughty and blasphemous words, and it was allowed **to exercise authority for forty-two months.** **6**It opened its mouth to utter blasphemies against God, blaspheming his name and his dwelling, that is, those who dwell in heaven.”*

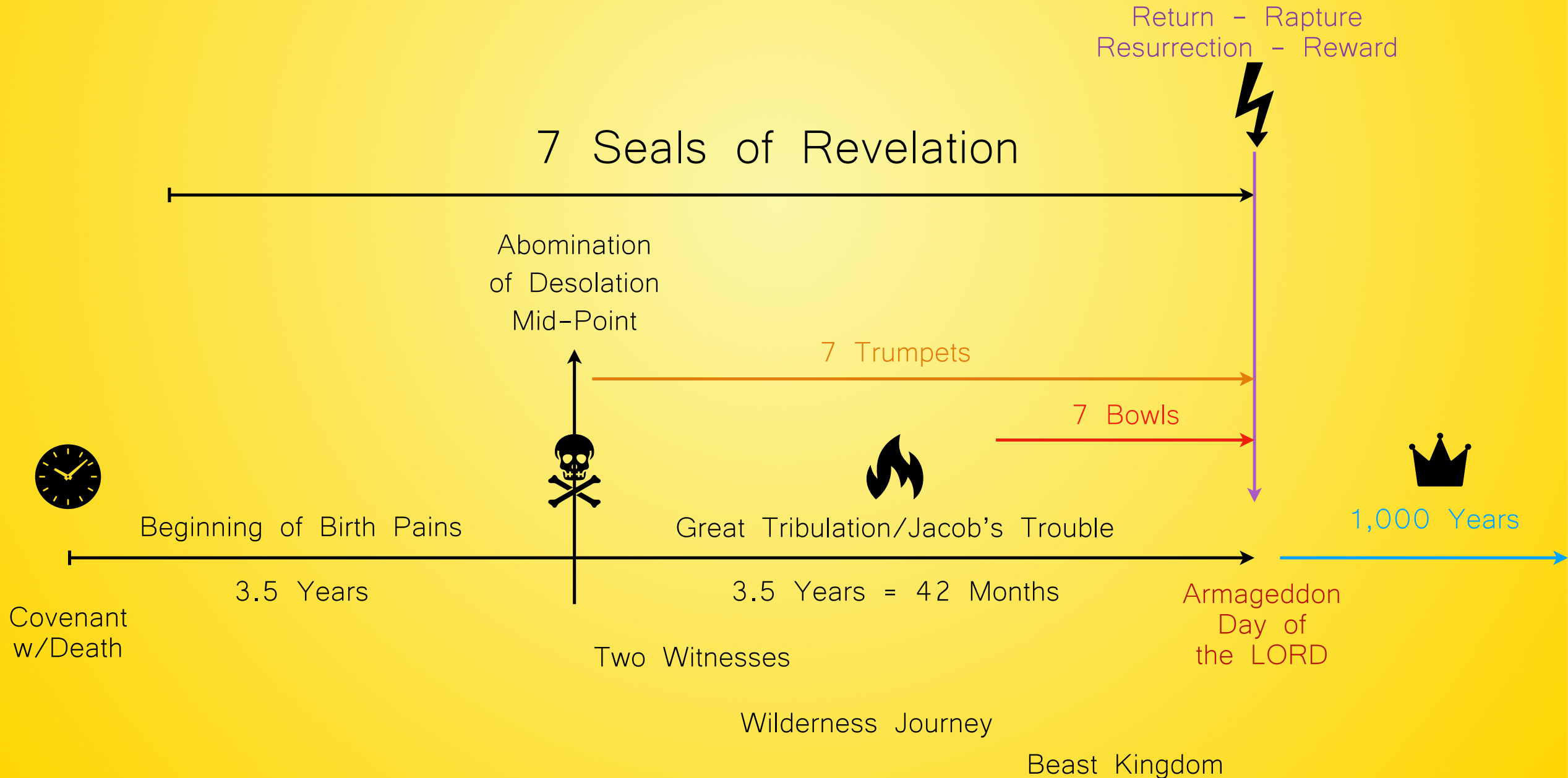
**[Revelation 13:5-6]**

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

**“Also it was allowed to make war on the saints and to conquer them. And authority was given it over every tribe and people and language and nation, 8and all who dwell on earth will worship it, **everyone whose name has not been written** from the foundation of the world in the **book of life** of the Lamb who was slain.”**

**[Revelation 13:7-8]**

# 70th Week of Daniel = Final 7 Years



*The  
Revelation  
of Jesus  
Christ*

*The Beast and his  
end-times empire will  
**emerge** from and be  
**concentrated** in the  
**Middle East** yet will  
have reach over the  
entire world.*

## *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*Daniel declared, “I saw in my vision by night, and behold, the four winds of heaven were stirring up **the great sea.** 3And four great beasts came up out of the sea, different from one another. 4The **first was like a lion** and had eagles’ wings. Then as I looked its wings were plucked off, and it was lifted up from the ground and made to stand on two feet like a man, and the mind of a man was given to it.”*

***[Daniel 7:2-4]***

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

And behold, **another beast, a second one, like a bear**. It was raised up on one side. It had three ribs in its mouth between its teeth; and it was told, 'Arise, devour much flesh.' **6**After this I looked, and behold, **another, like a leopard**, with four wings of a bird on its back. And the beast had four heads, and dominion was given to it."

**[Daniel 7:5-6]**

## *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“After this I saw in the night visions, and behold, **a fourth beast, terrifying and dreadful and exceedingly strong.** It had great iron teeth; it devoured and broke in pieces and stamped what was left with its feet. It was different from all the beasts that were before it, and it **had ten horns.** 8I considered the horns, and **behold, there came up among them another horn, a little one,** before which three of the first horns were plucked up by the roots. And behold, in this horn were eyes like the eyes of a man, and **a mouth speaking great things.**”*

**[Daniel 7:7-8]**

## *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*"I looked then because of the sound of **the great words that the horn was speaking. And as I looked, the beast was killed, and its body destroyed and given over to be burned with fire.** **12**As for the rest of the beasts, their dominion was taken away, but their lives were prolonged for a season and a time."*

***[Daniel 7:11-12]***

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“As I looked, **this horn made war with the saints and prevailed over them, 22**until the Ancient of Days came, and judgment was given for the saints of the Most High, and the time came when the saints possessed the kingdom.”*

***[Daniel 7:21-22]***

## *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“Thus he said: ‘As for the fourth beast,  
there shall be a fourth kingdom on earth,  
which **shall be different from all the kingdoms,**  
**and it shall devour the whole earth,**  
and trample it down, and break it to pieces.*

***24**As for **the ten horns,**  
**out of this kingdom ten kings shall arise,**  
**and another shall arise after them;**  
**he shall be different** from the former ones,  
and shall put down three kings.*

***[Daniel 7:23-24]***

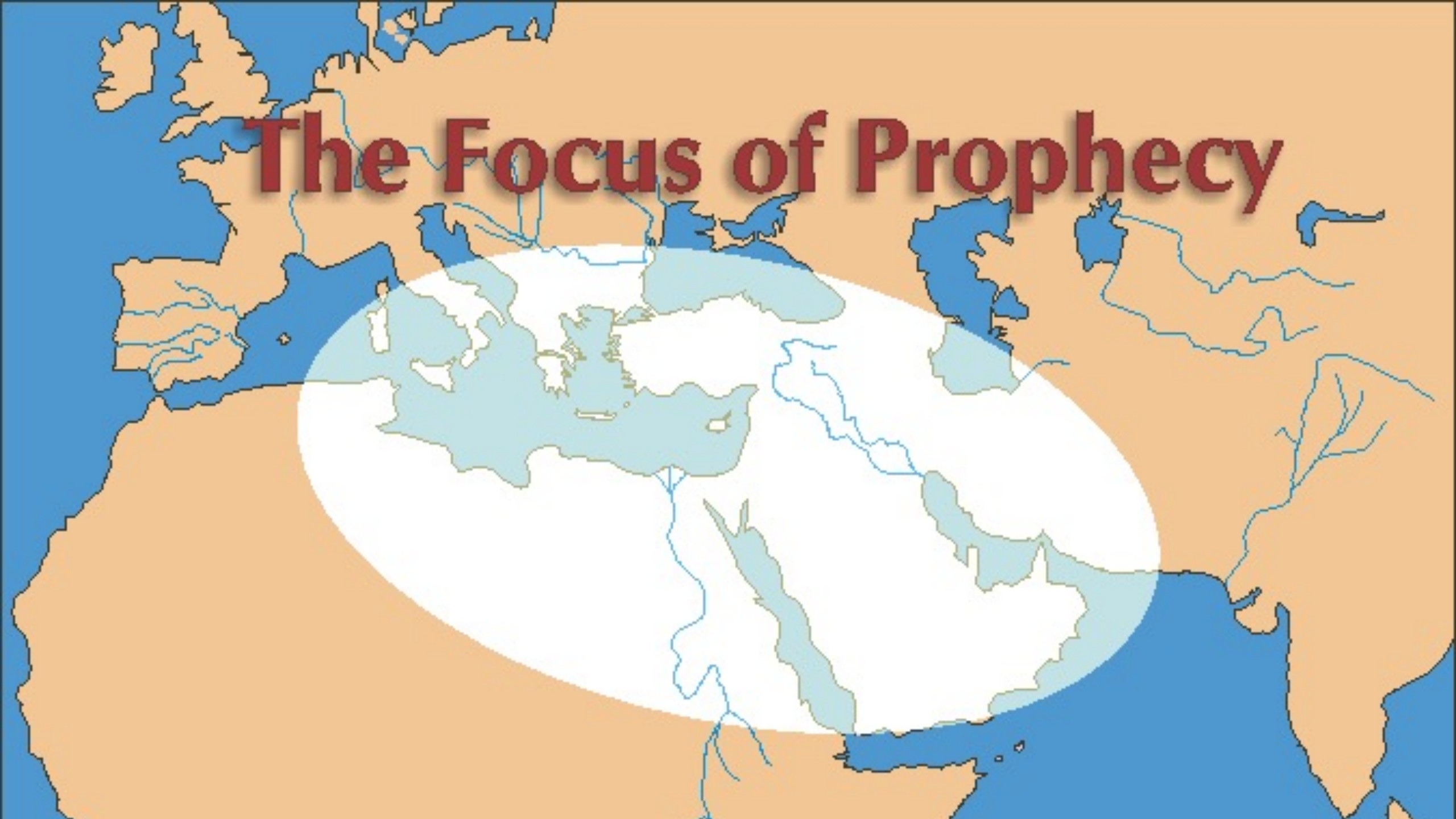
# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

**“He shall speak words against the Most High,  
and shall wear out the saints of the Most High,  
and shall think to change the times and the law;  
and **they shall be given into his hand  
for a time, times, and half a time.****

**26**But the court shall sit in judgment,  
and his dominion shall be taken away,  
to be consumed and destroyed to the end.”

**[Daniel 7:25-26]**

# The Focus of Prophecy



# The Promised Land



**EGYPT**

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**ASSYRIA**

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**BABYLON**

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**MEDO-PERSIA**

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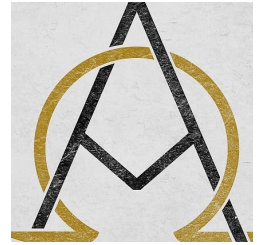
**GREECE**

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**ROME**

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**OTTOMAN EMPIRE**



# Egyptian Era

1480 BCE



# Assyrian Era

720 BCE

Nomadic Tribes



# Babylonian Era

568 BCE



# Medo-Persian Era

486 BCE



# Greek Era

323 BCE



# Roman Era

14 CE  
Huns



# Division Of The Roman Empire By The Emperor Theodosios

Pars occidentalis

395 A.D.

Pars orientis

Western Roman Empire

Rome

Constantinople

Eastern Roman Empire  
(Byzantine Empire)

- Provincia
- Diocesis
- Provincia proconsularis

PARTITIO IMPERII



# Islamic Era

751 CE





*The  
Revelation  
of Jesus  
Christ*

Ten Mid-East  
kings/kingdoms will  
give their **allegiance**  
and **authority** to the  
Beast in a revived  
**Islamic Caliphate.**

## *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

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**[Daniel 7:23-24]**

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*But the angel said to me, “Why do you marvel? I will tell you the mystery of the woman, and of **the beast with seven heads and ten horns that carries her.** **8**The beast that you saw was, and is not, and is about to rise from the bottomless pit and go to destruction. And the dwellers on earth whose names have not been written in the book of life from the foundation of the world will marvel to see the beast, because it was and is not and is to come.”*

***[Revelation 17:7-8]***

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“This calls for a mind with wisdom: **the seven heads are seven mountains** on which the woman is seated; **10** they are **also seven kings, five of whom have fallen, one is, the other has not yet come**, and when he does come he must remain only a little while. **11** As **for the beast that was and is not, it is an eighth but it belongs to the seven**, and it goes to destruction.”*

***[Revelation 17:9-11]***

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“And the **ten horns** that you saw **are ten kings** who have not yet received royal power, but they are to receive authority as kings for one hour, together with the beast. **13** **These are of one mind, and they hand over their power and authority to the beast.** **14** They will make war on the Lamb, and the Lamb will conquer them, for he is Lord of lords and King of kings, and those with him are called and chosen and faithful.”*

**[Revelation 17:12-14]**



EGYPT/CUSH/PUT – N. AFRICA

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ASSYRIA – SYRIA, IRAQ

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GREECE/MAGOG – TURKEY

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PERSIA/ELAM – IRAN

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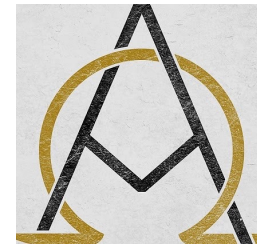
EDOM/MOAB -- JORDAN

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TYRE/SIDON -- LEBANON

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ARABIA – SAUDI A./YEMEN



# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

Son of man, prophesy, and say, Thus says the  
Lord GOD:

*“Wail, ‘Alas for the day!’*

***3**For the day is near,  
the day of the LORD is near;  
it will be a day of clouds,  
**a time of doom for the nations.”***

***[Ezekiel 30:2-3]***

## *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“A sword shall come upon **Egypt**,  
and anguish shall be in **Cush**,  
when the slain fall in Egypt,  
and her wealth is carried away,  
and her foundations are torn down.*

***5**Cush, and **Put**, and **Lud**, and all **Arabia**, and  
**Libya**, and the **people of the land that is in**  
**league**, shall fall with them by the sword.”*

***[Ezekiel 30:4-5]***

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“O God, do not keep silence;*

*do not hold your peace or be still, O God!*

**2***For behold, **your enemies make an uproar;***

*those who hate you have raised their heads.*

**3***They **lay crafty plans against your people;***  
***they consult together*** *against your treasured*  
*ones.”*

***[Psalm 83:1-3]***

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

They say, “**Come, let us wipe them out as a nation; let the name of Israel be remembered no more!**”

**5For they conspire with one accord; against you they make a covenant—**

**6the tents of Edom and the Ishmaelites,  
Moab and the Hagrites ...**

**[Psalm 83:4-6]**

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“Gebal and Ammon and Amalek,  
Philistia with the inhabitants of Tyre;*

*8Asshur also has joined them;  
they are the strong arm of the children of Lot.”*

***[Psalm 83:7-8]***



***JERUSALEM, A CUP OF  
TREMBLING!***

*The  
Revelation  
of Jesus  
Christ*

**Jerusalem** will be a  
cup of **staggering** for  
the Beast and the  
surrounding **nations**.

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

For **the LORD has chosen Zion;**  
he has desired it for his dwelling place:  
**14“This is my resting place forever;**  
here I will dwell, for I have desired it.”  
**[Psalm 132:13-14]**

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“But I say to you, Do not take an oath at all, either by heaven, for it is the throne of God, **35** or by the earth, for it is his footstool, **or by Jerusalem, for it is the city of the great King.**”*  
***[Matthew 5:34-35]***

*The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“Behold, I am about to make Jerusalem **a cup of staggering to all the surrounding peoples.** The siege of Jerusalem will also be against Judah. **3**On that day **I will make Jerusalem a heavy stone for all the peoples.** All who lift it will surely hurt themselves. And all the nations of the earth will gather against it ... And on that day **I will seek to destroy all the nations that come against Jerusalem.**”*

***[Zechariah 12:2-3, 9]***

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“Hasten and come,  
all you surrounding nations,  
and gather yourselves there.*

*Bring down your warriors, O LORD.*

**12***Let the nations stir themselves up  
and come up to the Valley of Jehoshaphat;  
for there I will sit to judge  
all the surrounding nations.”*

***[Joel 3:11-12]***

## *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

***“Multitudes, multitudes, in the valley of decision! For the day of the LORD is near in the valley of decision. 15The sun and the moon are darkened, and the stars withdraw their shining.***

***16The LORD roars from Zion, and utters his voice from Jerusalem, and the heavens and the earth quake. But the LORD is a refuge to his people, a stronghold to the people of Israel.”***

***[Joel 3:14-16]***

## *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“But **when you see Jerusalem surrounded by armies**, then know that its desolation has come near. **21**Then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains, and let those who are inside the city depart, and let not those who are out in the country enter it, **22**for these are days of vengeance, to fulfill all that is written.”*

***[Luke 21:20-22]***

# *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

There will be three  
primary **destinies** for  
those who resist the  
Beast – **refuge**,  
**captivity**, or **martyr's**  
**death**.

*The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*"If anyone has an ear, let him hear:*

**10If anyone is to be taken captive,  
to captivity he goes;**

***if anyone is to be slain with the sword,  
with the sword must he be slain.***

***Here is a call for the endurance and faith of  
the saints."***

***[Revelation 13:9-10]***

## *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“He shall seduce with flattery those who violate the covenant, but **the people who know their God shall stand firm and take action.** 33And **the wise among the people shall make many understand,** though for some days they shall stumble **by sword and flame, by captivity and plunder** ... 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.”*

**[Daniel 11:32-35]**

## *The Revelation of Jesus Christ*

*“Alas for women who are pregnant and for those who are nursing infants in those days! For there will be great distress upon the earth and **wrath against this people.** 24 They will fall by the edge of the sword and be led captive among all nations, and Jerusalem will be trampled underfoot by the Gentiles, until the times of the Gentiles are fulfilled.”*

**[Luke 21:23-24]**

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Here is a **call for the endurance of the saints, those who keep the commandments of God and their faith in Jesus.** **13** And I heard a voice from heaven saying, “Write this: **Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on.**”  
“Blessed indeed,” says the Spirit, “that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow them!”

**[Revelation 14:12-13]**

***APPLICATION***



# The Revelation of Jesus Christ

Pray for the peace  
of Jerusalem and  
for the return of  
the Prince of Peace  
– the King of  
Jerusalem!

Prepare in such a  
way that you can be  
proactive, not  
reactive, when these  
things begin to  
develop.

