

“THEN COMETH THE END”

1 Cor. 15:24

Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, *rightly dividing the word of truth.* (2 Tim. 2:15)

The Old Covenant

Old Jerusalem (1 Kings 8:1)
Faithful dead are with **Abraham**
(Luke 16:22)

The New Covenant

New Jerusalem (Joel 3:17, Heb. 12:22, Rev. 21:2)
Faithful dead are with **Christ**
(Phil. 1:23, 2 Cor. 5:8, Heb. 10:19, Rev. 6:9-11, 1 Thess. 3:13, 4:13-14, 5:10)

Second Appearing

Heb. 9:28
Titus 2:13
2 Tim. 4:1
1 Tim. 6:14
1 Pet. 1:7
1 Pet. 5:4
Col. 3:4

➤ The trumpet shall sound at an unexpected time determined by God (1 Cor. 15:52, Mk. 13:32, Matt. 24:44, 1 Thess. 5:2-3)

➤ Jesus will descend from heaven with a shout (1 Thess. 4:16)

➤ Those who sleep in Jesus will God bring with him (1 Thess. 3:13, 4:14)

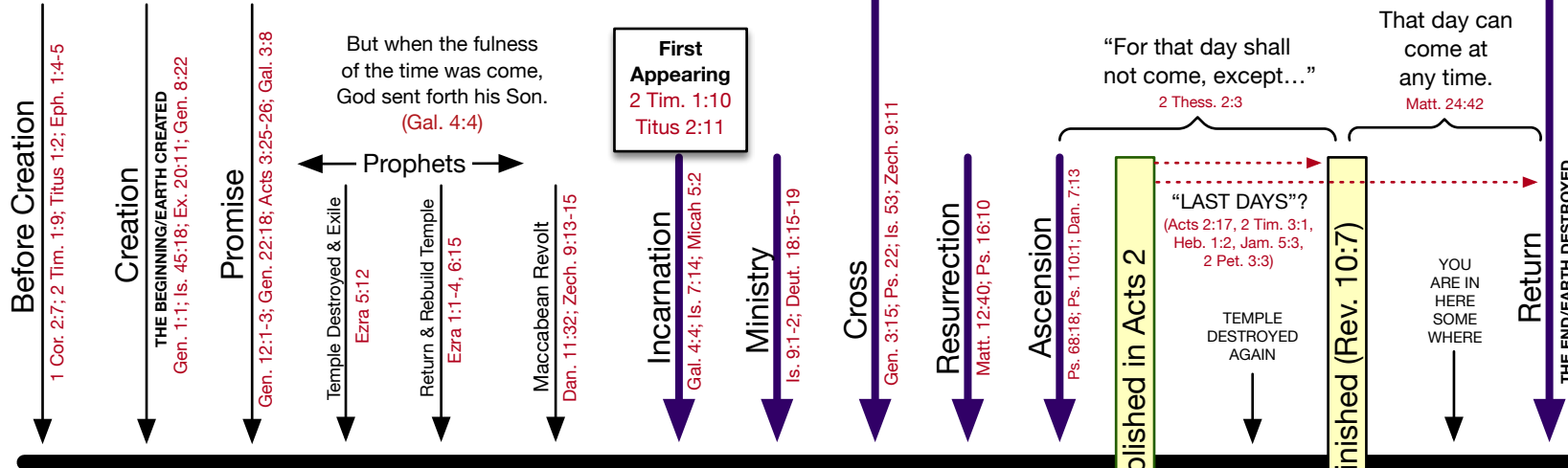
➤ The dead will be raised, with the dead in Christ rising first (John 5:28-29, Acts 24:15, 1 Thess. 4:16, 1 Cor. 15:52)

➤ All will stand before the judgment seat of Christ to bow their knee and be judged, with some receiving eternal life and the others receiving indignation and wrath (2 Cor. 5:10, Rom 2:6-8, Heb. 9:27)

➤ Those righteous who are alive will not sleep but will be changed and will meet Christ in the air to join those righteous who were raised, and so shall we ever be with Jesus (1 Cor. 15:51, 1 Thess. 4:17)

➤ The kingdom will be delivered to God (1 Cor. 15:24)

➤ The earth will be destroyed (2 Pet. 3:10)



Babylon

Nebuchadnezzar (Daniel 1:1)
Amel-Marduk (2 Kings 25:27-30)
Belshazzar (Daniel 5:1)

Persia

Cyrus the Great
(Is. 44:28, 45:13, Ezra 4:5)
Darius I (Ezra 4:5, Zech. 1:1)
Xerxes I (Ezra 4:6, Esther 1:1)
Artaxerxes (Ezra 4:7, 7:1)

Greece

Alexander the Great (Zech. 9:1-8)
Cassander
Lysimachus
Ptolemy
Seleucus

Augustus (Luke 2:1)
Tiberius (Luke 3:1)
Caligula
Claudius (Acts 11:28)
Nero (died AD 68)

Galba
Otho
Vitellius

Vespasian
Titus
Domitian (died AD 96)

And in the days of these kings shall the God of heaven set up a kingdom, which shall never be destroyed: and the kingdom shall not be left to other people, but it shall break in pieces and consume all these kingdoms, and it shall stand for ever. (Daniel 2:44)

THE MYSTERY

Eph. 1:9-12
Eph. 3:8-12
1 Cor. 2:7-8
1 Tim. 3:16
Col. 1:25-27
2 Thess. 2:7
Rev. 10:7

Eternal Kingdom Established in Acts 2

Jerusalem
AD 70
Matt. 24:1-34
Mk. 13:1-31
Lk. 21:6-33
Dan. 9:27
Dan. 12:11

The Mystery of God is Finished (Rev. 10:7)

- ◀ The establishment of the Kingdom (Dan. 2:44)
- ◀ The death of Peter (John 21:18)
- ◀ The destruction of Jerusalem (Matt. 24:4-34)
- ◀ The man of sin (Domitian) (2 Thess. 2:3)
- ◀ The judgment of Rome (Dan. 2:44; Rev. 1-22)
- ◀ The completion of the Bible (1 Cor. 13:10)
- ◀ The end of miracles (1 Cor. 13:10)

They shall see the Son of man **coming in the clouds of heaven** with power and great glory. ... This **generation** shall not pass, till all these things be fulfilled. (Matt. 24:30, 34)

* generation = *genea* (Matt. 24:34, 1:17)
* race = *genos* (Acts 13:26, 1 Pet. 2:9)

