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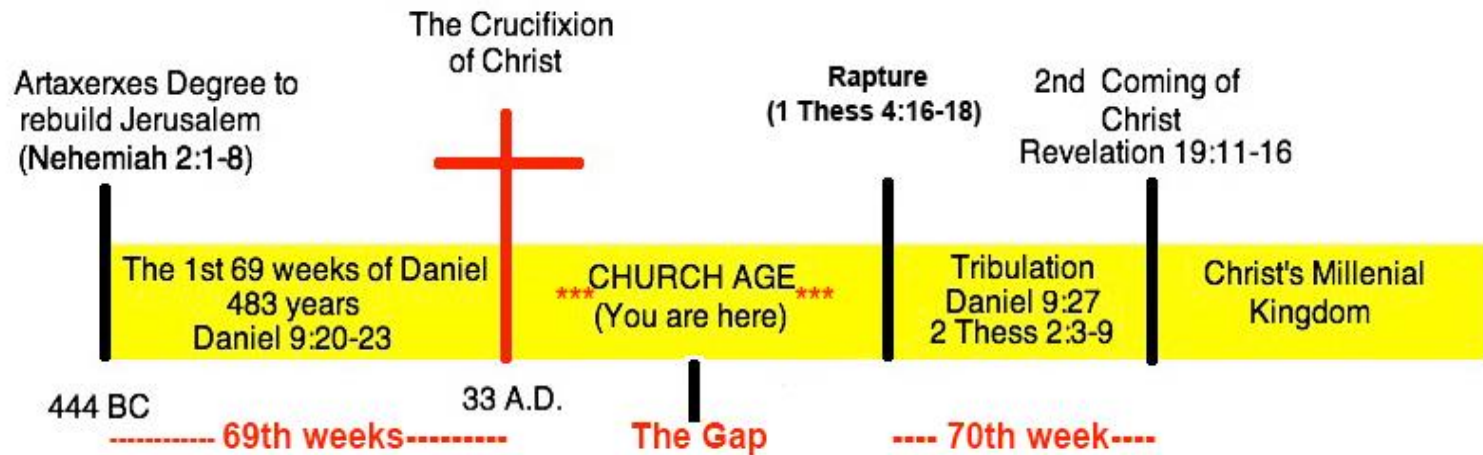
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The Things That Come
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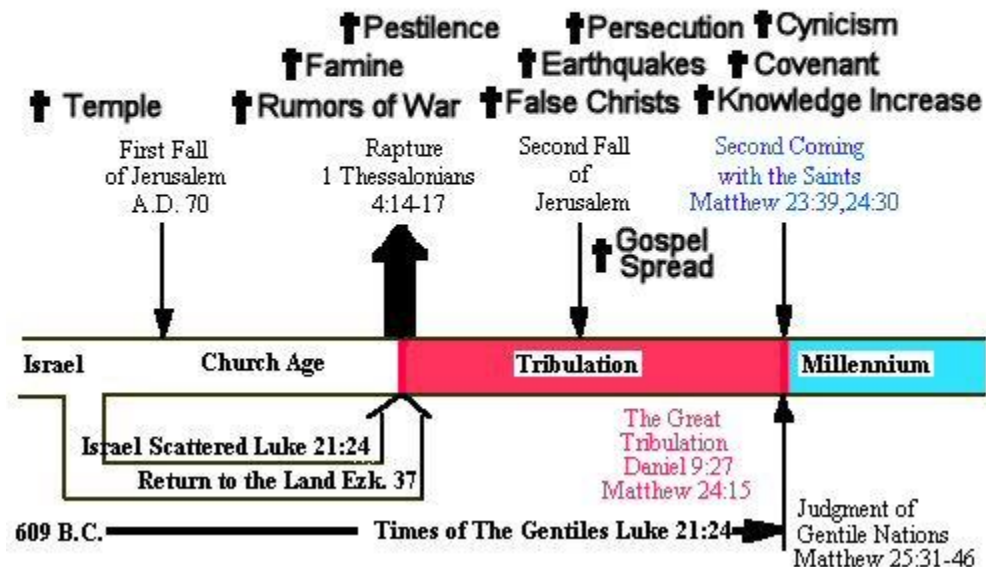
“The Four Horsemen”

Revelation 6:1-8

Daniel's Seventy Weeks



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The Four Seals

Information in Matthew 24 follows the content in the four seals;

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| 1. | Matthew 24:4-5 | 1 st Seal | False Peace |
| 2. | Matthew 24:6-7 | 2 nd Seal | Global War |
| 3. | Matthew 24:7 | 3 rd Seal | Famine |
| 4. | Matthew 24:7 | 4 th Seal | Earthquakes |
| 5. | Matthew 24:9 | 5 th Seal | Divine Judgment |
| 6. | Matthew 24:29 | 6 th Seal | Cosmic Darkness |
| 7. | Matthew 24:37 | 7 th Seal | 7 trumpets |

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1st Seal **False Peace**

Horses in scripture associated with:

- 1.** Triumph, majesty, power, conquest.
Prov. 21:31; Rev. 19:11,14
- 2.** Judgment; Jeremiah 46:9-10a; Joel 2:3-11
- 3.** White typically denotes righteousness and purity.

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1st Seal

False Peace

The Rider on the Horse

Several reasons it's not Christ:

- 1.** Jesus opens the seals
- 2.** Rider wears a Stephanos crown
- 3.** Rider carries a bow, Christ, a sword
- 4.** Rider summoned by a living creature
- 5.** Christ returns at end of tribulation

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1st Seal
False Peace

The Rider on the Horse

Title of the Antichrist in scripture:

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| 1. The Beast | Rev.11:7,13 |
| 2. False Prophet | Rev. 13 |
| 3. Antichrist | 1 John 2:22 |
| 4. Lawless One | 2 Thess. 2:8 |
| 5. Man of Sin | 2 Thess. 2:3 |
| 6. Son of Perdition | 2 Thess. 2:3 |

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1st Seal
False Peace

The Rider on the Horse

Characteristics of the Antichrist in scripture:

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| 1. An intellectual Genius | Dan. 8:33; Ezekiel 28:3 |
| 2. A persuasive Orator | Dan. 7:20; Rev. 13:2 |
| 3. A political Manipulator | Dan. 11:21 |
| 4. A Commercial Genius | Ps. 52:7; Ezekiel 28:4-5. |
| 5. A Forceful Military Leader | Rev. 13:4; Isaiah 4:1 |
| 6. A Unifying Religious Guru | 2 Thess. 2:4, Rev. 13:14-15 |

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2nd Seal War

Red, the color of fire and blood, typically denotes war in scripture.

The rider was “Permitted” to take peace from the earth, God is in control.

This time is seen by some as depicting nuclear warfare.

The antichrist will show himself to be skillful at war,
Dan.8:24

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3rd. Seal Famine

In scripture **Black** is associated with famine,
Lamentations 5:10.

2 possibilities of meaning of this scripture:

1. Natural result of a nuclear holocaust
2. Economics out of control, Run-a-way inflation

In the first it is the destruction of food supplies,

In the second it's the rendering of capitol useless. This would give the antichrist the opportunity to seize control of global economy.

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4th. Seal Death

The rider on the “Pale horse uses four methods to effect death, and has an accomplice, Hades.

1. The sword, here the machaira or short sword
2. Famine,
3. Pestilence, Could be unknown diseases or such as AIDS
4. Wild Beasts, could be bugs.

Death is both physical and spiritual