

Revelation's Tribulation

(Revelations 6-16)

Seven Seals:

1. White Rider / Conquest (6:1-2)
2. Red Rider / War (6:3-4)
3. Black Rider / Scarcity of Food (6:5-6)
4. Pale Rider / Death by sword, famine, plague, beasts (6:7-8)
5. Prayer for the Martyrs (6:9-11)
6. Earthquakes and Natural Disasters(6:12-14)
7. Begin Seven Trumpets (8:1-6)

Seven Trumpets:

1. Hail, Fire, and Blood (8:7)
2. Mountain Falls Into the Sea – 1/3 of all sea creatures die (8:8-9)
3. Flaming Star falls from the Sky – turns waters bitter (8:10-11)
4. Sun, Moon, Stars turn dark (8:12)
5. A Star (Angel) opens the Abyss – smoke and locusts (9:1-11)
6. An Angelic Army is Released (9:13-21)& Seven Thunders (10:1-4)
7. The Lord

Seven Plagues / Bowls of Wrath:

1. Sores (15:1-16:2)
2. Everything in the Sea dies (16:3)
3. Waters become blood (16:4-7)
4. Sun scorches people with Fire (16:8-9)
5. Darkness (16:10-11)
6. Euphrates River Dried Up (16:12-15)
7. Armageddon / Destruction of Babylon (16:17-21)



Today's Sermon: The Tribulation

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The Tribulation

Daniel's 70 Sevens

²⁰While I was speaking and praying, confessing my sin and the sin of my people Israel and making my request to the LORD my God for his holy hill — ²¹while I was still in prayer, Gabriel, the man I had seen in the earlier vision, came to me in swift flight about the time of the evening sacrifice. ²²He instructed me and said to me, “Daniel, I have now come to give you insight and understanding. ²³As soon as you began to pray, a word went out, which I have come to tell you, for you are highly esteemed. Therefore, consider the word and understand the vision: ²⁴“Seventy ‘sevens’ are decreed for your people and your holy city to finish transgression, to put an end to sin, to atone for wickedness, to bring in everlasting righteousness, to seal up vision and prophecy and to anoint the Most Holy Place. ²⁵“Know and understand this: From the time the word goes out to restore and rebuild Jerusalem until the Anointed One, the ruler, comes, there will be seven ‘sevens,’ and sixty-two ‘sevens.’ It will be rebuilt with streets and a trench, but in times of trouble. ²⁶After the sixty-two ‘sevens,’ the Anointed One will be put to death and will have nothing. The people of the ruler who will come will destroy the city and the sanctuary. The end will come like a flood: War will continue until the end, and desolations have been decreed. ²⁷He will confirm a covenant with many for one ‘seven.’ In the middle of the ‘seven’ he will put an end to sacrifice and offering. And at the temple he will set up an abomination that causes desolation, until the end that is decreed is poured out on him.” (Daniel 9:20-27 NIV)

One Seven = 7 years	Babylonian Year/Days 360
7 + 62 + 1 = 70 Sevens	Gregorian/Solar Year/Days 365.25
70 Sevens = 70 x 7 = 490 years	Conversion 0.986 (Daniel 12:11-12)

Event	70 Seven Reference	Year (cir.)
Daniel's Vision	(written)	535 BCE
Rebuilding Jerusalem	Begin 7	445 BCE
Completed	End 7 (48.3 years)	396 BCE
Anointed One's Death	End 62 (428 years)	31 ADE
Beginning of 7-year Tribulation	Begin 1 (6.9 years)	tbd
Jesus' Earthly Return	End of Sevens	tbd

Jesus' End Times

⁹“Then they will hand you over to tribulation and kill you, and you will be hated by all nations because of My name. ¹⁰And at that time many will fall away, and they will betray one another and hate one another. ¹¹And many false prophets will rise up and mislead many people. ¹²And because lawlessness is increased, most people's love will become cold. ¹³But the one who endures to the end is the one who will be saved. ¹⁴This gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in the whole world as a testimony to all the nations, and then the end will come. ¹⁵“Therefore when you see the ABOMINATION OF DESOLATION which was spoken of through Daniel the prophet, standing in the holy place—let the reader understand— ¹⁶then those who are in Judea must flee to the mountains. ¹⁷Whoever is on the housetop must not go down to get things out of his house. ¹⁸And whoever is in the field must not turn back to get his cloak. ¹⁹But woe to those women who are pregnant, and to those who are nursing babies in those days! ²⁰Moreover, pray that when you flee, it will not be in the winter, or on a Sabbath. ²¹For then there will be a great tribulation, such as has not occurred since the beginning of the world until now, nor ever will again. (Matthew 24:9-21 NASB)

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¹⁶For if the dead are not raised, then Christ has not been raised either.

¹⁷And if Christ has not been raised, your faith is futile; you are still in your sins.¹⁸Then those also who have fallen asleep in Christ are lost. ¹⁹If only for this life we have hope in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.