

Precision Planning

God's precise plan for Israel in Daniel 9:20-27

Introduction

#1 The S_____ to explain God's precise plan 20-23

#2 The S_____ Weeks, the title for God's precise plan 24-27

1st - a period of time called seventy weeks

2nd - divided into three segments

3rd - directed at Israel, the Jews and Jerusalem.

4th - two princes mentioned

5th - determined events

Daniel's Seventy Weeks



#3 The S_____ of God's precise plan, 490 years

1st Daniel is praying in reference to the seventy years of Jewish captivity

Pentecost "Whereas people today think in units of ten (e.g., decades), Daniel's people thought in terms of sevens.... Seven days are in one week. Every seventh year was a Sabbath rest year (Lev. 25:1-7). And Seven 'sevens' brought them to the Year of Jubilee (Lev. 25:8-12).

2nd Israel willfully failed to observe the sabbatical years

Pentecost the seventy sevens in Daniel's prophecy could not designate days (it would result in about 1 1/3 years) for that would not be enough time for the events in Daniel 9:24-27 to occur. The same is true of 490 weeks of seven days each (which is about 3,430 days, or a total of about 9 1/2 years).

3rd If days were intended, Daniel would have added 'of days' like Daniel 10:2-3

#4 The S_____ purposes of God's precise plan 24

1st To finish the transgression

2nd To make an end of sins

3rd To make reconciliation for iniquity

Romans 11:25-27 For I do not want you, brethren, to be uninformed of this mystery, lest you be wise in your own estimation, that a partial hardening has happened to Israel until the fulness of the Gentiles has come in; 26 and thus all Israel will be saved; just as it is written, "The Deliverer will come from Zion, He will remove ungodliness from Jacob." 27 "And this is My covenant with them, When I take away their sins."

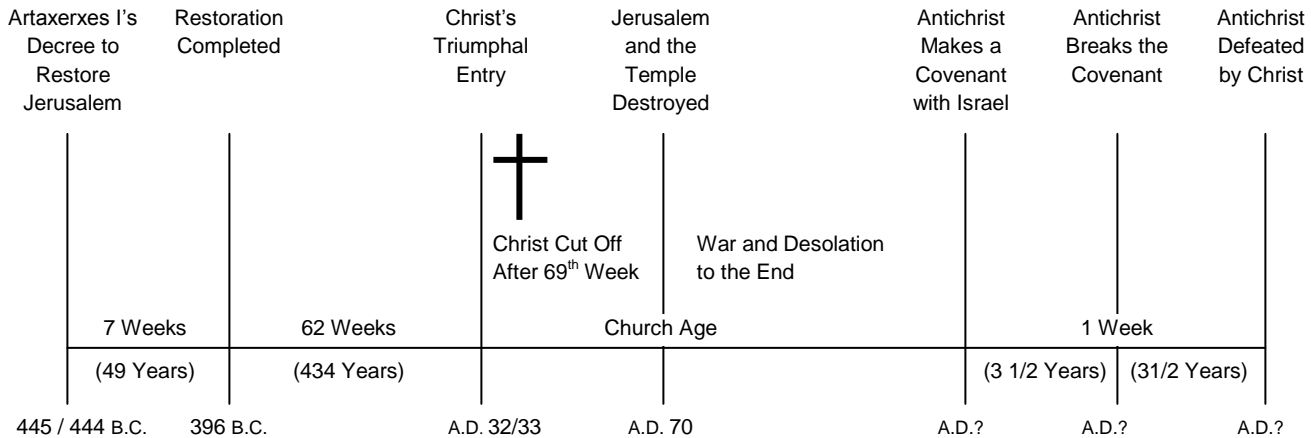
4th To bring in everlasting righteousness.

5th To seal up vision and prophecy

John C. Whitcomb In the post-apostolic phase of church history, we have no further need of such ministries, possessing as we do the completed revelation of God in Holy Scripture. [However] during the first half of the seventieth week of Daniel two witnesses will prophesy to Israel in order to launch the 144,000 [saved Jews] and others into a global witness for Christ after the rapture of the church (Rev. 11:3-12). But all such prophetic ministries will end forever at our Lord's return to earth.'

6th To anoint the most holy place

The Seventy Weeks of Daniel



#5 The three S_____ of God's precise plan 25-27

1st The first SECTION of seven weeks or 49 years v25

2nd The second SECTION of 42 weeks or 434 years v26

Mark 13:2 And Jesus said to him, "Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone shall be left upon another which will not be torn down."

3rd The third SECTION of 1 week or 7 years v27

2 Thessalonians 2:3-4 the man of lawlessness is revealed, the son of destruction, 4 who opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, displaying himself as being God. **Revelation 13:7** it was given to him to make war with the saints and to overcome them; and authority over every tribe and people and tongue and nation was given to him. 8 And all who dwell on the earth will worship him, everyone whose name has not been written from the foundation of the world in the book of life of the Lamb who has been slain.

Matthew 24:15 when you see the abomination of desolation which was spoken of through Daniel the prophet, standing in the holy place (let the reader understand), 16 then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains;

#6 The S_____ - _____ to God's precise plan

1st Make your prayers specific, God is P_____

Psalms 62:8 Trust in Him at all times, O people; Pour out your heart before Him; God is a refuge for us. **Proverbs 3:5** Trust in the Lord with all your heart, And do not lean on your own understanding. 6 In all your ways acknowledge Him, And He will make your paths straight. **Proverbs 16:3** Commit your works to the Lord, And your plans will be established.

2nd Be comforted and convicted, God knows your P_____

Psalms 139:17 How precious also are Thy thoughts to me, O God! How vast is the sum of them! 18 If I should count them, they would outnumber the sand. When I awake, I am still with Thee. **Matthew 10:30** the very hairs of your head are all numbered.

3rd Depend on God's Word, since God keeps His P_____

4th Trust in His control, the future is P_____

5th Turn to Jesus Christ, He is the only P_____ for salvation

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