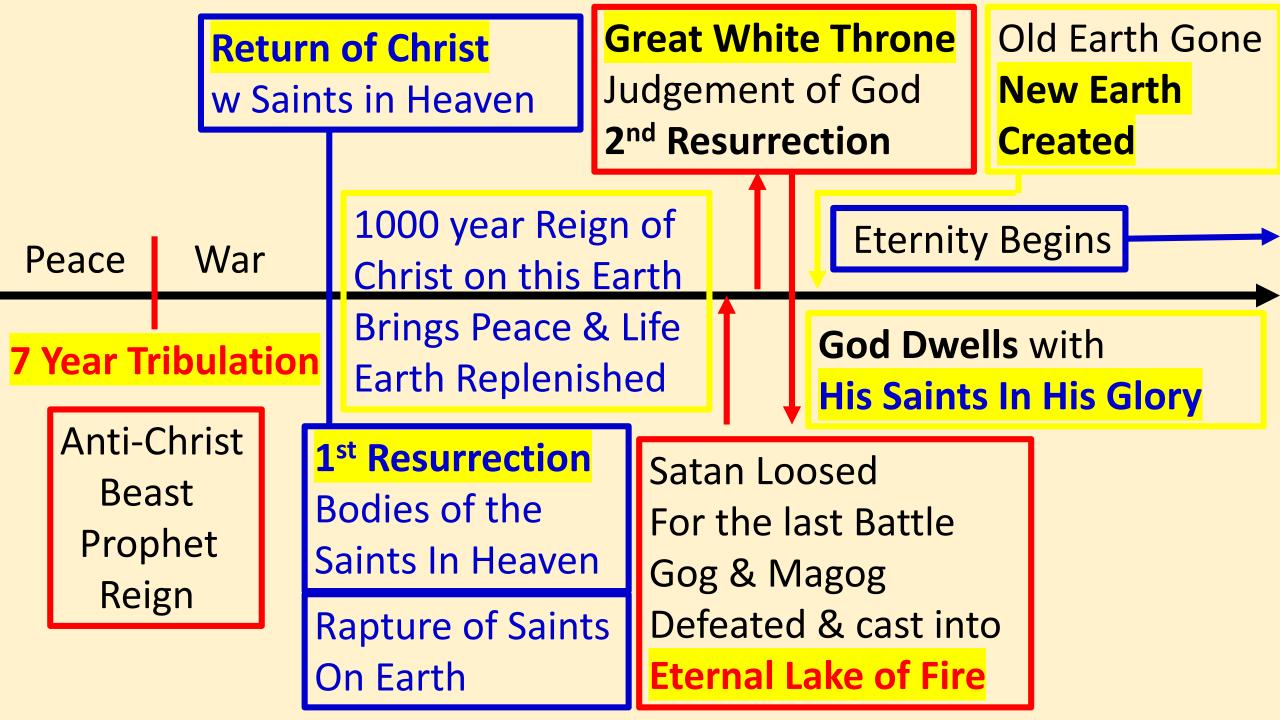
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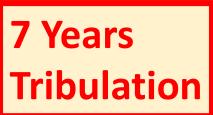
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# 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 NLT The Hope of the Resurrection

13 And now, dear brothers and sisters, we want you to know what will happen to the believers who have died so you will not grieve like people who have no hope. 14 For since we believe that Jesus died and was raised to life again, we also believe that when Jesus returns, God will bring back with him the believers who have died.

- We tell you this directly from the Lord:

  We who are still living when the Lord returns

  will not meet Him ahead of those who have died.
- 16 For the Lord Himself will come down from heaven with a commanding shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trumpet call of God.

  First, the believers who have died will rise from their graves.

17 Then, together with them,
we who are still alive and remain on the earth
will be caught up in the clouds
to meet the Lord in the air.
Then we will be with the Lord forever.
So encourage each other with these words.

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# Revelation 19:11-21 NASB The Coming of Christ

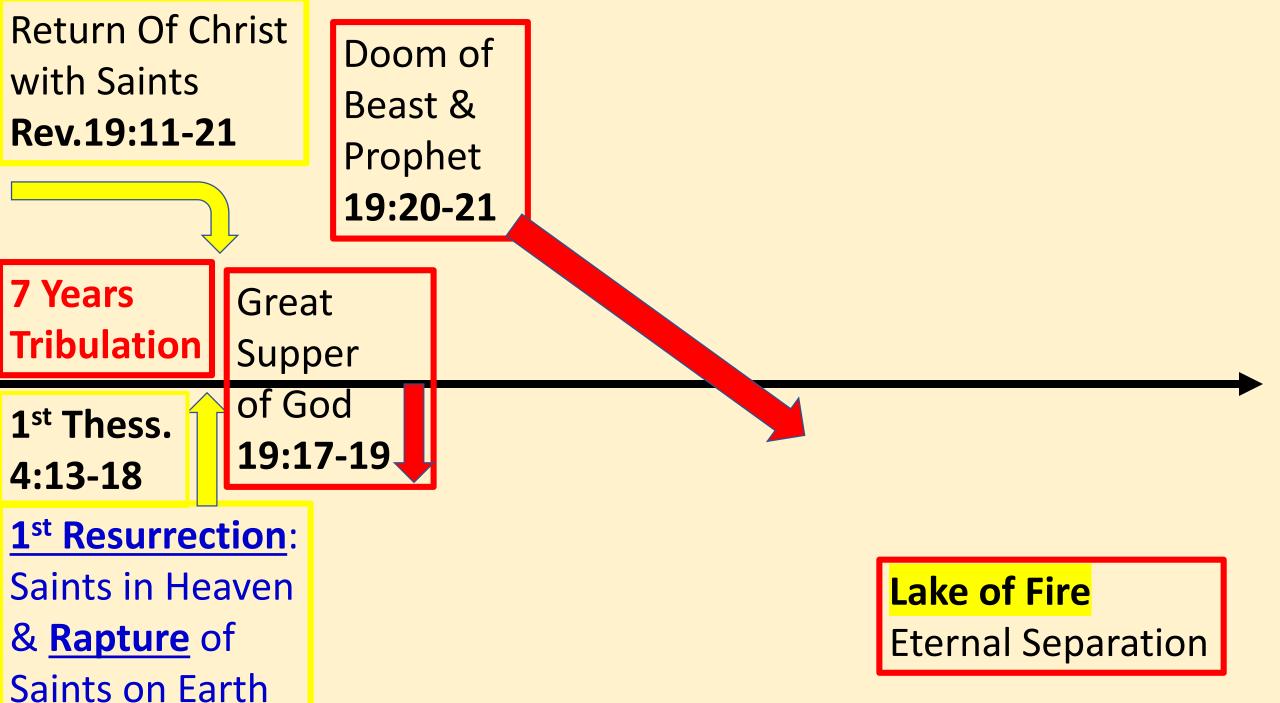
- 11 And I saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse, and He who sat on it is called Faithful and True, and in Righteousness He judges and wages war.
- His eyes are a flame of fire, and on His head are many diadems; and He has a name written on Him which no one knows except Himself.
- He is clothed with a robe dipped in blood, and His name is called The Word of God.

And the armies which are in heaven, 14 clothed in fine linen, white and clean, were following Him on white horses. From His mouth comes a sharp sword, 15 so that with it He may strike down the nations, and He will rule them with a rod of iron; and He treads the wine press of the fierce wrath of God, the Almighty. And on His robe and on His thigh 16 He has a name written, "KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS."

- 17 Then I saw an angel standing in the sun, and he cried out with a loud voice, saying to all the birds which fly in midheaven, "Come, assemble for the Great Supper of God,
- 18 so that you may eat the flesh of kings and the flesh of commanders and the flesh of mighty men

and the flesh of horses and of those who sit on them and the flesh of all men, both free men and slaves, and small and great."

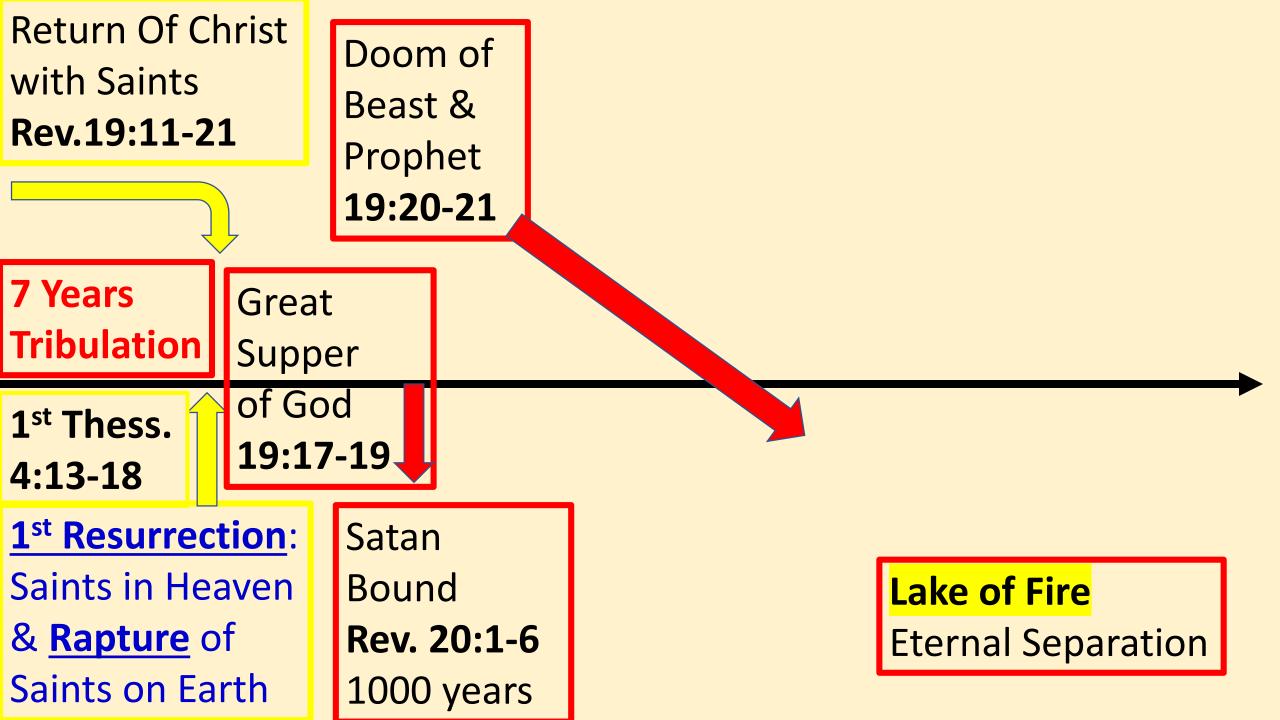
19 And I saw the Beast and the kings of the earth and their armies assembled to make war against Him who sat on the horse and against His army.



# Doom of the Beast and False Prophet

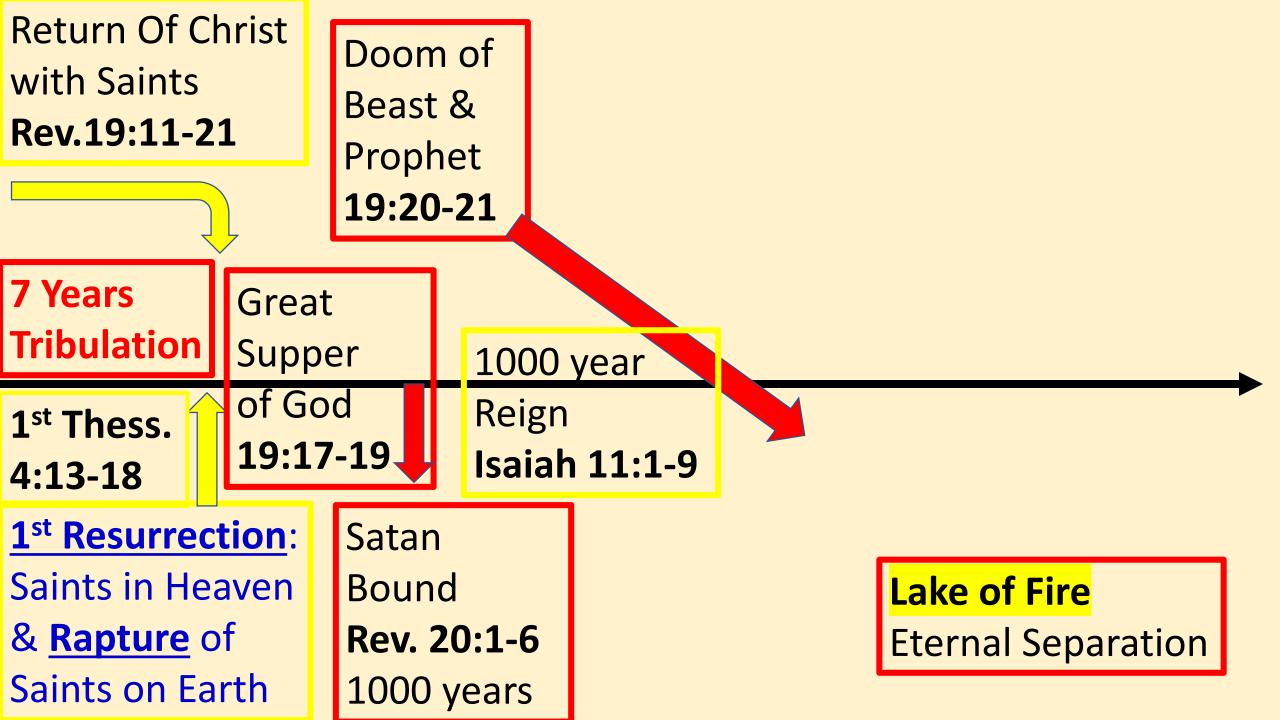
And the **Beast** was seized, 20 and with him the False Prophet who performed the signs in his presence, by which he deceived those who had received the mark of the Beast and those who worshiped his image; these two were thrown alive into the lake of fire which burns with brimstone.

And the rest were killed with the sword which came from the mouth of Him who sat on the horse, and all the birds were filled with their flesh.



- Revelation 20:1-6 Satan Bound for 1000 years
- 1 Then I saw an angel coming down from heaven with the key to the bottomless pit and a heavy chain in his hand.
- 2 He seized the dragon—that old serpent, who is the devil, Satan—and bound him in chains for a thousand years.
- The angel threw him into the bottomless pit, which he then shut and locked so Satan could not deceive the nations anymore until the thousand years were finished.

  Afterward he must be released for a little while.



Then I saw thrones, and the people sitting on them had been given the authority to judge. And I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded for their testimony about Jesus and for proclaiming the word of God. They had not worshiped the beast or his statue, nor accepted his mark on their forehead or their hands. They all came to life again, and they reigned with Christ for a thousand years.

This is the first resurrection. (The rest of the dead did not come back to life until the thousand years had ended.) Blessed and holy are those who share in the first resurrection. For them the second death holds no power, but they will be priests of God and of Christ and will reign with him a thousand years. RIP

# Isaiah 11:1-9 NLT A Branch from David's Line

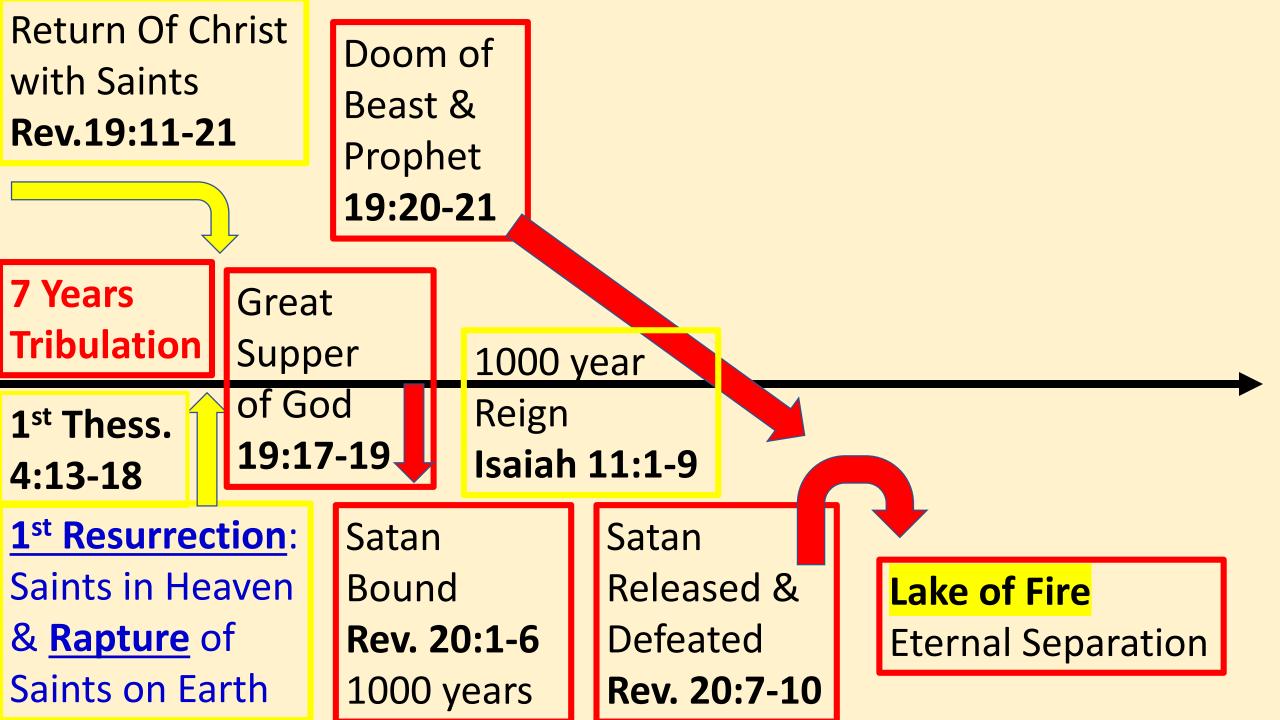
- 1 Out of the stump of David's family will grow a shoot—
  yes, a new Branch bearing fruit from the old root.
- 2 And the Spirit of the LORD will rest on Him—
  the Spirit of wisdom and understanding,
  the Spirit of counsel and might,
  the Spirit of knowledge and the fear of the LORD.

- He will delight in obeying the LORD.
  He will not judge by appearance
  nor make a decision based on hearsay.
- 4 He will give justice to the poor and make fair decisions for the exploited.

  The earth will shake at the force of His word, and one breath from His mouth will destroy the wicked.
- He will wear righteousness like a belt and truth like an undergarment.

- In that day the wolf and the lamb will live together; the leopard will lie down with the baby goat. The calf and the yearling will be safe with the lion, and a little child will lead them all.
- 7 The cow will graze near the bear.
  The cub and the calf will lie down together.
  The lion will eat hay like a cow.

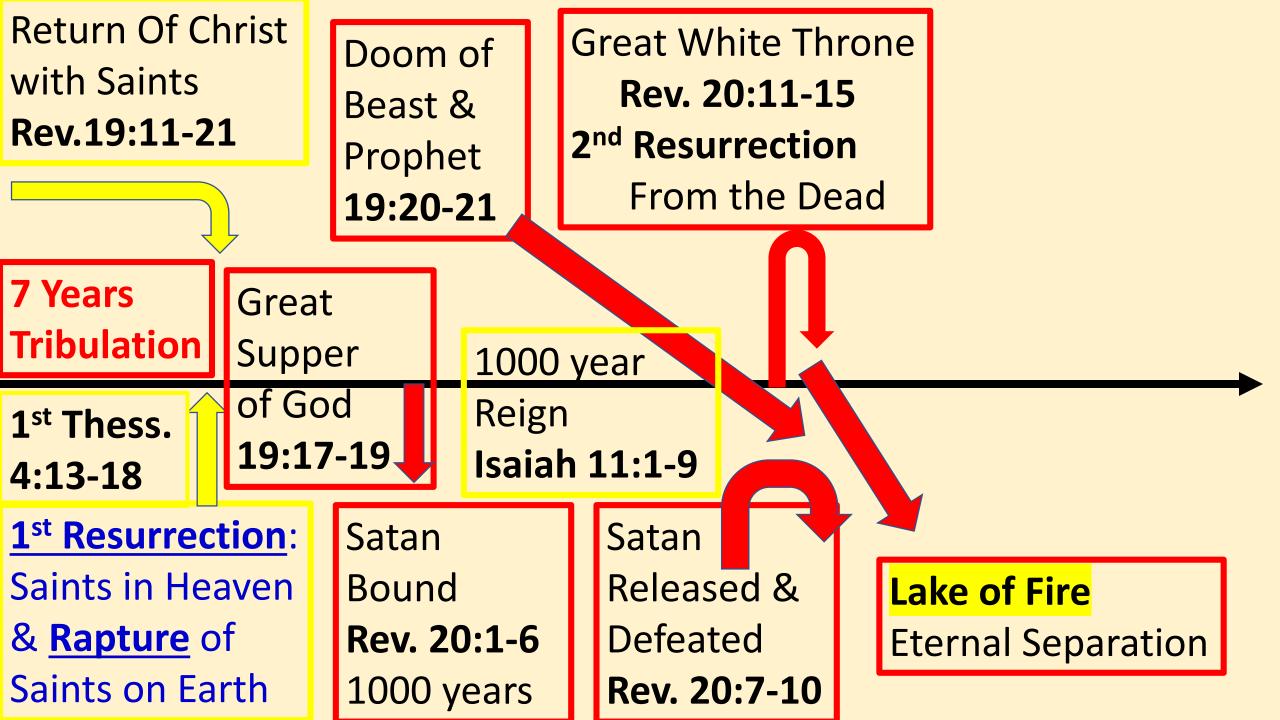
- The baby will play safely near the hole of a cobra. Yes, a little child will put its hand in a nest of deadly snakes without harm.
- 9 Nothing will hurt or destroy in all my holy mountain, for as the waters fill the sea, so the earth will be filled with people who know the LORD.



## Revelation 20:7-10 NLT The Defeat of Satan

- 7 When the thousand years come to an end, Satan will be let out of his prison.
- He will go out to deceive the nations—
  called Gog and Magog—
  in every corner of the earth.
  He will gather them together for battle—
  a mighty army,
  as numberless as sand along the seashore.

And I saw them as they went up on the broad plain of the earth and surrounded God's people and the beloved city. But fire from heaven came down on the attacking armies and consumed them. 10 Then the devil, who had deceived them, was thrown into the fiery lake of burning sulfur, joining the beast and the false prophet. There they will be tormented day and night forever and ever.



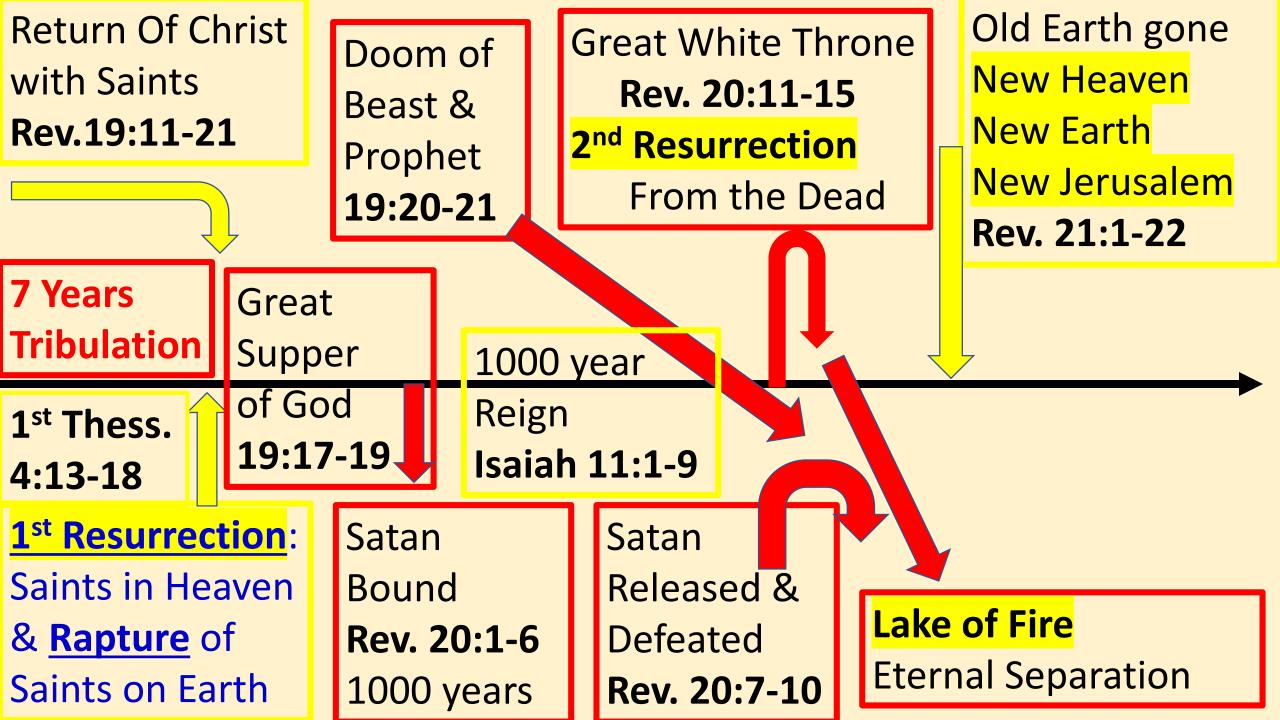
# Revelation 20:11-15 The Final Judgment

And I saw a great white throne and the one sitting on it. The earth and sky fled from his presence, but they found no place to hide. I saw the dead, both great and small, standing before God's throne. And the books were opened, including the Book of Life. And the dead were judged according

to what they had done, as recorded in the books.

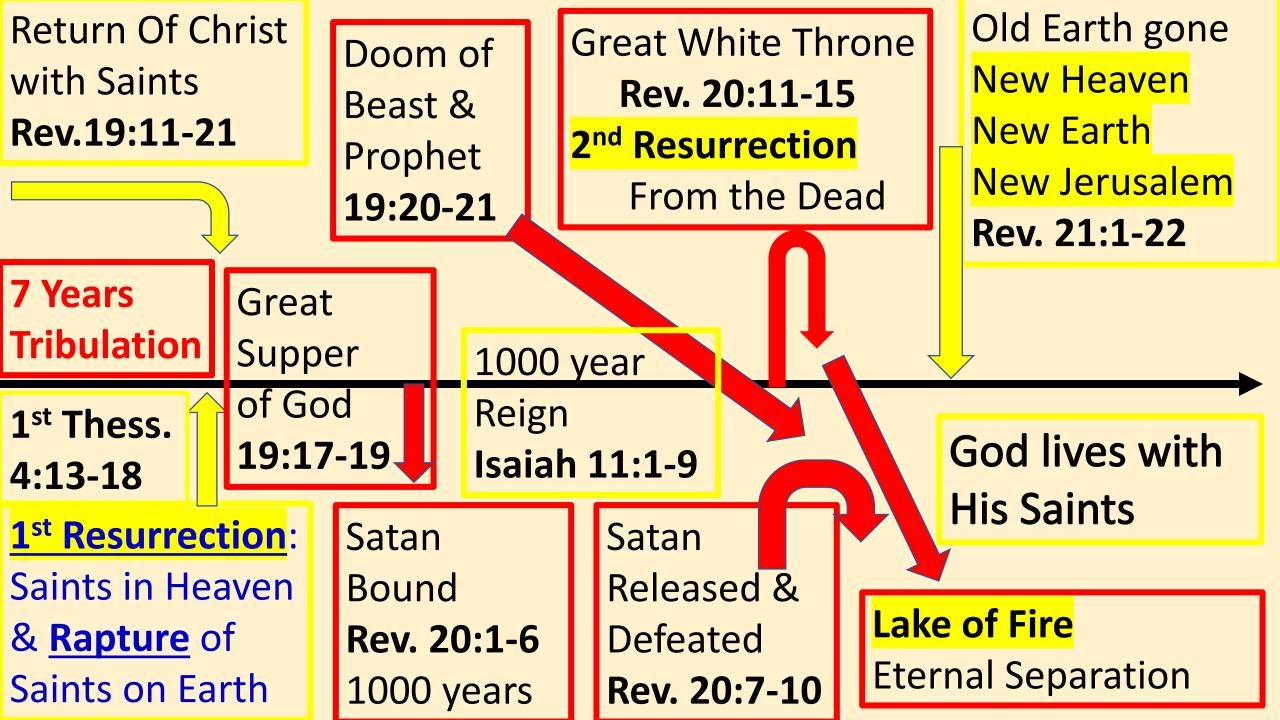
- 13 The sea gave up its dead, and death and the grave gave up their dead.

  And all were judged according to their deeds.
- 14 Then death and the grave were thrown into the lake of fire.
  This lake of fire is the second death.
- 15 And anyone whose name was not found recorded in the Book of Life was thrown into the lake of fire.



### Revelation 21:1-9 The New Jerusalem

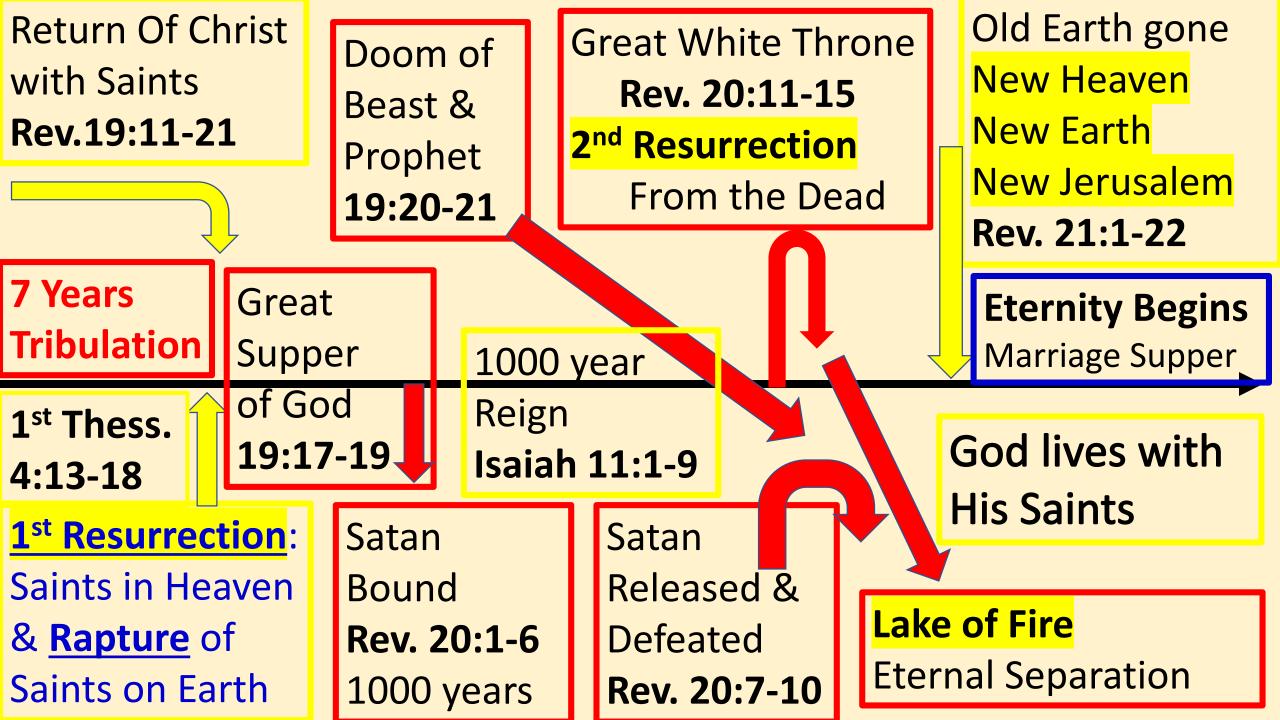
- 1 Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the old heaven and the old earth had disappeared. And the sea was also gone.
- 2 And I saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven like a bride beautifully dressed for her husband.



- I heard a loud shout from the throne, saying, "Look, God's home is now among his people! He will live with them, and they will be his people.

  God himself will be with them.
- He will wipe every tear from their eyes, and there will be no more death or sorrow or crying or pain.

  All these things are gone forever."



- And the one sitting on the throne said, "Look, I am making everything new!" And then he said to me, "Write this down, for what I tell you is trustworthy and true."
- And he also said, "It is finished!

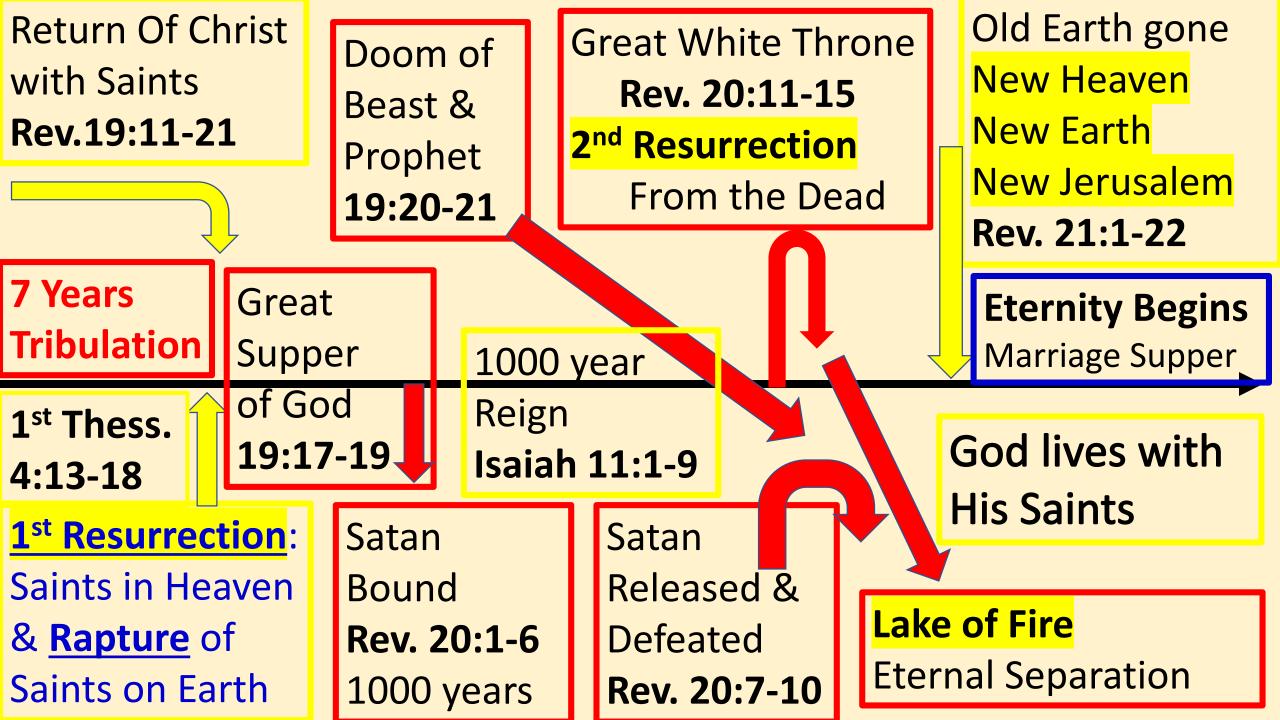
  I Am the Alpha and the Omega—
  the Beginning and the End.

  To all who are thirsty I will give freely from the springs of the water of life.

- 7 All who are victorious will inherit all these blessings, and I will be their God, and they will be my children.
- 8 "But cowards, unbelievers, the corrupt, murderers, the immoral, those who practice witchcraft, idol worshipers, and all liars—their fate is in the fiery lake of burning sulfur. This is the second death."

- 9 Then one of the seven angels who held the seven bowls containing the seven last plagues came and said to me, "Come with me! I will show you the bride, the wife of the Lamb."
- 10 So he took me in the Spirit to a great, high mountain, and he showed me the Holy City, Jerusalem, descending out of Heaven from God.
- 11 It shone with the Glory of God and sparkled like a precious stone—like jasper as clear as crystal.

- The city wall was broad and high, with twelve gates guarded by twelve angels. And the names of the twelve tribes of Israel were written on the gates.
- 13 There were three gates on each side—east, north, south, and west.
- 14 The wall of the city had twelve foundation stones, and on them were written the names of the twelve apostles of the Lamb.



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