

END TIMES





Part III

- Signs of the Times
 - Events Prior to Daniel's Final Seven
- Daniel's Final Seven
 - Day of the Lord vs. Coming of the Lord
 - Resurrection of the Bride

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PRESENT AGE



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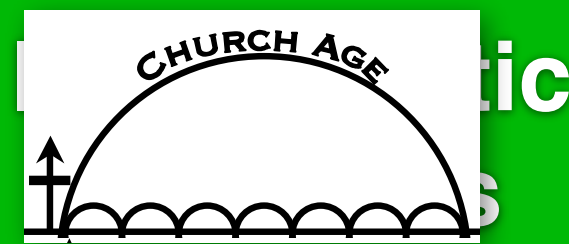
The Age of the Gentiles



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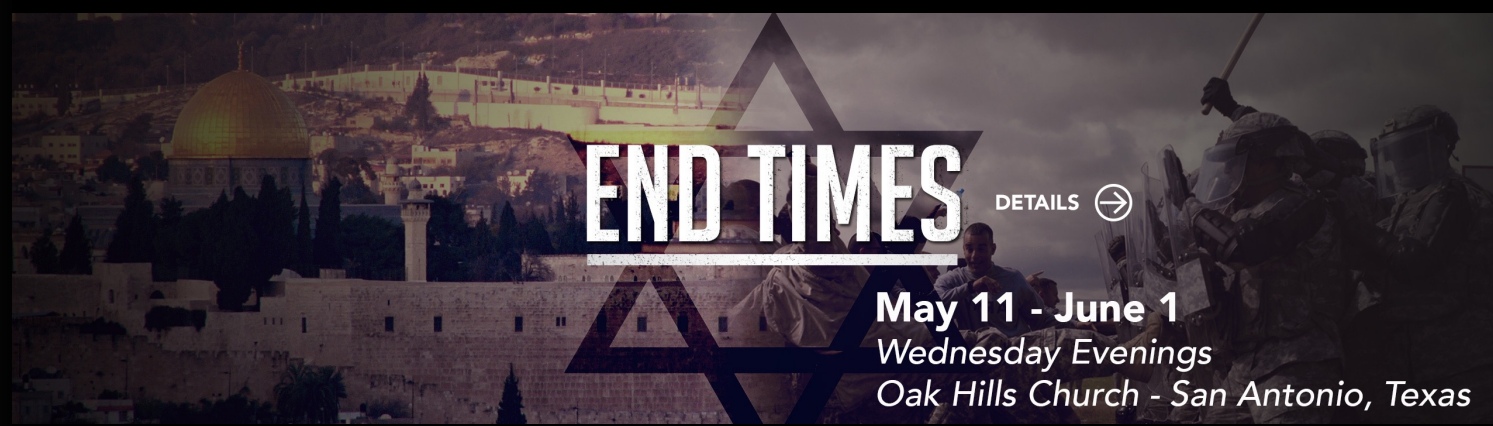
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Daniel 9

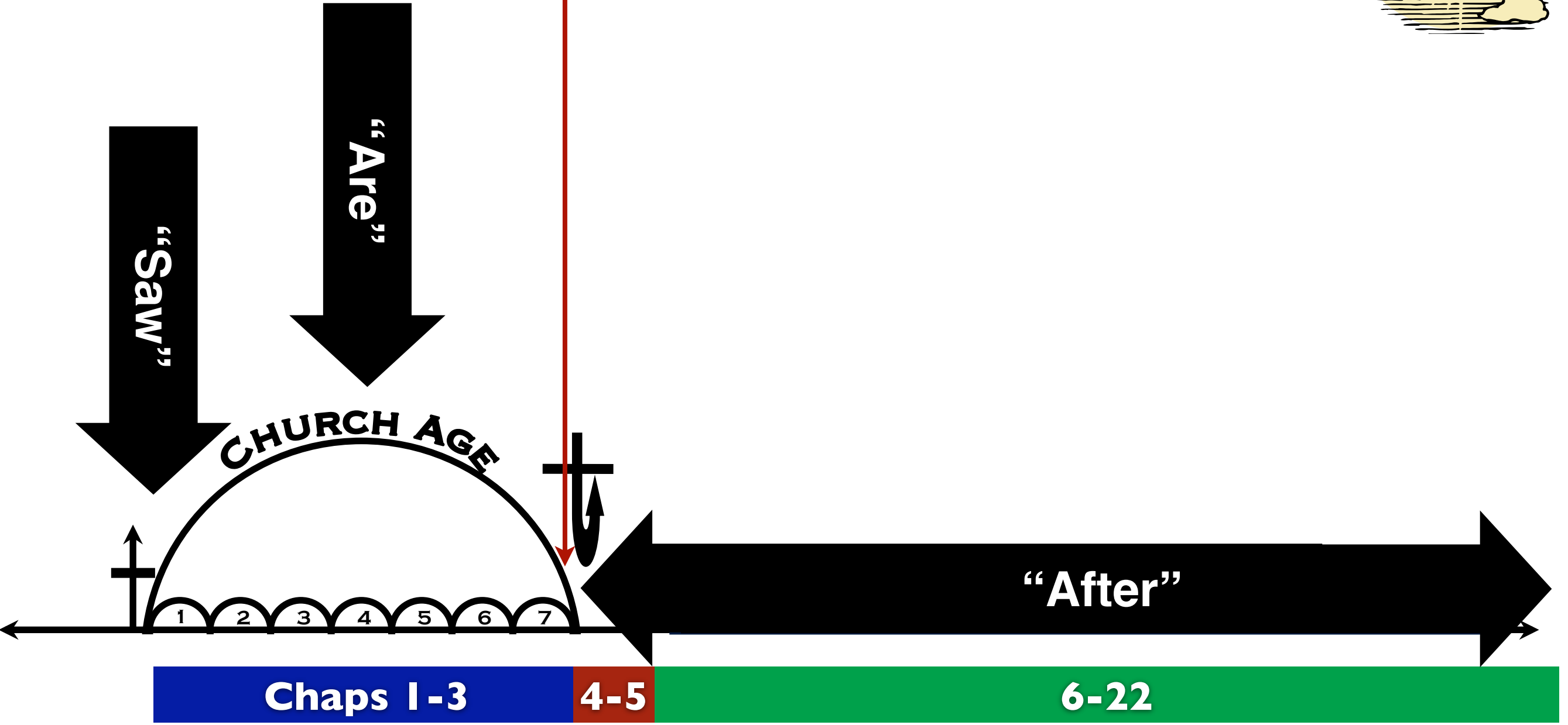
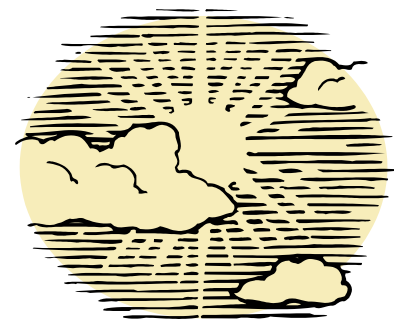
Why is there a pause in the 490 years?





Signs of the Times

Present Day



Bringing the Age to an End

1. Events that must **precede** the end.
2. Signs the end of the age is **approaching**.
3. Events that **conclude** the age.

Events Preceding the End

✓ Church Apostasy

Rev 3, 1Tim 4:1-3; 2Thes 2:3

✓ Regathering Israel

Ezekiel 20 & 22

Emergence of ten world rulers

Daniel 2 & 7

Return of Elijah to prepare Israel

Malachi 4

Resurrection of the Bride of Christ

1Thes 1:10; 1Thes 5:9

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Olivet Discourse

Matthew 24 & Luke 21

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Matt. 24:1 Jesus came out from the temple and was going away when His disciples came up to point out the temple buildings to Him.

Matt. 24:2 And He said to them, "Do you not see all these things? Truly I say to you, not one stone here will be left upon another, which will not be torn down."

Matt. 24:3 As He was sitting on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to Him privately, saying, "Tell us, when will these things happen, and what will be the sign of Your coming, and of the end of the age?"

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Luke 21:7 They questioned Him, saying,
“Teacher, when therefore will these things
happen? And what will be the sign when
these things are about to take place?”

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The Apostles' Questions

1. When will these things take place?

1a. What will be the signs before these things?

2. What are the signs of your coming?

3. What are the signs of the end of the age?

4. What are NOT signs we are near the end?

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Jesus' Answers

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What are NOT signs of the end

Matt. 24:4 And Jesus answered and said to them, “See to it that no one misleads you.

Matt. 24:5 “For many will come in My name, saying, ‘I am the Christ,’ and will mislead many.

Matt. 24:6 “You will be hearing of wars and rumors of wars. See that you are not frightened, for those things must take place, **but that is not yet the end.**

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What are NOT signs of the end

Luke 21:8 And He said, "See to it that you are not misled; for many will come in My name, saying, 'I am He,' and, 'The time is near.' Do not go after them.

Luke 21:9 "When you hear of wars and disturbances, do not be terrified; for these things must take place first, but the end does not follow immediately."

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What are signs of the end of the age

Matt. 24:7 “For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom, and in various places there will be famines and earthquakes.

Matt. 24:8 “But all these things are merely the beginning of birth pangs.

“...the beginning of birth pangs...”

Birth Pangs

Painful experience

Increase in **severity**

Increase in **frequency**

But leads to birth of **new life**

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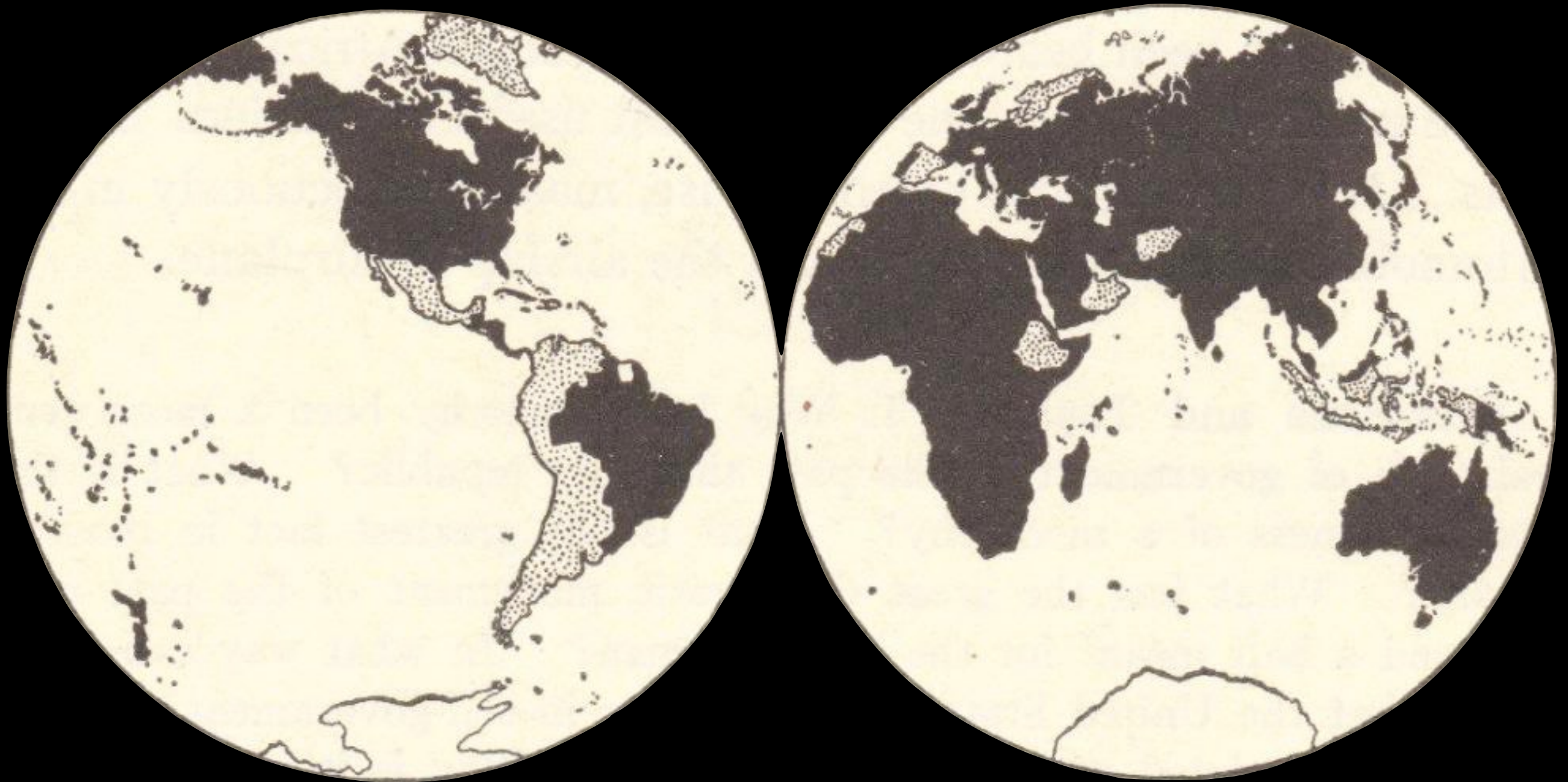
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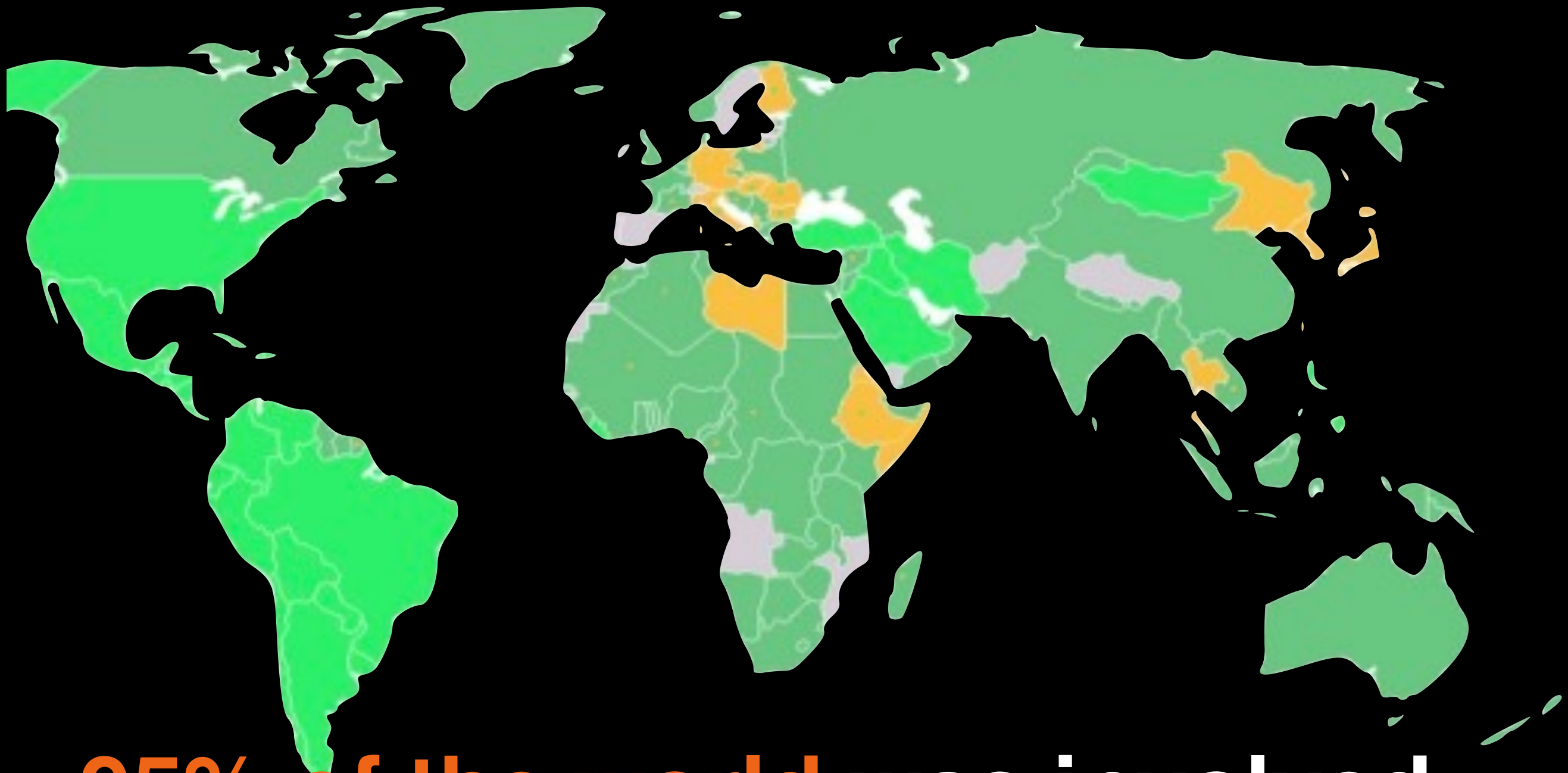
*“...nation against nation,
kingdom against kingdom...”*

World War I



88% of the world was involved
in WWI

World War II



95% of the world was involved
in WWII

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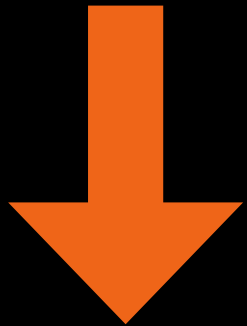
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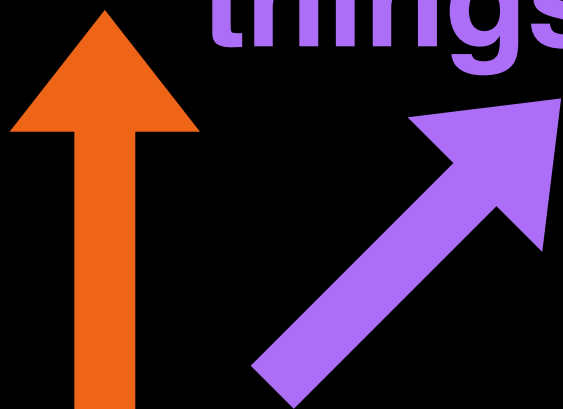
Jesus' Answers

Matthew



1. When will these things take place?


1a. What will be the signs before these things?



Luke

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Jesus' Answers

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2.	Matthew	Luke

Matt. 24:9 “Then they will deliver you to tribulation, and will kill you, and you will be hated by all nations because of My name.

Matt. 24:10 “At that time many will fall away and will betray one another and hate one another.

Matt. 24:11 “Many false prophets will arise and will mislead many.

Matt. 24:12 “Because lawlessness is increased, most people’s love will grow cold.

Matt. 24:13 “But the one who endures to the end, he will be saved.

Matt. 24:14 “This gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in the whole world as a testimony to all the nations, and then the end will come.

Luke 21:12 “But **before all these things**, they will lay their hands on you and will persecute you, delivering you **to the synagogues and prisons, bringing you before kings and governors** for My name’s sake.

Luke 21:13 “It will lead to an opportunity for your testimony.

Luke 21:14 “So make up your minds not to prepare beforehand to defend yourselves;

Luke 21:15 for I will give you utterance and wisdom which none of your opponents will be able to resist or refute.

Luke 21:16 “But you will be **betrayed even by parents** and brothers and relatives and friends, and they will put some of you to death,

Luke 21:17 and you will **be hated by all** because of My name.

Luke 21:18 “Yet not a hair of your head will perish.

Luke 21:19 “**By your endurance you will gain your lives.**

Luke 21:20 “But **when you see Jerusalem surrounded by armies**, then recognize that her desolation is near.

Luke 21:21 “Then those who are in Judea must flee to the mountains, and those who are in the midst of the city must leave, and those who are in the country must not enter the city;

Luke 21:22 because these are days of vengeance, so that all things which are written will be fulfilled.

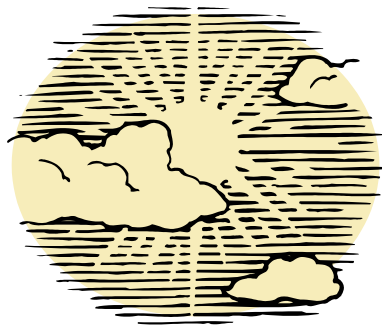
Luke 21:23 “Woe to those who are pregnant and to those who are nursing babies in those days; for there will be great distress upon the land and wrath to this people;

Luke 21:24 and they will fall by the edge of the sword, and will be led captive into all the nations; **and Jerusalem will be trampled under foot by the Gentiles until the [age] of the Gentiles are fulfilled.**





Question #3 Birth Pangs



Question #1

Luke 21

Question #2

Matthew 24

CHURCH AGE

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Chaps 1-3

4-5

6-19

Signs the End Is Approaching

✓ **World Wars**

Matthew 24/Luke 21

✓ **Increasing earthquakes**

Matthew 24/Luke 21

✓ **Increasing famines**

Matthew 24/Luke 21

Tribulation

Matthew 24/Luke 21

Signs in the Heavens,

Bringing the Age to an End

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- 3. Events that conclude the age.

**“...the [great and terrible]
day of the Lord...”**

1Thes

5:2-4

2Peter 3:10

The Day of the Lord

1Th. 5:2 For you yourselves know full well that the day of the Lord will come just like a thief in the night.

1Th. 5:3 While they are saying, "Peace and safety!" then destruction will come upon them suddenly like labor pains upon a woman with child, and they will not escape.

1Th. 5:4 But you, brethren, are not in darkness, that the day would overtake you like a thief;

The Day of the Lord

2Pet. 3:9 The Lord is not slow about His promise, as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing for any to perish but for all to come to repentance.

2Pet. 3:10 But **the day of the Lord** will come like a thief, in which the **heavens will pass away** with a roar and the elements will be **destroyed** with intense heat, and the **earth and its works will be burned up**.

“...the great and terrible day of the Lord...” Mal 4 **“...tribulation...”**

Deut 4:30

“...the time of Jacob’s troubles...”

Jer 30:7

“...the indignation...” Daniel 11:36

“...the day of vengeance...”

Isaiah 34:8

“...the day wrath...” Zeph 1:15

“...the year of recompense...”

Isaiah 34:8

“...the day of darkness...” Joel 2:2

“...the day of Jehovah...” Joel 1:15

**“...the [great and terrible]
day of the Lord...”**

Tribulation

1Thes

5:2-4

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**“...the coming of
our Lord...”**

1Thes 2:18-19

1Thes 4:15-17

James 5:8

Matt 24:44

The Coming of the Lord

1Th. 2:19 For who is our hope or joy or crown of exultation? Is it not even you, in the presence of our Lord Jesus **at His coming**?

1Th. 2:20 For you are our glory and joy.

The Coming of the Lord

James 5:7 Therefore **be patient, brethren**, until the **coming of the Lord**. The farmer waits for the precious produce of the soil, being patient about it, until it gets the early and late rains.

James 5:8 **You too be patient**; strengthen your hearts, for **the coming of the Lord is near**.

James 5:9 Do not complain, **brethren**, against one another, so that you yourselves may not be judged; behold, **the Judge is standing right at the door**.

The Coming of the Lord

1Cor. 4:5 Therefore do not go on passing judgment before the time, but **wait until the Lord comes** who will both bring to light the things hidden in the darkness and **disclose the motives of men's hearts**; and then **each man's praise will come to him from God**.

Coming of the Lord vs. Day of the Lord

2Th. 2:1 Now we request you, brethren, with regard to **the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ** and **our gathering** together to Him,

2Th. 2:2 that you not be quickly shaken from your composure or be disturbed either by a spirit or a message or a letter as if from us, to the effect that **the day of the Lord** has come.

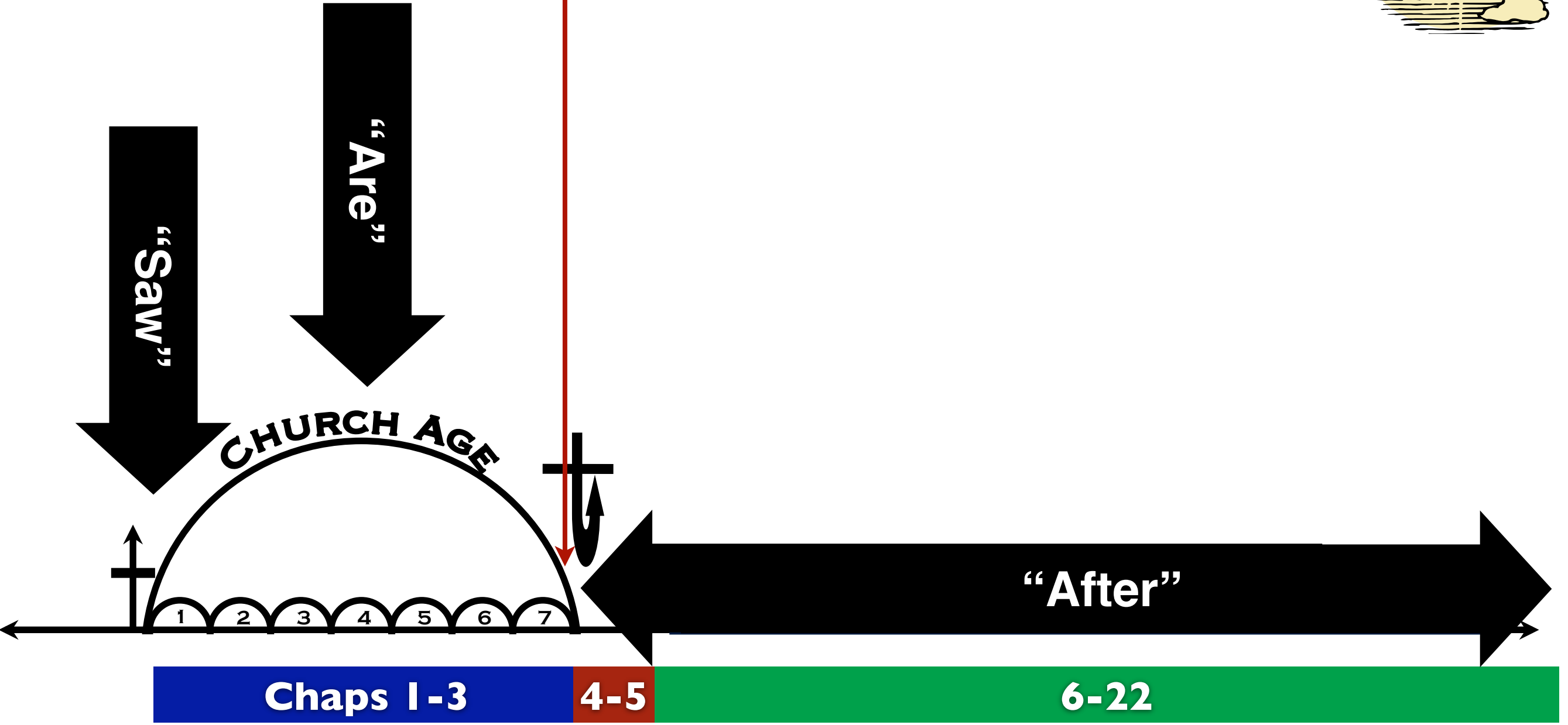
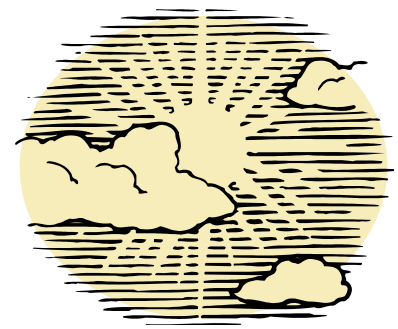
2Th. 2:3 Let no one in any way deceive you, for **it will not come** unless the apostasy comes first, and the man of lawlessness is revealed, the son of destruction,

2Th. 2:4 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.



The Coming of the Lord

Present Day



The Throne Room - Chapter 4

24 Elders

White Robes

Wearing Crowns

Human Leaders

**Believers in
Christ**

Crowns

diadem

Royal authority by
birthright

Revelation 12:12

stephanos

Wreath earned for a
race

2Timothy 4:8

The Throne Room - Chapter 4

24 Elders

Human Authority

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**Believers in
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**Rewarded for
service**

**The Church in the Throne
Room**

as represented by its leaders

The Throne Room - Chapter 4

“Seven” Spirits of God

Isaiah 11:2

The Spirit of the LORD will rest on Him,
The spirit of wisdom and understanding,
The spirit of counsel and strength,
The spirit of knowledge and the fear of the LORD.

**100% of the Holy Spirit
in the Throne Room**

Conclusion?

1. Chapter 4 is “after” the Church Age
2. All Leaders of the Church in Heaven
3. 100% of the Holy Spirit in Heaven

**All the Church must
be in the Throne Room!**

**How did all the
Church arrive in
the Throne Room
of God?????**

The Coming of the Lord

John 14:2 "In My Father's house are many dwelling places; if it were not so, I would have told you; for I go to prepare a place for you.

John 14:3 "If I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself, that where I am, there you may be also.

1Th. 4:13 But we do not want you to be uninformed, brethren, about those who are asleep, so that you will not grieve as do the rest who have no hope.

1Th. 4:14 For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so God will bring with Him those who have fallen asleep in Jesus.

1Th. 4:15 For this we say to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive and remain **until the coming of the Lord**, will not precede those who have fallen asleep.

1Th. 4:16 For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first.

1Th. 4:17 Then we who are alive and remain will be caught up together with them in the clouds to **meet the Lord in the air**, and so we shall always be with the Lord.

1Th. 4:18 Therefore comfort one another with these words.

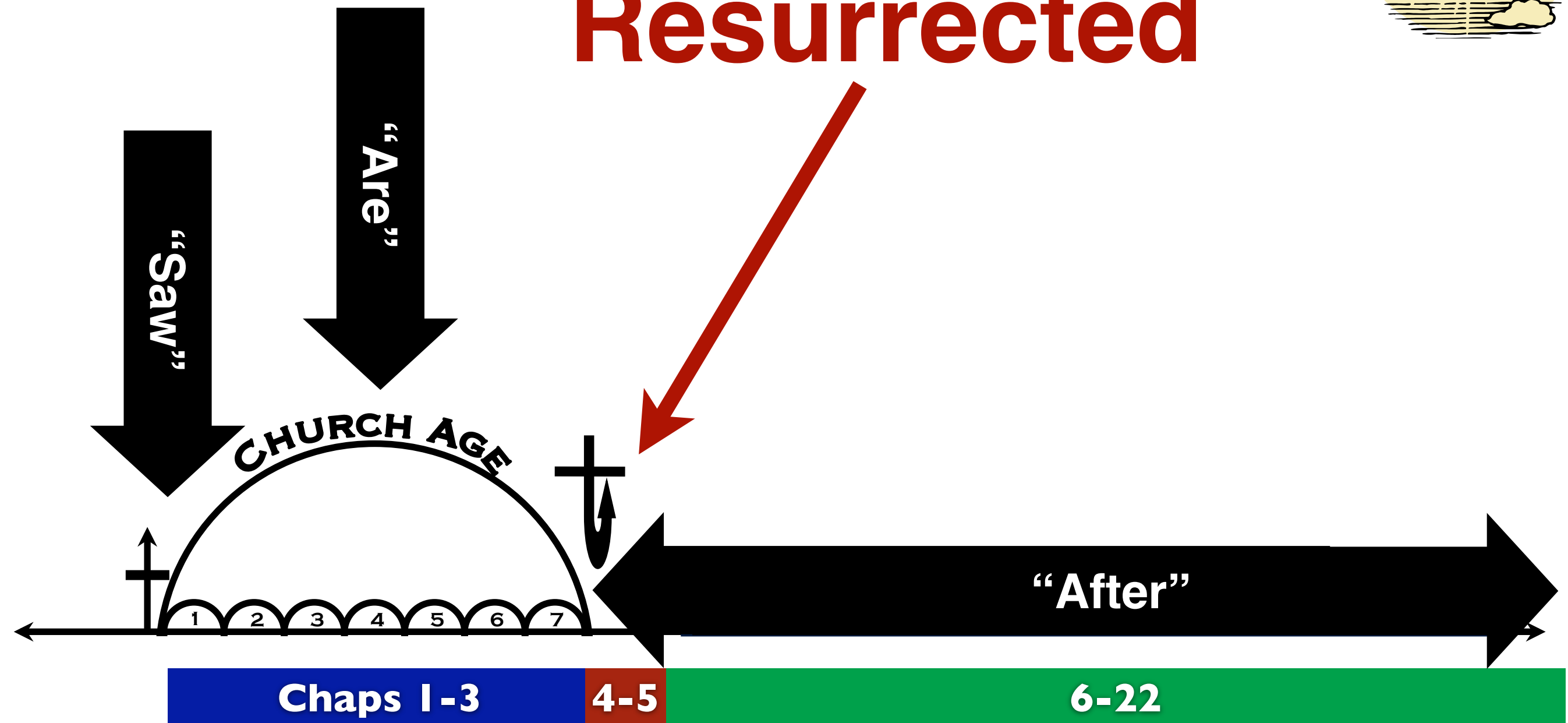
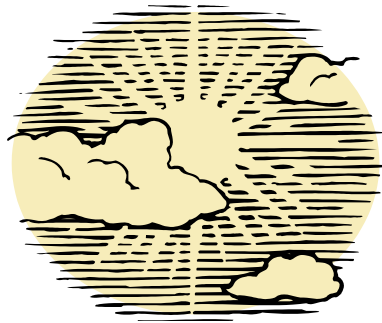
1Cor. 15:51 Behold, I tell you a mystery; we will not all sleep, but we will all be changed,

1Cor. 15:52 in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet; for the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and **we will be changed.**

1Cor. 15:53 For this perishable must put on the imperishable, and this mortal must put on immortality.



Church Resurrected



Why is the Church Removed?

1. Daniel's 70th week is intended for unbelieving Israel.

(Daniel 9)

2. The Bride of Christ is not appointed for wrath.

(1Thes 5)

3. The Bride's home has been made ready.

(John 14:2-3)

4. The complete number of Gentiles has been reached.

(Romans 11:25)

5. The entire Bride must be collected in same moment!

(1Cor 15; Hebrews 11-12)

Heb. 11:39 And all these, having gained approval through their faith, **did not receive what was promised,**

Heb. 11:40 because God had provided something better for us, **so that apart from us they would not be made perfect.**

Heb. 12:1 Therefore, since we have so great a cloud of witnesses surrounding us, let us also lay aside every encumbrance and the sin which so easily entangles us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us,

When is the Coming of the Lord?

Matt. 24:36 “But of that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, nor the Son, but the Father alone.

Matt. 24:37 “For the coming of the Son of Man will be just like the days of Noah...

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