

“The 70th Week of Daniel” (Daniel 9:24-27)

I. INTRODUCTION

**Do I Really Have To Know This?*

**Why Is Eschatology So Important?*

II. THE FIRST 69 WEEKS OF DANIEL

A. The Jewish Calendar

1. The people of Israel functioned within the confines of a calendar system that was divided into _____ year periods.
2. Every seventh year the Jews were to have a _____ year of rest for the land (Lev. 25:1-7).
3. Seven seasons of seven (7x7) would bring them to the Year of _____ (Lev. 25:8-12), which was to be celebrated every _____ years (or 50 years rounded off).
4. Daniel was writing from Babylon in which the Jews were currently experiencing God’s divine judgment of 70 years of captivity for not observing _____ Sabbatical years over a _____ year period (2 Chron. 36:21; Jer. 25:11-12; 29:10).

B. The Messiah Offered

1. From the time of the issuing of the last decree on March 5, 444 BC by King Artaxerxes (Nehemiah 2), and a “designated” time period of _____ years in between, we can conclude that some significant event took place in the spring of AD 33.
2. In the spring of AD 33 _____, the Lord Jesus Christ rode into Jerusalem on the foal of a donkey offering Himself as _____ (Zech. 9:9; Matt. 21:1-11).
3. On Friday _____, Israel not only rejected their Jewish Messiah, but they _____ Him (Matt. 27:35-44; Mark 15: 24-32; Luke 23: 33-38; John 19:18-27).
4. Thus, the first 69 Weeks of Daniel are not only directly related to the Jews, but are specifically _____ to the Jews alone.

III. THE PARENTHESIS OF TIME

A. The Church Age

1. God has a _____ program for Israel, and He has a _____ program for the Church.
2. The Church was _____ part of the first “69 Weeks” of Daniel and it _____ be a part of the “70th Week” of Daniel.

IV. THE 70th WEEK OF DANIEL

A. The Tribulation (*First 3 ½ Years*)

1. The time known as “*the time of Jacob’s trouble,*” “*the Great Tribulation,*” and (the judgment aspect) of “*the Day of the Lord*” are synonymous with _____ Week.
2. The peace treaty that is made between the Antichrist and Israel will be for a _____ period (Dan. 9:27; 11:22-23).
3. The prophetic “*time clock*” that stopped ticking when the Messiah was _____ at the end of the 69th Week, will _____ again when the Treaty is signed and the 70th Week begins.
4. The primary purpose of these future Tribulational judgments is to get the _____ of Israel, and humble her to the point of _____.

B. The Great Tribulation (*Second 3 ½ Years*)

1. The Antichrist will set himself up in the Jewish temple (“*the Abomination of Desolation*”) and demand the _____ and _____ of the world (Dan. 11:31; 12:11; Matt. 24:15; Mark 13:14; 2Thes. 2:3-4; Rev. 13:5-8).
2. This period designated as the Great Tribulation will be the most _____, _____, and unrelenting time that this earth will ever see.
3. The event that will close out the 70th Week of Daniel will be the Jewish _____ of Jesus Christ as the Messiah King!

V. CONCLUSION

**How does this apply to you?*

