

13. In Revelation 13, John sees a beast rising out of the what?
14. The beast is the revived what?
15. The beast is the world system which is headed up by whom?
16. The seven heads seen in Revelation 13 probably represent 7 what?
17. The ten horns represent what?
18. In Daniel 2, the ten toes of the huge image represent the 10 kingdoms which will compose the final what?
19. In Daniel 7 the little horn which comes from 10 horns is whom?
20. In 2 Thessalonians 2:4, the Antichrist opposes and exalts himself above whom?
21. From Daniel 7, as a leopard, the beast will be what?
22. From Daniel 7, what symbolizes the bruising force and ability to crush its (the beast) prey?
23. From Daniel 7, the mouth of a lion symbolizes what?
24. The beast of the last days will be inspired, empowered, directed and controlled by whom?
25. According to Revelation 13:10, the beast will have power over what?
26. According to Revelation 13:16-17, he will have power over the entire what?
27. No one will be able to buy or sell without the beast's what?
28. What will allow the beast to gain such political power?
29. The Antichrist signs a 7 year peace treaty with whom?
30. What is another highly probable reason why there will be chaos and crisis to aid the rise of the Antichrist to power?
31. Verse 3 is probably referring to what (out of the two options)?
32. According to Revelation 11:7, the Antichrist comes out of the what?
33. It is possible, based on 2 Thessalonians 2:11, that a counterfeit what, may be part of the lie Paul refers to?
34. What does the word Antichrist mean?
35. What is one thing that Satan has always wanted?
36. The writers of Holy Scripture often exalt the uniqueness of God by saying what?
37. The phrase, "and he was given" in Revelation 13:5 tells us that God is what?
38. Who gives the Antichrist authority?
39. God allows these things to happen to fulfill His what?
40. What is the first thing that the Antichrist will be allowed to do?
41. When does the Antichrist claim to be God and demand to be worshiped as God?
42. What is a predominant characteristic of the Antichrist?
43. Who is the blasphemy directed against?

44. From Revelation 13:8, who are the “earth-dwellers”?
45. Who will not worship the Antichrist?
46. What is missing from the statement in Revelation 13:9 (a statement which appears 7 times earlier in the book)?
47. Why is that part of the statement missing?
48. 2 Thessalonians 2:8 describes what in relation to the ungodly man known as the Antichrist?
49. Stop and evaluate you: Have you received Jesus Christ as your personal Lord and Savior? (If so, precede on to the evaluation questions below).

For Next Time: 1) Read 2 Thessalonians through one time; 2) Read chapter 2 each day this week; 3) Review all that you know or remember from previous studies concerning end times and the characteristics of the man known as the Antichrist; 4) What are some other possible “restrainers” in this world, besides God, that keep sinners back from absolute lawlessness?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God’s enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- »»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- »»How can I accomplish this change?
- »»What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

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THE ABOMINATION OF DESOLATION

2 Thessalonians 2:4-5 (Series#7)

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon on “**The Abomination of Desolation**”. All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. One of the most diabolic men to ever live was whom?
2. When did he reign as king of the Grecian empire?
3. What people group did Antiochus Epiphanes persecute?
4. The name he (Antiochus) took to himself meant what?
5. People called him Antiochus Epimanes which means what?
6. There is no doubt that Antiochus was empowered by whom?
7. The saints in Thessalonica were extremely disturbed and distressed because they thought they ended up in what?
8. What event takes place before the Day of the Lord?
9. One of the reasons why they could be confident that they were not in the Day of the Lord was what?
10. The event referred to in 2 Thessalonians 2:4 is called what by Jesus Christ?
11. The “he” in Revelation 13:1 is a reference to whom?

12. In ancient thought, what was commonly seen as the reservoir of evil?