

11. Antiochus Epiphanes reigned as king right near the end of what kingdom?
12. Antiochus took to himself the name Antiochus Theos Epiphanes, which means what?
13. People called him Anitochus Epimanes which means the what?
14. It seems that Satan was using Antiochus to try to wipe out the Jews to prevent what?
15. The Thessalonians were extremely disturbed and distressed because they thought that they had ended up in the what?
16. Is 2 Thessalonians 2:4 a new announcement?
17. What text did Paul not have access to at the time he wrote 2 Thessalonians?
18. In ancient thought, the sea was commonly the reservoir of what?
19. What or who is the beast that John sees rising out of the sea?
20. The beast is the revived what?
21. The seven heads of the beast probably represent 7 successive what?
22. The ten horns of the beast represent the ten kingdoms that will compose the what?
23. If Antiochus Epiphanes was a maniac, and he was, then the Antichrist will be the what?
24. John's vision of Revelation 13 is a conglomeration of the beasts spoken of in what Old Testament passage?
25. Where does the beast described in this text gets his power?
26. According to Revelation 13:10 the Antichrist will have power over what?
27. According to Revelation 13:16-17, he will have power over what?
28. How does this man attain such great power?
29. What role would a rapture play in helping this man attain such great power?
30. What is Revelation 13:3 referring to?
31. Revelation 11:7 says that the Antichrist comes out of the what?
32. What is the one thing that Satan has always wanted?
33. What is significant about the phrase, "and he was given..."??
34. How do we know that ultimately it is NOT Satan who is in control in this situation described in Revelation 13?
35. The Antichrist will be claim to be whom?
36. When does the Antichrist begin to make such claims?
37. The Antichrist's reign of terror will be for how many months?
38. What is a predominant characteristic of the Antichrist?
39. The consistent teaching of many passages is that the Jewish people are facing their worst persecution ever when what happens?
40. Judea is what part of the land of Israel?
41. Jesus warns those who are in Judea to flee to where?

42. Who hid in the mountainous region southeast of Jerusalem, around the Dead Sea?

43. God will use the intense persecution to finally bring His chosen people to what?

44. Intense persecution is what it will take to get the Jews to repent and believe in Jesus. What about you? What will it take to bring you to the point where you surrender your heart and life to the Lord Jesus Christ?

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?

**For Next Time:**

- 1) **Read Matthew 24-25**
- 2) **Who are some men throughout history who have the characteristics of the Antichrist?**
- 3) **What will be some of the characteristics of the man known as the Antichrist?**
- 4) **Read 2 Thessalonians 2. Who or what is the restrainer? What happens to the restrainer?**
- 5) **When the Abomination of Desolation happens, what are the Jews suppose to do?**

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**THEN THERE WILL BE GREAT TRIBULATION**

**Matthew 24:16**

**(Series #138)**

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "**Then There Will Be Great Tribulation.**" 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. If you know history, then you know what about the Jewish people?
2. Matthew 24 (and 25) are technically known as the what?
3. This passage is known as that because Jesus gave this message as He was sitting where?
4. The message of Matthew 24-25 was prompted by a question the disciples asked regarding what?
5. The focus of these words and events in Matthew 24-25 is whom?
6. Judea is a reference to what land?
7. The key event in connection with the Jews' persecution is what?
8. The book of Daniel tells us that there will arise a man in the future who will become what?
9. Among the many titles given to this world leader, we know him most commonly as whom?
10. Who was one of the most diabolic men to ever live in history?

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