

In part 8 we will begin to focus in on the area of ancient Babylon, the area of ancient Media-Persia (or Medo-Persian - Iran back to Persia in 1935), the area of ancient Greece and some of the area of the ancient Roman Empire. I listed the countries and where they are today in relationship to the empires of Bible prophecy earlier in this series.

These are the countries that are going to be heavily involved with End Time prophecy foretold in the Book of Daniel and confirmed and then confirmed and revealed in more clarity in the book of Revelation.

Most of these countries are of great muslim influence or islamic majority countries. This clue helps us understand that islam is absolutely going to be involved at the “End of Days” or the “Time Of The End”. Islam will be fulfilling many of the prophecies and the expectations of Biblical prophecies that have been recorded in God’s Word.

Daniel 12:4 AMPC

4 But you, O Daniel, shut up the words and seal the Book until the time of the end. [Then] many shall run to and fro and search anxiously [through the Book], and knowledge [of God’s purposes as revealed by His prophets] shall be increased and become great.

Revelation 22:10 AMPC

*10 And he [further] told me, **Do not seal up the words of the prophecy of this book and make no secret of them, for the time when things are brought to a crisis and the period of their fulfillment is near.***

Revelation 1:1,3 AMPC

1 **[This is] the revelation of Jesus Christ** [His unveiling of the divine mysteries]. God gave it to Him **to disclose and make known to His bond servants certain things which must shortly and speedily come to pass in their entirety.** And He sent and communicated it through His angel (messenger) to His bond servant John,

3 **Blessed (happy, to be envied) is the man who reads aloud [in the assemblies] the word of this prophecy; and blessed (happy, to be envied) are those who hear [it read] and who keep themselves true to the things which are written in it [heeding them and laying them to heart], for the time [for them to be fulfilled] is near.**

Note: One of the biggest differences between these two books (Revelation and Daniel) is that Daniel wrote for the nation of Israel, meaning Daniel's prophecies basically concern the nation of Israel. However, John's prophecy involves Israel and it also involves the church and gentile nations.

Jesus addresses the churches through John in Revelation chapter 2 and chapter 3. From that point on he deals with Israel and the gentile nations of the world. Both Daniel, in the book of Daniel and John in the book of Revelation, deal with the gentile nations and gentile empires that are going to effect Israel, the Jewish people and the city of Jerusalem. This is very important to understand and remember.

In the book of Daniel, chapter 7, it refers to a fourth beast or empire/kingdom in this vision by Daniel. This beast is one of the 7 heads in Revelation chapter 13 and the Bible talks about these 10 horns (10 toes) or 10 kings that are going to rule/have prominence at the End Of Days.

Daniel 7:23-24 AMPC

23 Thus [the angel] said, **The fourth beast shall be a fourth kingdom on earth,** which shall be different from all other kingdoms and shall devour the whole earth, tread it down, and break it in pieces and crush it.

24 And as for the ten horns, out of this kingdom ten kings shall arise; and another shall arise after them, and he shall be different from the former ones, and he shall subdue and put down three kings.

Daniel 7:1-7 AMPC

1 In the first year of Belshazzar king of Babylon Daniel had a dream and visions in his head as he was lying upon his bed. Then he wrote down the dream and told the gist of the matter.

2 Daniel said, I saw in my vision by night, and behold, the four winds of the heavens [political and social agitations] were stirring up the great sea [the nations of the world].

3 And **four great beasts came up out of the sea in succession,** and different from one another.

4 **The first [the Babylonian empire under Nebuchadnezzar] was like a lion and had eagle's wings.** I looked till the wings of it were plucked, and it was lifted up from the earth and made to stand upon two feet as a man, and a man's heart was given to it.

5 And **behold another beast, a second one [the Medo-Persian empire], was like a bear,** and it raised up itself on one side [or one dominion] and three ribs were in its mouth between its teeth; and it was told, *Arise, devour much flesh.*

6 After this I looked, and **behold, another [the Grecian empire of Alexander the Great], like a leopard which had four wings of a bird on its back. The beast had also four heads [Alexander's generals, his successors],** and dominion was given to it.

7 After this I saw in the night visions, and behold, **a fourth beast [the Roman empire]—terrible, powerful and dreadful, and exceedingly strong. And it had great iron teeth;** it devoured and crushed and trampled what was left with its feet. And it was different from all the beasts that came before it, and it had ten horns [symbolizing ten kings].

When we talk about the ten kings (toes, crowns or horns) who will rule and be controlled by the antichrist, part of this vision is yet to happen. This passage is setting up dealing with this beast system (government, religion and cashless currency), talking about the feet and the ten toes. In Daniel 2, God is revealing the empires starting with Babylon ending with the ten kings at the “End of Days”.

Revelation 17:12-14 AMPC

12 *Also the ten horns that you observed are ten rulers (kings) who have as yet received no royal dominion, but together they are to receive power and authority as rulers for a single hour, along with the beast.*

13 *These have one common policy (opinion, purpose), and they deliver their power and authority to the beast.*

14 **They will wage war against the Lamb, and the Lamb will triumph over them;** *for He is Lord of lords and King of kings—and those with Him and on His side are chosen and called [elected] and loyal and faithful followers.*

Revelation 19:15-16 AMPC

15 *From His mouth goes forth a sharp sword with which He can smite (afflict, strike) the nations; and He will shepherd and control them with a staff (scepter, rod) of iron. He will tread the winepress of the fierceness of the wrath and indignation of God the All-Ruler (the Almighty, the Omnipotent).*

16 **And on His garment (robe) and on His thigh He has a name (title) inscribed, king of kings and lord of lords.**

Let's go to Daniel chapter 4 and the dream of the **tree** or **tree stump**, which is King Nebuchadnezzar's 2nd dream. This big tree grows up all the way into the heavens with fruit on it and the birds from all the earth are landing on it. Everyone is so happy and the tree is beautiful and majestic.

Daniel 4:1-9 AMPC

1 *Nebuchadnezzar the king, to all people, nations, and languages that dwell on all the earth: May peace be multiplied to you!*

Nebuchadnezzar is sending a message to the entire world, and not just to his people. Some time had elapsed between the events of chapter 3 and those of chapter 4.

His boast (in verse 30), would not have been spoken until after many of his massive building operations had been completed.

2 It seemed good to me to show the signs and wonders that the Most High God has performed toward me.

Nebuchadnezzar is convinced the things that Daniel did, and the things that Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-nego did, were signs from God to cause him to believe. He will proclaim it to all who will believe.

3 How great are His signs! And how mighty His wonders! His kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and His dominion is from generation to generation.

Nebuchadnezzar is elevating God the only way he knows how. His words are praising God, and all of His deeds.

4 I, Nebuchadnezzar, was at rest in my house and prospering in my palace.

This is going back to the beginning of the account of his dream and Daniel's interpretation of that dream. It is an understatement to say that his reign was flourishing. He was the undisputed ruler of Babylon, and all of their captives... he was safe in his bed in his palace.

5 I had a dream which made me afraid, and the thoughts and imaginations and the visions of my head as I was lying upon my bed troubled and agitated me.

These are speaking of the dream he had of the image that had the golden head. He not only was frightened by the dream, but forgot the details of the dream, as well.

6 Therefore I made a decree to bring in all the wise men of Babylon before me, that they might make known to me the interpretation of the dream.

It was urgent for him to remember the dream and know the meaning of his dream, so he called all of the wise men.

7 Then the magicians, the enchanters, the Chaldeans, and the astrologers came in, and I told them the dream, but they could not make known to me the interpretation of it.

They had limited power because they were depending on their flesh, their past experiences with the king and satan. These did not help them and they were about to be killed.

8 But at last Daniel came in before me—he who was named Belteshazzar, after the name of my god, and in whom is the Spirit of the Holy God—and I told the dream before him, saying,

Belteshazzar was the name Nebuchadnezzar had given Daniel to honor a false god. We see that Nebuchadnezzar still believes in many gods at this point (“according to the name of my god”)... but, he is now starting to realize that there is only one True God

Daniel 4:9 KJV

9 O Belteshazzar, **master of the magicians**, because **I know that the spirit of the holy gods is in thee**, and no secret troubleth thee, tell me the visions of my dream that I have seen, and the interpretation thereof.

Daniel 4:9 AMPC

9 O Belteshazzar, **chief of the magicians**, because **I know that the Spirit of the Holy God is in you** and no secret mystery is a burden or troubles you, tell me the visions of my dream that I have seen and the interpretation of it.

Verse 9 of Daniel Chapter 4 starts the beginning of a new dream. This has nothing to do with the last few verses, except they showed why Nebuchadnezzar had confidence in Daniel to interpret this dream.

Notice the title, ***master*** or ***chief***... he had given Daniel that title after he interpreted Nebuchadnezzar's dream. Nebuchadnezzar has recognized that God is with Daniel and will give him the interpretation. It is interesting that he used the term “the spirit of the holy gods is in thee”. He feels that no dream is too hard for Daniel to interpret.

Daniel 4:10-12 AMPC

10 The visions of my head [as I lay] on my bed were these: I saw, and behold, [there was] a tree in the midst of the earth, and its height was great.

11 The tree grew and was strong and its height reached to the heavens, and the sight of it reached to the end of the whole earth.

12 Its leaves were fair and its fruit abundant, and in it was food for all. The living creatures of the field found shade under it, and the birds of the sky dwelt in its branches; and all flesh was fed from it.

*13 I saw in the visions of my head [as I lay] on my bed, and behold, **a watcher**, a holy one, came down from heaven.*

Daniel 4:13 KJV

*13 I saw in the visions of my head upon my bed, and, behold, **a watcher** and an holy one came down from heaven;*

Notice in verse 13, everything is great and then we are introduced to a “watcher”... a “watcher” is like a guardian angel. This angel begins to cry out and gives a message for the tree to be cut down. This angel begins to cry out and gives a message for the tree to be cut down.

Daniel 4:14-16 AMPC

14 He cried aloud [with might] and said, Cut down the tree and cut off its branches; shake off its leaves and scatter its fruit. Let the living creatures flee from under it and the fowls from its branches.

*15 Nevertheless **leave the stump of its roots in the earth, bound with a band of iron and bronze, in the midst of the tender grass of the field.** Let him be wet with the dew of the heavens, and let him share the lot of the living creatures in the grass of the earth.*

16 Let his nature and understanding be changed from a man's and let a beast's nature and understanding be given him, and let seven times [or years] pass over him.

What is interesting here is when it uses the phrase, **let seven times pass over him.** Time meaning one year and half time meaning 6 months. So, seven times equals seven years.

Daniel 7:25 AMPC

25 And he shall speak words against the Most High [God] and shall wear out the saints of the Most High and think to change the time [of sacred feasts and holy days] and the law; and the saints shall be given into his hand for a time, two times, and half a time [three and one-half years].

Daniel 12:7 AMPC

7 And I heard the man clothed in linen, who was above the waters of the river, when he held up his right and his left hand toward the heavens and swore by Him Who lives forever that it shall be for a time, times, and a half a time [or three and one-half years]; and when they have made an end of shattering and crushing the power of the holy people, all these things shall be finished.

Note: the "saints of the Most High" in Daniel 7:25 is a remnant group of Jewish people (and Gentile converts) who come to faith during the Tribulation after the Church has been raptured. They are believers (recent converts for their witness or belief in Jesus) specifically persecuted by the Antichrist ("little horn") during the final 3 1/2 years of the 7-year tribulation.

Also, in the book of Revelation we find this 7 year period broken down in 2, 42 months periods or 3 1/2 years.

Revelation 11:2-3 AMPC

2 But leave out of your measuring the court outside the sanctuary of God; omit that, for it is given over to the Gentiles (the nations), and they will trample the holy city underfoot for 42 months (three and one-half years).

3 And I will grant the power of prophecy to My two witnesses for 1,260 (42 months; three and one-half years), dressed in sackcloth.

Revelation 12:6 AMPC

6 And the woman [herself] fled into the desert (wilderness), where she has a retreat prepared [for her] by God, in which she is to be fed and kept safe for 1,260 days (42 months; three and one-half years).

Revelation 12:14 AMPC

14 But the woman was supplied with the two wings of a giant eagle, so that she might fly from the presence of the serpent into the desert (wilderness), to the retreat where she is to be kept safe and fed for a time, and times, and half a time (three and one-half years, or 1,260 days)

Revelation 13:5 AMPC

5 And the beast was given the power of speech, uttering boastful and blasphemous words, and he was given freedom to exert his authority and to exercise his will during forty-two months (three and a half years).

In Leviticus Chapter 26 when Israel disobeyed God, they were punished seven times.

Leviticus 26:18 AMPC

18 And if in spite of all this you still will not listen and be obedient to Me, then I will chastise and discipline you seven times more for your sins.

Leviticus 26:18 KJV

18 And if ye will not yet for all this hearken unto me, then I will punish you seven times more for your sins.

The “seven times” punishment is punishment that is already established in the law of Moses against someone who is very disobedient to God’s Word, Law or Commands etc. This is the Bible explaining the bible... The prophetic interpretation to this dream is very interesting because when you look at this dream it talks about the watchers. It says this a decree by the Holy Ones.

Daniel 4:13-14 AMPC

*13 I saw in the visions of my head [as I lay] on my bed, **and behold, a watcher, a holy one, came down from heaven.***

*14 **He cried (decreed) aloud [with might] and said,** Cut down the tree and cut off its branches; shake off its leaves and scatter its fruit. Let the living creatures flee from under it and the fowls from its branches.*

Definition of decree:

official order issued by a legal authority;
a judgment or decision of certain laws

King Nebuchadnezzar had destroyed the Temple and taken the treasures to Babylon. There were Jewish people killed in that invasion. I believe that the “holy ones” mentioned here are the saints praying for God to judge King Nebuchadnezzar for his treatment of the Temple, the people and the city of Jerusalem.

Daniel 4:17 AMPC

17 This sentence is by the decree of the [heavenly] watchers and the decision is by the word of the holy ones, to the intent that the living may know that the Most High [God] rules the kingdom of mankind and gives it to whomever He will and sets over it the humblest and lowliest of men.

A judgment had been decreed on King Nebuchadnezzar in Daniel chapter 4 and here's the interpretation. The tree itself is the Kingdom of Babylon, it was cut down and we will find out later that King Nebuchadnezzar had a complete nervous breakdown. He was driven off of his throne and out of the palace to live in a field like a beast.

Daniel 4:19-26 AMPC

19 Then Daniel, whose name was Belteshazzar, was astonished and dismayed and stricken dumb for a while [concerned about the king's destiny], and his thoughts troubled, agitated, and alarmed him. The king said, Belteshazzar, let not the dream or its interpretation trouble or alarm you. Belteshazzar answered, My lord, may the dream be for those who hate you and its message for your enemies.

20 *The tree that you saw, which grew [great] and was strong, whose height reached to the heavens and which was visible to all the earth,*

21 *Whose foliage was beautiful and its fruit abundant, on which was food for all, under which the living creatures of the field dwelt, and on whose branches the birds of the sky had their nests*

22 *It is you, O king, who have grown and become strong; your greatness has increased and it reaches to the heavens, and your dominion to the ends of the earth.*

23 *And whereas **the king saw a watcher, a holy one, coming down from heaven and saying, Cut the tree down and destroy it, but leave the stump of its roots in the earth with a band of iron and bronze around it, in the tender grass of the field;** and let him be wet with the dew of the heavens, and let his portion be with the living creatures of the field until seven times [or years] pass over him*

24 *This is the interpretation, O king: It is the decree of the Most High [God] which has come upon my lord the king:*

25 *You shall be driven from among men and your dwelling **shall be with the beasts** of the field; you shall be made to eat grass as do the oxen and you shall be wet with the dew of the heavens; **and seven times [or years] shall pass over you until you learn and know and recognize that the Most High [God] rules the kingdom of mankind and gives it to whomever He will.***

This tree was cut down and King Nebuchadnezzar would have to go around or circle seven times around that stump or seven years.

Daniel 4:33-36 AMPC

33 That very hour the thing was [in process of] being fulfilled upon Nebuchadnezzar. He was driven from among men and did eat grass like oxen **[as Daniel had said he would]** and his body was wet with the dew of the heavens until his hair grew like eagles' [feathers] and his nails [were] like birds' [claws].

34 And at the end of the days [seven years], I, Nebuchadnezzar, lifted up my eyes to heaven, and my understanding and the right use of my mind returned to me; and I blessed the Most High [God] and I praised and honored and glorified Him Who lives forever, Whose dominion is an everlasting dominion; and His kingdom endures from generation to generation.

35 And all the inhabitants of the earth are accounted as nothing. And He does according to His will in the host of heaven and among the inhabitants of the earth, and none can stay His hand or say to Him, What are You doing?

36 Now at the same time my reason and understanding returned to me; and for the glory of my kingdom, my majesty and splendor returned to me, and my counselors and my lords sought me out; I was reestablished in my kingdom, and still more greatness [than before] was added to me.



King Nebuchadnezzar had a disease where his hair grew out, his fingernails grew long and he ate grass like an animal. Historical documents state that he had lycanthropy This is from two words, *lúkos* meaning "wolf" and *ánthrōpos* meaning "human". He was part man and part animal or wolf.

Here's the amazing thing. The stump was to remain in the earth, meaning, it would grow back again. So, after 7 years he came to himself...

Daniel 4:23 AMPC

*23 And whereas the king saw a watcher, a holy one, coming down from heaven and saying, **Cut the tree down and destroy it, but leave the stump of its roots in the earth with a band of iron and bronze around it**, in the tender grass of the field; and let him be wet with the dew of the heavens, and let his portion be with the living creatures of the field until seven times [or years] pass over him*



He is a beast from Babylon living with the wild beasts and in the book of Revelation Chapter 13 the antichrist is called the beast. Seven years have to pass, and this is what I want to show you... King Nebuchadnezzar has this break down but there are these 2 metal bands that are on the stump. One is made of brass/bronze and the other is made of iron.

Why is this important? Going back to the metallic image we discovered that brass/bronze represents the Grecian Empire/Kingdom/Beast and iron represents the Roman Empire/Kingdom or Beast. Why are these two metals on this tree and not the others? There is no gold on the tree because gold represents the Babylonian Empire and the stump of the tree is Babylon.

Revelation 13:1 says that the beast has seven heads. (We will be talking about those empires a little later). They are Egypt, Assyria, Babylon, Media-Persia, Greece, Rome and the seventh empire is coming at the End Of Days in the first 42 months of the tribulation and the eighth empire the last 42 months of the tribulation or the time of Jacob's Trouble.

Revelation 13:1 AMPC

*13 [As] I stood on the sandy beach, I saw a beast coming up out of the sea **with ten horns and seven heads.** On his horns he had ten royal crowns (diadems) and blasphemous titles (names) on his heads.*

Then it gets very interesting, it says that on one of the heads, I repeat, one of the heads, it doesn't say on the head of the beast. The beast is a system/empire or government system not the antichrist, the antichrist is not going to get shot in the head and come back to life - forget the novels.

Revelation 13:3 AMPC

*3 And **one of his heads** seemed to have a deadly wound. But his death stroke was healed; **and the whole earth went after the beast in amazement and admiration.***

Revelation 13:12 AMPC

*12 He exerts all the power and right of control of the former beast in his presence, and causes the earth and those who dwell upon it to exalt and deify the first beast, **whose deadly wound was healed, and to worship him.***

One of the empires/kingdoms or beasts of past history is dead but it will be revived. It's right there in God's Word - that Empire will be Babylon. The whole entire stump is Babylon and it has been cut down. This just doesn't represent King Nebuchadnezzar being cut down because the 2 bands are still there, this is prophetic message.

King Nebuchadnezzar had a breakdown and that time is represented by the tree and God left the stump in the ground to bring him back seven years later ...but, what about the two rings remaining on the stump? We need to go back to Daniel Chapter 2 and realize it's the area of the Grecian and Roman Empire

The area of ancient Babylon with this overlap of the other two empires is today: Syria, Lebanon and the country of Iraq is going to come out at the End Of Days being the headquarters of the antichrist.



That is why there is no gold band on the stump because the stump is going to grow back and will be Babylon. The areas where the vacuum has been created is Lebanon, Syria, and Iraq.

The territory from the Old Grecian Empire and the territory from the Old Roman Empire is going to come together and have a headquarters in Babylon in the End Of Days. This is the first 42 months of the 7 year tribulation before the antichrist and false prophet takes over Jerusalem in the final 42 months of the 7 year tribulation.

Daniel Chapter 4, very rarely is taught, yet it is one of the great test prophetic chapters of the Bible. It reveals to you and I, just that Babylon will be significant at the “End Of Days” or “Time Of The End”.

A vacuum has been created where these Empire were located: From the lack of government leadership, hatred of the jews and adoration of the false prophet in Lebanon by Catholics, muslim’s and Hezbollah. The removal of President Assad from Syria in December of 2024 escaping to Russia or Magog and the capture by US forces of Saddam Hussein on December 13, 2003, and later executed by hanging on December 30, 2006 in Iraq....this is where the first one world religion and government tried to begin.

Genesis 11:1-9 AMPC

1 And *the whole earth was of one language and of one accent and mode of expression.*

2 And as they journeyed eastward, they found a plain (valley) in the land of Shinar, and they settled and dwelt there.

Daniel 1:1-2 AMPC

1 In the third year of the reign of Jehoiakim king of Judah, Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon came to Jerusalem and besieged it.

2 And the Lord gave Jehoiakim king of Judah into his hand, along with a part of the vessels of the house of God; and he carried them into the land of Shinar [Babylonia] to the house of his god and placed the vessels in the treasury of his god.

3 And they said one to another, Come, let us make bricks and burn them thoroughly. So they had brick for stone, and slime (bitumen) for mortar.

4 And they said, Come, let us build us a city and a tower whose top reaches into the sky, and let us make a name for ourselves, lest we be scattered over the whole earth.

5 And the Lord came down to see the city and the tower which the sons of men had built.

6 And the Lord said, Behold, they are one people and they have all one language; and this is only the beginning of what they will do, and now nothing they have imagined they can do will be impossible for them.

7 Come, let Us go down and there confound (mix up, confuse) their language, that they may not understand one another's speech.

8 So the Lord scattered them abroad from that place upon the face of the whole earth, and they gave up building the city.

9 **Therefore the name of it was called Babel**—because there the Lord confounded the language of all the earth; and from that place the Lord scattered them abroad upon the face of the whole earth.

Genesis 10:6-11 AMPC

6 The sons of Ham: Cush, Egypt [Mizraim], Put, and Canaan.

7 The sons of Cush: Seba, Havilah, Sabtah, Raamah, and Sabteca; and the sons of Raamah: Sheba and Dedan.

8 Cush became the father of **Nimrod**; he was the first to be a mighty man on the earth.

9 He was a mighty hunter before the Lord; therefore it is said, Like Nimrod, a mighty hunter before the Lord.

10 **The beginning of his kingdom was Babel**, Erech, Accad, and Calneh, **in the land of Shinar [in Babylonia]**.

11 Out of the land he [Nimrod] went forth into **Assyria and built Nineveh**, Rehoboth-Ir, Calah,

This is what the never wrong Prophet Isaiah has to tell you and I today about what has already occurred that was foretold and what is still to come that has been spoken of...

Isaiah 46:9-10 AMPC

9 [Earnestly] remember the former things, [which I did] of old; for I am God, and there is no one else; I am God, and there is none like Me,

10 Declaring the end and the result from the beginning, and from ancient times the things that are not yet done, saying, My counsel shall stand, and I will do all My pleasure and purpose

In Revelation chapters 17 and chapters 18, these two chapters are written about Mystery Babylon. There is a political and a religious Babylon Empire: The Eastern Roman Empire, area of Ham, and the Iron where the Anti Christ will come from. Then, the Western Roman Empire, area of Japheth, and the clay where the False Prophet will come from.

What we are reading and getting the revelation of is what is actually taking place right now prior to the 7 year Tribulation and the 2 Beasts that will be in existence for 42 months each (or 3 1/2 years). God's Word says that many nations will confirm a covenant or sign a contract/agreement/peace treaty (following the war of Gog and Magog) with Israel for 7 years in verse 27, belonging to the 70 weeks prophecy of Daniel.

What are the seventy weeks of Daniel?

The "seventy weeks" prophecy is one of the most significant and detailed Messianic prophecies of the Old Testament. found in Daniel chapter. 9 . As Daniel prayed, the angel Gabriel appeared to him and gave him a vision of Israel's future. The Divisions of the 70 Weeks in verse 24, Gabriel says, "Seventy 'sevens' are decreed for your people and your holy city." The seventy "sevens" means seventy "weeks" of years, in other words, a period of 490 years.

These verses provide a "clock" that gives an idea of when the Messiah would come and some of the events that would accompany His appearance.

The prophecy goes on to divide the 490 years into three smaller units: one of 49 years, one of 434 years, and one 7 years. The final “week” of 7 years is further divided in half. Verse 25 says, “From the time the word goes out to restore and rebuild Jerusalem until the Anointed One, the ruler, comes, there will be seven ‘sevens,’ and sixty-two ‘sevens.’” Seven “sevens” is 49 years, and sixty-two “sevens” is another 434 years:

Daniel 9:27 AMPC

*27 And he shall enter into a **strong and firm covenant with the many for one week [seven years]** And in the midst of the week he shall cause the sacrifice and offering to cease [for the remaining three and one-half years]; and upon the wing or pinnacle of abominations [shall come] one who makes desolate, until the full determined end is poured out on the desolator.*

Daniel 9:27 KJV

*27 And he shall **confirm the covenant with many for one week:** and in the midst of the week he shall cause the sacrifice and the oblation to cease, and for the overspreading of abominations he shall make it desolate, even until the consummation, and that determined shall be poured upon the desolate.*

Then look what is happening in Daniel 4, King Nebuchadnezzar become a beast for 7 years...

Daniel 4:32-34 AMPC

32 And you (King Nebuchadnezzar) shall be driven from among men and your dwelling will be with the living creatures of the field. You will be made to eat grass like the oxen, **and seven times [or years] shall pass over you until you have learned and know that the Most High [God] rules in the kingdom of men and gives it to whomever He will.**

33 That very hour the thing was [in process of] being fulfilled upon Nebuchadnezzar. He was driven from among men and did eat grass like oxen [as Daniel had said he would], and his body was wet with the dew of the heavens until his hair grew like eagles' [feathers] and his nails [were] like birds' [claws].

34 And **at the end of the days [seven years]**, I, Nebuchadnezzar, lifted up my eyes to heaven, and my understanding and the right use of my mind returned to me; and I blessed the Most High [God] and I praised and honored and glorified Him Who lives forever, Whose dominion is an everlasting dominion; and His kingdom endures from generation to generation.

The Bible tells us in Revelation 13:1 that John saw a beast rising out of the sea. This Empire our Government/Beast system is represented by 2 men. The first man or beast is the antichrist...

Revelation 13:1 AMPC

I [As] I stood on the sandy beach, I saw **a beast** coming up out of the sea with ten horns and **seven heads. On his horns he had ten royal crowns (diadems) and blasphemous titles (names) on his heads.**



These green bandanas say, “**there is no god but allah and allah has no sons**”... this is blasphemy. (Remember this is a government and religion system... it has to bring the apostate christian leader and islam together)

1 John 2:22 AMPC

22 Who is [such a] liar as he who denies that Jesus is the Christ (the Messiah)? He is the antichrist (the antagonist of Christ), who [habitually] denies and refuses to acknowledge the Father and the Son.

1 John 2:22 KJV

22 Who is a liar but he that denieth that Jesus is the Christ? He is antichrist, that denieth the Father and the Son.

1 John 4:3 AMPC

*3 And every spirit which does not acknowledge and confess that Jesus Christ has come in the flesh [but would annul, destroy, sever, disunite Him] is not of God [does not proceed from Him]. **This [nonconfession] is the [spirit] of the antichrist, [of] which you heard that it was coming, and now it is already in the world.***

1 John 4:3 KJV

3 And every spirit that confesseth not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God: and this is that spirit of antichrist, whereof ye have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world.

Secondly, we realize that the King is living like a beast for a seven year period. At the end of this 7 year period the kingdom is restored just as it will at the end of the 7 year tribulation.

Daniel 4:32-34 AMPC

*32 And you (King Nebuchadnezzar) shall be driven from among men and your dwelling will be with the living creatures of the field. You will be made to eat grass like the oxen, **and seven times [or years] shall pass over you until you have learned and know that the Most High [God] rules in the kingdom of men and gives it to whomever He will.***

33 That very hour the thing was [in process of] being fulfilled upon Nebuchadnezzar. He was driven from among men and did eat grass like oxen [as Daniel had said he would], and his body was wet with the dew of the heavens until his hair grew like eagles' [feathers] and his nails [were] like birds' [claws].

34 And at the end of the days [seven years], I, Nebuchadnezzar, lifted up my eyes to heaven, and my understanding and the right use of my mind returned to me; and I blessed the Most High [God] and I praised and honored and glorified Him Who lives forever, Whose dominion is an everlasting dominion; and His kingdom endures from generation to generation.

Seven times or seven years has to pass which represents the seven year tribulation that is coming in the future. During that 7 year Tribulation of time will the the 7th Empire/Beast for 42 months and the 8th Empire/Beast for 42 months kingdom.

The messiah returns and sets up his kingdom here on the earth all of the nations come and worship. That is called the stone kingdom. The stone that the builder rejected begins the millennium reign of Christ.

Matthew 21:42 AMPC

42 Jesus asked them, Have you never read in the Scriptures: The very Stone which the builders rejected and threw away has become the Cornerstone; this is the Lord's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes?

Daniel 2:34 AMPC

34 As you looked, a Stone was cut out without human hands, which smote the image on its feet of iron and [baked] clay [of the potter] and broke them to pieces.

Daniel 2:45 AMPC

45 Just as you saw that the Stone was cut out of the mountain without hands and that it broke in pieces the iron, the bronze, the clay, the silver, and the gold, the great God has made known to the king what shall come to pass hereafter. The dream is certain and the interpretation of it is sure.

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