Future Facts: God's Absolute Plan for the World

God's Prophetic Timeline

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"I am God, and there is no other; I am God, and there is no one like Me, declaring the end from the beginning and from ancient times things which have not been done…I have spoken; truly I will bring it to pass. I have planned it, surely I will do it." Is. 46:9-11

Biblical History: The Big Picture

- Adam – Abraham 2000 years
- Abraham – Jesus 2000 years
- Jesus – present 2000 years
- Millennial reign 1000 years

  7000 total years

Daniel 9:24-27

24 "Seventy 'sevens" are decreed for your people and your holy city to finish transgression, to put an end to sin, to atone for wickedness, to bring in everlasting righteousness, to seal up vision and prophecy and to anoint the Most Holy Place.
25 "Know and understand this: 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.' It will be rebuilt with streets and a trench, but in times of trouble. 26 After the sixty-two 'sevens,' the Anointed One will be put to death and will have nothing. The people of the ruler who will come will destroy the city and the sanctuary. The end will come like a flood: War will continue until the end, and desolations have been decreed. 27 He will confirm a covenant with many for one 'seven,' but in the middle of the 'seven' he will put an end to sacrifice and offering. And one who causes desolation will place abomination on a wing of the temple until the end that is decreed is poured out on him."

Daniel's 70 Weeks

- 70 weeks of years
- 1 week = 7 years
- 70 weeks of years = 490 years

7 sevens and 62 sevens (Dan. 9:25) – 483 years: From the time of the decree to restore and rebuild Jerusalem (Neh. 2:1-8) until Jesus is crucified.

Gap between week 69 and week 70: Church age/Blindness of Israel/Times of the Gentiles – Luke 19:41-44; Rom. 11:25-29

70th Week of Daniel

70th Week (Dan. 9:27) Also called the "Great Tribulation" – 7 years: Antichrist makes covenant with Israel for 7 years
Rapture of the Church – 1 Thess. 4:16-18

- First 3 ½ years

The 7 seals of Revelation (Rev. 6)
The Trials of Matthew 24
The ministry, death and resurrection of the 2 witnesses (Rev. 11)

- Second 3 ½ years

The abomination that causes desolation – violation of God's temple (Dan. 9:27; Matt. 24:15; 2 Thess. 2:4)
Antichrist and False prophet rule/Mark of the Beast: 666
Wrath of God – Trumpet and Bowl judgments
Battle of Armageddon
2nd Coming of Christ
Antichrist and False prophet judged

The End of Time

- The Millennial Reign of Christ and Final Rebellion
- The Great White Throne Judgment
- New Heaven and New Earth

"He who testifies to these things says, "Yes, I am coming soon." Amen! Come Lord Jesus." Rev. 22:20