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I Peter 4:7 "But the end of all things is at hand."

"LOOK FOR HIS COMING"

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HAVE YOU COME ONE ON ONE WITH THE LORD?

WHEN IS THE LORD COMING BACK FOR US?

Mat 25:13 Watch therefore, for ye know neither the day nor the hour wherein the Son of man cometh.

WHAT TWO QUESTIONS WERE ASK IN MAT 24:3 AND TO WHOM WAS HIS RESPONSE?

1.

When and **What**: In Mat. 24:3 the disciples asked Jesus two questions (1) **When** shall these things be? (2) **What** shall be the sign of thy coming, and the end of the world? Jesus response was to these two questions. "Mat 24:33 So likewise ye, when ye shall see all these things, know that it is near, even at the doors."

This tells us **when**.

"Mat 24:30 And then shall appear the sign of the Son of man in heaven: and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory."

Verse 30 tells us "what shall be the sign".

When and **what** are ask by some of the disciples in Mark 13:4

In Luke 17:20 The question of when only was ask of the Pharisees. In Luke 21:7 **when** and **what** were ask.

Look at each of these and see if the coming of the Lord is not after we see all the signs given.

In Mat. 24 Jesus was asked the disciples about his coming and the end of the world. Please note that in his answer pronouns are used , if my count is right, 18 times referring to the disciples who were there and had ask the two questions.

When: After we see all these things mentioned in reference to Mat24:33 above.

2.

"...our gathering together unto him,..."

"...that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition;..."

2 Th 2:1 Now we beseech you, brethren, by the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, and by our gathering together unto him.

2 Th 2:2 That ye be not soon shaken in mind, or be troubled, neither by spirit, nor by word, nor by letter as from us, as that the day of Christ is at hand.

2 Th 2:3 Let no man deceive you by any means: for that day shall not come, except there come a falling away first, and that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition;

2 Th 2:4 Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, showing himself that he is God.

OPINION

II Thes. 2:1-4 the gathering together unto him can not take place until two things take place (1) a falling away first (2) man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition. The first appears to have already happened. The second in verse 4 opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God. It is felt the Jews would have nothing to do with him if he had revealed himself. When the daily sacrifice is taken away and he reveals himself it would seem there can be no doubt. The gathering appears to take place after this point but not necessarily at this point.

When: after the man of sin is revealed.

3.

"...the last trump..."

1 Cor 15:52 In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.

OPINION. In I Cor. 15:52 It says at the last trump the dead will be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed.

The Greek salpigx is translated trump and the 4 times trumpet are used in Revelation are translated from the same word. The 2 times trumpets are used they are translated from the same word. If the seventh trumpet is not the last trump it appears that it must of necessity be after the seventh trumpet.

When: last trump

4.

"...harvest..."

Rev 14:15 And another angel came out of the temple, crying with a loud voice to him that sat on the cloud, Thrust in thy sickle, and reap: for the time is come for thee to reap; for the harvest of the earth is ripe.

Rev 14:16 And he that sat on the cloud thrust in his sickle on the earth; and the earth was reaped.

OPINION

In the 14th chapter of Revelation the harvest of the earth is mentioned in verse 14-16. This is the only time in the book of Revelation that the word harvest is mentioned. The harvest suggest the good is gathered. Immediately after follows the vine of the earth. All indications that I see this would be Armageddon. Note that blood comes out of the winepress, (Rev 14:19) even unto the horse bridles, by the space of a thousand and six hundred furlongs. Both are listed one following the other.

When: harvest followed by Armageddon.

5.

"...one sat like unto the Son of man,..."

Rev 14:14 And I looked, and behold a white cloud, and upon the cloud one sat like unto the Son of man, having on his head a golden crown, and in his hand a sharp sickle.

OPINION. "...one like unto the Son of man..." is mentioned in Rev. 1:13, Rev. 14:14, and Daniel 7:13. In Rev. 1:18 it clarifies who verse 13 is referring to. Daniel 7:13 clarifies in verse 14 to whom it is being spoken of. In Mat.24:30 the Son of man is mentioned twice in the same verse telling of his coming. In Mark 13:26 Son of man once again is mentioned. Obviously in Rev. 14:14 this is the coming of the Lord, as well as in Mat. 24:30 and Mark 13:26.

When: In Rev 14:14-15 the next event mentioned appears to be Armageddon.

6.

"...the same day that Lot went out of Sodom it rained fire and brimstone from heaven, and destroyed them all"

Luke 17:28 Likewise also as it was in the days of Lot; they did eat, they drank, they bought, they sold, they planted, they builded;

Luke 17:29 But the same day that Lot went out of Sodom it rained fire and brimstone from heaven, and destroyed them all.

Luke 17:30 Even thus shall it be in the day when the Son of man is revealed.

OPINION

It appears the same day that Lot went out of Sodom all the wicked were destroyed.

When: Just before the destruction of the wicked.

7.

CLOUDS OR CLOUDS

"...one like the Son of man came with the clouds of heaven..."

Dan 7:13 I saw in the night visions, and, behold, one like the Son of man came with the clouds of heaven, and came to the Ancient of days, and they brought him near before him.

"...he cometh with clouds..."

Rev 1:7 Behold, he cometh with clouds; and every eye shall see him, and they also which pierced him: and all kindreds of the earth shall wail because of him. Even so, Amen.

"...behold a white cloud..."

Rev 14:14 And I looked, and behold a white cloud, and upon the cloud one sat like unto the Son of man, having on his head a golden crown, and in his hand a sharp sickle.

When: This scripture takes place at the harvest (Rev 14:15-16) and the next scriptures after is Armageddon (Rev 14:17-20).

OPINION. Clouds: In Revelation 1:7 it indicates that he cometh with clouds. The word cloud appears 6 times in Revelation and clouds 1 time. Clouds is as mentioned above. Twice cloud is mentioned not referring to the harvest or gathering of the saints. Revelation 10:1 refers to an angel clothed with a cloud. Revelation 11:12 refers to the two witnesses being taken up after they were killed. The only four times that cloud was used was in Revelation chapter 14:14 -16 and the word is used 4 times. In short, we are told in the first chapter he is coming in clouds and the only mention in Revelation of cloud, other than the two unrelated, are in three verses telling of his coming. In Mat. 24:30 clouds are mentioned with his coming as well as Mark 13:26.

8.

Rev 11:15 And the seventh angel sounded; and there were great voices in heaven, saying, The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of his Christ; and he shall reign for ever and ever.

OPINION: We have seen where the coming of the Lord will be at the last trump. The seventh trumpet is the last of the seven trumpets. If the coming of the Lord is not at this time it appears it will be after the sounding of the seventh trumpet. For those that have reservations look up the Greek word for trumpet in the seven trumpets and the Greek word for trump in 1Corn. 15:52 and see if they are not the same.

When: The seventh trumpet is the last one mentioned.

9. Abomination of Desolation: In Mark 13:14 it speaks of the Abomination of Desolation which goes through verse 23 and in verse 24 of the same chapter. It states after **that** tribulation telling of the signs and then shall they see the Son of man coming in the clouds. It seems obvious that **that** tribulation is referring to the Abomination of Desolation. Mat. 24 does likewise in verse 15 it refers to the Abomination of Desolation. Then in verse 29 it speaks of immediately **after** the tribulation of those days. Once again it tells of the coming of the Son of man in verse 30. As I perceive it we are told at least 3 times that the Lords coming will be **after** the abomination of desolation. Once in II Thes. 2:1-4, Once in Mark 13 and once in Mat. 24

When: After the tribulation of those days.

When the pre-tribulation theory is the only one taught the idea seems to be we do not have to worry because we will not be here. That is for someone else. It tickles the ears. Do not prepare for the worst and hope for the best. It goes along with the good life idea or a quick fix so eagerly desired by so many.

If our people think they just might go through part of the tribulation, just maybe, they might want to be closer to the Lord or prepare for his coming. If we prepare for the worst and it doesn't happen that way the Lord finds us a ready servant either way. If however we feel we have nothing to worry about we could be unprepared for what might come. Many people feel that 75% of the so called church members are not saved (to me the parable of the sower suggest this could be the case). If this is true then if we project the idea you don't have to worry, then where does this put them. We know full well they will go through the tribulation if they survive. Think about it.

IN SUMMARY: From the proceeding scriptures it seems to be clear that the coming of the Lord will be at or after the last trump. The last one to be mentioned is the seventh trumpet, if not then it must be after it. There will be a falling away and the son of perdition will reveal himself. It will be after "that" tribulation which is highly suggestive to be the abomination of desolation. It will be before Armageddon and the destruction of the beast and his army. He will appear on a white cloud.

PURPOSE OF THIS PUBLICATION: To make an awareness that we are living in the last days of the last days. The coming of Jesus Christ, the son of the living God is at the doors.

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