

## Prophecy Class #4

### I. Review

#### A. What is the Tribulation?

1. For Israel (Daniel 9), not for the church
2. To test people to see if they will repent (Revelation 2:21-22)
3. To see whom people will worship (2 Thessalonians 2:8-12)

#### B. Qualifications for Antichrist

1. Prince, king, big, leader of 10 nations W. Europe
2. Associated with Rome, military leader
3. Attempts Mideast peace, name adds up to 666

### II. Signs the Tribulation is Near

- A. Israel (Ezekiel 36-39)
- B. Signs from heaven – Get All Excited Jesus is Coming Soon
- C. Earthquakes
- D. The cry for world government
- E. The gospel spreading and people getting saved (2 Peter 3:9-12)

### III. Even Without Signs the Coming of Christ is Near

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| A. Luke 12:40      | B. 1 Corinthians 1:7 | C. Philippians 3:20  |
| D. 1 Thes. 4:16-18 | E. Titus 2:13        | F. Hebrews 10:24-25  |
| G. James 5:7-8     | H. 1 Peter 4:7       | I. Revelation 1:1, 3 |

### IV. The Rapture of the Church is Before the Tribulation

- A. Luke 21:28, 35-36
- B. 1 Thessalonians 1:10, 5:9 with Revelation 6:17
- C. Revelation 3:10, 3:20; 4:1
- D. 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 to see loved ones
- E. Revelation 22:3-4 to see the Lord for the first time
- F. 1 Corinthians 15:51-54; Philippians 3:20-21 to get a new body
- G. John 14:1-3 to get a new house in the new city! (Revelation 21)

### V. Heaven (Colossians 3:1-5)

- A. Revelation 4 and the 24 elders
- B. Revelation 5 and the seven sealed book
- C. Revelation 19:1 and the loud voice of a great multitude
- D. Great rewards! 'Great is your reward in heaven'
- E. Great promises to those who overcome (Revelation 2-3; 1 John 5:4)
- F. Great city New Jerusalem (Revelation 21)
- G. An absolute certainty! (1 Peter 1:3-4)

### VI. The Second Coming of Jesus is After the Tribulation

(Matthew 24:29-30; Revelation 1:7; Zechariah 14:1-9; Phil 2:9-11)

