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"So when you see standing in the holy place 'the abomination that causes desolation,' spoken of through the prophet Daniel—let the reader understand"

I. The Rule of the Antichrist (Dan. 9:27; Matt. 24:15; 2 Thess. 2:4)

- A. Physical Sign #3 End to sacrifices and offerings + The "abomination of desolation"
- B. Half way through the seven year treaty (3 1/2 yrs) the Antichrist breaks the treaty Dan. 9:27
- C. This called the beginning of the "Great Tribulation" Matt. 24:21
- D. Three attacks on God:
 - 1. Ends (abolishes) sacrifices and offerings to God (Dan. 9:27, 11:31, 12:11)
 - 2. Sets up an abomination (idol) that desecrates the temple of God Matt. 24:15;
 - 3. Proclaiming himself to BE god! (2 Thess. 2:4; Rev. 13:8)
- E. Important Truth: This is always about God/Jesus not politics, money, or power!

II. The Resurrection of the Two Witnesses (Rev. 11:7-12)

- A. Physical Sign #4 The Death, Resurrection, and Ascension of the two witnesses
- B. They will finish their testimony (1,260 days Rev. 11:3)
- C. Then the Antichrist kills them and leaves them laying in the streets of Jerusalem (3 ¹/₂ days)
- D. BUT God raises them up and calls them home! (Rev. 11:11, 12)

<u>III. The Reign of the True Christ (Lk. 1:32-33; Rev. 20:3-6; Isa. 2:1-5)</u>

- A. The Antichrist declares himself to be god The True Christ reigns as God for 1,000 years! (Rev. 20:3-6)
- B. Satan is bound up during this period!
- C. God promised to give Christ "the throne of his father David" in Jerusalem (Lk. 1:32,33)
- D. The Prophets and over 400 other scriptures speak of Christ and Christians ruling on earth (Isa. 2:1-5)
- E. This very throne is going to be the center of a world-government based on truth in Christ.