

INTRODUCTION

- * Almost to the end of our "Introduction to Prophecy" interlude between chapters 3 and 4 of Revelation
- * We have considered an overview of the Nature of Prophecy and then the Conveyance of Prophecy via: The Feasts and Covenants, The Prophet Daniel, The Other Prophets – including Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel, Hosea and Zechariah, and, last week, Jesus.
- * Today we want to consider an overview of Paul's prophetic teachings

INSTRUCTION – *Let's examine Paul's prophetic teaching*

I. THE SIGNS OF THE LAST DAYS (cf. II Timothy 3: 1-5, 13-17)

A. Attributes of the People

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| 1. PEOPLE WILL BE _____ | 5. PEOPLE WILL HAVE _____ |
| 2. PEOPLE WILL BE _____ | 6. PEOPLE WILL BE _____ |
| 3. PEOPLE WILL BE _____ | 7. PEOPLE WILL BE _____ |
| 4. PEOPLE WILL BE _____ | |

B. Attitudes of the Believers

1. TURN AWAY FROM _____
2. CONTINUE IN _____

II. THE REVELATION OF THE MYSTERY

A. The F_____tion of the Church (cf. Romans 11: 25-36)

1. THE S_____ OF ISRAEL (cf. Ephesians 3: 1-10)
2. THE S_____ OF ISRAEL (cf. Luke 21: 24)

B. The R_____tion of the Church

1. I CORINTHIANS 15: 50-52
 - a. The Trumpet
 - b. The Transformation
2. I THESSALONIANS 4: 13 – 5: 11
 - a. The O_____ of the "Rapture" (cf. II Corinthians 5: 1-8; Philippians 3: 20-21)
 - b. The N_____ of the "Rapture" (cf. Matthew 13: 19; John 10: 11-13, 27-30; Acts 8: 38-39)
 - * ὄρπαζω – harpazo – to seize or pluck
 - c. The T_____ of the "Rapture"
3. II THESSALONIANS 2: 1-12
 - a. After a period of _____
 - b. After the man of _____ is revealed
 - c. After He who now _____ is removed

INTROSPECTION

- ☞ As you look about the cultural and spiritual landscape of our world what end-time indicators do you see?
- ☞ As you consider the cultural and spiritual landscape of your life what indicators are revealed?
Is there a need for repentance?
- ☞ Are you ready to meet the Lord? What if He came today?