

Kingdom

ISAIAH 9:6, 7; REV.11:15

In this verse we come to the 7th Trumpet, also called the “*Third Woe*”.

Here, we have the Millennial Reign of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the events which surround it.

PRINCIPLES OF INTRODUCTION

1. Satan is the ruler of this world; and as the ruler, he has the right to give to those who do his will. Satan made to Christ this offer in [Matt. 4:8-10](#), a real, authentic, bon-a-fide offer. Satan desires for man by man’s efforts to have a perfect world – this would head off the millennial reign of the Lord Jesus Christ. Had Jesus accepted that offer, then the work of the cross would have been bypassed.
2. When Satan is confined to the world in the tribulation once again he will offer the Kingdoms of the world to one person – the dictator of Rome and this person will accept – and Satan himself will indwell this individual. [Rev. 13](#)
3. The Kingdom is the millennial reign of Jesus Christ and the Prayer of [Matthew 6:9](#) does not relate to our time NOW. (Millennial passage) “*thy Kingdom Come, thy will be done on earth as...*” Before that – there must be the Judgment Seat of Christ, Tribulation, Battle of Armageddon, 2nd Advent, and then the Millennium. The Matthew passage will be fulfilled *at the 2nd Advent*.

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I. Defined:

1. THE KINGDOM is 1,000 years of the reign of Christ, after His 2nd Advent. This will be on the earth.
2. At the end of the 1,000 years there will be a 2nd Advent of Satan, and the destruction of the old earth – then the rest of the eternal reign of Christ follows, which will be on the earth (New Heavens, New Jerusalem).

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II. Introduced:

1. The Kingdom is promised in [2 Sam. 7:8-17](#); [Ps. 89:20-33](#). Promised in the OT as a part of the Davidic Covenant.
2. The Kingdom was prophesized in [Isa. 2:1-5](#); [2:11, 12](#); [Isa. 35:1-10](#).
3. The Kingdom is presented in Matthew, Mark and Luke (Synoptic Gospels). The Gospels emphasize the Age of Israel, *not* the Church Age. There is one prophecy of the Church in [Matt. 16](#). In John, there are 4 chapters prophesying the Church Age. *BUT THE GOSPELS PRIMARILY PRESENT THE DISPENSATION OF THE KING OF ISRAEL.*
4. The Kingdom Postponed – found in the New Testament epistles – postponed, for the Age of Grace.
5. The Kingdom is Proclaimed – First by the Angelic herald of [Rev. 10](#), and secondly, by the human heralds of [Rev. 11:1-14](#) (Moses and Elijah).
6. The Kingdom – Plagiarized (to take and use as one’s own – thief – a kidnaper) [Rev. 13](#) – the Devil’s two witnesses (thoughts, writings, and inventions – stolen and used as one’s own).
7. The Kingdom Perfected – [Rev. 11:15-19](#).

III. Kingdom Issues:

1. Issue One – Will God keep His Word to Israel or not? God’s Word says, “YES” (Post Millennialism and Amillennialism say, “NO!” – These are eschatological, theological systems held by some). God promised Israel that they would have a Son from David, who would reign forever – Jesus Christ is that Son. *AND HE WILL REIGN FOREVER!*
2. Issue Two – relates to the unconditional Covenants – God has 4 Covenants to Israel:
 - Abrahamic Covenant [Gen. 12:1-3](#)
 - Palestinian Covenant [Gen. 13:14, 15](#); [Isa. 11:1](#); [Isaiah 11: 12](#)
 - Davidic – [II Sam. 7:8-16](#); [22:5](#)
 - New Covenant to Israel

These are un-conditional covenants not fulfilled as yet, but will be fulfilled at the 2nd Advent.

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3. Issue Three – the Dispensation of Israel – today the Jews are scattered throughout the earth – under discipline. 70 A.D, scattered at the Babylonian captivity – re-gathered. Will they be again? *YES!* At the 2nd Advent, He will bring them back together, and He will terminate that discipline.
4. Issue Four – 2nd Advent: Christ will actually return to the earth to establish His kingdom. Bible says, *YES*. When the earth is at its *worst* – Christ will return; the 2nd Advent occurs right after the Tribulation.
5. Issue Five – the Millennium
 - The Kingdom is eternal.
 - In this period of time, Jesus Christ will do in a moment of time what Satan tried to do over a period of several thousands of years. Jesus will establish *PERFECT ENVIRONMENT*. The Millennium begins with all believers, and by the end of the 1,000 years there will be both saved and lost. The lost will actually revolt against perfect environment – Satan will be released – the Gog Magog Revolution will follow.
 - Before Jesus Christ begins to reign, some things will happen:
 - Jesus Christ will come and take charge – He destroys the armies that are besieging Jerusalem.
 - He destroys the armies moving in the direction of Edom, Moab and Ammon.
 - He destroys the armies of the King of the west, located in the Valley of Armageddon.
 - He destroys all the armies in Palestine.
 - He destroys all the unbelievers (Baptism of Fire).
 - He removes all religion, Satan and all demons (who sponsor religion).

Revelation 11:15 reveals that Jesus Christ will be ruling on this earth. “*Great voices say*” – angelic voices speak... a speaking choir, perhaps a million voices – “*The kingdoms of this world (ruled by Satan) are become (2nd Advent) those of our Lord and of His Christ, and He (Jesus Christ, who will throw Satan out) shall reign forever and ever.*”