



### Revelation 13

“<sup>11</sup> Then I saw another beast coming up out of the earth; and he had two horns like a lamb and he spoke as a dragon. . . .  
<sup>18</sup> Here is wisdom. Let him who has understanding calculate the number of the beast, for the number is that of a man; and his number is **six hundred and sixty-six**.

### Gematria

a traditional Jewish system of assigning a numerical value to a word or phrase so as to give it symbolic meaning

#### Nero Caesar?

Hebrew: נרון קסר = 666

נ = 50 ר = 200 ן = 6 נ = 50 ק = 100 ס = 60 ר = 200

#### the great beast?

Greek: το μεγαθηριον = 666

"FOX", "Make TV", "Business", "Marvels", "The one clue", "The infinite one", "Repeating digit", "God's gematria riddle", "End-time gematria", "End mathematics", "A perfect proof", "Man's mega therion", "A beast organism", "The organism name", "Great atheism", "Atheistic animal", "A man, an atheist", "The human child", "The beast-man child", "Artificial beast", "Beast program", "Beast's message", "Beast's theme", "The beast's me", "I am a graven image", "Perfect engineering", "Satan's brain image", "Satan's hate", "Satan hates", "Satan's heat", "The Satanias", "Strong demon", "Famous Demon", "God of murder."

"True God", "Intelligent God", "Means the Logos", "God's love", "God loves", "Christ's blood", "Kingdom of Christ", "The Messiah kingdom".

**Virtually anyone  
we feel is an enemy!**

### Popular Antichrist (the Beast) candidates

Nero  
 Muhammed  
 Herod the Great  
 Titus (Roman general)  
 The State & political power  
 Numerous U.S. presidents,  
 business & military leaders, etc.  
 Supercomputer in Brussels, Belgium  
 New World Order (cartel of banking org.)  
 Various people groups - Jews, Muslims, Catholics.



### The Roman Catholic Papacy

Sunday worship is the mark of the Beast

**There are few doctrines  
that have led to more abuse in  
application than the identity of**

**THE ANTICHRIST**

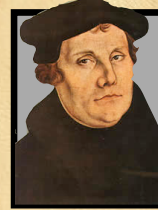
## Titles of the Roman Catholic Church that add up to 666

ITALIKA EKKLESIA  
(Latin: Italian church)

VACARIUS FILII DEI  
(Latin: vicar of God's Son)

DOIX CLERI  
(Latin: head of clergy)

HELATINE BASILEIA  
(Greek: Latin Kingdom)



Martin Luther

"I feel much freer now that I am certain the pope is the Antichrist."



John Calvin

"I shall briefly show that Paul's words in (2 Thess.2) are not capable of any other interpretation than that which applies them to the Papacy."



John Wesley

"He (the Papacy) is in an emphatical sense, the Man of Sin, as he increases all manner of sin above measure."

Wycliffe, Tyndale, Cranmer,  
Bunyan, Sir Isaac Newton,  
Whitfield, Jonathan Edwards,  
Spurgeon, Bishop J.C. Ryle,  
Martin Lloyd Jones

and many others saw the  
Papacy as the antichrist.

Until 1868  
North Carolina had  
a Protestant test (oath)  
for holding public office.



## DANIEL 11

vs.1-35  
Events up  
until Antiochus

vs.36-45  
End time events

*Here we see why Daniel was so distraught  
in chapter 10*

***For God's people, things will get  
worse before they get better.***



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Accurate  
detailed account  
of period from  
Cyrus (6th cent.)  
to Antiochus  
(2nd cent. B.C.)

Some details  
suggest a  
reference to  
something  
beyond  
Antiochus?

## Antiochus as Antichrist (Daniel 11)

Chrysostom 4th cent. A.D.

Jerome 4th cent.

Theodotion 2nd. cent.

1<sup>st</sup> In the first year Darius the Mede, I arose to be an encouragement and a protection for him. 2<sup>nd</sup> And now I will tell you the truth. Behold, these more kings are going to arise in Persia. Then a fourth will gain for more riches than all of them; as soon as he becomes strong through his riches, he will arouse the whole empire against the realm of Greece. 3<sup>rd</sup> And a mighty king will arise, and he will rule with great authority over all as he pleases. 4<sup>th</sup> But as soon as he has arisen, his kingdom will be broken up and parcelled out toward the four parts of the compass, though not to his own descendants, nor according to his authority which he wished; for his power will be removed, and power to others bestowed there. 5<sup>th</sup> Then the king of the South will give nothing, along with one of his princes who will gain ascendancy over him, and obtain dominion; his dominion will be a great dominion indeed. 6<sup>th</sup> After some years they will form an alliance, and the daughter of the king of the South will come to the king of the North to marry; but a peaceful arrangement will be made, and she will bear him a son. 7<sup>th</sup> He will be named with his father's name, and he will be great, and will marry a princess of a great kingdom. 8<sup>th</sup> He will be loved by all, and the one who loved him as well as he who supported him in those times. 9<sup>th</sup> But one of the descendants of his wife will arise in his place, and he will come against their army and enter the fortress of the king of the North, and he will take into captivity to Egypt, and he on his part will return from attacking the king of the North for some years. 10<sup>th</sup> Then the latter will enter the realm of the king of the South, and will return to his own land. 11<sup>th</sup> His sons will mobilize and assemble a multitude of great forces, and one of them will keep on coming and overflow and pass through, that he may again wage war up to his very fortress. 12<sup>th</sup> The king of the South will be engaged and go forth and fight with the king of the North. Then the latter will raise a great multitude, but that multitude will be given into the hand of the former. 13<sup>th</sup> When the multitude is carried away, his heart will be lifted up, and he will cause men of thousands to fall, yet he will not persevere. 14<sup>th</sup> For the king of the North will again raise a greater multitude than the former, and after an interval of some years he will press on with a great army, and must besiege him; he will take him alive, and will kill him. 15<sup>th</sup> Then the king of the South, the violent one among your people will also lift themselves up in order to fulfill the vision, but they will fall down. 16<sup>th</sup> Then the king of the North will come, and will set up a statue in a high place in a fortified city, and the fortress of the South will not stand against him; he will not stand against him, for there will be no strength to make a stand. 17<sup>th</sup> But he who comes against him will do as he pleases, and no one will be able to withstand him; he will also stay for a time in the beautiful land, with destruction in his hand. 17<sup>th</sup> He will set his face to come with the power of his whole kingdom, bringing with him a proposal of peace which he will put into effect, he will also give him the daughter of women to ruin it. But she will not take a stand for him or be on his side. 18<sup>th</sup> Then he will turn his face to the coastlands and capture many. But a commander will put a stop to his scorn against him, moreover, he will repay him for his scorn. 19<sup>th</sup> So he will turn his face toward the fortresses of his own land, but he will stumble and fall and be found no more. 20<sup>th</sup> Then in his place one will arise who will send an oppressor through the jewel of his kingdom; yet within a few days he will be shattered, though not in anger nor in battle. 21<sup>th</sup> In his place a despicable person will arise, on whom the honor of kingship has not been conferred, but he will come in a time of tranquility and make the kingdom by intrigue. 22<sup>th</sup> His overflowing forces will be broken away before him and destroyed, and also the prince of the covenant. 23<sup>th</sup> After an alliance is made with him he will practice deception, and he will go up and gain power with a small force of people. 24<sup>th</sup> A time of tranquility will enter the realm of the North, but he will not accomplish what he had vowed; yet his army never did, nor his ambition; he will plunder, bodily and possessions among them, and he will devise his schemes against strongholds, but only for a time. 25<sup>th</sup> He will stir up his strength and courage against the king of the South with a large army, but the king of the South will establish an extremely large and mighty army for war, but he will not stand, for schemes will be devised against him. 26<sup>th</sup> Those who eat his choice food will destroy him, and his army will overflow, but many will fall down slain. 27<sup>th</sup> For both kings, their hearts will be intent on evil, and they will speak lies to each other at the same table, but it will not succeed, for the end is still to come at the appointed time. 28<sup>th</sup> Then he will return to his land with much plunder, but his heart will be set against the holy covenant, and he will take action and threaten to his covenant. 29<sup>th</sup> At the appointed time he will return and come into the South, but this time he will not turn back the way of old. 30<sup>th</sup> For the king of the North will come against him, moreover he will be shattered; and they will relate and become enraged at the holy covenant and take action, so he will come back and show regard for those who forsake the holy covenant. 31<sup>st</sup> Forces from him will arise, and they will come to the sanctuary, and will do away with the holy covenant. 32<sup>nd</sup> He will set up the abomination that will be set up in the sanctuary, and will stand for many days. 33<sup>rd</sup> Those who have insight among the people will give understanding to the many; they will fall by sword and by famine, by captivity and by plunder for many days. 34<sup>th</sup> Now when they fall they will be granted a little help, and many will join them in hypocrisy. 35<sup>th</sup> Some of those who have insight will fall, in order to save, purge and caper from pure until the end comes, because it will be come at the appointed time.

36<sup>th</sup> Then the king will do as he pleases, and he will exalt and magnify himself above every god and will speak monstrous things against the God of gods, and he will prosper until the indignation is finished; for that which is decreed will be done. 37<sup>th</sup> He will show no regard for the gods of his fathers or for the desire of women, nor will he show regard for any other god; for he will magnify himself above them all. 38<sup>th</sup> But instead he will honor a god of fortresses, a god whom his fathers did not know; he will honor men with gold, silver, costly stones and treasures. 39<sup>th</sup> He will take action against the strongest of fortresses with the help of a foreign god; he will give great honor to those who acknowledge him and will cause them to rule over the many, and will parcel out land for a price. 40<sup>th</sup> At the end of the king of the South will conflict with him, and the king of the North will storm against him with chariots, with horses and with many troops, and he will enter countries, wherever there are ships through. 41<sup>st</sup> He will also enter the beautiful land, and many countries will fall, but there will be rescued out of his hand: Edom, Moab and the foremost of the sons of Ammon. 42<sup>nd</sup> Then he will stretch out his hand against other countries, and he will take Egypt and will not escape. 43<sup>rd</sup> But he will gain control over the hidden treasures of gold and silver and over all the precious things of Egypt, and Libya and Ethiopia will follow at his heels. 44<sup>th</sup> That ravens from the East and from the North will disturb him, and he will go forth with great wrath to destroy and annihilate many. 45<sup>th</sup> He will pitch the tent of his royal pavilion between the sea and the beautiful holy mountain; yet he will come to his end, and no one will help him.

## The King of the North vs. the King of the South” Daniel 11



## Antiochus linked to Antichrist through his desecration of the temple

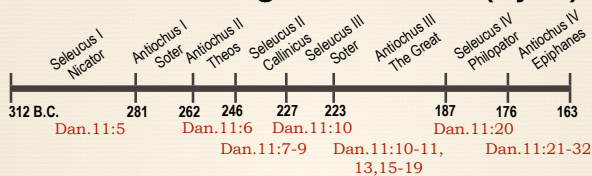
### Daniel 11:31

“Forces from him will arise, desecrate the sanctuary fortress, and do away with the regular sacrifice. And they will set up the **abomination of desolation.**”

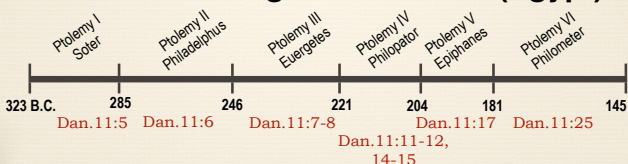
### Matthew 24

“<sup>15</sup> Therefore when you see the **abomination of desolation** which was spoken of through Daniel the prophet, standing in the holy place (let the reader understand), <sup>16</sup> then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains;”

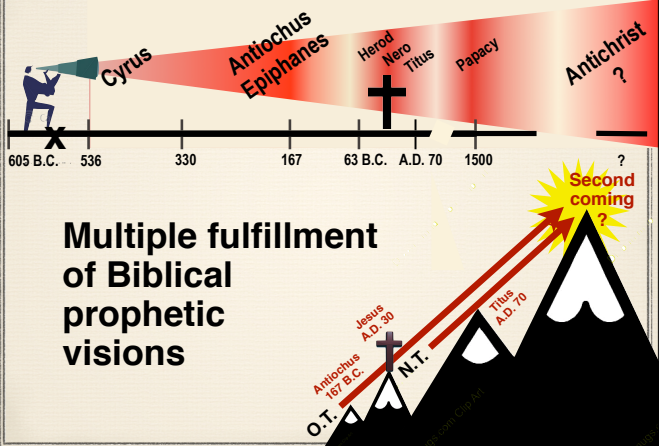
## Seleucids - kings of the north (Syria)



## Ptolemies - kings of the south (Egypt)



## Timeline of events for Daniel



Multiple fulfillment  
of Biblical  
prophetic  
visions



## Predicted dates of the END

70	1533 (Oct.19)	1763 (Feb.28)	1880	1954 (Dec.21)	1994 *8
247	1534 (April 5)	1780 (May 19)	1881	1957 (Apr.23)	1994 (Sept. 29)1995
365	1544	1789	1890	1958	1996 (Dec. 13)1997 *8
380	1555	1790	1891	1959 (Apr.22)	1996 (Dec. 13)1997 *8
500	1556 (July 22)	1792	1895	1960	1998 *15
793 (April 6)	1583 (April 28)	1794	1896	1962 (Feb. 4)1966	1999 *36
800	1584	1795 (Nov.19)	1899	1967 (Aug. 20)1969 (Aug. 9)1972	2000 *59
806	1588	1801	1900	1973	2001 *17
848	1600	1805	1901	1974	2002 *6
870 (March 25)	1603	1814 (Dec.25)	1908 (April 23)	1975	2003 *6
992	1623 1624	1820 (Oct.14)	1910 (May 18)	1976	2004
995	(Feb.1)	1832	1911	1977	2005 *3
1000	1648 1654	1836	1914 (Oct.1)	1978	2006 (Feb.12)
1033	1656	1843 (April 28)	1915	1979	2008 (Mar. 21)
1184	1657	1844 (Mar.21)	1918	1980 (Apr.1)	2010
1186 (Sept.23)	1658	1845	1919 (Dec.17)	1981 (June 28)1982 (Mar. 10)1983	2011 (Dec.31)
1260	1660	1846	1925 (Feb.13)	1984 (Oct.2)	2012 (Dec.21)
1284	1666 1673	1847 (April 7)	1928	1985 (Mar. 25)1986	2017
1290	1688	1849	1934	1987 (Apr.29)	2020
1306	1689	1851	1935	1988 (Sep.15)	2022
1335	1694	1856	1936	1989 (Sept.30)	2025
1367	1697	1862	1938	1990 (April 23)1991 (Mar. 31)1992 (April 28)	2026
1370	1700	1863	1941	1993 (Nov.14)	2033
1420 (Feb.14)	1708	1867	1943		2035
1486	1716	1868	1945 (Sept.21)		2037
1504	1719 (April5)	1869	1947		2040
1524 (Feb.20)	1734	1870 (June 28)	1950		
1525	1736 (Oct.13)	1872	1952		
1528 (May 27)	1757	1874	1953 (Jan.9)		
1532	1761 (April 5)	1878	1953		

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- ✓ **Lawless** - He makes his own rules.
- ✓ **Godless** - He displaces God with himself.

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- ✓ **Warmonger** - He worships the “war machine” and will do what is necessary to win.

## 2 Thessalonians 2

“<sup>1</sup> Concerning the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our being gathered to him, we ask you, brothers, <sup>2</sup> not to become easily unsettled or alarmed by some prophecy, report or letter supposed to have come from us, saying that the day of the Lord has already come. <sup>3</sup> Don't let anyone deceive you in any way, for that day will not come until the rebellion occurs and **the man of lawlessness** is revealed, the man doomed to destruction. <sup>4</sup> He will oppose and will exalt himself over everything that is called God or is worshiped, so that he sets himself up in God's temple, proclaiming himself to be God.”

“<sup>7</sup> For the secret **power of lawlessness** is already at work; but the one who now holds it back will continue to do so till he is taken out of the way. <sup>8</sup> And then **the lawless one** will be revealed, whom the Lord Jesus will overthrow with the breath of his mouth and destroy by the splendor of his coming. <sup>9</sup> The coming of **the lawless one** will be in accordance with the work of Satan displayed in all kinds of counterfeit miracles, signs and wonders, <sup>10</sup> and in every sort of evil that deceives those who are perishing.”

**Antichrist** - unrestrained, fallen, human nature





*1 John 2:18*

“Children, it is the last hour; and just as you heard that **antichrist** is coming, even now **many antichrists** have appeared; from this we know that it is the last hour.”

False Christs	Antichrist spirit	An Antichrist
Many people	Rejection of the Law & Christ	A person(s)
<i>Matthew 24:24</i> “False Christs and false prophets will arise”	<i>1 John 4:3</i> “this is the spirit of the antichrist, which is coming and is already in the world”	<i>2 Thess.2:8</i> “And then the lawless one will be revealed”

*Matthew 24:5,24*

“For many will come **in My name, saying, I am the Christ**, and will mislead many.” . . .

For **false Christs** and false prophets will arise and will show great signs and wonders, so as to mislead, if possible even the elect.”

*1 John 2:22*

“Who is the liar but the one who denies that Jesus is the Christ? This is **the antichrist**, the one who denies the Father and the Son.”

*1 John 4:3*

“and every spirit that does not confess Jesus is not from God; this is **the spirit of the antichrist**, of which you have heard that it is coming, and now it is already in the world.”

*2 John 7*

“For many deceivers have gone out into the world, those who do not acknowledge Jesus Christ as coming in the flesh. This is the deceiver and **the antichrist**.”

*Antichrist basics*

- ✓ The term is only used in **1&2 John**.
- ✓ Identification with “the Beast”, “man of sin”, “man of lawlessness”, “little horn”, “king of the North” are **inferences**.
- ✓ Much of the popular view of the Antichrist comes from **speculations** based on Daniel 11.
- ✓ “**The mark of the Beast**” is a key to recognizing who he is - 666 (fallen human nature?).
- ✓ Consider: “**Unrestrained, fallen, human, nature**” could be the essence of the Antichrist spirit that is now with us and one day will be fully manifest in a person whose appearing will precede the second advent of Christ.

*Identifying the spirit of Antichrist*



- ✓ **Independence** from God’s authority, Christ’s community, and common sense.
- ✓ **Denial** of Christ’s deity or humanity.
- ✓ **Pride** in that it’s all about ME - my views, plans, and style.
- ✓ **Hostility** toward any and all who threaten or challenge me.

*So what do I conclude?*

- ✓ “**The antichrist spirit**” is all around me and latent within me as a fallen human.
- ✓ I **expect** this spirit to one day appear unrestrained in a powerful world leader.
- ✓ I am **not responsible to prevent or overthrow** the coming Antichrist.
- ✓ I am **responsible to identify and resist** the Antichrist spirit in and around me.
- ✓ I must **learn from the past** to be humble in my interpretations, loving in my applications, and forbearing in my relationships.

*Ephesians 6*

“<sup>13</sup> Therefore, take up the full armor of God, that you may be able to **resist** in the evil day, and having done everything, to **stand firm**. <sup>14</sup> Stand firm therefore, *having girded your loins with truth, and having put on the breastplate of righteousness,* <sup>15</sup> and having shod your feet with the **preparation** of the gospel of peace; <sup>16</sup> in addition to all, taking up the shield of faith with which you will be able to extinguish all the flaming missiles of the evil one. <sup>17</sup> And take *the helmet of salvation*, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. <sup>18</sup> With all prayer and petition pray at all times in the Spirit, and with this in view, **be on the alert** with all perseverance and petition for all the saints,”