Revelation 13 The Dragon and Two Beasts:

The Beast from the Sea The Beast from the Earth UNHOLY TRINITY

Remember and Rejoice!

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Lord, take up your throne!

Revelation 13 + Daniel

Why did God give such precise prophecies to Daniel (Chapters 2, 7, 8, 11), <u>at that time</u>? A few reasons:

- 1) Initially recorded for **comfort, encouragement of people of God** who live through days described (near fulfillment, historical part, AND those who will live through end time horrors)
- 2) To <u>show those who follow God His plan</u>, especially for end times, so we can be **aware and watchful**.
- 3) For all generations <u>as testimony that God knows end from the</u> <u>beginning</u>, and has it all in His hands. Precision with which these prophecies were (and will be) fulfilled **proves His existence** and Sovereignty.
- 4) God is who He says He is, and His Word is true. These prophecies, both near fulfillments at time of Daniel to end of the Greek Empire, and final fulfillments at the end of time VALIDATE and AUTHENTICATE God. All prophecy given by God is primarily for this reason. It is to convince mankind that He is indeed God.

Final World Ruler: Fast Review



How the AC counterfeits himself as "the Messiah" (Anointed One) (from Arthur W. Pink, "The Antichrist")

- Yeshua subject of Old Testament prophecy: so also is Antichrist; many predictions describe this coming one, see especially Daniel 11:21-45.
- 2. Our Lord Jesus was **typified by many Old Testament characters** such as Abel, Joseph, Moses, David, etc. So also will Antichrist be: such characters as Cain, Pharaoh, Absalom, Saul, etc., *foreshadow the Man of Sin*

- 3. Messiah was revealed only at God's appointed time: same with the Antichrist. Of Jesus we read, "But when the <u>fullness of time</u> was come, God sent forth His Son" (Galatians 4:4); of the other it is said, "And now we know what withholdeth that he might be revealed in his time" (2 Thessalonians 2:6).
- Messiah was a Man, a real Man, "the Man Christ Jesus" (1 Timothy 2:5); so also will the Antichrist be - "that Man of Sin" (2 Thessalonians 2:3).
- 5. Yeshua was **more than a man**; He is God-Man; so also will Antichrist be more than a man: the Super-(evil) man.

- 6. Jesus was, according to the flesh, **a Jew** (Romans 1:3); so also will Antichrist be – (there is some disagreement on this. Some scriptures seem to indicate he might be Gentile.)
- Messiah will make a covenant with Israel (Hebrews 8:8); so also will the Antichrist (Daniel 9:27).
- 8. Jesus is our **"Great High Priest"**; so Antichrist will try to be Israel's great high priest (Ezekiel 21:26).
- Yeshua was and will be King of the Jews (Matthew 2:1); so also will Antichrist (Daniel 11:36).

- 10. Messiah will be **King of kings** (Revelation 17:14); so also will Antichrist *try* (Revelation 17:12,13).
- 11. Yeshua worked miracles: of Him it is said "approved of God among you by miracles and wonders and signs" (Acts 2:22); so also will Antichrist, "whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders" (2 Thessalonians 2:9).
- Messiah's public ministry limited to 3 ½ years; so also will Antichrist's final ministry. (Revelation 13:5).

- 13. Messiah seen **riding a "white horse"** (Revelation 19:11); so also is Antichrist (6:2).
- 14. Jesus will return to earth as **Prince of Peace** (Isaiah 9:6,7); so also will Antichrist introduce an era of "peace" (Dan. 11:21, 1 Thessalonians 5:3).
- 15. Yeshua called **"the Morning Star"** (Revelation 22:16); so also is Antichrist (Isaiah 14:12).
- 16. Messiah called Him "which was, and is, and is to come" (Revelation 4:8); Antichrist called him that "was, and is not; and shall ascend out of the bottomless pit" (17:8).).

- 17. Messiah **died and rose again**; so also will Antichrist [deception] (Revelation 13:3).
- Jesus object of universal worship (Philippians 2:10); so also will Antichrist (Revelation 13:4).
- 19. Followers of the Lamb will be **sealed** in their foreheads (Revelation 7:3; 14:1); so also will followers of the Beast (13:16,17).
- 20. Yeshua **followed by Holy Spirit who causes men to worship Him**; so Antichrist will be followed by Anti-spirit (False Prophet) - who will cause men to worship the Beast (Revelation 13:12).

	THE CHRIST (MESSIAH)	THE ANTICHRIST (OPPONENT OF MESSIAH)
1	"Christ" (Messiah) (Matt. 16:16)	Antichrist (1 John 4:3) <i>("opponent" of Messiah)</i>
2	Man of Sorrows (Isa. 53:3)	Man of sin (2 Thess. 2:3)
3	Son of God (John 1:34)	Son of Perdition (2 Thess. 2:3)
4	The Seed of woman (Gen. 3:15)	Seed of Serpent (Gen. 3:15)
5	The Lamb (Isa. 53:7)	The Beast (Rev. 11:7)
6	The Holy One (Mark 1:24)	The Wicked One (2 Thess. 2:8)
7	The Truth (John 14:6)	The Lie (John 8:44)
8	The Prince of Peace (Isa. 9:6)	Wicked, profane Prince (Ezek. 21:25)
9	The glorious Branch (Isa. 4:2)	The abominable Branch (Isa. 14:19)

	THE CHRIST (MESSIAH)	THE ANTICHRIST (OPPONENT OF MESSIAH)
10	The Good Shepherd (John 10:11)	The Idol (or evil)Shepherd (Zech. 11:17)
11	The number of His name (gematria of "Jesus") 888	The number of his name 666 (Rev. 13:18)
12	Came down from heaven (John 3:13)	Comes up out of bottomless pit (Rev. 11:7)
13	Came to do Father's will (John 6:38)	Will do his own will (Dan. 11:36)
14	Energized by Holy Spirit (Luke 4:14)	Energized by Satan (Rev. 13:4)
15	Submitted Himself to God (John 5:30)	Defies God (2 Thess. 2:4)
16	Humbled Himself (Phil. 2:8)	Exalts himself (Dan. 11:37)

	THE CHRIST (MESSIAH)	THE ANTICHRIST (OPPONENT OF MESSIAH)
17	Honored God of His fathers (Luke 4:16)	Will not honor God of his fathers (Dan 11:37)
18	Cleansed temple (John 2:14,16)	Defiles temple (Matt. 24:15)
19	Ministered to the needy (Isaiah 53:7)	Robs the poor (Psa. 10:8,9)
20	Rejected of men (Isa. 53:7)	Will be accepted by men (Revelation 13:4)
21	Leads the flock (John 10:3)	Leaves the flock (Zechariah 11:17)
22	Slain for the people (John 11:51)	Will slay the people (Isa. 14:20)
23	Glorified God on earth (John 17:4)	Will blaspheme God in heaven (Rev 13:6)



Things we know about the final world ruler....

- "His people" will destroy Jerusalem and the Temple. (70 AD assumed) (Daniel 9:26)
- 2. He will rise from obscurity (a "little horn") (Daniel 7:8)
- He will arise when sin has reached its "fullness." (Daniel 8:23-25)
- 4. He will be *different* from other "kings." (Daniel 7:8,24)
- 5. He will subdue three other "kings." (Daniel 7:8, 24)
- 6. He will come from among ten "kings" in end times. (Daniel 7:7, 24; Revelation 12:2)
- These final "kings" will hand their power over to him. (Revelation 17:13)

- His authority and government will have similarities to the ancient Babylonians, Persians, and Greeks (and other world powers), but also be different and more terrifying. (Daniel 7, Revelation 13:1-2)
- 9. He will have" fierce" features. (Daniel 11:23-25)
- 10. He will be incredibly intellectual and cunning. (Daniel 8:23)
- **11.** He will worship the enemy and be a master of the occult. (Daniel 8:23)
- 12. He will be a mesmerizing speaker. (Daniel 7:20, 11:36)
- **13.** He will be the consummate politician. (Daniel 11, Revelation 17:11-12)

- **14.** He will control commerce. (Daniel 8:25, 11:43; Revelation 13:17)
- **15.** He will be a military expert. (Isaiah 14:6, Daniel 8:25, Revelation 6:2, 13:4)
- 16. He will be a master liar and expert deceiver.(2 Thessalonians 2:10)
- **17.** He will encourage worship of the enemy. (Revelation 13:4)
- **18. He will be empowered by the enemy.** (Revelation 13:2)
- 19. He will persecute believers. (Rev 13:7; Daniel 7:25)
- 20. He will do everything according to his own selfish will. (Daniel 11:36)

- 21. His name will be related to 666—but not necessarily in immediately obvious way. (Revelation 13:17-18)
- 22. His "image" will speak, and cause those who don't worship him to be killed. (Revelation 13:15)
- 23. All people will be required to have his "mark" on their right hands or foreheads. (Revelation 13:16)
- **24.** No one can do business without this mark. (Revelation 13:17)
- 25. His reign of terror, brief rule over the nations, will last 42 months (3-1/2 years), by God's authority. (Psalm 2; Daniel 11:36; Revelation 13:16)

- 26. He will try to change the laws, perhaps in regard to Hebrew Law (Torah). (Daniel 7:25)
- 27. He will try to change the calendar, perhaps to define a new era, related to himself, perhaps in regard to Hebrew calendar. (Daniel 7:25)
- **28. He will not regard the God of his fathers.** (Daniel 11:37)
- 29. He will not have the desire of women. (Daniel 11:37)
- **30.** He will make a 7-year covenant with Israel but will break it after 3½ years. (Daniel 9:27)
- 31. He will honor a "god" of "fortresses." His whole focus and attention will be on power. (Daniel 11:38-44)

- **32. He will attempt to destroy all of Israel.** (Revelation 12)
- **33. He will initially support a global apostate religious system.** (Revelation 17:3-6)
- **34.** He will be supported and exalted by another beast *(from the land, "false prophet")* who will force worship of this beast. (Revelation 13:11-18)
- **35. He will eventually destroy the false religious system so that he alone rules and receives worship.** (Revelation 17:16-17)
- **36.** He will be worshipped by many people. (Revelation 13:8)

- **37.** He will <u>appear to do</u> miraculous things. (2 Thessalonians 2:9-12)
- **38.** He will <u>appear to be</u> raised from the dead after a fatal injury. (Zechariah 11:17, Revelation 13:3, 14)
- 39. He will <u>claim</u> that Jesus did not come in the flesh, or that Jesus did not rise bodily from the grave. He will deny that Jesus is the Messiah. (2 John 7, 1 John 2:22)
- **40.** He will oppose the Messiah, attempt to replace, or counterfeit, the Messiah (ANTI=opposed, in place of)
- **41.** He will set himself up as God, and be worshipped. (Daniel 11:36-37; 2 Thess 2:4, 11; Revelation 13:5)
- 42. He will claim to be God. (2 Thessalonians 2:4)

- **43. He will profane and desecrate the Temple**. (Matthew 24:15; 2 Thessalonians 2)
- **44. He will blaspheme God and His people.** (Revelation 13; Daniel 7)
- 45. He will destroy with a vengeance, even the powerful, and will thrive and prosper in these efforts. (Daniel 8:23-25)
- **46.** He will come against the "prince of princes." (Daniel 8:23-25)
- **47.** He will cause all the earth's armies to fight against God and His Son. (Psalm 2, Revelation 19:20)

- 48. He will be utterly crushed by the Messiah at the Battle of Armageddon (not by human hands) [Revelation 19; Daniel 8:23-25]
- 49. No other human government (rulers) will succeed him, except the Messiah Yeshua. (Daniel 2, 7:26-27)
- 50. He will be the first creature thrown into the lake of fire, and will spend eternity there. (Revelation 19:20)

Revelation 13

And now, believe it or not (!) we will finally return to Revelation 13, to hear about another beast...