The 3-part Second Coming of Jesus Christ *end-time viewpoint* as depicted in the chart below continues to rise in popularity within the Bible-believing Church.

Daniel & the New Testament: A Biblical Synthesis Toward Harmonizing the Full Counsel of the Word of God

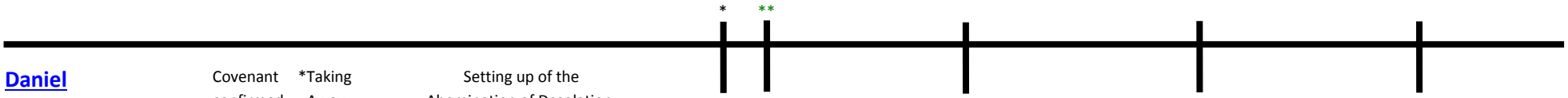
This Presentation is a Chronological Proposal for Your Prayerful and Exegetical Consideration.

Note: The spaces on the time line (below) between the vertical lines are **not** proportional.

Matthew

The SECOND COMING of Jesus Christ

Mt. 24:3-8	Mt. 24:9-14	Mt. 24:15-22	Mt. 24:29*, 30**	Mt. 24:31	Mt. 25:31	Mt. 25:32ff
Beginning of Sorrows	Tribulation	Great Tribulation	Heavenly Signs* & The Sign**	The Rapture Gathering	His Coming to the Earth	White-Throne Judgment



Daniel

Covenant confirmed | *Taking Away | Setting up of the Abomination of Desolation

Daily Sacrifices | 1,290 days | (great tribulation) | The Day of Christ / The Eschatological Day of the Lord

*Note: The "taking away" of the daily sacrifice occurs sometime around the confirming of the covenant.

The 2 witnesses **end** their prophetic ministry around the conclusion of the 6th Trumpet period – see Rev. 11:1-14. The same 11th chapter states the duration of their ministry is 1,260 days – about 3.5 years. If we were to go back 3.5 years from the event of their ascension to heaven, we suggest they begin their ministry sometime during the 1,290-day period between the taking away and the setting up of the Abomination of Desolation.

Revelation

The SEALS | The TRUMPETS | The BOWLS | MILLENNIAL REIGN | ETERNITY

Rev. 6 covers an unidentified period of time which includes the Great Tribulation period but which may or may not include the period of the Beginning of Sorrows/Birth Pains. Seals 1 - 3 already been opened. Has Seal 4 been opened? If not, prepare now for this! Please note: Rev. 13 & 14 address specific details concerning events and movements which will transpire during the reign of the antichrist and his false prophet – most likely taking place during the 4th Seal and/or the 5th Seal when great tribulation against "their fellow servants and their brethren, who would be killed as they *were* …" (Rev. 6:11c), unfolds. Rev. 7 goes on to describe these great tribulation Saints.

***Rev. 6:12, 13**
****Rev. 6:14-17**
(Christ's Initial Appearing)

Rev. 11:15-19
Rev. 14:14-16

Rev. 19

Rev. 20

During the tribulation period, difficult days increase. As it becomes more and more clear the man of diplomacy is indeed the man of lawlessness—in part, due to his requiring the world to yield to his program, which will include the mandate to syncretize all religious ideologies into one belief system whereby (they say) global peace can be secured—God's people in Jesus Christ will speak out, exposing the antichrist for who he really is. This will bring on an all-out war against the Saints, including a period of great tribulation. But God delivers, eventually setting up His eternal Kingdom!

Rev. 8 – 14
(Rev. 12:1 – 14:13 includes historical parentheticals.)

Rev. 15, 16

The *Sign* of Rev. 6:14-17 begins the "sudden destruction" of I Thes. 5:3.

I Cor. 15:51, 52
I Thes. 4:13-18

II Peter 3:10-13

I Timothy 4
II Timothy 3, 4
II Peter 2:1 – 3:9

II Thes. 2:1-12
Apostasy … Man of Sin/Lawlessness

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The chart above highlights some details of ***The Final Trumpet Rapture Gathering*** – I Cor. 15:51, 52.

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