

Series: Son of Man

Title: The Shadow of the Tribulation

Text: (Luke 21:25-28)

The Shadow of the Tribulation: (Luke 21:20-24)

The Tribulation period: (Zech 14:1-3)(Rev 15-19)(Jer. 30:7)
(Matt 24:21)

The Celestial Signs of His Coming: (Vs 25-26)

(Matt 24:29)(Isa. 13:10; 34:4)(Joel 2:10, 30-31)(Ps 46:1-3)
(Rev. 9:20-21)(Rev16:9-11)

The Shocking Sign of His Coming: (Vs 27-28)

(Matt 24:30)(Rev. 1:7)(Zech. 12:10)(Mk 14:61-62)
(Daniel 7:13-14)(Acts 1:9-11), and He will (Rev. 1:7).

(Luke 21:7) still Rings in Our Ears - WHEN?

(Matt 24:3) Third Question:

(Matt 24:36)(Titus 2:13)(James 5:7)

#2 "What shall be The Sign of thy Coming"

3 Signs are mentioned to them:

(Matt 24:15) CR: (Dan. 9:27) (2 Thess. 2:1-4)

The "SIGN OF THE SON OF MAN," (Matt 24:30)

The "FIG-TREE SIGN" (Matt 24:32-35)

Signs of the time

False Christianity: (Lk 21:8)

False Teachers: (Lk 21:8)(Matt 24:28)(2 Tim 4:3-4)

National and International Conflicts (Lk 21:9-10)

Natural Disasters (Lk 21:11)

Religious Persecutions (Lk 21:12)

Abounding Sin (Matt 24:12)(2 Tim 3:1-5) Sound Familiar
Extensive Gospel Preaching. (Matt 24:14) ***Here is Our Part!***
(1 Thes 5:1-3) *Birth Pains*

The Second Coming of Christ - The Rapture: (Vs 36-42)

Jesus taught us this. (John 14:3)

The Apostles also taught this as fact. (1 Thes 4:13-18)

How will the Rapture Work? (1 Cor 15:51-58)

A Sudden Event: (Matt 24:27)(2 Pet 3:10a)

(Luke 17:24-31)(1 Thes 5:1-3)(Rev 22:20)

The 2nd Stage of the Return of Christ is the Revelation

(Lk 21:27)(Matt 24:29-30)

(Matt 24:3 They asked Christ, *Tell us,*

A. when shall these things be?

B. and what shall be the sign of thy coming,

C. and of the end of the world?

Vs 4-5 There has been and will be False Teachers trying to pass themselves off as the Messiah.

The man of Sin - Antichrist - (2 Thes 2:3-4)

(Rev 6:2-4) warfare

(Rev 6:5-6) famine

(Isaiah 24:1-20, Isaiah 2:21) Earthquakes

(Matt 24:8) *All these are the beginning of sorrows.*

(Rev 7 & Rom 11:26) Jewish people will be saved

2 witnesses of Rev 11 and the 144K that preach the Gospel.

(Matt 24:14) *The Gospel of the Kingdom ~*

(Rev 7:14)
(Matt 24:14) “*and then shall the end come.*”
(Matt 24:15) “*abomination*” (Dan 9:27, 11:31 and 12:11)

There is both an historic and prophetic reference here.

(2 Thes 2:3b-4)(Rev 13:14-15)
(Matt 24:16-21) Jesus gives them the warning. “*RUN*”
Matt 24:29 **Jesus answers their 2nd Question**
(Matt 24:30) The Appearing of Jesus Christ
(Rev 16:11) The 5th Vial of God’s wrath is poured out

(Matt 24:32-34) **Jesus answers their 3rd question.**
“*What shall be the sign of the end of the world?*”

(Lk 21:33) *Heaven and earth shall pass away: but my words shall not pass away.*

The Second Coming of Christ - Revelation of Christ

(Luke 21:27)
John the Baptist taught this. (Luke 3:4-6)
The Angels confirmed this. (Acts 1:11) (Jude 1:14-15)
(Phil 3:21)(James 5:8)(1 Th 4:17)(Heb 9:28)(Rev 1:7)
(Rev 20:2-7)

Zechariah 4 teaches
The *Tribulation Period* in Vs 2,
The *Second Coming* in Vs 3-7
The *Millennial Reign* in Vs 8-21.

Book of Daniel teaches the Pre-Millennial return of Christ.
(Dan 2:34-35, 45)

The *Stone* that these speak of is Christ,

The *Great Mountain* is the Millennial Reign of Christ.
The Book of Hosea teaches this in chapters 5 & 6.

(Hosea 5:15)
(Hosea 6:1-2)

(Luke 21:34-36) *And **take heed** to yourselves, lest at any time your hearts be overcharged with surfeiting, and drunkenness, and cares of this life, and so that day come upon you unawares. 35 For as a snare shall it come on all them that dwell on the face of the whole earth. 36 **Watch** ye therefore, and pray always, that ye may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass, and to stand before the Son of man.*

“Take Heed!”

Believe & Live in the Reality of Christ’s Return
lest at any time your hearts be overcharged with surfeiting, and drunkenness, and cares of this life, and so that day come upon you unawares.

“Watch!” - And Warn Others!