

Grace Bible Chapel
Daniel #46 Intro to Chapter 8:16-27
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Introduction:

G. Supernatural visions from God (7:1-12:13)

1. Chapter introduced (7:1)
2. Conveyance of the 1st vision (7:2-14)
3. Crucial interpretation (7:15-28)
4. Conveyance of vision 2 (Vs. 8:1-14).
5. Comprehensive interpretation (8:15-27).

Quick review from previous studies:

Study tonight:

- Vs. 16 – Who is most likely the person commanding Gabriel?

 - Vs. 17 – Why did Daniel fall on his face?

 - What is the importance of his statement “this pertains to the time of the end?”

 - How can this not be applied to Antiochus Epiphanes?

 - There are 6 major characteristics “fierce features”(Vs 23) of Antiochus consistent with the Antichrist as we quickly overview this passage:

- Vs. 18 – What is indicated by Daniel sinking into a deep sleep?

- Vs. 19 – What is significant about the phrase “Behold, I am going to let you know?”

 - What is the “final period of the indignation?” _____

 - What is significant to the statement “pertains to the appointed time of the end?”

- Vs. 20 – What does the ram represent & what is the significance to our understanding? _____

- Vs. 21 – What does the shaggy goat represent?

- Vs. 22 – What do the four horns represent?

 - What is the significance of this to our thinking on this passage of prophesy?

- Vs. 23 – Who is this king being described?

 - How do we know this “small horn” is not once again referring to the Antichrist?

- Vs. 24 – What does it mean “but not by his own power?”

 - What will he do? _____

- Vs. 25 – What happens as a result of his success?

 - What does it mean “He will even oppose the Prince of princes?”

 - As an aside – what must occur before the Antichrist can do this?

 - What does it mean “he will be broken without human agency?”

 - What does history record happened to this character?

- Vs. 26 – Why is this added? “the vision...is true?”

 - What does He mean & why? “but keep the vision secret?”

- Vs. 27 – What is Daniel’s reaction and why?

 - What does he mean there was “none to explain.”
