

## What is this Kingdom that is to Come?

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1. Lord's Prayer: What does it mean to pray, "Thy Kingdom Come?"
2. Some Old Testament scriptures relating to this future kingdom: (Isaiah 9:6-7; 11:6-9; 65:20; Micah 4:1-3; Zechariah 8; Daniel 2).
3. Jesus spoke of the kingdom before his Ascension into heaven (Acts 1:3-9).
4. The mystery of the Church Age/temporary, partial hardening of the Jews (Romans 11:25-29).
5. Beware of "Replacement Theology," God's promises are "Everlasting" (Genesis 17:1-2, 8).
6. How you treat God's elect people affects how God treats you. Beware of Antisemitism! (Genesis 12:1-3).
7. The reestablishment of Israel as a nation in 1948 sets the stage for many Endtime events:
  - a. At the beginning of the Tribulation, the Antichrist will make a peace pact with Israel (Daniel 9:27).
  - b. In the middle of the Tribulation; the Antichrist will end Jewish sacrifices setting up an idol of the Antichrist in the temple with stunning powers (Daniel 9:27; Revelation 13:14-15).
  - c. At the end of the Tribulation, all nations will gather against Israel, but Christ will return destroying these invaders with the sword of his mouth. Then there will be a "national repentance" of Israel mourning over the One they have pierced; and receiving their Messiah, entering into the 1,000 year kingdom. (Zechariah 12-14; Revelation 16:16 {Armageddon}; Revelation 19-20)
8. Revelation 20
  - a. Satan is bound (vss. 1-3)
  - b. Tribulation martyrs join other believers in reigning with Christ in his earthly kingdom (vss. 4-6)
  - c. One last battle (vss. 7-10)
  - d. Great White Throne judgement (vss. 11-15)
9. The need to be faithful witnesses building Christ's spiritual kingdom (Acts 1:8; Colossians 1:13).
10. The call to repent and follow Jesus.

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