

“The Anti-Christ”

Daniel 7:23-28

1. The Anti Christ will emerge from the European Union.
2. The word anti-christ is used four times in the New Testament
(1 John 2:18, 22; 1 John 4:3; 2 John 1:7)
3. The anti-christ will overtly oppose Christ and simultaneously pass himself off as the messiah.
4. He appears elsewhere in Scripture under various names:
 - a. “The Prince who is to come (Daniel 9:26)
 - b. Insolent and skilled in intrigue (Daniel 8:23)
 - c. Man of lawlessness, son of destruction (2 Thess. 2:3)
 - d. The Beast (Rev. 13:1-10)
5. The personality of the anti-christ:
Charismatic (Daniel 7:7-8, 25)
Cunning (Daniel 7:8, 11:21)
Cruel (Daniel 7:23 & 25)
6. The profile of the anti-christ:
 - a. He will begin a politically inconspicuous (Rev. 13:1)
 - b. He will emerge from a Gentile Nation (Rev. 13:1)
 - c. He will be spiritually blasphemous (Daniel 7:25, 2 Thess. 2:4, Rev. 13:8)
 - d. He will be limited by God. (Rev. 13:5 & 7)
 - e. He will have an intimidating presence (Rev. 13:2)
7. The agenda of the anti-christ:
 - a. Make Peace with Israel (Daniel 9:27, Isaiah 28:18)
 - b. He will be raised from the dead (Rev. 13:3&4)
 - c. He will assassinate 3 world leaders
 - d. He will control people through the mark of the beast. (Rev. 13: 16 & 17, Rev. 14:9 & 10)
 - e. He will set himself in the Jewish Temple as the messiah. (Rev. 13:7 & 8)
 - f. He will set out to destroy the “saints of God” (Rev. 13:7)
 - g. He will be defeated (Rev. 19:19-21)
8. We are not to be preoccupied with the anti-christ but welcoming the second coming of “The Christ, the Son of the living God.” (Matt. 16:16-17, Titus 2:13)