

Christian World View

The Things to Come

Eschatology

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Greek · ἔσχατος = ESCHATOS → “last”

Greek · λόγος = LOGOS → “to speak”

LOGOS = a word conceived & a word spoken

ESCHATOS + LOGOS → “last” + “saying”

to speak of last things · end times · things to come

Biblical Eschatology

- 1 Eschatological Systems
- 2 Old Testament Eschatology
- 3 Old Testament Eschatology → Daniel
- 4 New Testament Eschatology → Jesus Christ
- 5 New Testament Eschatology → Revelation

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Eschatology · three systems

- ① pre-millennialism
- ② a-millennialism
- ③ post-millennialism

Eschatology · the parts of the whole

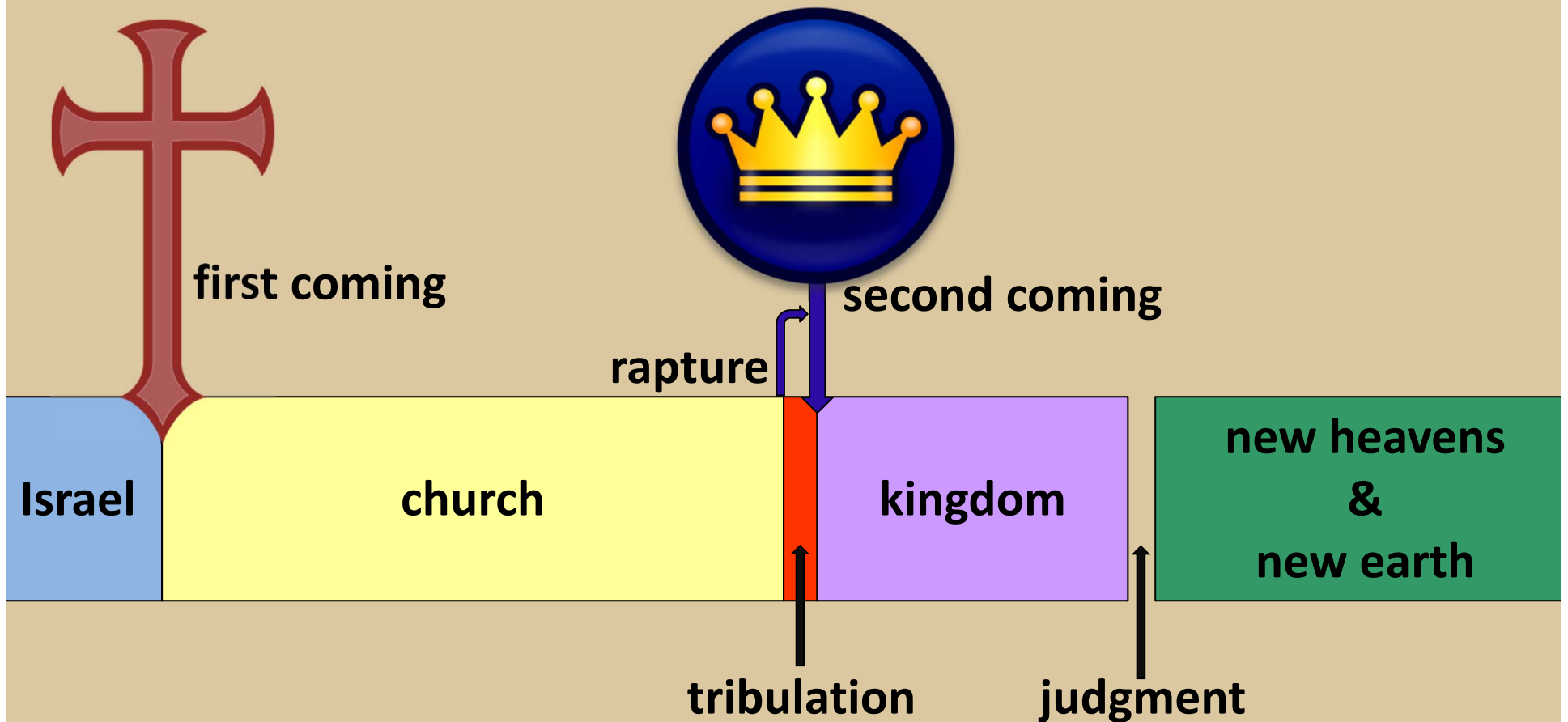
1st coming · Savior
church
resurrection · rapture
restoration · Israel
tribulation

2nd coming · King
kingdom
resurrection · judgment
new heavens & new earth

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millennial views

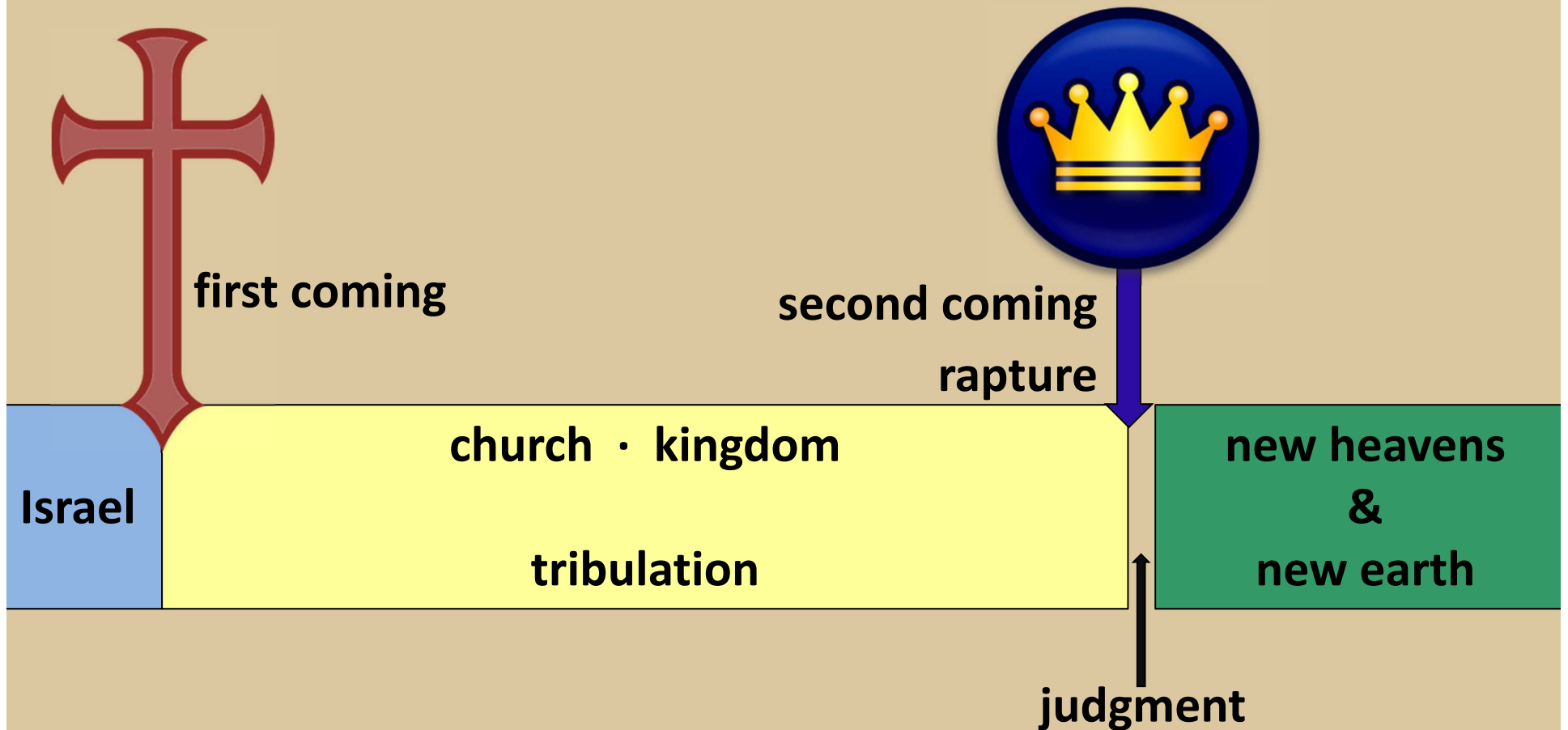
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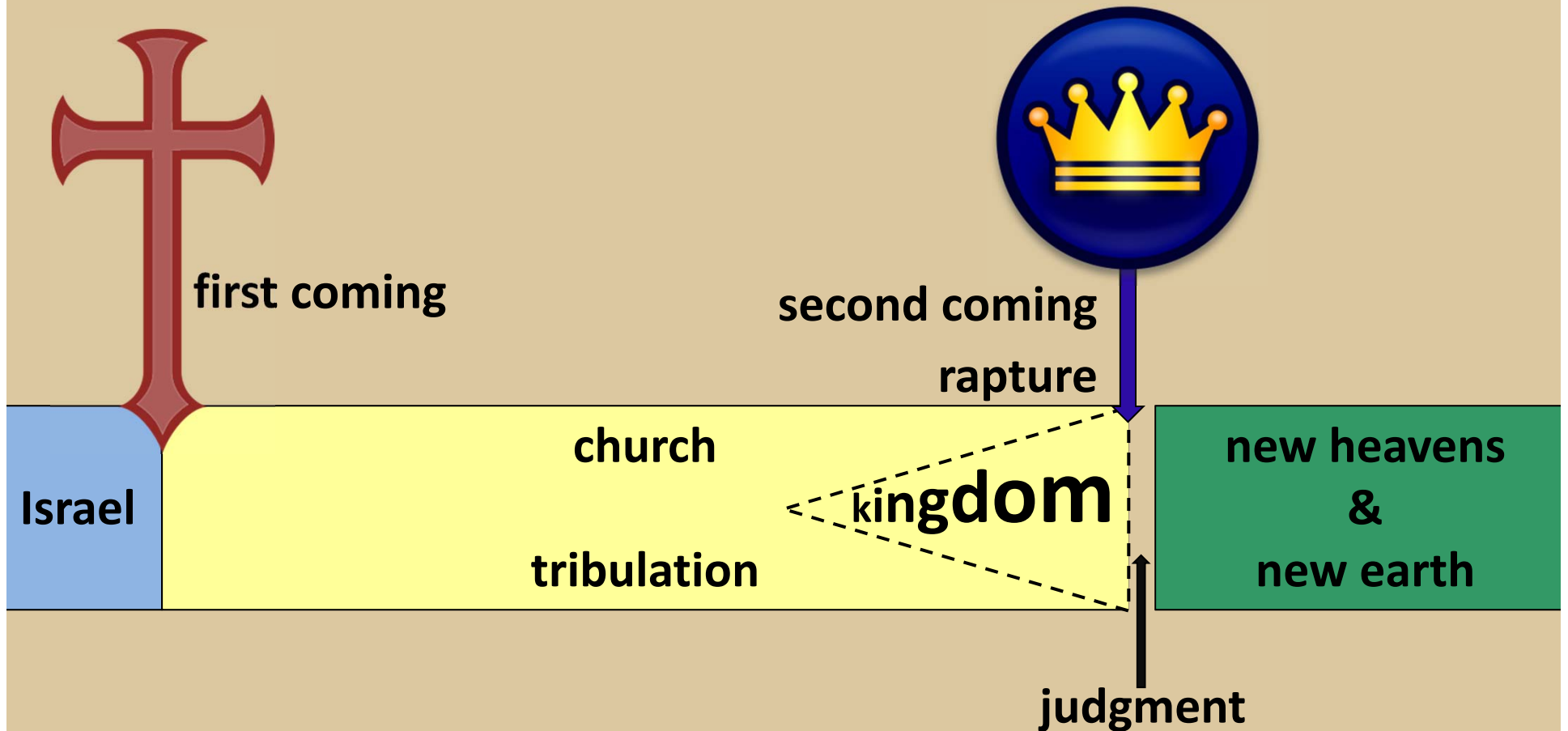
millennial views

amillennialism



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millennial views
post-millennialism



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key interpretations

Millennium – pre, post, a

rapture – pre, mid, post

judgments –

Israel and the church –

resurrections –

preterist = tribulation past · AD 70 Jerusalem

historicist = tribulation in all of church history

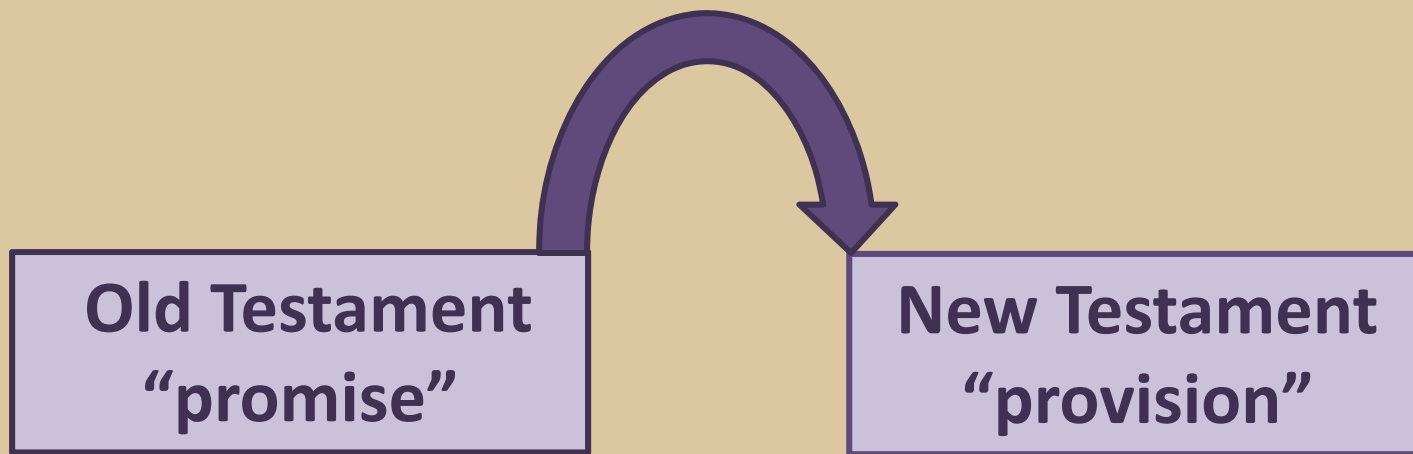
futurist = tribulation future · seven years

Daniel's 70th Week · the Day of the Lord ·

the time of Jacob's Trouble

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Old Testament Eschatology



the Seed · Genesis 3:15

Messiah · Daniel 9:25-26

only 2x OT references of "Messiah"

Son of Man · Son of God

Prophet · Priest · King

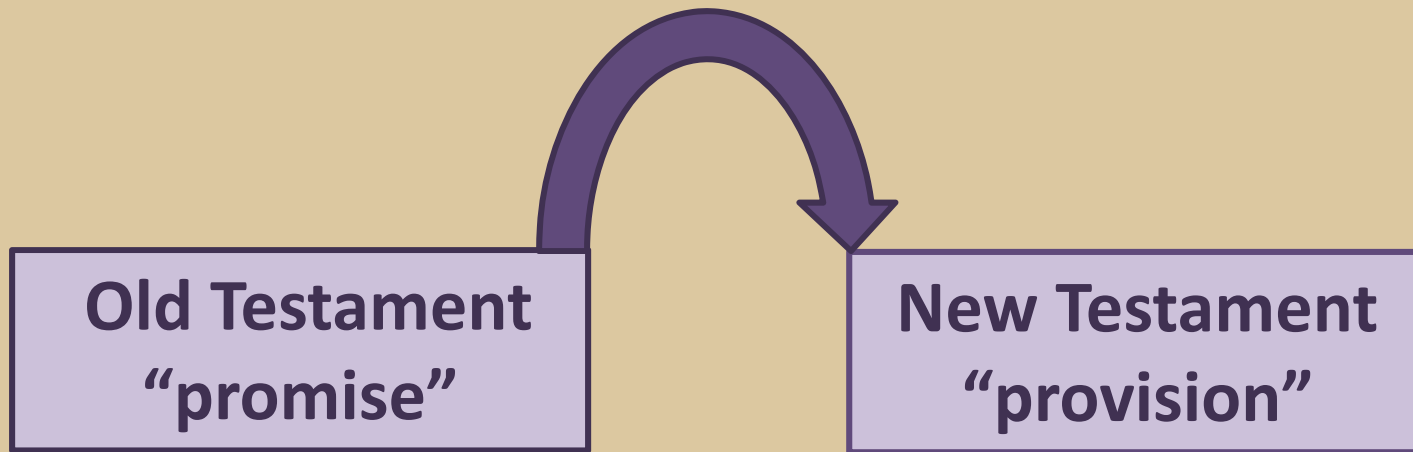
Suffering Servant · Reigning Lord

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salvation · kingdom

the presence of the Messiah

the restoration of Israel

the resurrection

final judgment · final salvation

the new heavens and new earth

Jesus Christ



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Old Testament Eschatology

The Seed Promise

the victory

The Messianic Promise

Son of Man – Son of God

Suffering Servant – Reigning King

Savior – Ruler

The Fulfillment of the Promise

restoration – resurrection – salvation

coming, presence and dominion of the Messiah

judgment of the wicked

kingdom – outpouring of the Spirit of God

new covenant

Messiah (Hebrew) = the anointed one, the chosen one, “Christ” (Greek)

Consecrating someone / setting them apart for a divinely appointed role.

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New Testament Eschatology

the day of the Lord
the time of Jacob's trouble
the 70th week of Daniel
the tribulation

Revelation 4-19

seven years

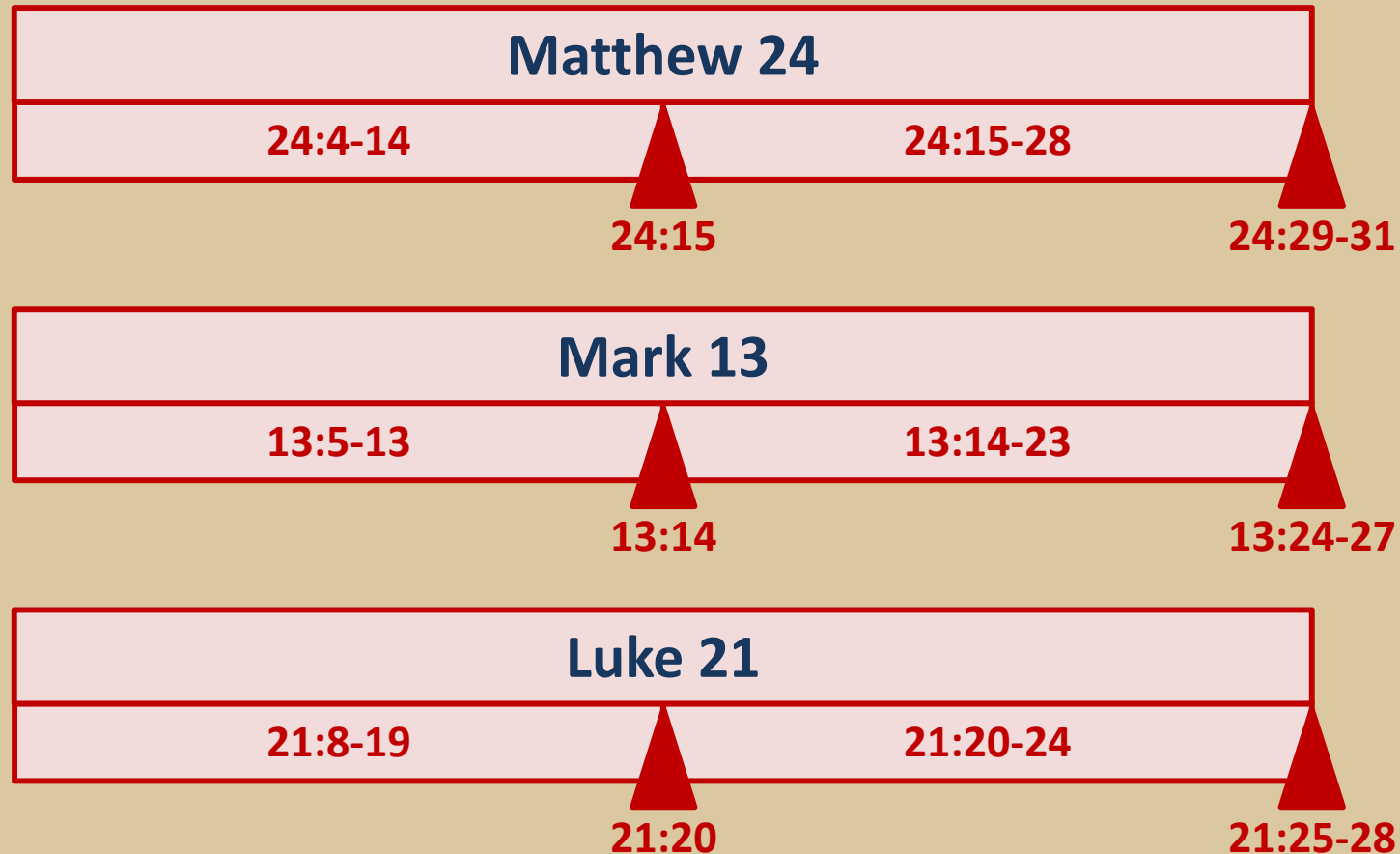
times, time, and half a time	times, time, and half a time
3 ½ years	3 ½ years
42 months	42 months
1,260 days	1,260 days

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Jesus Christ · “the Olivet Discourse”

“When will the stones of the temple be thrown down?
“What will be the sign of the second coming and the end of the age?”



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World Empires

3100 – 332 BC Egyptian

Greek · 332 BC · Alexander the Great

Roman · 31 BC · Cleopatra surrendered to Octavious = Augustus Caesar

911 – 609 BC Assyrian

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New Testament Eschatology → Revelation

Views of the Book of Revelation:

1. Futurist – events at the end of the age
2. Preterist – events at the 70 AD destruction of Jerusalem
3. Historicist – events throughout church history
4. Idealist – symbolic of the struggles leading to the final victor

