Pre-Millennial A-Millennial Post-Millennial

Pre-Tribulation Rapture

(7-Year) (1,000-Year)
Tribulation Millennium

Post-Tribulation Rapture

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2 Thessalonians 2:1-4 (NASB)

[1] Now we request you, brethren, with regard to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our gathering together to Him,

[2] that you not be quickly shaken from your composure or be disturbed either by a spirit or a message or a letter as if from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord has come.

[3] Let no one in any way deceive you, for it will not come unless the apostasy comes first, and the man of lawlessness is revealed, the son of destruction,

[4] who opposes and exalts himself above every so-called god or object of worship, so that he takes his seat in the temple of God, displaying himself as being God.
Romans 6:5 (Greek equivalent)
For if we have become united with Him in the likeness of His death,
We will also be of resurrection.

Romans 6:5 (in Bible translations)
For if we have become united with Him in the likeness of His death,
We will also be in the likeness of His resurrection.

“FIRST” in verse 3

View 1:

“FIRST”:
    the apostasy, and the revelation of the man of lawlessness

    (and afterward):
    the coming of the day of the Lord

View 2:

“FIRST”:
    the apostasy

    (and afterward):
    the revelation of the man of lawlessness
THE apostasy?

- 1 Timothy 4:1-3
- 2 Timothy 3:1-5; 4:3-4
- 2 Peter 2; 3:3-6
- Acts 20:29
- Jude 4, 19