



Daniel 7 - Four Beasts and the Throne of God

Small Group Work Sheet

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Part 1 - Ice Breaker

Have you ever studied or read the second half of Daniel? If so, share where you first learned about this fascinating second half of the book.

Part 2 - Sermon Review

1. Read Daniel 7:1-8. What about these animals links them to the four world kingdoms of Babylon and those that followed?
2. Read Daniel 7:9-12. What do the descriptors of God the Father in his throne room tell us about him? (*the color of his clothing, the fire of his throne, the books in his presence, etc...*)
3. Read Daniel 7:13-14. What does this tell us about Jesus?
4. Read Revelation 1:7, 12-18. How is Jesus' appearance different in Revelation than in Daniel 7:12-14?
5. Read Matthew 24:15-31. When the Romans under Titus destroyed Jerusalem in 70 A.D., they killed over a million inhabitants and took 97,000 captive. This passage appears to talk about that terrible time. This passage is not completely fulfilled. When Christ returns, how will it be similar to that terrible day?
6. Read Matthew 25:31-46. This passage is a direct reference to Daniel 7. What kind of judgment will take place when Christ returns?
7. Read Matthew 19:28-30. What will happen in eternity when you give up something for the glory of Christ in this life?
8. Read Matthew 13:40-43. What does this tell us will be the final two possible outcomes of life?
9. Revelation 13:1-10. What similarities do you see between the Beast and the Little Horn? What does v.10 encourage us to do during times of persecution?
10. Read 2 Thessalonians 2:3-12. What does it teach us about the Little Horn?
11. Read Revelation 19:11-21. What additional information do we learn about the return of Christ from these verses?