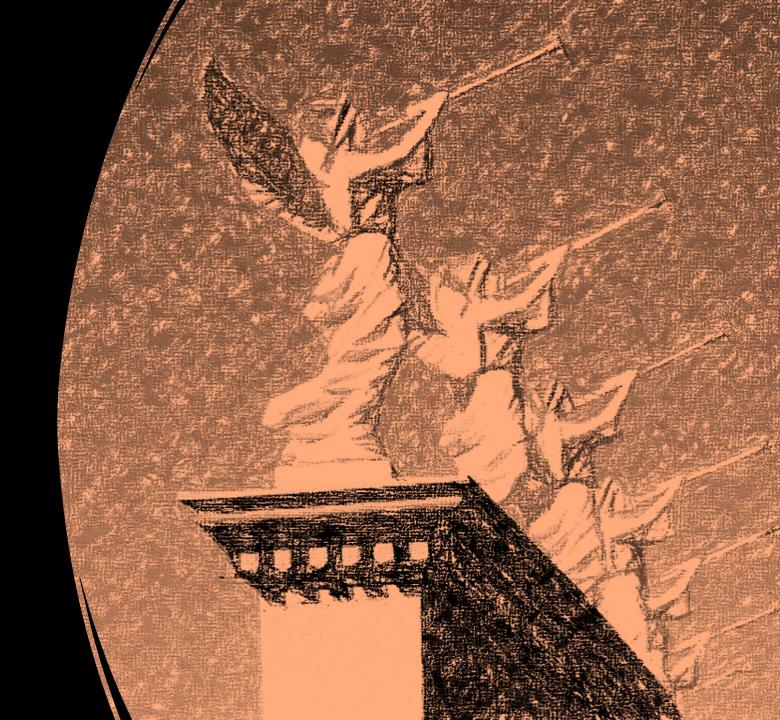
## Revelation 11:1-2

Measuring the Temple



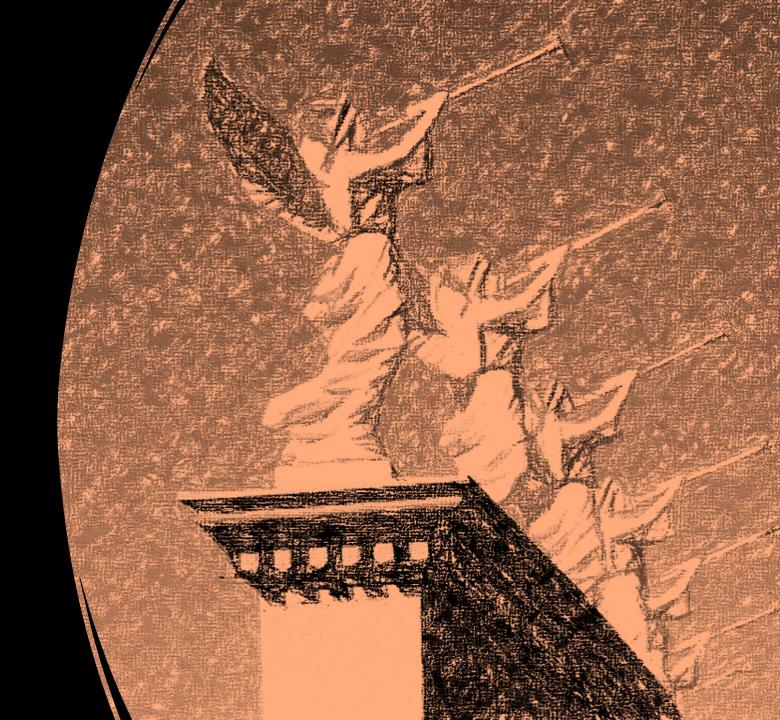
# Call to the Word



#### Rev 11:1-2

Then I was given a reed like a measuring rod. And the angel stood, saying, "Rise and measure the temple of God, the altar, and those who worship there. But leave out the court which is outside the temple, and do not measure it, for it has been given to the Gentiles. And they will tread the holy city underfoot *for* forty-two months.

# Introduction



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The Second Coming of Jesus Christ is a cardinal doctrine of the Christian faith. It is not minor, it is not unimportant, it is not secondary or tertiary, it is critical. It is a substantial reality in our faith. In fact, in some ways the Second Coming of Jesus Christ is the most important of events because it's the end of the story, because the Second Coming consummates everything... (MacArthur)

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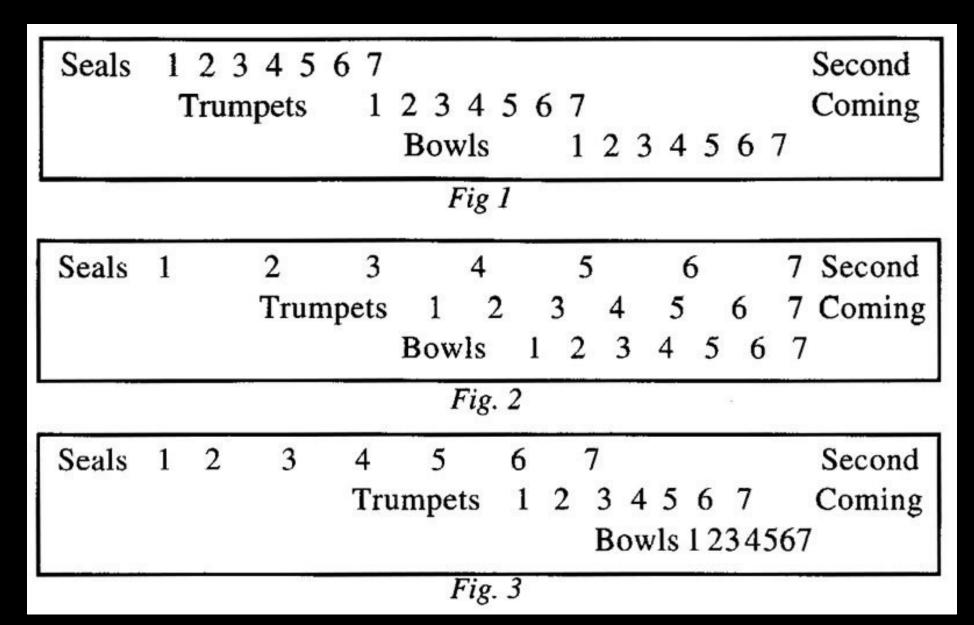
"(The Second Coming of Christ) is the only ray of hope that shines as an ever-brightening beam in a darkening world."

(Billy Graham)

# Background



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The Epicenter of Prophecy

Rev 11:1



Herod's Temple Dan 9:27; 12:11 Mat 24:15-16; 21 2Th 2:3-4

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Num 19:2 "This *is* the ordinance of the law which the LORD has commanded, saying: 'Speak to the children of Israel, that they bring you a red heifer without blemish, in which there *is* no defect *and* on which a yoke has never come."





"...would be found and sacrificed when King Messiah was ready to appear." (Maimonides)

Mat 24:33 In the same way, when you see all these things, you can know his return is very near, right at the door.

We know and believe that all sacrifice for sin was finished at the cross, and any further sacrifice for sin is an offense to God, because it denies the finished work of Jesus on the cross.

I have come in My Father's name, and you do not receive Me; if another comes in his own name, him you will receive. (Joh 5:43)

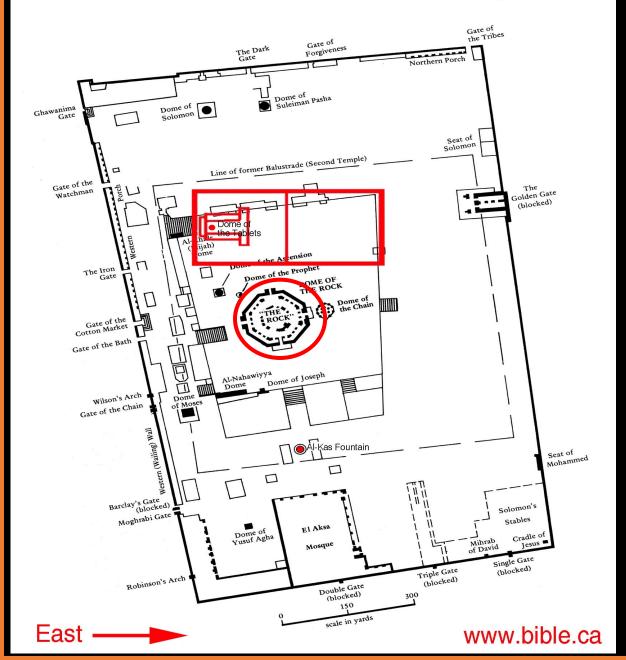
The Outer Court

Rev 11:2





Herodian Temple: Holy of Holies over Dome of Tablets (Asher S. Kaufman's view, 1983 AD)



We are always to live in the expectation of Christ's imminent return.

Rev 16:15

Mar 13:35-37

Mat 24:45-51

The most dangerous lie Satan whispers in our ear is not "There is no God," not "there is no hell"; but the most dangerous lie of Satan is "there is no hurry."

**V48:** The word "evil" means "something that was once good but has gone bad."

Beloved, now we are children of God; and it has not yet been revealed what we shall be, but we know that when He is revealed, we shall be like Him, for we shall see Him as He is. And everyone who has this hope in Him purifies himself, just as He is pure.

(1Jn 3:2-3)

# Revelation 10

The Angel & The Little Scroll

