

ESCHATOLOGY
Introduction - Interpretation & Positions

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- I. The Introduction
- II. The Importance

III. The Intent

- A. To Warn - Mt 24:4, 24-25, 42
- B. To Strengthen - 24:6
- C. To Prepare - 24:6, 8, 43-44
- D. To Comfort - 24:31, 35, 1Th 4:18
- E. To Motivate - 24:45-51, 1Pet 4:7
- F. To Stimulate - 24:45-51, 25:29, 46
- G. To Glorify God

IV. The Interpretation

- A. The **Importance**

- B. The **History**

- C. The **Principles**

1. The Priority of Literal
2. The Emphasize on GHC
3. The Conditional Possibility
4. The Telescoping Principle
5. The Double Reference Principle

- D. The Major Terminology

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V. The Positions

A. The **Millennial** Positions

1. The **Postmillennial** View

a. The Position - Christ returns after Millennium

b. The Features

c. The Support - Rom 1:16

d. The Proponents

2. The **Amillennial** View

a. The Position - there is no future Kingdom but exists now

b. The Features

c. The Support - Phil 3:20

d. The Proponents

3. The **Premillennial** View

a. The Position - Christ establishes future Millennium

b. The Features

c. The Support - Rev 20

d. The Proponents

B. The Tribulation Positions

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V. The Positions

- A. The Millennial Positions
- B. The **Tribulation** Positions

1. **Post-tribulation**

a. The Position - Christ returns after Tribulation

b. The Support - saints in Rev 4-19

c. The Proponents

2. **Mid-tribulation** -

Christ returns in middle of Tribulation

a. The Position

b. The Support - Rev 11

c. The Proponents

3. **Pre-Wrath** -

Christ returns before Wrath of Tribulation

4. **Partial Rapture**

a. The Position -

Christ returns as believers are ready for Tribulation

b. The Support -

Mt 19:28-29

c. The Proponents

5. **Pre-tribulation**

a. The Position -

Christ returns before Tribulation

b. The Support -

Dan 9:24-27

c. The Proponents

- C. The Hermeneutical Positions