

Parables of Jesus

FIG TREE



OLIVET DISCOURSE

of JESUS

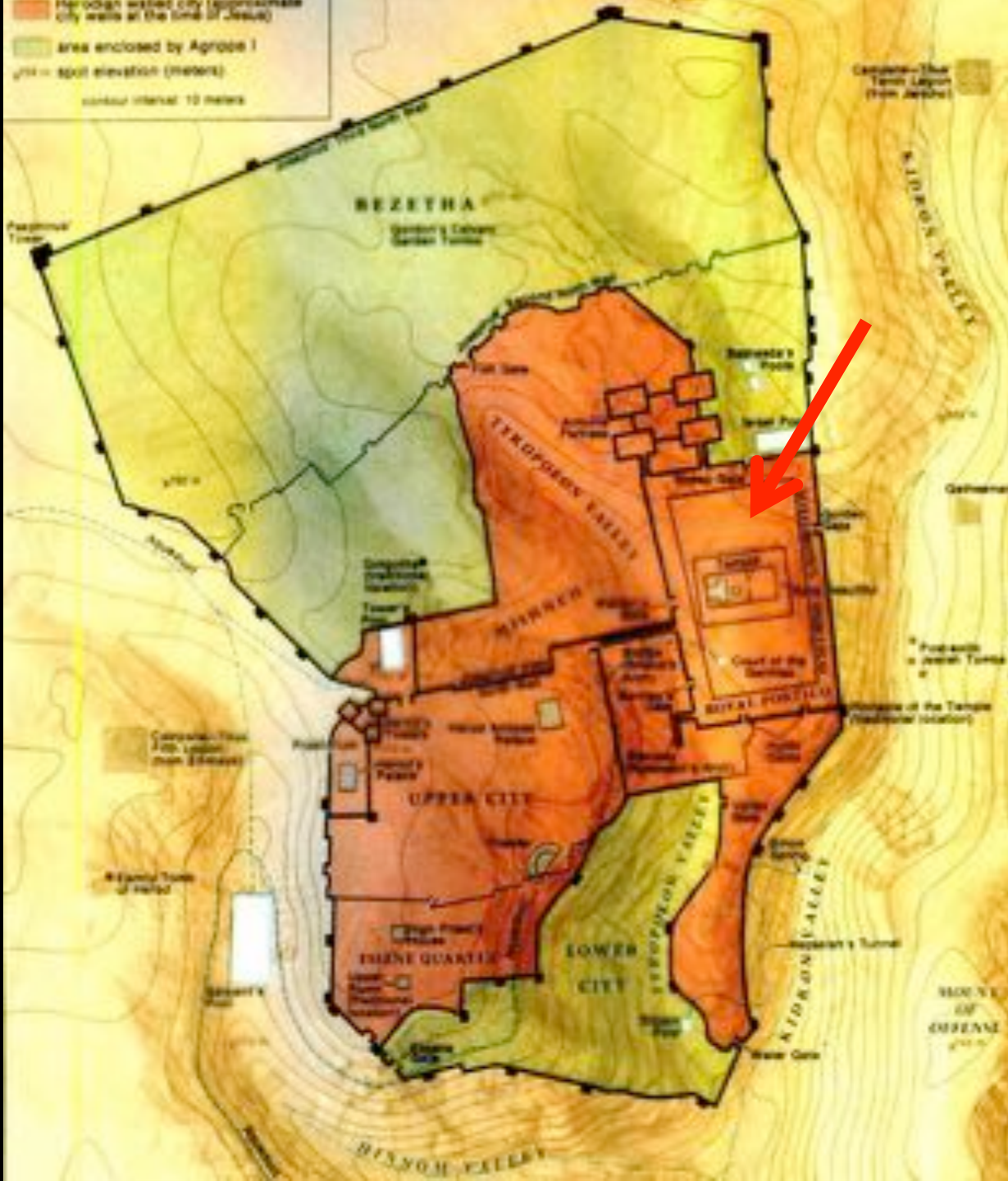


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I. Setting to O.D.

21:1-24:3





**Herod's
Temple**

Temple Mount







Golden Gate

24:3 As He was sitting on the Mount of Olives, the disciples came to Him privately, saying, “Tell us, when will these things happen, and what will be the sign of Your coming, and of the end of the age?”





SETTING

- 1. Time - after Nation rejected Messiah
after Christ rejected Nation
2 day before Crucifixion**
- 2. Audience - Jewish disciples**
- 3. Location - Mt of Olives**
- 4. Nature - mainly prophetic**
- 5. Parallels - all 3 synoptics**

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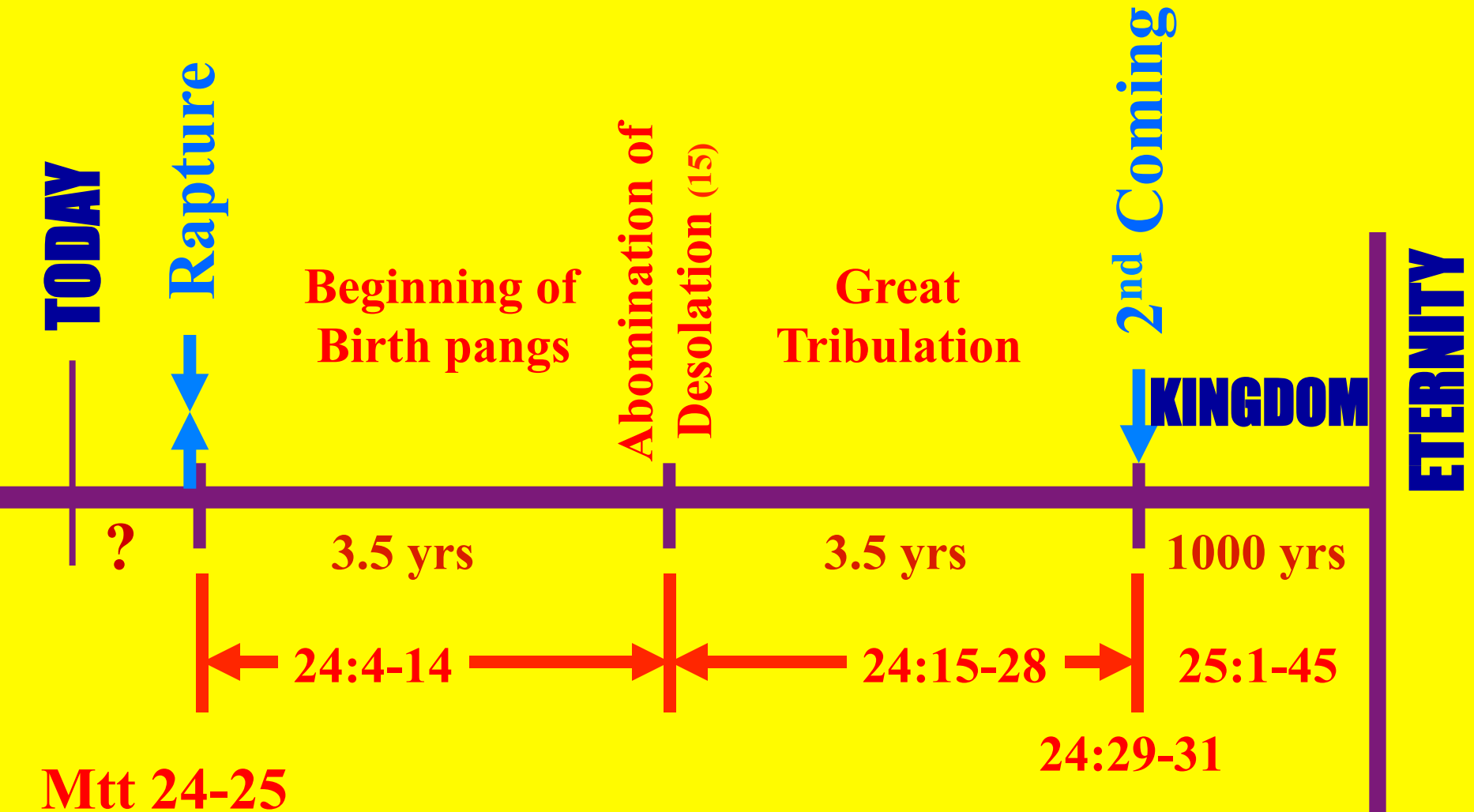
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II. Tribulation

24:4-28

END of the AGE



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- II. Tribulation 24:4-28**
- III. 2nd Coming 24:29-31**
- IV. Applications for O.D. 24:32-25:46**
 - A. Applications for 2nd Coming 24:32-51**
 - B. Applications for Kingdom 25**

2nd COMING

1. Fig Tree - urgency 24:32-36

24:32-33 “Now learn the **parable** from the **fig tree**: when its branch has already become tender and puts forth its leaves, you know that summer is near; **33** so, you too, when you see all these things, recognize that **He is near**, right at the door.

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- 1. Nation of Israel**
- 2. Temple Leaders**
- 3. Simple
Illustration**

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SIMPLE ILLUSTRATION

Tree leaves = summer near

Signs (4-28) = 2nd Coming near

**“The certainty of the event and
the uncertainty of the time.”**

Plummer

O.D. OUTLINE

I. The Setting	21:1-24:3
II. The Tribulation	24:4-28
III. 2nd Coming	24:29-31
IV. Applications for OD	24:32-51
A. Parable of Fig Tree	24:32-36
1. Exposition	24:32-33
2. Explanation	24:34-36

24:34 “Truly I say to you, this generation will not pass away until all these things take place.

GENERATION

1. Christ's Error

2. 1st Century Generation

GENERATION CONTRAST

70 AD = 23:36

FUTURE= 24:34

➤ **Unwilling**

Willing

➤ **Condemned**

Warned

➤ **Judgment**

Redemption

➤ **Scattering**

Gathering

➤ **Past**

Future

GENERATION

- 1. Christ's Error**
- 2. 1st Century Generation**
- 3. Beginning in 1st Century**
- 4. Church Age**
- 5. Jewish Race**
- 6. Last Generation**

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CORRESPONDENCE

1. Fig Tree - Last Generation

ESSENCE

**Signs of 2nd Coming
should Create a Sense
of URGENCY**

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- **Deity - omnipotent miracles
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- **Humanity - human limitations
limited knowledge**

A photograph of a sunset over the Sea of Galilee. The sun is a bright orange orb on the horizon, with its light reflecting on the water's surface. The sky is filled with soft, golden clouds. The foreground shows the dark silhouette of a hillside.

**Live with a 2nd Coming
Perspective!!!
Anticipate Glory of
2nd Coming!!!**

Sea of Galilee from Kursi