

Eschatology

Lecture # 7

The Coming One World Government

When

- **Is this coming world leader alive today?**
- **What country is he coming from?**
- **Is he a Jew?**
- **How old is he?**
- **Will the Church of Jesus Christ see him?**
- **If not, why not?**

Nebuchadnezzar's Dream

The book of Daniel, chapter 2 verses 31-44

- 1. Head of gold**
- 2. Chest of silver**
- 3. Belly and thighs of brass**
- 4. Legs of iron**
- 5. Feet of iron and clay**

Daniel's Interpretation

- **The head of gold is Nebuchadnezzar**
- **The chest of silver is the Medes and Persians**
- **The belly is the king of Grecia; we know him as Alexander the Great**
- **The legs are the Roman Empire**
- **The feet are the revived Roman Empire**

Daniel Chapter 7

Daniel's dream of the four beasts out of the sea

1. The first was like a lion with eagle's wings
2. The second was like a bear with three ribs in its mouth
3. The third was like a leopard with four wings of a fowl
4. Then a fourth beast dreadful and terrible and exceedingly strong

Daniel's Dream

- Question number one: do these two dream visions mean the same thing?
- Why, if they mean the same thing, are they so different in the images described?
- Is it possible that Daniel's dream is about modern governments?
- If so, which ones?

Daniel's Interpretation Continued

Daniel chapter 2 verse 44

And in the days of these kings shall the God of Heaven set up a kingdom, which shall never be destroyed: and the kingdom shall not be left to other people, but it shall break in pieces and consume all these kingdoms, and it shall stand forever.

God's Kingdom

- We have looked at the statue that Daniel described to King Nebuchadnezzar. Do you remember the many different types of metal and their meanings?
- Which one was a world ruler?
- Look at Revelation chapter 6, verses 1-8

Who will be the One World Ruler?

- **To answer this we must look to the book of Daniel.**

Daniel 2:44

And in the days of those kings the God of heaven will set up a kingdom that shall never be destroyed, nor shall this kingdom be left to another people. It shall crush all these kingdoms and bring them to an end, and it shall stand forever

Who is This Coming Ruler?

- **Based on Daniel 2:44, Only One Person can fit this description.**
- **This being true, what does all this talk about a one-world government tell us about how soon the Rapture could take place?**