# **Judgment II: 2300-day Prophecy**

**purpose:** To show that the end time, pre-advent, judgment commenced in 1844 when Jesus Christ entered into the Most Holy Place of the Heavenly Sanctuary.

#### Exodus 25:9,40

- Moses was to build the sanctuary according the pattern
- Transition: The OT sanctuary was a pattern of an original. What is the original?

## Hebrews 8:1,2

- Why do we care about what happened in the OT sanctuary? Because it was a shadow of things happening in heaven.
- The OT sanctuary was a "shadow of heavenly things- seen in the priest, the building, the lamb, etc.
- The services on earth were to teach us about the heavenly sanctuary.

# Hebrews 9:11,23,24

- Christ has entered the heavenly sanctuary, and is our high priest there.
- Two types of services in the sanctuary in the OT:
  - Daily (Holy Place)
    - Purpose: to transfer sins into the sanctuary.
  - Yearly (Most Holy Place)
    - Purpose: to cleanse the sanctuary of the years' sins.

## Leviticus 16:2,34

- Aaron was instructed not to enter into the Most Holy Place at just any time, but only once a year.
- Transition: What happens in the Most Holy Place once a year?

## Leviticus 16:7-10- Two goats.

• **Transition:** What happens to the goats?

## Leviticus 16:15,16,19

- First goat is killed.
- Priest sprinkles blood of the killed lamb as he exits the sanctuary.
- Vs. 19- circle the word "cleanse" (key to 1844)

### Leviticus 16:21,22

- All of the sin from the sanctuary is symbolically transferred to the second goat. He places both of his hands on this goat and confesses iniquities.
- The second goat is the scapegoat.
- The goat bearing all the iniquity is let go in the wilderness.

# Leviticus 23:28,29

- This was the most serious ceremony in the OT sanctuary.
- It was a day of judgment. Israel was to search their hearts, asking God in prayer to cleanse them of all sin.
- The cleansing of the sanctuary is synonymous with the day of judgment.

## Daniel 8:14

- Sanctuary will be cleansed = day of judgment.
- God investigates before He makes judgment.
- That's why this is called the Investigative Judgment.

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# Daniel 7:9,10

- This scene is a picture of what took place at 1844 and onward.
- This is a picture of the cleansing of the sanctuary in heaven.
- How is the investigative judgment taking place? Jesus has gone into court and has opened the books.

Revelation 20:12; 21:27; 3:5; Malachi 3:16; Phil. 4:3; Luke 10:20; Psalm 56:8

- These verses show that books are kept as records in heaven.
- God allows the evidence in these books to speak for themselves.

## Revelation 14:6,7,14

- Final warning right before Jesus comes. (post- 1844!)
- Fear God and give Him glory for the hour of His judgment *is* come!
- God is harvesting his ripe people.
- The character of Jesus has ripened in the lives of His followers and they are ready for harvest.

**appeal:** This message is for us! We are living in the time of history when Christ is performing the finishing touches of His ministry in the Heavenly Sanctuary. Jesus is about to exit the sanctuary. The judgment is God acknowledging those who have chosen to be saved and those who have chosen to be lost. God is respecting the decisions of human beings. There are two classes of people. Those who say, "God, your will be done", and those to whom God says, "Your will be done." Which class will you choose to be in today?

#### defend it:

This is what makes Adventists unique!

Important to have back-up information because this message is under attack!

# \* The prophecies of Daniel 2,7, & 8 are parallel.

Daniel 2	Daniel 7	Daniel 8
Babylon	Babylon	
Medo-Persia	Medo-Persia	Medo-Persia
Greece	Greece	Greece
Rome	Rome	Papal Rome
	Judgment	Cleaning of the Sanctuary
Second Coming	Second Coming	

# \*Each of the prophecies in Daniel 9,8, & 7 highlight a different aspect of Jesus ministry.

Daniel 9	Daniel 8	Daniel 7
Sacrifice	Priest	King

Jesus occupation for the last 2,000 years is a complete mystery for most Christians. Would it really take Him 2,000 years to build mansions for all of us? The cross is the beginning to us, where for those who don't understand these prophecies, it was the end.

The 70-week prophecy is a miniature of the 2,300-day prophecy. The judgment time for Israel is an example of the judgment time for the whole world at the end of time.

- 3 Stages of Judgment
- 1. Pre-advent- now!
- 2. Millennial- scapegoat is in the wilderness- a desolate barren place.
- 3. Executive- final destruction of sin at the end of the 1,000 years.

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