

# YAH'S COVENANT Calendar







# DANIEL

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Declaring the END  
From the Beginning



# #5 Declaring the END From the Beginning

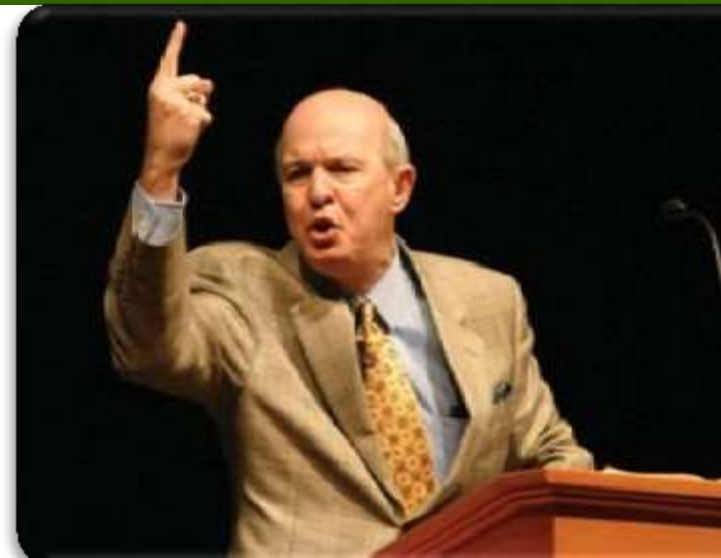
## Daniel 4

Part 3 [of 3]

Sneaky Switches & Glitches



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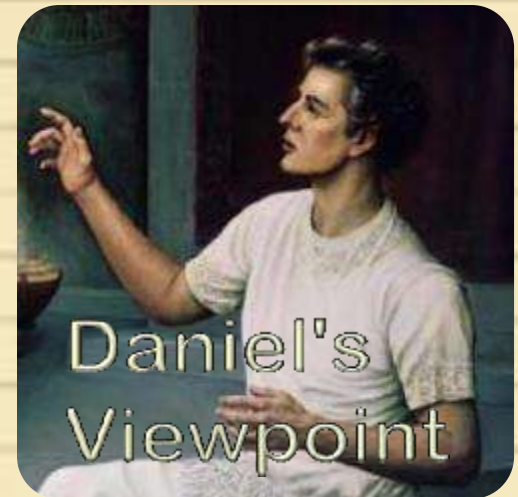


# A Word of Prayer





# Review for Daniel 4: Part 2



## Interpretation & Application

- The King needed an interpretation because he didn't understand anything of what his dream meant.
- Daniel understood exactly what the dream meant because of the use of similes and metaphors.
- Relating to the prophecies of Ezekiel regarding the leaders of Egypt and Assyria, Daniel merely made the same application to King Nebuchadnezzar.

# Review for Daniel 4: Part 2



## Prophetic Terminology & Prophetic Rules

- Every timeline in a prophecy is Prophetic Time.
- If there are **symbols** present, the timeline is most often **prophetic symbolic time**.  
(\*Remember there are exceptions in Revelation!)
- And if there is only **literal language** present, the timelines are **prophetic literal time** – no calculation is necessary.
- “time, times, and half a time” is **NOT** the same as the “year for a day” calculation principle.



# Review for Daniel 4: Part 2



**Yahuah does  
NOT repeat  
things of no great  
consequence!**

“Declaring the end from the beginning ...”

Isa 46:9, 10 Remember the former things of old: for I am Yahuah, and there is none else ...

10 Declaring the end from the beginning, and from ancient times the things that are not yet done, saying, My counsel shall stand, and I will do all my pleasure:



# Understanding Timelines

## 6) The Theologian's Sneaky Switch



**Never  
Ever!**

### **Something To Consider:**

Daniel's visions are either:

- a) Symbolic
- b) Literal

He NEVER mixes the two!

## 6) The Sneaky Switch!

### Some Theologians Say This:

☒ The Vision of Daniel  
4 is symbolic ~

But ...

☒ The 7 year timelines  
are literal!

**What's  
wrong  
with this?**

#### Correction!

☒ There are NO  
symbols in Daniel  
Chapter 4.

☒ There are NO  
prophetic symbolic  
timelines.

☒ Daniel keeps his  
book simple!

Everything about this Vision is Literal!



Daniel Never ...

... mixes Symbolism"  
with Literal Timelines!

Note ~ John does:

1. Mix symbolism with literal timelines;
  2. Mix symbolic and literal language together in the same vision, and even the same chapter.
- That's why it is so important to understand the ground rules given by Daniel before trying to attempt proper application to timelines.

# What Does John The Revelator Expect of You?

*John requires you to have a  
good understanding of the  
hermeneutic principles  
taught by Daniel!*





# The Deadly Mix Has Consequences

- ~ It is error for anyone to take Daniel 4 and mix “Symbolism” with his “Literal Timelines.”

## Consequence:

- ~ This “Deadly Mix” totally destroys the Structure of Daniel’s Book.
- ~ One simply does not have permission from Daniel to do this!

Many Leaders And Theologians Say:

~ “The tree in Daniel 4 is symbolic!”

But

~ “The timeline is

only

7 literal

years!”

**Do you  
see a  
problem  
here?**

**50%**



# Daniel Teaches:


- ~ The Tree is "literal."
- ~ The Timeline is "literal time."

100%

**That makes  
more sense,  
doesn't it?**

# Why Is The **SNEAKY SWITCH** Used?

~ If people can be convinced to practice this switch in Daniel 4 ~ then ~ when studying the 4<sup>th</sup> vision **there's no trouble** to convince the people to accept the Daniel 12 timelines as symbolic time **even though** they are written in a vision using ONLY literal language and literal timelines!





# What Else Does The Sneaky Switch Do?

- This technique must convince the people that every single timeline in prophecy must ALWAYS be converted with the “day for a year” computation principle unless ...

... the authorities  
say otherwise!

Interpret Daniel's Tree  
as "symbolic" ... but



Switch  
the  
timeline  
to:

7 Literal  
Years

Interpret Daniel's "kings" [ch 11]  
as "literal kings" ... but



Switch  
all the  
timelines  
to:

1260

1290

1335

Symbolic Days



# Think About This For A Moment

~ If theological authorities are saying something different than what Daniel is showing in his work ...

**All of us have  
a decision  
to make ...**

**... on  
who has  
the final  
authority!**



# The "Year/day Principle" Is NOT Used On These Prophecies

1. **Noah's prophecy** that the world would be flooded in 120 years.
2. **Abraham's prophecy** that his people would be enslaved by Egypt for 400 (or 430) years. (See Daniel 4 Appendix for a useful study.)
3. **Elijah's prophecy** that there would be no rain for 3½ years.

Question?

~ Why isn't the "year for a day" principle used for all time prophecies?



# Other Consequences Of The Sneaky Switch

**X** Forcing the prophetic rule ~  
“Year for a day” into any Prophetic  
Literal Timeline ~ will always  
yield the incorrect interpretation of  
the timeline.

This is serious!

# What Will The Final Result Be?

1260

1290

The Daniel 12  
timelines will NEVER  
be given the  
correct application!

1335



# How To Avoid The Sneaky Switch

First: Determine if the vision is written with **symbols**, or just **literal** language.

Second: If you're not sure about the status of the vision, check carefully for **similes** and **metaphors** that are commonly used in literal language.

End Results:

- 1) Daniel's rules will not be changed!
- 2) You'll have a correct understanding of timelines.
- 3) The same rules apply in Revelation.

Learn the rules in Daniel  
where they are easy!

# Understanding Timelines

## 7) How to Begin and End Timelines



**Listen to  
this!**

### **Prophetic Key #26**

**All timelines must “begin” and “end” with a “voice,” or a “decree,” whether from Yahuah or man.**



# How to “Begin” and “End” Prophetic Timelines

Unraveling prophecy and timelines is exciting.

Note these Prophetic Keys:

**Key #22** Timelines are never shortened or severed.

**Key #26** All timelines must have a “beginning” and an “ending” with a voice or a decree, whether from Yahuah or man ~ or a legislative assembly.

**Key #27** All timelines have good news and bad news for both groups of people.

# Daniel 4 ~ Verse By Verse

## *Nebuchadnezzar Relays The Timeline*

(Heavenly Scene ~ The Prophecy)

**16** ... let a beast's heart be given unto him;  
and let **seven times** pass over him.

**17** This matter is by the **decree** of the  
watchers ...

## *Daniel Confirms The 7 Year Timeline*

(**Outline** ~ Prophecy Explained)

**23** ... let his [the king's] portion be with the  
beasts of the field, till **seven times** pass  
over him ...



## ***The 7 Year Timeline Begins With A Decree***

(Outline Continues ~ Prophecy Explained)

**24** This is the interpretation [or application],  
O king, and this is the **decree** [speaking  
voice] of the most High ...

## ***The 7 Year Timeline Confirmed***

(Answer to Interlude Question ~

“What is the interpretation of this dream?”)

**25** ... **seven times** shall pass over thee, till  
thou know that the most High ruleth in  
the kingdom of men ...



## *The King's Probationary Time Ends*

29 **At the end of twelve months** he [the king] walked in the palace ...

*Probationary Time Ends With  
A "Speaking Voice"*

30 ... The king spake ... is this not great Babylon, that **I** built by my power for my majesty?

31a While the word was in the king's mouth ...



**At that  
very  
instant!**



## ***Yahuah of Heaven Speaks Next***

### ***The 7 Year Timeline Begins***

**(Endtime Event ~**

**Prophecy Begins Fulfillment)**

**31b ... there fell a voice**

**[decree of vs 24] from heaven ...**

**saying ... to thee it is**

**spoken: The kingdom is**

**departed from thee. [Now  
the 7 year timeline begins!]**

**32 ... thy dwelling shall be**

**with the beasts ... and **seven**  
**times** shall pass over thee.**





Biblical Timelines  
are  
Trustworthy!

*7 Year Timeline  
Begins Exactly  
On Time*

**33** The same hour  
[the end of the 12  
months of vs 29]  
was the thing  
[prophetic vision]  
fulfilled upon  
Nebuchadnezzar:  
and he was driven  
from men ...





## ***Nebuchadnezzar's Voice Ends The Prophetic 7 Year Timeline***

- 34** **And at the end of the days** [of the seven years timeline] **I, [king] Nebuchadnezzar, lifted up mine eyes ... mine understanding returned unto me, and I blessed ... and I praised** [with a speaking voice] **and honoured him that liveth for ever ...**

## ***Nebuchadnezzar Restored To His Kingdom***

- 36** **At the same time my reason returned unto me ... and I was established in my kingdom ...** [at the end of the 7 year timeline].





## **King Nebuchadnezzar Received a Stern Warning:**

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### Prophetic Timeline #1: Details and Specifics

Timeline #1 (Length of Timeline)	Subject (of Timeline)	Prophetic Scripture For Timeline	Timeline Begins (with)	Speaking VOICE (Decree)	Timeline Ends (with)	Speaking VOICE (Decree)
7 "times" or 7 Literal Years	King Nebuchadnezzar and His Pride  DAN 4:27	DAN 4:16, 23, 25, 32	King Driven to the Field as a Wild Beast  DAN 4:31-33	Heavenly Voice Begins the king's Probation DAN 4:29, 31	Deliverance From Insanity After 7 Years  DAN 4:34	The king's Voice of Praise  DAN 4:34

# What Does This Mean For Daniel 12?

1260  
1290  
1335

Daniel does not give any dates for these timelines.

Daniel does not give any hints for the voices that begin and end these timelines.

All we know is that when the 1290 day timeline “ends” all things will be “finished.”

The clues for the beginning and ending voices of these timelines are only found in Revelation.

John tells us the “event” that will begin and end the timelines. Then it’s up to us to “listen” for the “voices/decrees” that also connect to the events [often associated with a date.]

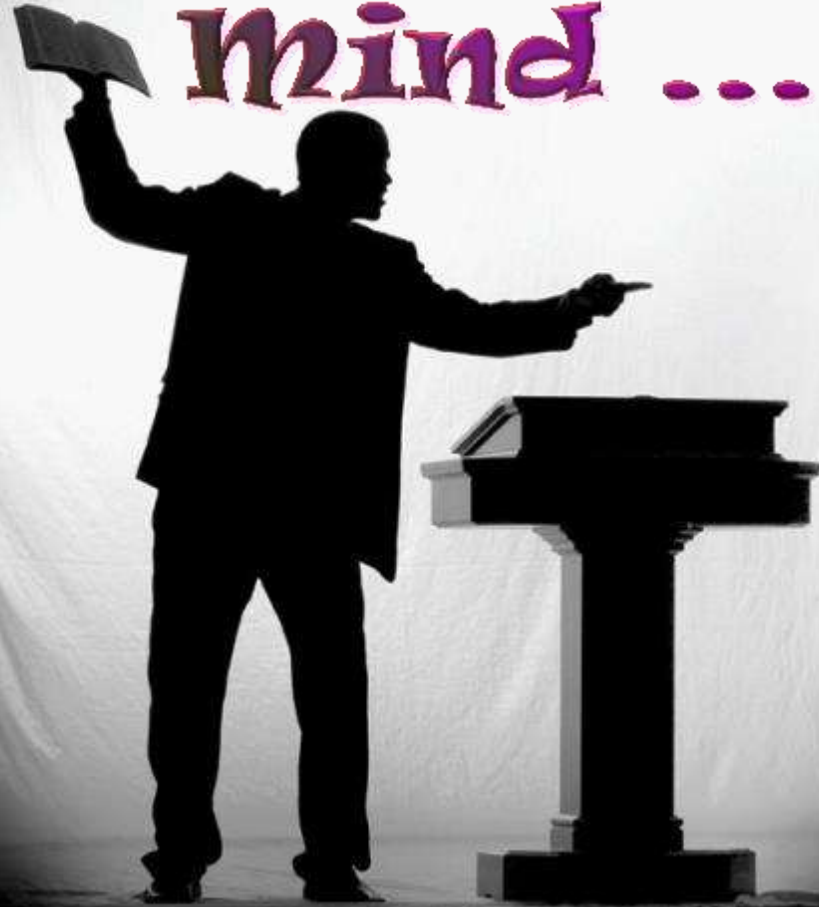


# Do You Trust Daniel To Handle All Theological Challenges?

They won't  
be able  
to do it!

If any theological authority wishes to argue and convince you that your understanding of "timeline interpretation" is mistaken, just ask them to accept Daniel's challenge and confirm their understanding from his Book alone.

Keep  
In  
Mind ...



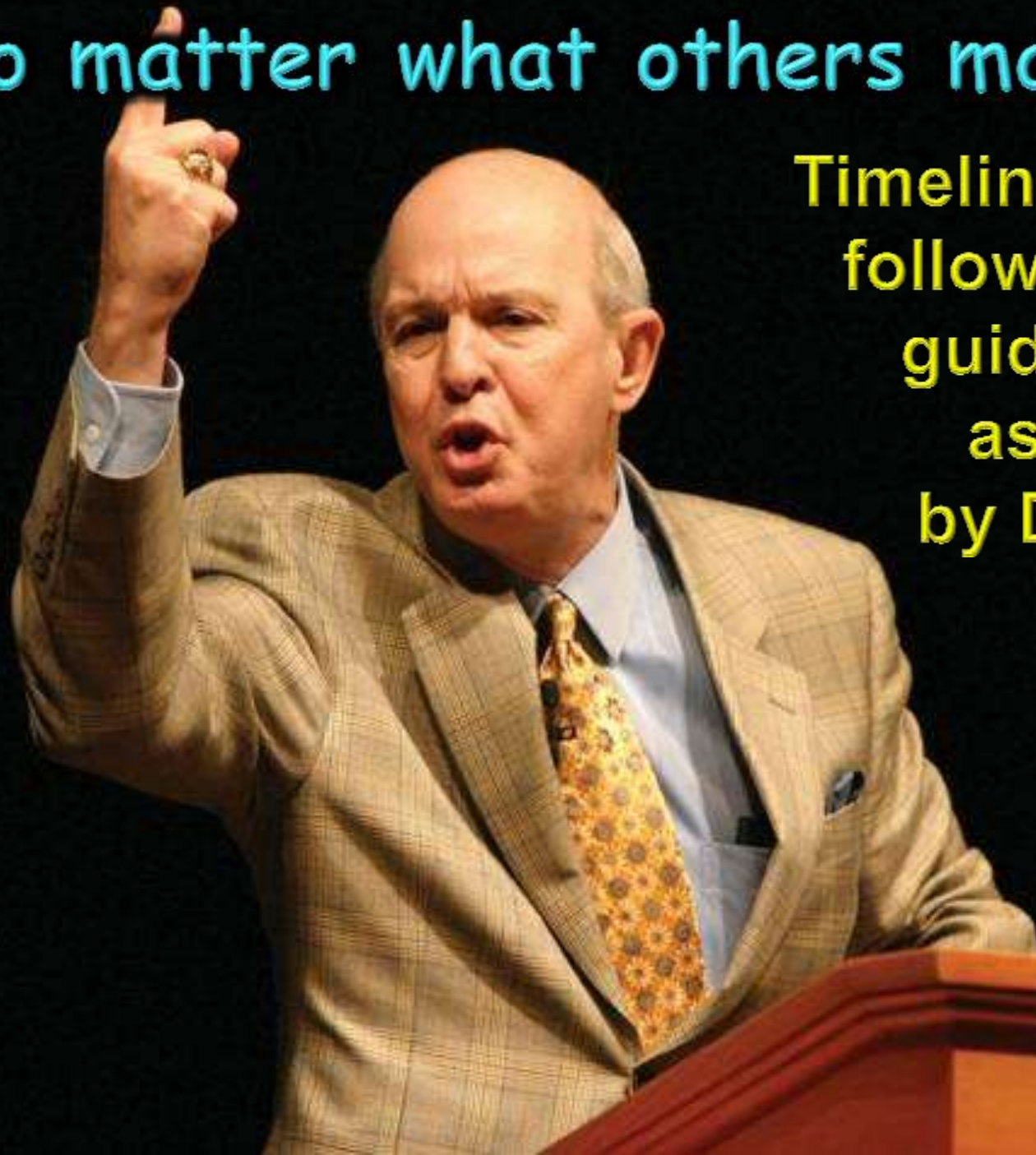
• It is a Serious  
Violation to:

1. *tamper with Daniel's Structure without his permission to do so;*
2. *Change his rules on how to work with timelines.*



No matter what others may say:

Timelines will  
follow these  
guidelines  
as given  
by Daniel.



# Daniel 4 Timeline Principles



**Hold true in the Gospels!**

The Daniel & Revelation timelines tell us "where we are in the stream of prophetic time."

The Gospel timeline points to The True Messiah!



# Daniel's Review For Timelines:

## Remember ...

1. Chapter 4 gives very clear explanation that every prophetic timeline must have a **speaking voice** or **decree to begin and end timelines**.
2. **Timelines are exact.** They begin exactly on time. They end exactly on time. Once the timeline begins ~ it runs the full length of time and then ends.
3. **Timelines are never severed, unless** there is a speaking voice to stop them and a speaking voice to start them up again.

Is Daniel 4 a ...

Symbolic  
Vision?



Literal  
Vision?





# Understanding Timelines

## Summary and Conclusion of the Matter



1. **Timelines are:**  
“hot topics” but  
they don’t have to  
be “hot potatoes.”

# Conclusion of the Matter

2. Daniel 4 sets the precedent of what he expects you to do with every timeline ~ especially the Epilogue timelines, in Daniel 12 ~ the most important timelines in the whole book.
3. If Daniel 4 is misunderstood, chances are many of the following timelines in Daniel and Revelation will also be misunderstood.
4. Daniel tells us how to identify between “**symbols**” and “**similes/metaphors**” when trying to determine if a vision is written with symbolism or literal language.



# Conclusion of the Matter ...

5. **Symbols** need “**outside interpretation.**”  
(Use of the Scriptures will also align with historical facts.) **Literal language only needs proper “application” from secular historical fact.**
6. Daniel distinguishes between “**prophetic terminology**” and the rule regarding “**prophetic time.**”
7. All timelines begin and end with “**speaking voices**” or “**decrees.**”
8. All timelines have **good news** and **bad news** for all groups of people involved.

# Conclusion Of The Matter!

9. Daniel frequently uses repetition to get our attention of important matters.
10. Daniel wants you to be aware of any

**Sneaky Switches!**

Daniel wants you to remember!

**This Vision is Literal!**



A photograph of a forest path covered in fallen leaves. Sunlight streams through the trees, creating a warm, golden glow. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.

May  
All Of Your  
"Timeline"  
Studies Be  
Abundantly  
Blessed!





*The End*

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