

1. The rapture concept teaches that Christ will “come back” for the saints at which time He will _____ dead Christians and _____ the living Christians and take them to be with Him in heaven for _____ years.
2. The primary passage on which this plan is based is 1 Thessalonians 4:13-17.
 - a. The special concern Paul is addressing here is whether _____ Christians are better off than _____ Christians. And the answer is _____.
 - b. Dead Christians will be raised before _____ Christians are _____. This does not suggest more than one _____.
 - c. John 5:28-29 says that the _____ and the _____ will be raised at the _____ time.
 - d. John 6:39, 40, 44, 54 all teach that the righteous will be raised on the _____ day. John 12:48 teaches also that on the last day the _____ will be _____.
 - e. So two basic reasons to reject the rapture theory are (1) that the passage given as its main support does not _____ it and (2) that it contradicts what Jesus says about _____ the righteous are raised.
3. The word “anti-christ” is used in four different verses, all in the epistles of _____. According to these passages -
 - a. How many anti-christ’s are there?
 - b. When will they start coming?
 - c. What is an anti-christ?
 - d. What does the word “anti” mean?
 - e. Do any of these passages suggest that an anti-christ is a military or political ruler?
4. Now to the question of whether the Jewish temple will be rebuilt? Ezekiel 40-47
 - a. When Ezekiel wrote this passage he was in _____.
 - b. At this time, Judah and Jerusalem were in _____.
 - c. In chapter 36 he speaks to the hills of Israel which are then in _____.
 - d. This suggests that he is speaking of the time when he is _____.
 - e. Does this description fit Israel today?
 - f. When is God to fulfill his promise made by Ezekiel?
 - g. He will bring the people back to _____ their towns.
 - h. In chapter 40, Ezekiel begins to speak of rebuilding the _____.
 - i. How would the Jews have understood this prophecy?
 - j. The Jews finished rebuilding their temple in _____ BC.
 - k. The description of the temple which Ezekiel gives us is _____.
 - l. The New Testament teaches that there is no longer a need for the Jewish system of offering _____. So the temple is not needed.