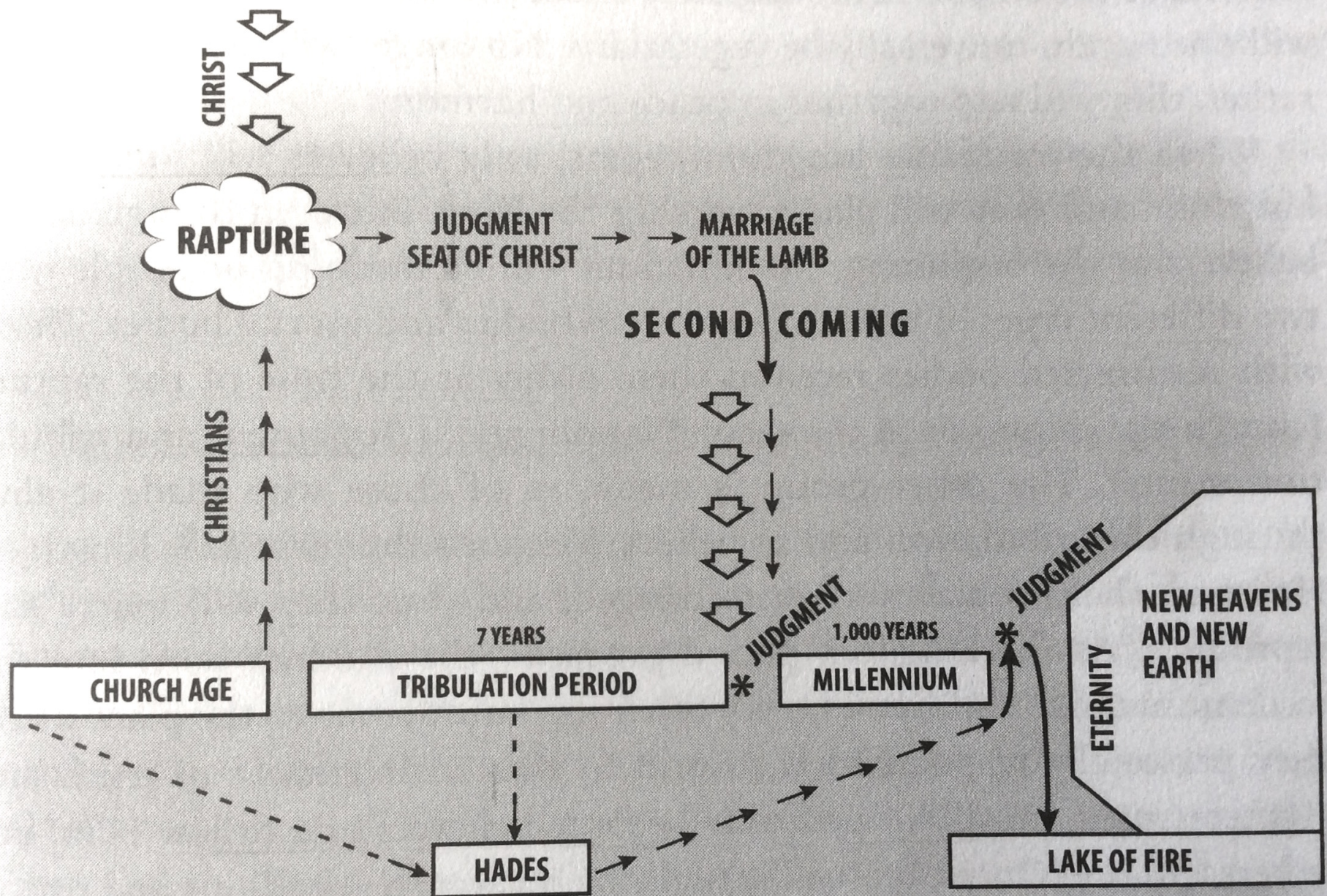

THE TRIBULATION

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AN OVERVIEW OF FUTURE EVENTS



I. BIBLICAL TERMINOLOGY



- The “Tribulation”
 - The “Great Tribulation”
 - The “Day of the Lord”
 - The “Time of Jacob’s Trouble”
 - The “Wrath of God”
 - “Daniel’s Seventieth Week”
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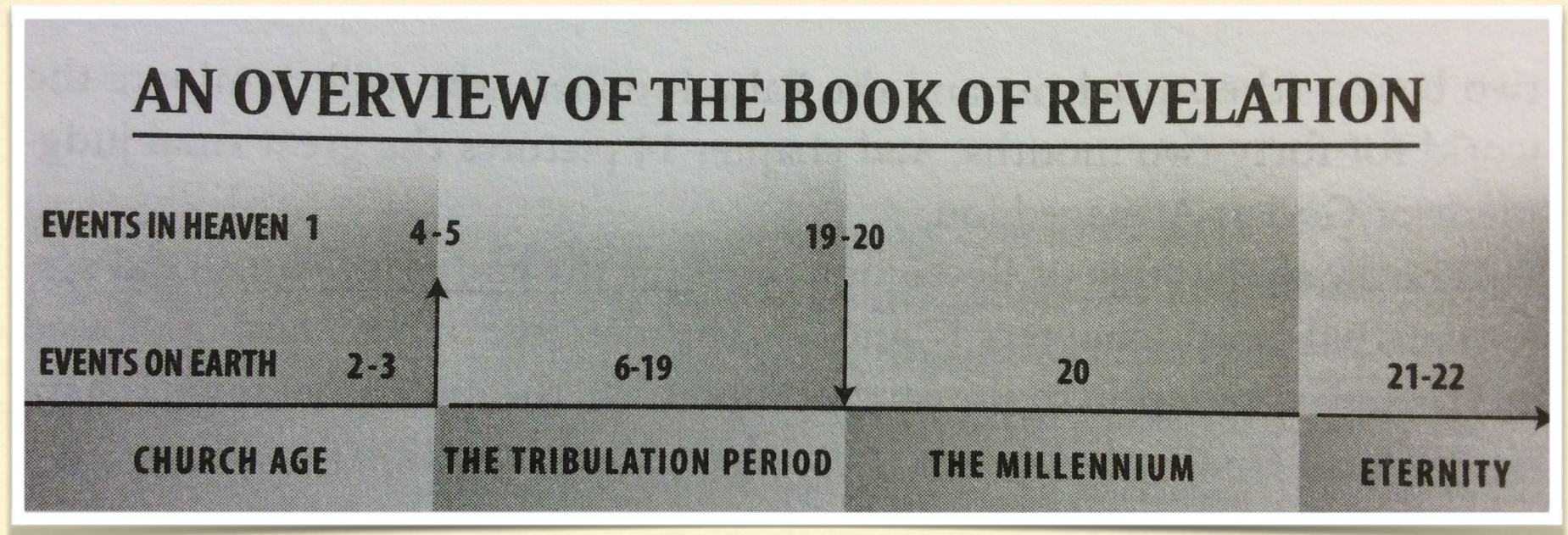
II. KEY TEXTS



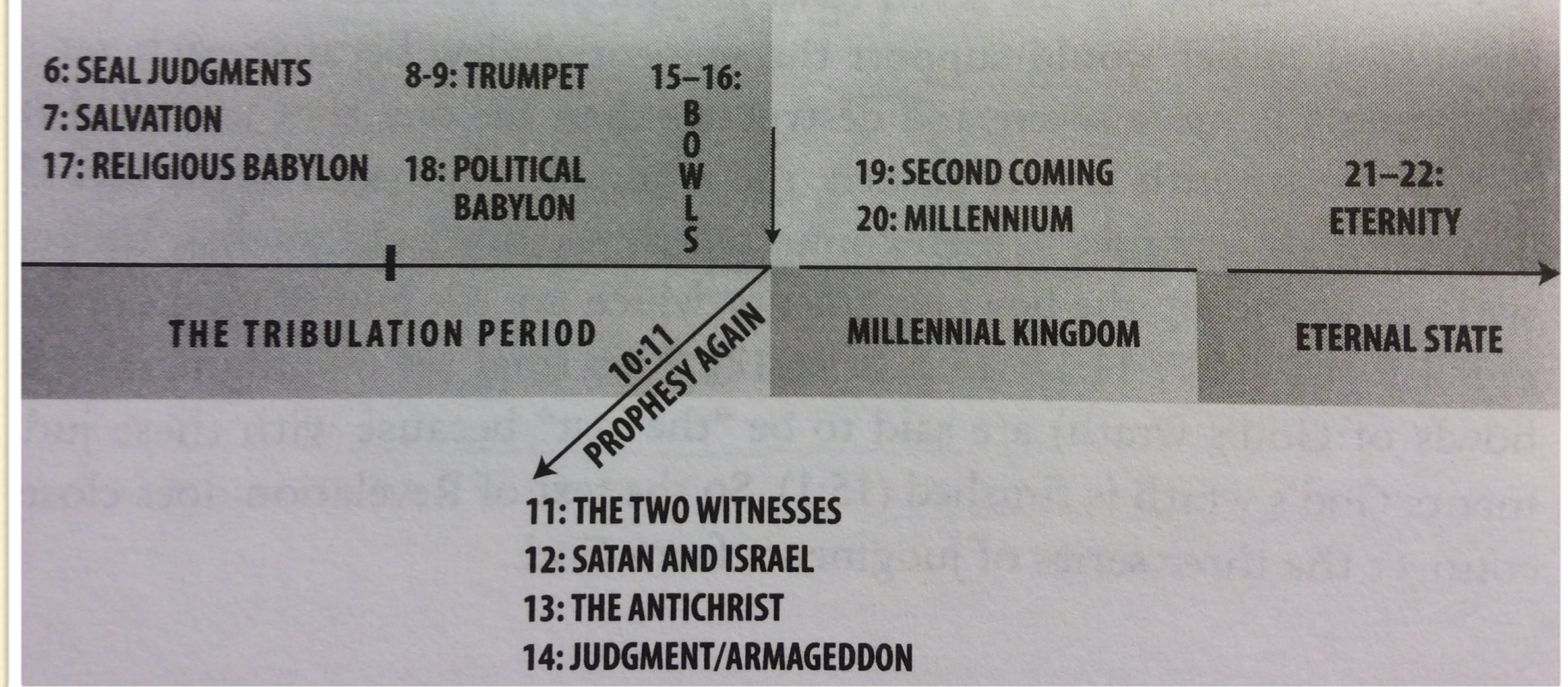
- Christ's Olivet Discourse (Matt 24–25; Mk 13; Lk 21)
 - Daniel's Prophetic Vision (Dan 9:24–27)
 - John's Prophetic Vision (Rev 6–19)
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JOHN'S PROPHETIC VISION

Revelation 6–19



THE CHAPTERS IN THE THIRD DIVISION OF REVELATION (6-22)



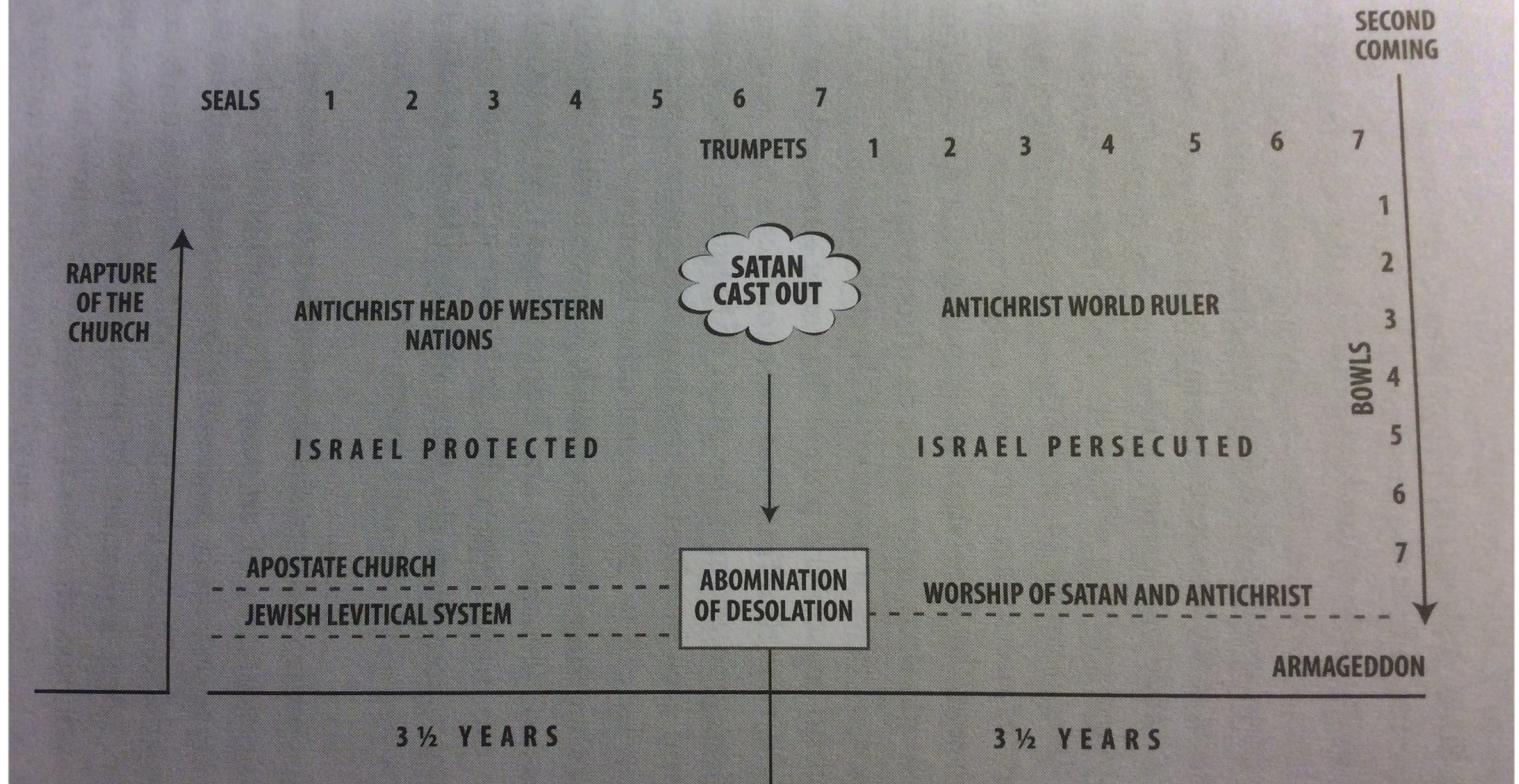
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III. DIVINE INTENTIONS

- Purpose #1: Judgment for an unbelieving world
 - Purpose #2: Preparation for Israel
 - Purpose #3: Salvation of an unnumbered amount of Gentiles
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EVENTS OF THE TRIBULATION PERIOD



IV. KEY EVENTS

V. KEY CHARACTERS

- The “Antichrist” (1 Jn 2:18) who is also called the “Man of lawlessness” (2 Thess 2:3–4), “the Beast” (Rev 13, 17), and “the little horn” (Dan 7:8)
 - The “False Prophet” (Rev 13:11–18; 16:13; 19:20; 20:10)
 - The 144,000 (Rev 7:1–8; 14:1–5)
 - The Two Witnesses (Rev 11:3–13)
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VI. CHURCH'S RELATIONSHIP



- God made a special promise to the church that it would be delivered from the future, tribulational wrath of God.
- Dispensationalism vs Covenant Theology
- Replacement Theology



Conclusion:

1. Remember God's Sovereignty

2. Rejoice in our Future Hope

3. Resolve to Serve the Lord