



Session 2: Presenter Gary Brandenburg

The goals for this session are to define terms and place future events on a timeline.

The Church Age. Also referred to as, “the age of grace” or “this age.”

The Second Coming or Second Advent of Christ.

The Rapture.

The Tribulation.

Pre-trib

Mid-trib

Post-trib

The Millennium.

Premillennialism

Amillennialism – This view was not covered in the videos but Amillennialism is a view that interprets the thousand years where Christ reigns on earth as figurative and not literal. The Amillennialist believes that the events written about in Rev. 20 refer to the present church age and not the future. The Amillennialist believes that we are in an age in which Satan’s influence over the nations has been reduced so that the gospel can be preached to the whole world. Christ’s reign in the millennium is not viewed as a physical reign here on earth but Christ’s heavenly reign.

For further study: The letters of first and second Timothy as well as Titus are written from the apostle Paul to his young protégés Timothy and Titus. Read the following passages of scripture and pay special attention to how Paul uses eschatology to motivate these young pastors. 1 Tim 6:12–15; 2 Tim 1:12–13; 2 Tim 4:1–2; 2 Tim 4:18; Titus 2:11–13