

Concise Timeline for the 70 Weeks of Daniel

Seventy weeks are determined upon thy people and upon thy holy city, to finish the transgression, and to make an end of sins, and to make reconciliation for iniquity, and to bring in everlasting righteousness, and to seal up the vision and prophecy, and to anoint the most Holy. Know therefore and understand, that from the going forth of the commandment to restore and to build Jerusalem unto the Messiah the Prince shall be seven weeks, and threescore and two weeks: the street shall be built again, and the wall, even in troublous times. And after threescore and two weeks shall Messiah be cut off, but not for himself: and the people of the prince that shall come shall destroy the city and the sanctuary; and the end thereof shall be with a flood, and unto the end of the war desolations are determined. And he shall confirm the covenant with many for one week: and in the midst of the week he shall cause the sacrifice and the oblation to cease, and for the overspreading of abominations he shall make it desolate, even until the consummation, and that determined shall be poured upon the desolate. - Daniel 9:24-27

The above prophecy gives us 70 weeks to be fulfilled. In each week, one day represents one year. 70 weeks have 490 days (7x70=490). Therefore, 70 weeks represent a total of 490 years. The starting point of the prophecy was the decree given by Artaxerxes I in Ezra 7. This Decree was made in 458BC. 49 years (7 prophetic weeks) after the decree was made, a 434 year period of prophetic silence was brought upon Israel. This 434 year period (62 prophetic weeks) ended 26AD with the ministry of John the Baptist and the baptism of Jesus Christ. Jesus was crucified only 3.5 years later (in the middle of the 70th prophetic week). The Prophecy ends with the Jews' full rejection of the Messiah and the effectual call and conversion of the Apostle Paul. The Apostle Paul would then take the gospel to the Gentiles. Though not apart of the 70 weeks, the Jews' final destruction for the rejection of the Messiah is predicted in verses 26b and 27b.

Timeline

Year 1	Year 49	Year 483	Year 487	End of 490 years
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Week 1	Week 7	Week 69	Week 70	End of 70 Weeks
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458BC	409BC	1BC	1AD	26AD	30AD	33AD
The 70 weeks of Daniel begin with the decree of Artaxerxes 1 in Ezra 7.	434 years of silence begin in the 7 th week.			Christ is Baptized by John the Baptist on the completion of the 69 th week.	Christ is crucified in the middle of the 70 th week.	The 70 weeks end with the martyrdom of Stephen and the conversion of the Apostle Paul.
Seven Weeks of V.25	Threescore and Two Weeks of V.25-26			One Week and midst of the week of V.27		

Note: This is not an exhaustive timeline This timeline is only to give a brief description of the above prophecy.