

WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY ABOUT THE ANTICHRIST: PART I

2 Thessalonians 2:1-8

- I. Antichrist will reign after the rapture of the saints. 2:1-2
 - 1. Believers are to be comforted by Christ's coming for them. 2:1
 - 2. Believers are to be confident of Christ's coming for them. 2:2

- II. Antichrist is revealed as the man of sin. 2:3-5
 - 1. There will be an apostasy. 2:3
 - 2. The man of sin will appear. 2:3
 - 3. The temple will be active. 2:4
 - 4. The son of perdition will show his arrogance. 2:4-5

- III. Antichrist is restrained until the removal of the Spirit. 2:6-7
 - 1. Today the restrainer is active. 2:6-7
 - 2. Then the restrainer is absent. 2:7

- IV. Antichrist is rewarded at the return of the Son. 2:8
 - 1. The lawless one will have his day.
 - 2. The Lord will hasten his destruction.