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Topic: The Millennium

Text: Revelation 20:1-7

1. Millennium means 1000 years. This period of time is repeated 6 times from verse 1-7. It is an important period because Jesus Christ will reign together with His children. We can interpret this portion of Scripture by understanding it literally and letting Scripture interpret Scripture. Just like how the prophecies of Christ's first coming were fulfilled literally, the prophecies concerning His second coming should be interpreted likewise. Some examples of literal interpretation are: Isaiah 7:14, Micah 5:2 and Zechariah 9:9.
2. There are some who believe in a-millennium where it is an invisible reign of Christ from heaven. While it is true that Christ is presently reigning now as the king of our life, they err in not taking the reign of Christ on earth as a literal one.
3. During the millennium, Satan will be locked in the bottomless pit. He will no longer be allowed to tempt mankind during those 1000 years. This is another prove that the millennium has not yet happened as there are still a whole lot of satanic acts today (1 Pet 5:8). The millennium will be a golden age where Israel will be the focused nation and all of God's promises will be fulfilled. Jerusalem will be the capital of the world and God will bless the world with peace and prosperity. The earth will also be full of God's knowledge. This is the blessed hope we can look forward to.

*Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on Earth as it is in Heaven*