

The Resurrections - Timeline with Scripture

The First Fruits	Jesus' death			Matt 27:50	50 And Jesus cried out again with a loud voice, and yielded up His spirit.
	Christ's Resurrection			Matt 28:6	6 He is not here, for He has risen, just as He said. Come, see the place where He was lying.
	Saints' tombs opened			Matt 27:52	52 And the tombs were opened, and many bodies of the saints who had fallen asleep were raised;
	Saint's resurrection			Matt 27:53	53 and coming out of the tombs after His resurrection they entered the holy city and appeared to many.

THE RAPTURE					
The First Resurrection	The Harvest	Return of Jesus with Souls of the Righteous Dead (OT Saints liberated from Hades and NT Saints who died in Christ Post-Cross)	1 Thess 3:12-13	12 and may the Lord cause you to increase and abound in love for one another, and for all people, just as we also do for you, 13 so that He may strengthen your hearts blameless in holiness, before our God and Father, at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all His saints.	
		Rapture of the Dead in Christ	1 Thess 4:15	15 For this we say to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive and remain until the coming of the Lord, will not precede those who have fallen asleep.	
		Rapture of the Alive in Christ (Translated Saints)	1 Thess 4:16-17	16 For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel and with the trumpet of God, and the dead in Christ will rise first. 17 Then we who are alive and remain will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and so we shall always be with the Lord.	
		The Dead in Christ will rise before those still alive in Christ 'in the twinkling of an eye'	1 Cor 15:51-53	51 Behold, I tell you a mystery: we will not all sleep, but we will all be changed, 52 in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised incorruptible, and we will be changed. 53 For this corruptible must put on the incorruptible, and this mortal must put on immortality.	
	The Gleanings	Rapture of those Saints killed during the Great Tribulation	Rev 7:9-14	9 After these things I looked, and behold, a great multitude which no one could count, from every nation and all tribes and peoples and tongues, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes , and palm branches were in their hands; 10 and they cry out with a loud voice, saying, “Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb.” 11 And all the angels were standing around the throne and the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, 12 saying, “Amen, the blessing and the glory and the wisdom and the thanksgiving and the honor and the power and the strength, be to our God forever and ever. Amen.” 13 Then one of the elders answered, saying to me, “These, clothed in the white robes, who are they, and from where have they come?” 14 And I said to him, “My lord, you know.” And he said to me, “These are the ones who come out of the great tribulation , and they washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.	
		Those Saints killed during the Great Tribulation	Rev 20:4-6	4 Then I saw thrones, and they sat on them, and judgment was given to them. And I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded because of their witness of Jesus and because of the word of God, and who also had not worshiped the beast or his image, and had not received the mark on their forehead and on their hand. And they came to life and reigned with Christ for a thousand years. 5 The rest of the dead did not come to life until the thousand years were finished. This is the first resurrection. 6 Blessed and holy is the one who has a part in the first resurrection. Over these the second death has no authority, but they will be priests of God and of Christ and will reign with Him for a thousand years.	

THE MILLENNIAL 1000 YEAR KINGDOM					
The Second Resurrection	The Tares	Parable of the Wheat and Tares	Matt 13:28-30	28 And he said to them, ‘An enemy has done this!’ The slaves *said to him, ‘Do you want us, then, to go and gather them up?’ 29 But he *said, ‘No; for while you are gathering up the tares, you may uproot the wheat with them. 30 Allow both to grow together until the harvest; and in the time of the harvest I will say to the reapers, “First gather up the tares and bind them in bundles to burn them up; but gather the wheat into my barn.”’”	
		Dead not in Christ Resurrected to the Great White Throne Judgement	Rev 20:11-15	11 Then I saw a great white throne and Him who sits upon it, from whose presence earth and heaven fled away, and no place was found for them. 12 Then I saw the dead, the great and the small, standing before the throne, and books were opened; and another book was opened, which is the book of life. And the dead were judged from the things which were written in the books, according to their deeds. 13 And the sea gave up the dead which were in it, and death and Hades gave up the dead which were in them, and they were judged, every one of them according to their deeds. 14 Then death and Hades were thrown into the lake of fire. This is the second death, the lake of fire. 15 And if anyone’s name was not found written in the book of life, he was thrown into the lake of fire.	

THE SECOND DEATH - THE LAKE OF FIRE					
The Second Death	The second death has no authority over the saints of the first Resurrection		Rev 20:5-6	5 The rest of the dead did not come to life until the thousand years were finished. This is the first resurrection. 6 Blessed and holy is the one who has a part in the first resurrection. Over these the second death has no authority, but they will be priests of God and of Christ and will reign with Him for a thousand years.	
	This is the second death, the lake of fire.		Rev 20:13-15	13 And the sea gave up the dead which were in it, and death and Hades gave up the dead which were in them, and they were judged, every one of them according to their deeds. 14 Then death and Hades were thrown into the lake of fire. This is the second death, the lake of fire. 15 And if anyone’s name was not found written in the book of life, he was thrown into the lake of fire.	
	The lake that burns with fire and brimstone, which is the second death		Rev 21:7-8	7 He who overcomes will inherit these things, and I WILL BE HIS GOD AND HE WILL BE MY SON. 8 But for the cowardly and unbelieving and abominable and murderers and sexually immoral persons and sorcerers and idolaters and all liars, their part will be in the lake that burns with fire and brimstone, which is the second death.”	