

## 2 THESSALONIANS 2

### CHRIST'S SECOND COMING

#### Chapter 2

**Summary:** Paul clarifies the prophetic and the practical concerning the Second Coming of Christ.

**I. The prophetic: future events (1-12):** (A) the rapture (1-2, 7); (B) the apostasy (3a); (C) the Antichrist (3b-8a); (D) the second coming (8b-12).

**II. The Practical: present duties (13-17):** (A) believe the truth (13-14); (B) hold the truth (15); (C) apply the truth (16-17).

**Lesson:** *Prophecy should always be practical-- doctrine balanced by duty.*