

# Countdown to Eternity

Text Guide #2

- Isa. 46:9, 10**            God declares the end from the beginning.
- Amos 3:7**                God reveals His secrets to His prophets.
- Dan. 2:1-6**               King Nebuchadnezzar has a dream he can't remember.
- Dan. 2:19**                God reveals the dream to Daniel.
- Dan. 2:28, 29**            The dream shows what would happen at the time of the end.
- Dan. 2:31-36**            The dream of the great image.
- Dan. 2:37-40**            Four metals: Gold, Silver, Brass, Iron, representing the world-ruling kingdoms of Babylon, Medo-Persia, Greece and Rome.
  
- Dan. 2:41-43**            The feet and toes: the fourth kingdom, Rome, would divide into 10 parts.
  

**NOTE:** The final dissolution of the Roman Empire took place in 476 A.D. The ten divisions of the Roman Empire were: Alamanni (German); Visigoths (Spain); Franks (France); Suevi (Portugal); Burgundians (Swiss); Anglo Saxon (English); Lombards (Italy); Heruli (destroyed in 493); Vandals (destroyed in 534); Ostrogoths (destroyed in 538).

  
- Rev. 21:1-5**              A picture of the kingdom.
- Dan. 7:1-3**                Daniel has a prophetic dream in which four beasts come up out of the sea.
- Dan. 7:15-17**            In *prophecy*, a beast = a kingdom, or nation.
- Rev. 17:1, 15**            In *prophecy*, the sea, or water, = people.
- Dan. 7:4-7**                As in Nebuchadnezzar's dream, the four beasts represent the four world-ruling kingdoms of Babylon, Medo-Persia, Greece and Rome.
- Dan. 7:7, 24**             Rome had 10 horns, or 10 divisions.
- Dan. 7:8**                  A little horn—believed to be the antichrist—came up from among the 10 horns.
- Dan. 2:44, 45**            God Himself will set up a kingdom.
- Rom. 6:16**                God asks us to serve Him, and accept His son Jesus as your Saviour. Will you give your heart to Him?