

THE RAPTURE

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The Bible

A SYNTHETIC OVERVIEW



ONE MAJOR PREMISE:

All Humans are Sinners/Die...

ONE MAJOR PROMISE:

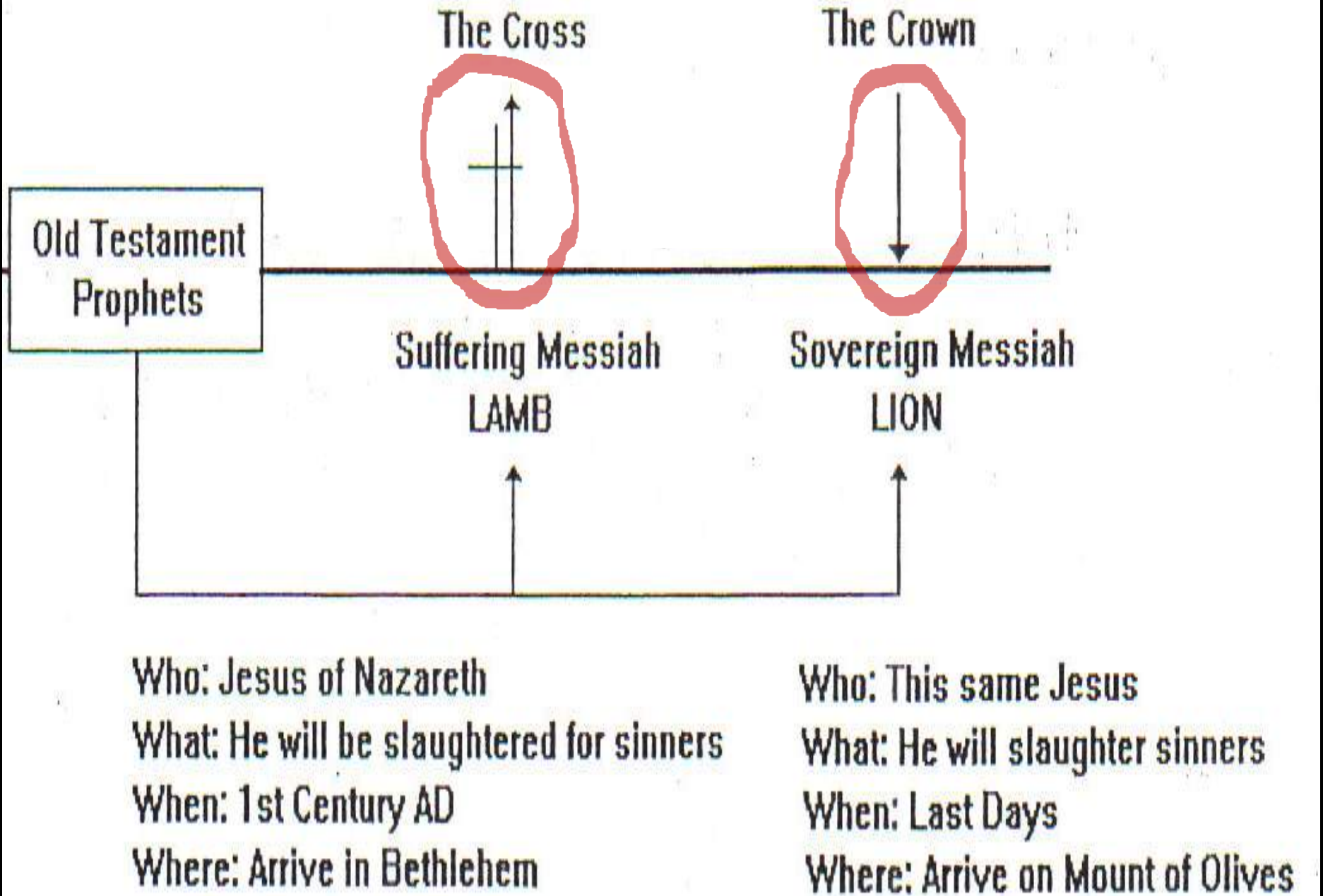
...the Savior is Coming!

ONE MAJOR PREMISE:

Jesus of Nazareth is the Savior/Alive...

ONE MAJOR PROMISE:

...the Savior is Coming Back!



Control Room
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2nd Advent
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Church Age
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New
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42 Months

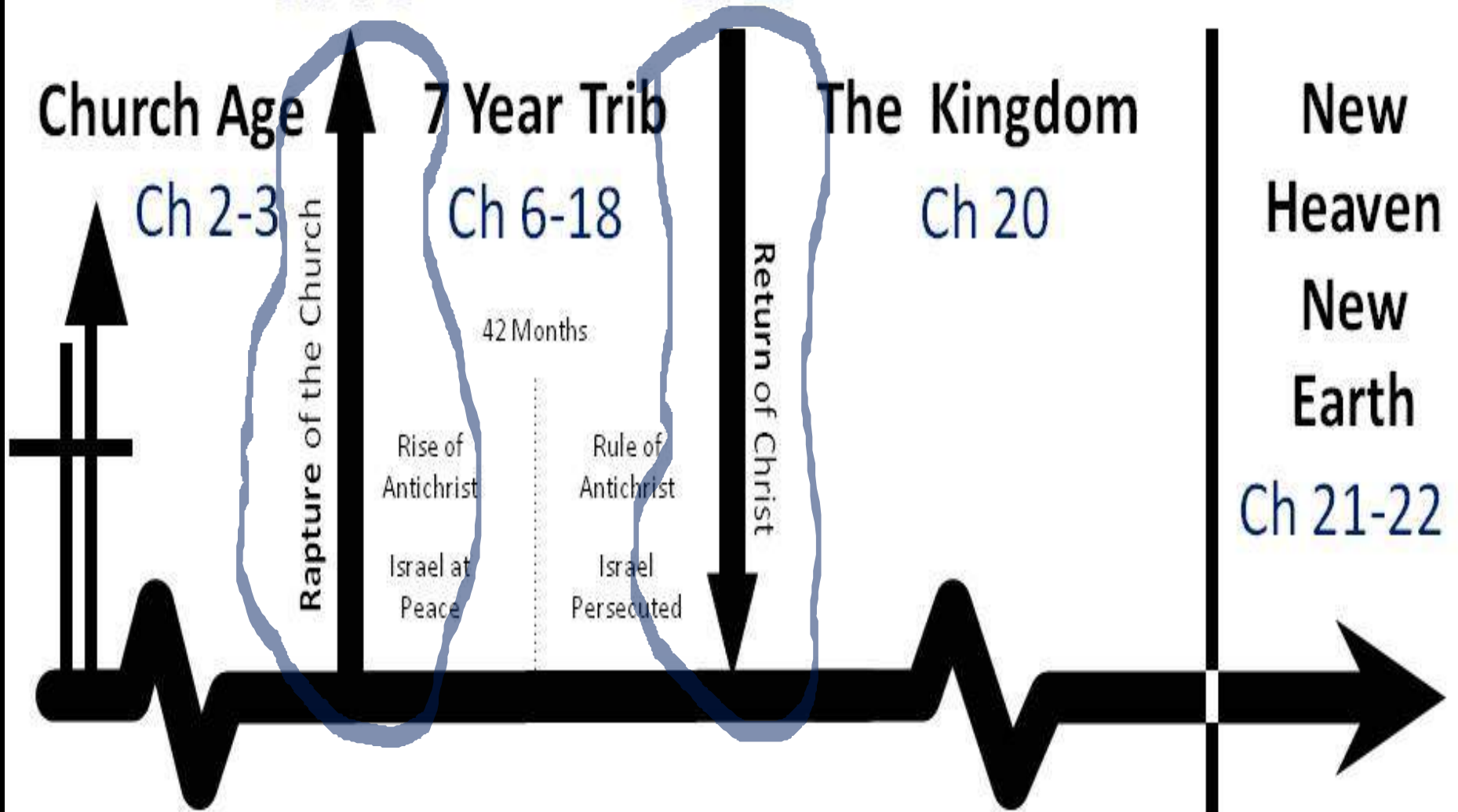
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- John 14:1-3
- I Corinthians 15:51-58
- 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

The Rapture

Movement: Up and Away

In the Air

To Prepared Places in Heaven

Will End the Church Age

A “Mystery” in the OT

Any Moment/Imminent

John 14:1-3; 1 Th 1:9-10

1 Th 4:13-18/1 C15:51-58

The 2nd Advent

Movement: Down and Stay

On the Mount of Olives

To Prep Earth for Millennium

Will End the Tribulation

A Major Theme in the OT

Only After Specific Signs/Events

Psalms 2:10-12; Zech 14:2-9

Daniel 7:13-14

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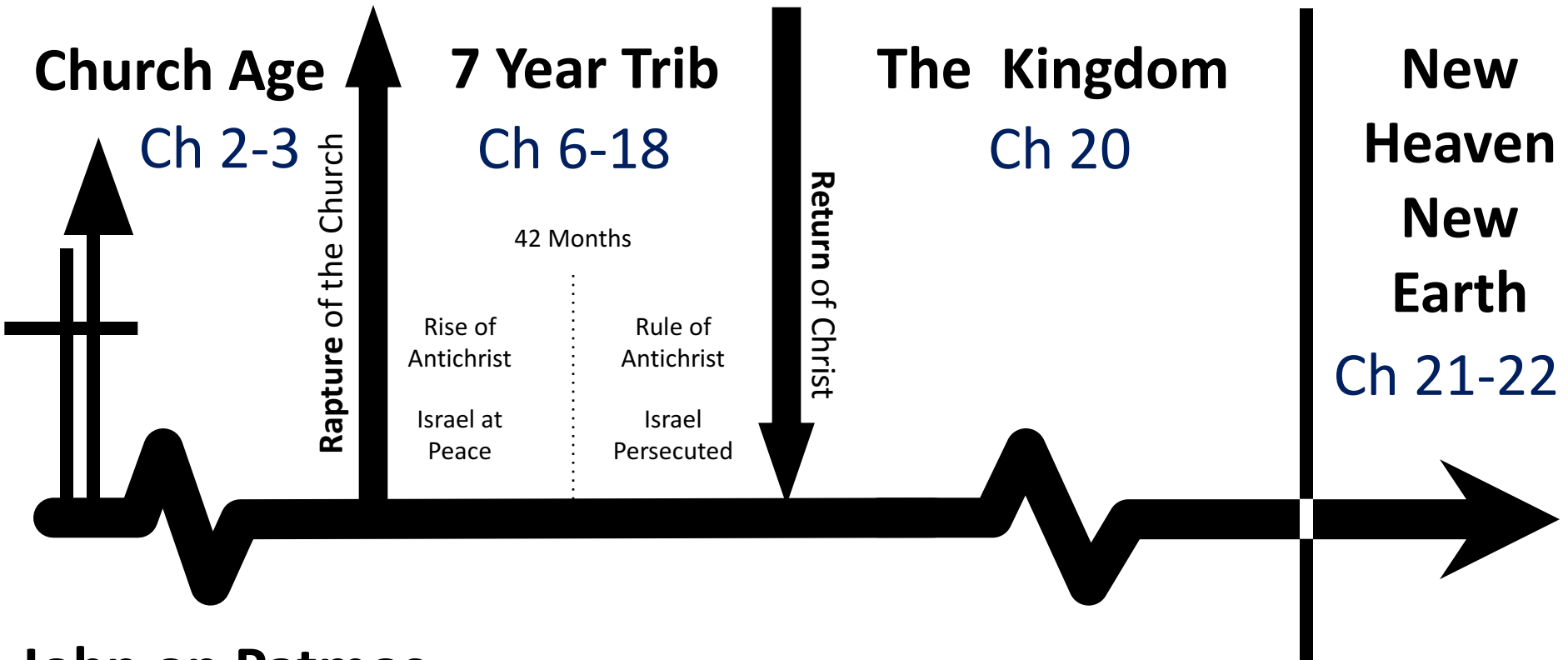
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Ch 1

***The Next Biblically Prophesied Event
Will Begin the End-Times (TEOTA)
Imminent and Will Happen Suddenly w/o Signs**



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When?

But of that day and hour no
one knows...

...therefore be on the alert

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 CLEAR CHANNEL

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Judgment Day

May 21, 2011

...Cry mightily unto God

Jonah 3:8

Mon - Fri Live Open Forum
7:30 - 9 PM FamilyRadio.com



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RETURN OF CHRIST

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MAY 21, 2011 COUNTDOWN ALA HAROLD CAMPING

Perhaps you've seen a billboard like this around your town. Harold Camping, Bible teacher and owner of 55 Family Radio stations, believes that he has mathematically figured out when the end of the world is going to take place.

Camping had made an earlier effort at predicting the Second Coming in his book *1994?* Pastor Stephen C. Meyers reviewed *1994?* and says:

In his book *1994?* Harold Camping states the end of the world may occur this year, somewhere between



September 15-17
(p. 531). He does

not know the exact day because Scripture says "no man knows the day nor the hour" (Matt. 24:36). But according to Camping we can certainly know the month and the year that Christ will return.

The main glue that holds Camping's book together is *numerology*: that part of ancient mysticism that endeavors to find hidden truths locked in literal terminology through numbers. Mystical numbers are the keys that allegedly unlock the hidden truths concealed in literal language. The basic theory this system operates on is that God created a perfect world

and a perfect word (the Bible) which exhibit precise numerical and symmetrical design.



When?

OUCH!?!

How Dare You Tell Us The Rapture

Is Imminent But It Might Not

Happen in OUR Lifetimes!!!

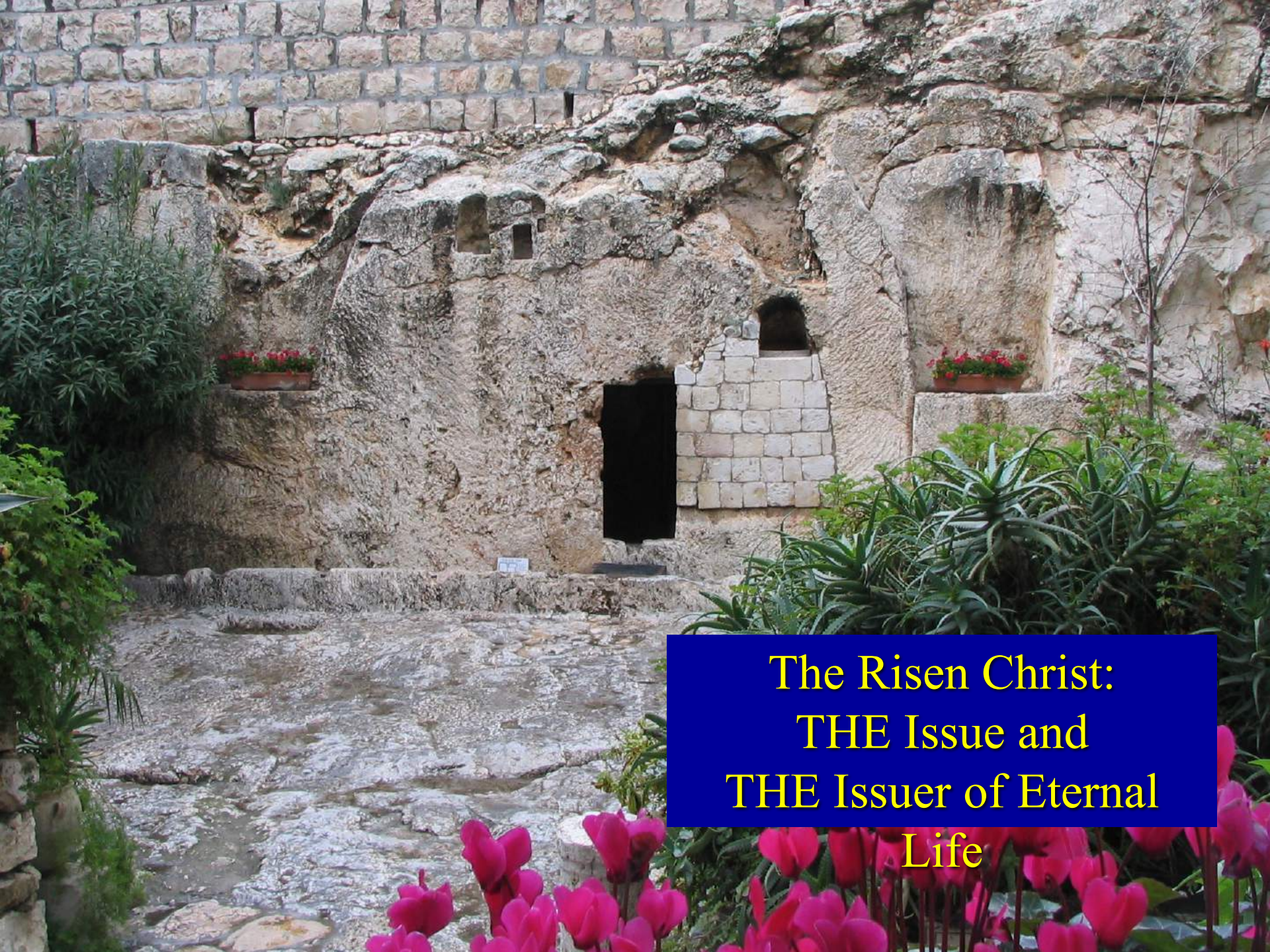
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Even If the Rapture Doesn't Happen
for 2000 Years-All of Us

TODAY are potentially only a split
second away from Eternity anyway!

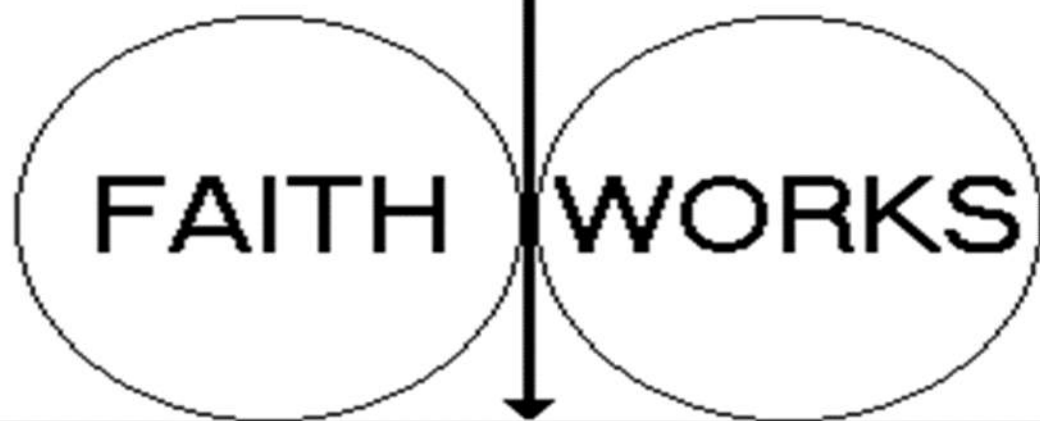


Because Christ Died FOR Our Sins...
... We Don't Have to Die IN Our Sins



**The Risen Christ:
THE Issue and
THE Issuer of Eternal
Life**

Atonement



Regeneration

Root
Cause

Eph 2:8-9

Not by Works

Come to the Light

Fruit
Effect

Eph 2:10

But for Works

Let Your Light Shine

Romans 4:5

But to the one who does not work but
who believes in Him (Christ) who
justifies the ungodly, his (the ungodly
person who believes in Christ) faith
is reckoned (before God) as +R