THE BOOK OF REVELATION

LESSON 4B

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The Outline of Revelation

Chapter 1:19

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1. The things you **have seen** — Chapter 1
2. The things that **are** — Chapters 2-3
3. The things **after these things** — Chapters 4-22

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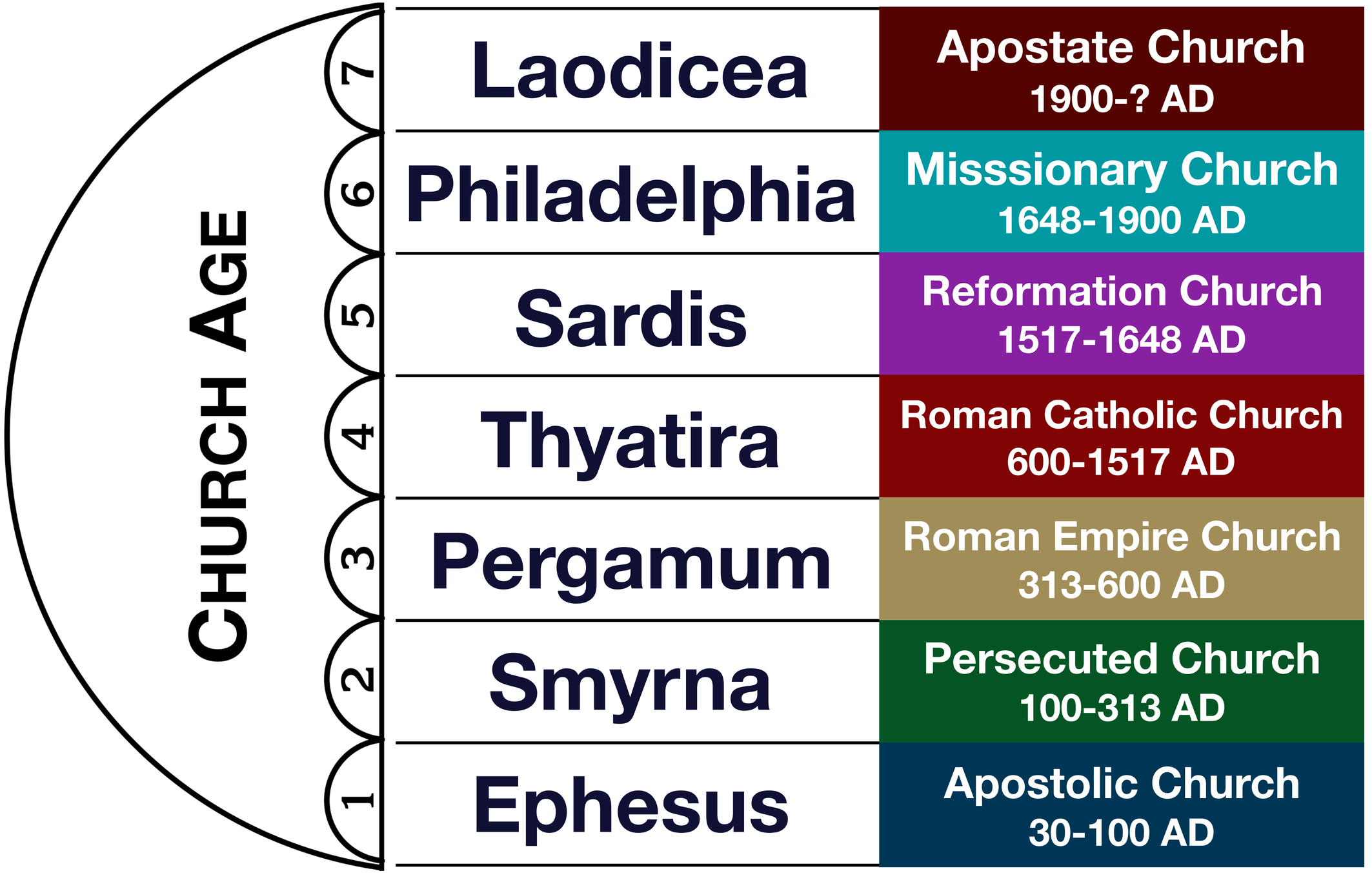
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Apostate Church
1900-? AD
Misssionary Church
1648-1900 AD
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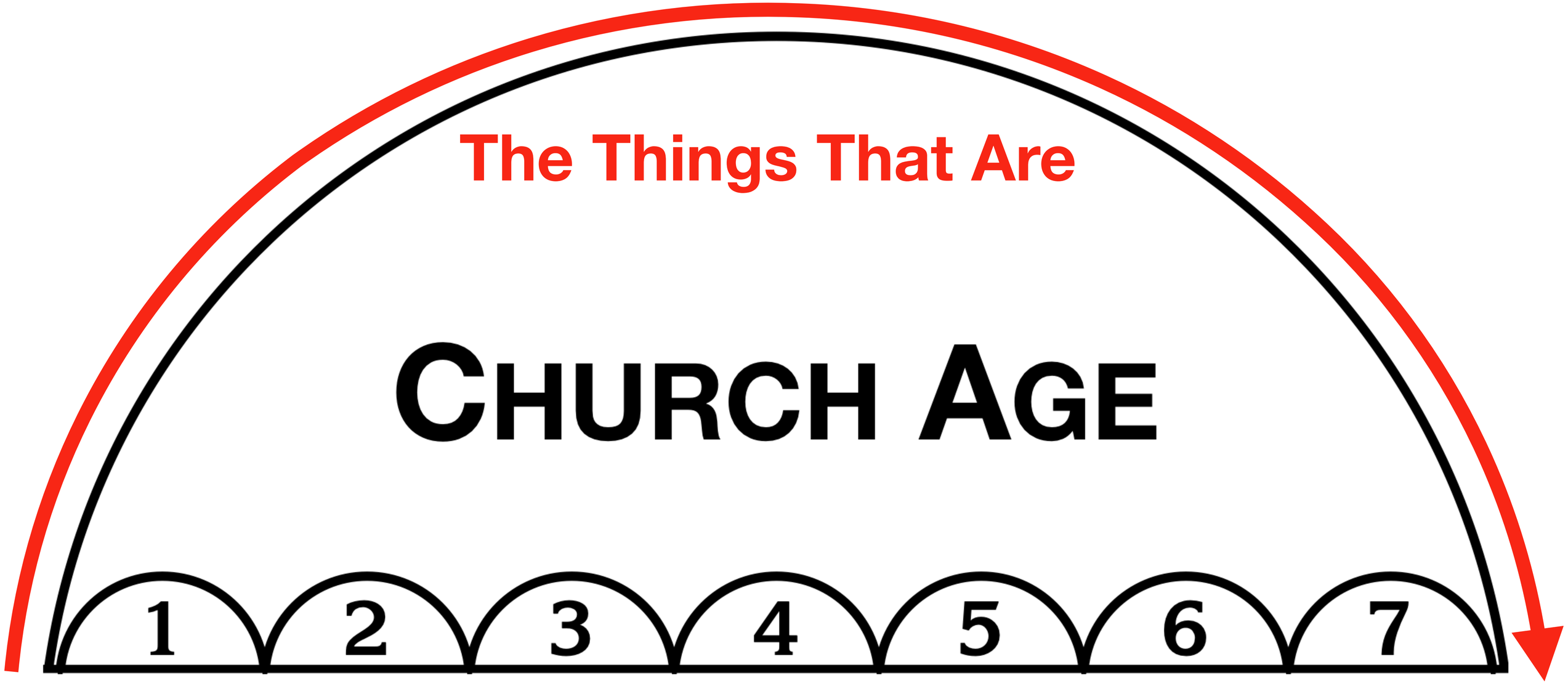
30-100 AD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Ages & Last Days

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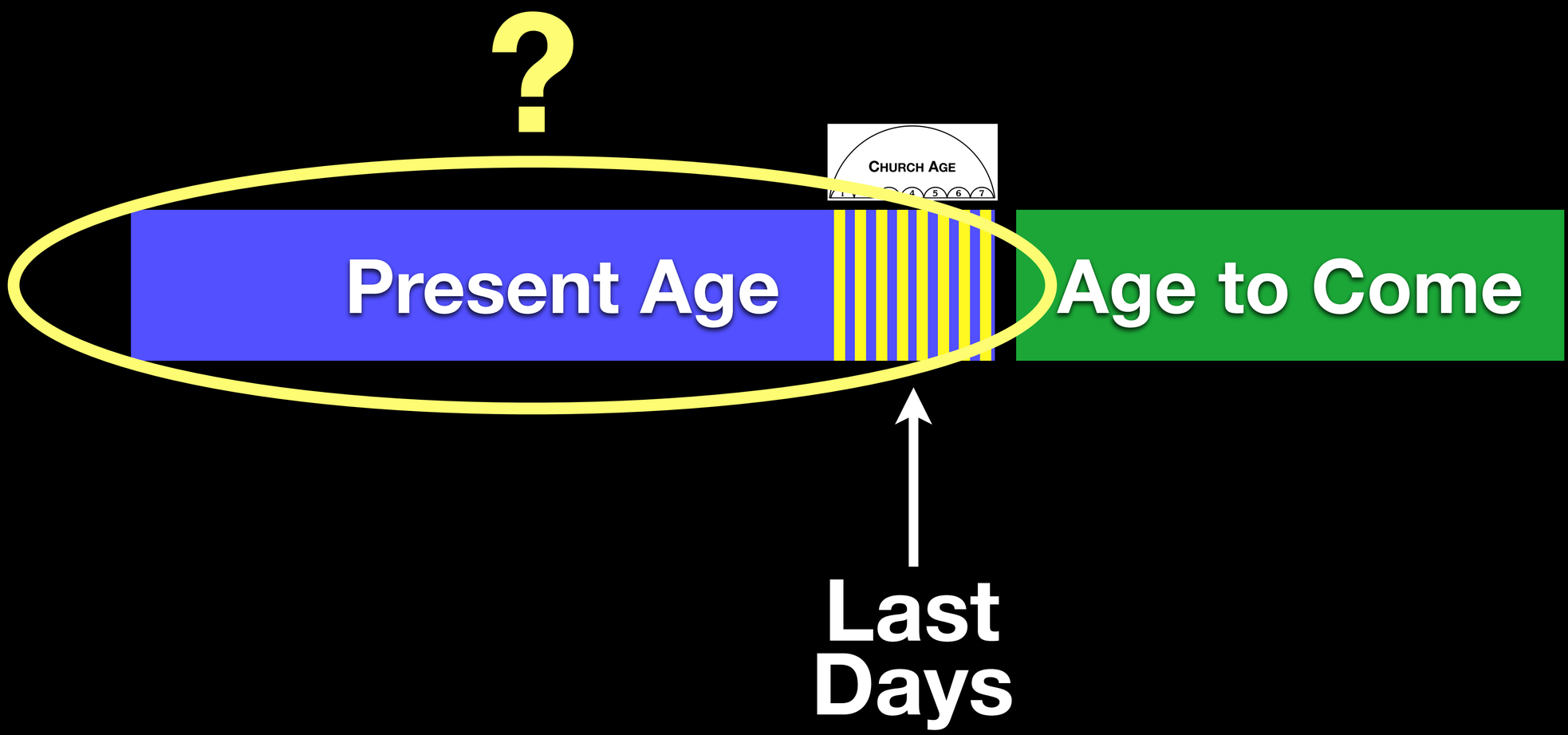
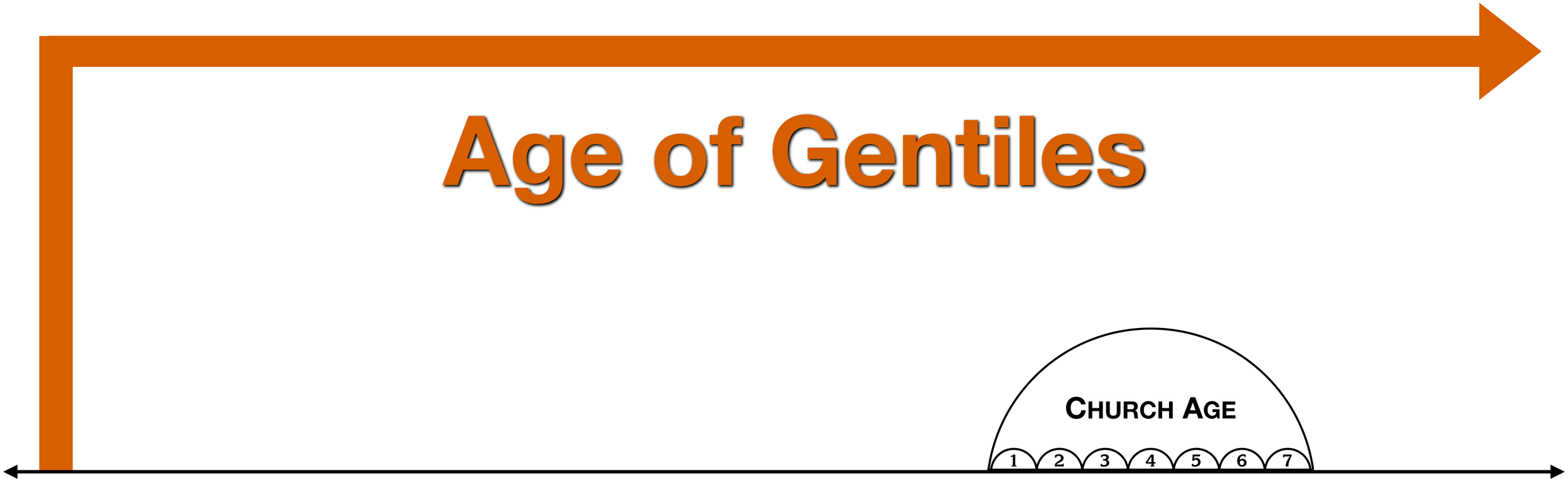


Age of Gentiles



Criteria for Daniel's Kingdoms

1. Be a Gentile kingdom
2. Be dominant power in its day
3. Defeat predecessor
4. Control (trample) Jerusalem

Daniel 2

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Babylonian

Medo-Persian

Greek

Imperialistic-Democratic Alliances

Daniel 2

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The statue represents four Gentile world empires

They become increasingly strong but less majestic

The age of Gentile kingdoms lasts until Christ's Kingdom arrives

Daniel 2

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The Second Coming of Christ ends the Age of the Gentiles

The Kingdom's appears on earth after the end of the Age of the Gentiles

Daniel 7

Dan. 7:2 Daniel said, “I was looking in my vision by night, and behold, the four winds of heaven were stirring up the great sea.

Dan. 7:3 “And four great beasts were coming up from the sea, different from one another.

Dan. 7:4 “The first was like a lion and had the wings of an eagle. I kept looking until its wings were plucked, and it was lifted up from the ground and made to stand on two feet like a man; a human mind also was given to it.

Dan. 7:5 “And behold, another beast, a second one, resembling a bear. And it was raised up on one side, and three ribs were in its mouth between its teeth; and thus they said to it, ‘Arise, devour much meat!’

Dan. 7:6 “After this I kept looking, and behold, another one, like a leopard, which had on its back four wings of a bird; the beast also had four heads, and dominion was given to it.

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Dan. 7:7 “After this I kept looking in the night visions, and behold, a fourth beast, dreadful and terrifying and extremely strong; and it had large iron teeth. It devoured and crushed and trampled down the remainder with its feet; and it was different from all the beasts that were before it, and it had ten horns.

Dan. 7:8 “While I was contemplating the horns, behold, another horn, a little one, came up among them, and three of the first horns were pulled out by the roots before it; and behold, this horn possessed eyes like the eyes of a man and a mouth uttering great boasts.

Daniel 7

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Daniel 7

Dan. 7:19 “Then I desired to know the exact meaning of the fourth beast, which was different from all the others, exceedingly dreadful, with its teeth of iron and its claws of bronze, and which devoured, crushed and trampled down the remainder with its feet,

Rome

Europe

Daniel 7

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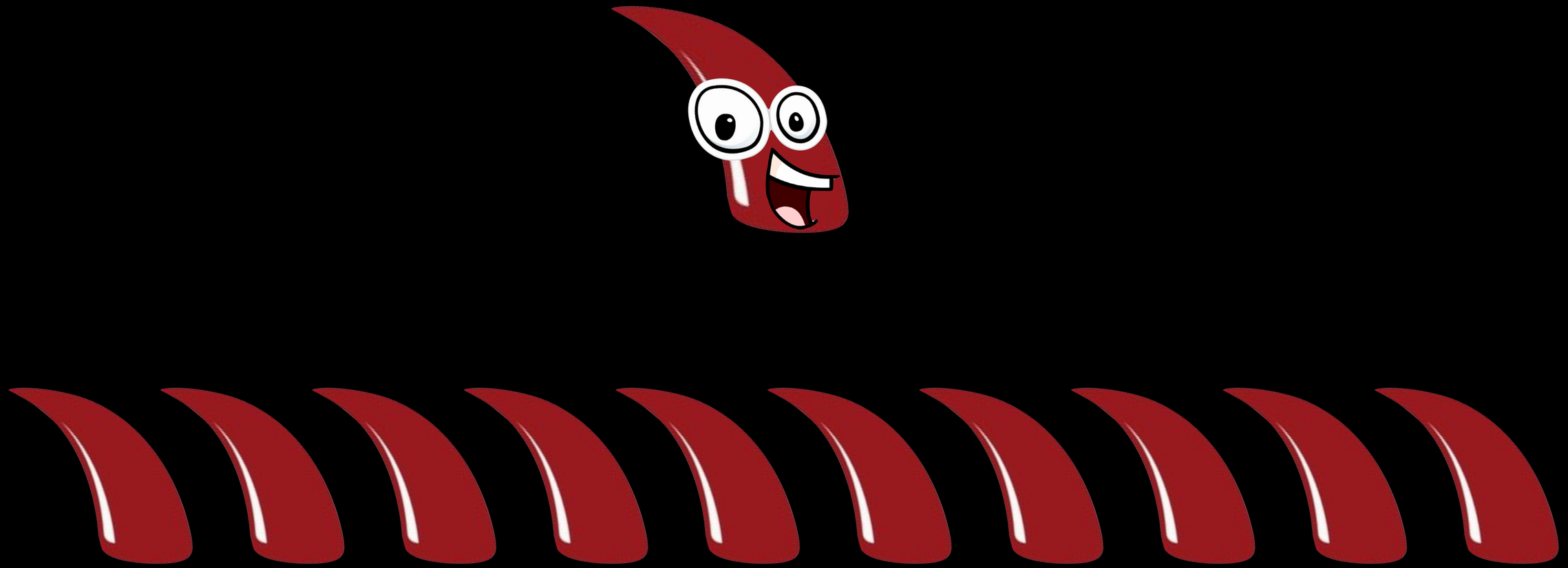

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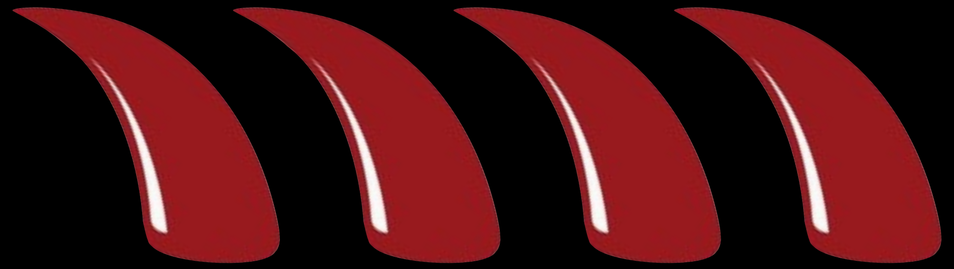

Daniel 7

Dan. 7:9 "I kept looking
Until thrones were set up,
And the Ancient of Days took His seat;
His vesture was like white snow
And the hair of His head like pure wool.
His throne was ablaze with flames,
Its wheels were a burning fire.

Dan. 7:10 "A river of fire was flowing
And coming out from before Him;
Thousands upon thousands were attending Him,
And myriads upon myriads were standing before Him;
The court sat,
And the books were opened.

Daniel 7

Dan. 7:20 and the meaning of the ten horns that were on its head and the other horn which came up, and before which three of them fell, namely, that horn which had eyes and a mouth uttering great boasts and which was larger in appearance than its associates.

Dan. 7:21 "I kept looking, and **that horn was waging war with the saints and overpowering them**

Dan. 7:22 **until the Ancient of Days came** and judgment was passed in favor of the saints of the Highest One, and the time arrived when the saints took possession of the kingdom.

Daniel 7

Dan. 7:23 “Thus he said: ‘The fourth beast will be a fourth kingdom on the earth, which will be different from all the other kingdoms and will devour the whole earth and tread it down and crush it.

Dan. 7:24 ‘As for the ten horns, out of this kingdom ten kings will arise; and another will arise after them, and he will be different from the previous ones and will subdue three kings.

Dan. 7:25 ‘He will speak out against the Most High and wear down the saints of the Highest One, and he will intend to make alterations in times and in law; and they will be given into his hand for a time, times, and half a time.

Dan. 7:26 ‘But the court will sit for judgment, and his dominion will be taken away, annihilated and destroyed forever.

Dan. 7:27 ‘Then the sovereignty, the dominion and the greatness of all the kingdoms under the whole heaven will be given to the people of the saints of the Highest One; His kingdom will be an everlasting kingdom, and all the dominions will serve and obey Him.’

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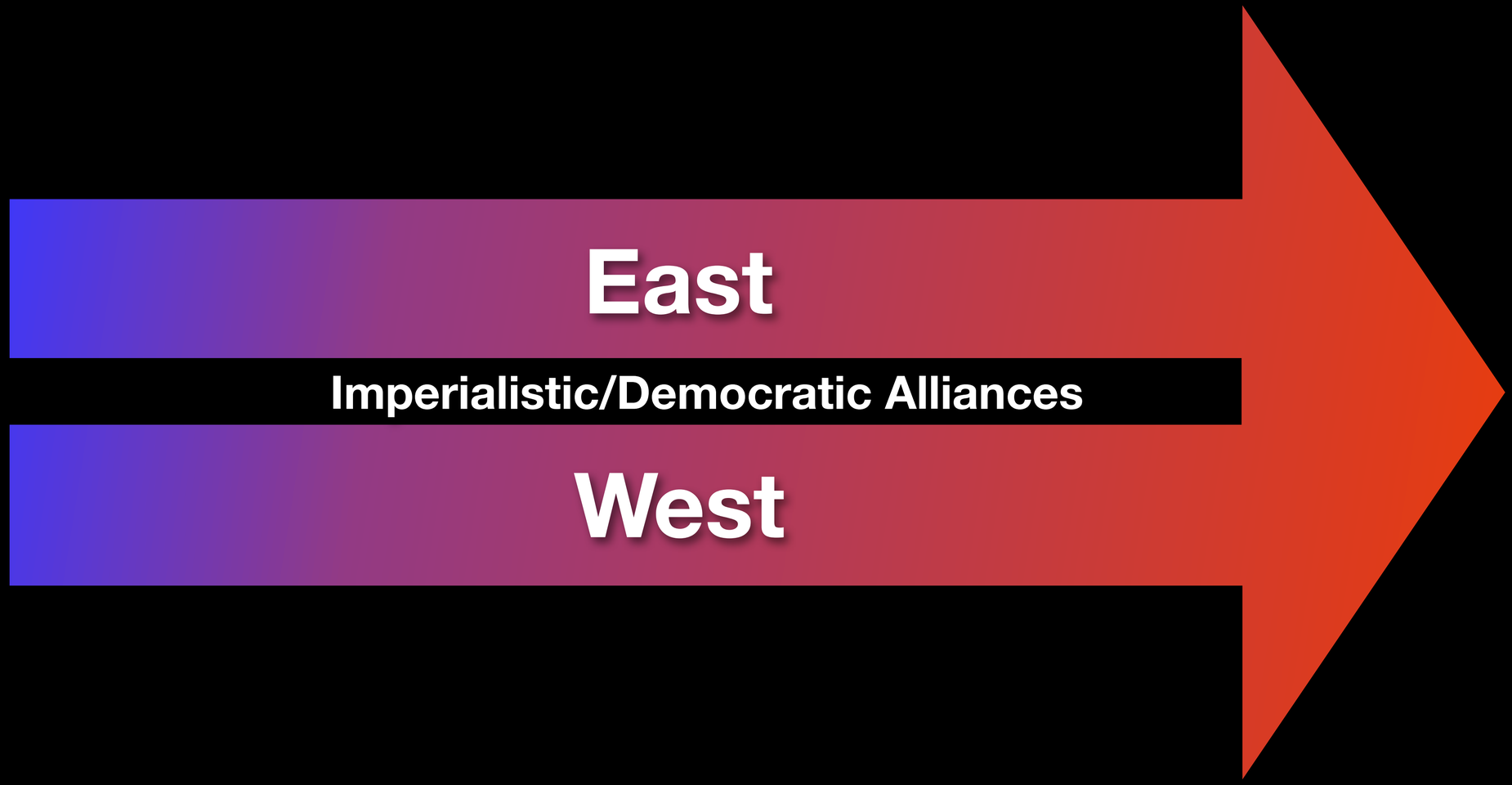

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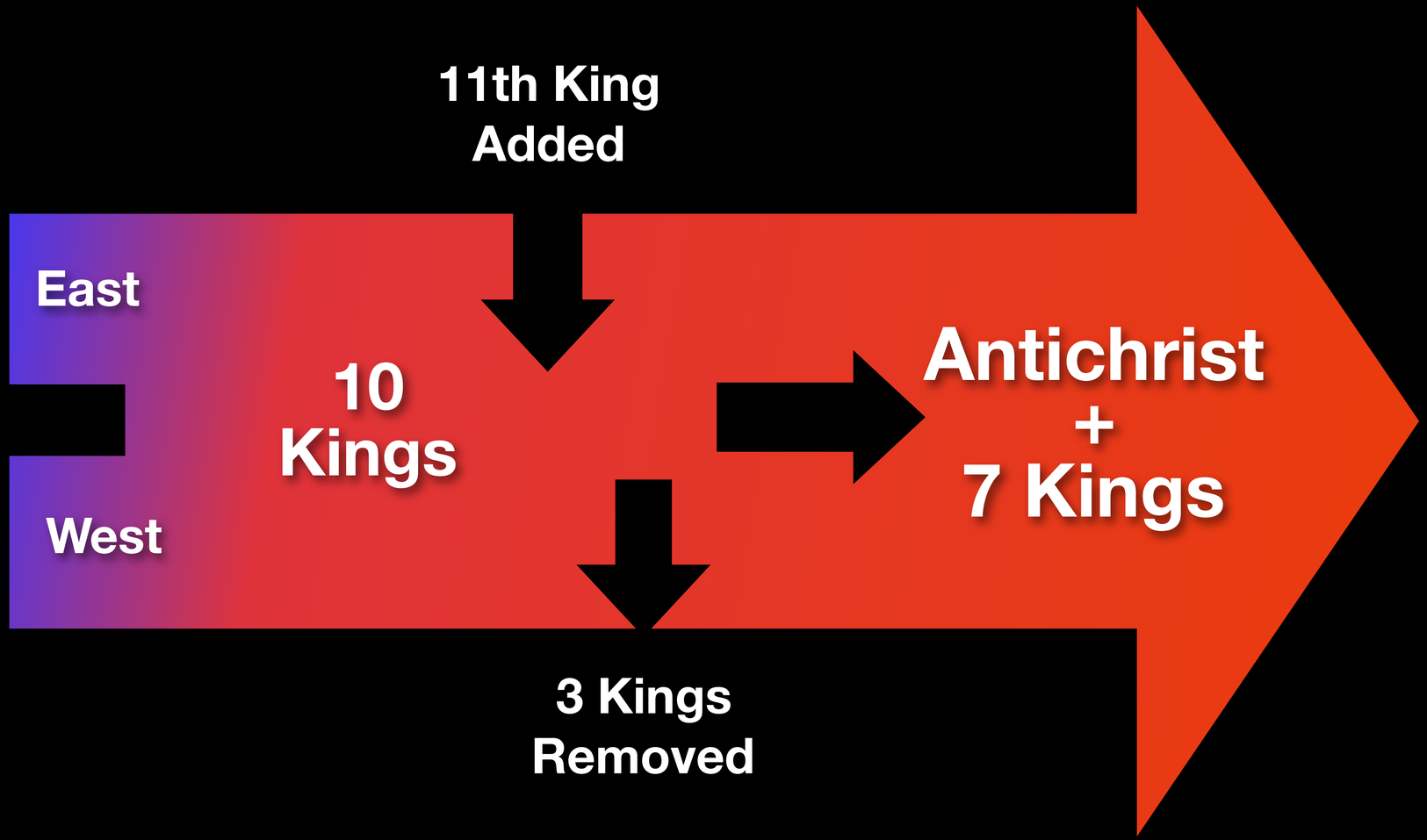
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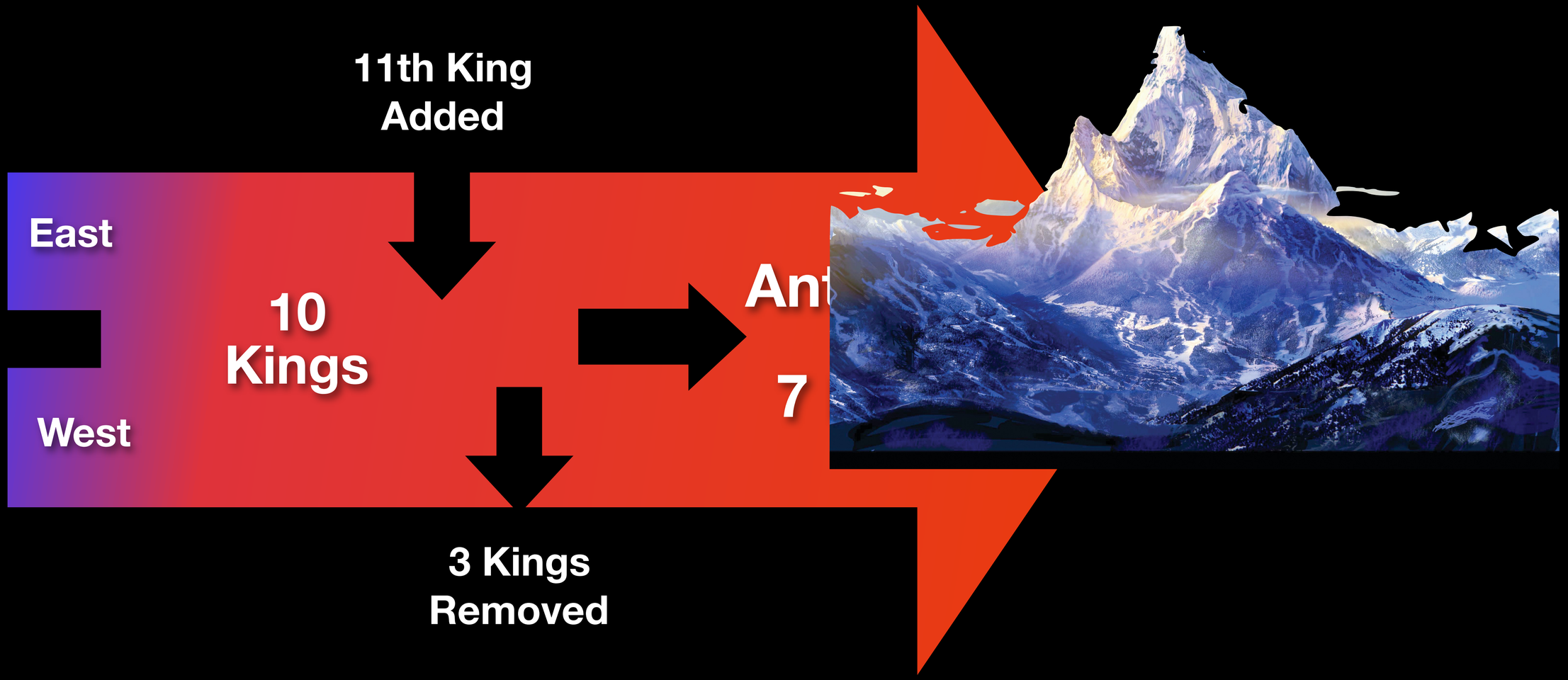

Daniel 7

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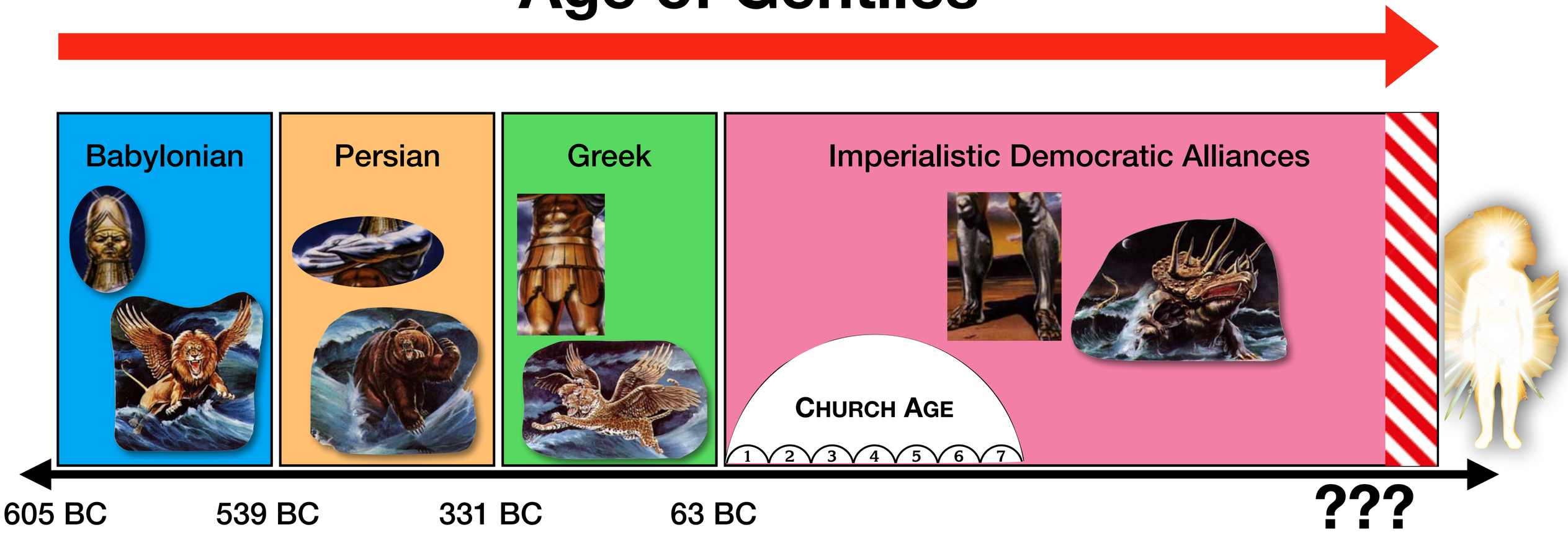
Confirms the Daniel 2 kingdoms

Emphasizes the importance of the fourth kingdom over the others

Reveals the fourth kingdom progresses through a series of leaders: 10 – 3 = 7+1 rulers

Age of Gentiles



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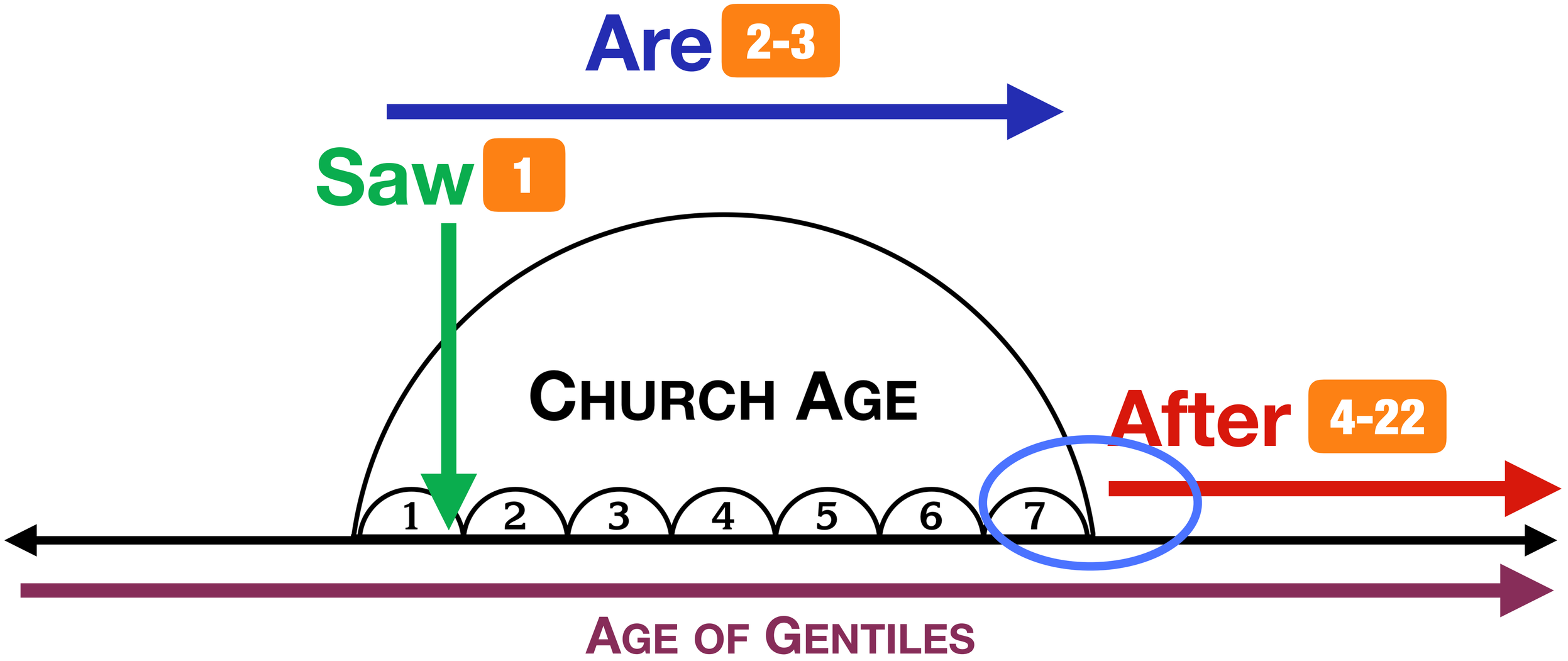

Daniel 9

Daniel 9:1-3	Daniel's Mistake
Daniel 9:4-19	Daniel's Confession
Daniel 9:20-23	Gabriel's Correction
Daniel 9:24-27	Gabriel's Explanation

Daniel's Mistake

Dan. 9:1 In the first year of Darius the son of Ahasuerus, of Median descent, who was made king over the kingdom of the Chaldeans —

Dan. 9:2 in the first year of his reign, I, Daniel, **observed in the books** the number of the years which was revealed as the word of the Lord to Jeremiah the prophet for the completion of the desolations of Jerusalem, namely, seventy years.

Daniel's Mistake

Jer. 25:11 ‘This whole land will be a desolation and a horror, and these nations will **serve the king of Babylon seventy years.**

Jer. 25:12 ‘Then it will be when seventy years are completed I will punish the king of Babylon and that nation,’ declares the Lord, ‘for their iniquity, and the land of the Chaldeans; and I will make it an everlasting desolation.

Daniel's Mistake

Lev. 26:33 ‘You, however, I will scatter among the nations and will draw out a sword after you, as your land becomes desolate and your cities become waste.

Lev. 26:34 ‘Then the land will enjoy its sabbaths all the days of the desolation, while you are in your enemies’ land; then the land will rest and enjoy its sabbaths.

Lev. 26:35 ‘All the days of its desolation it will observe the rest which it did not observe on your sabbaths, while you were living on it.

Daniel's Mistake

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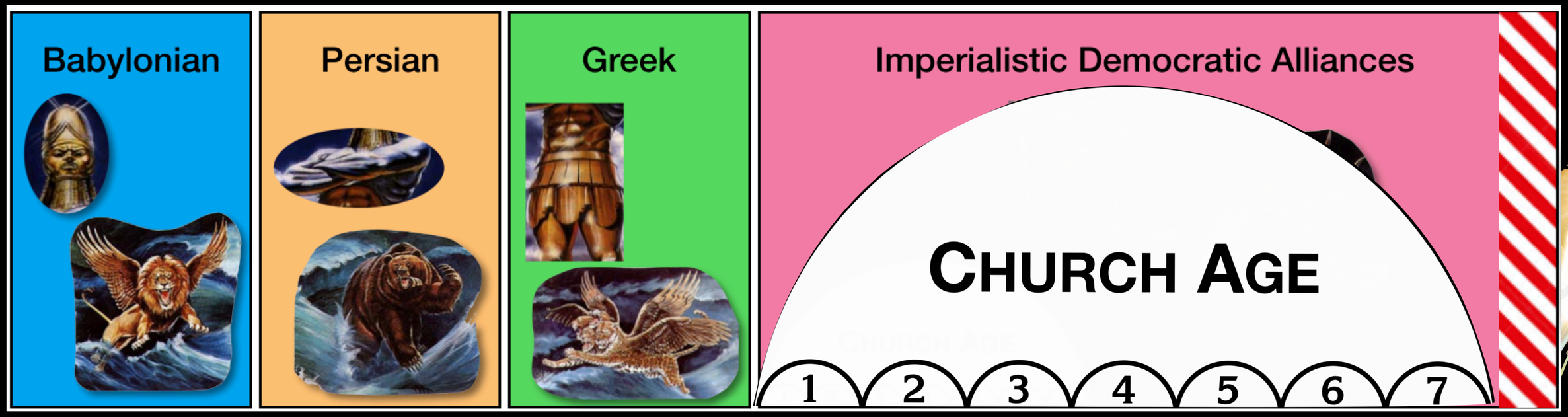
Land Rests

70 years



Daniel's Confession

Dan. 9:3 So I gave my attention to the Lord God to seek Him by prayer and supplications, with fasting, sackcloth and ashes.

Dan. 9:4 I prayed to the Lord my God and confessed and said, “Alas, O Lord, the great and awesome God, who keeps His covenant and lovingkindness for those who love Him and keep His commandments,

Dan. 9:5 we have sinned, committed iniquity, acted wickedly and rebelled, even turning aside from Your commandments and ordinances...

Daniel's Mistake

Lev. 26:40 ‘If they confess their iniquity and the iniquity of their forefathers, in their unfaithfulness which they committed against Me, and also in their acting with hostility against Me —

Lev. 26:42 then I will remember My covenant with Jacob, and I will remember also My covenant with Isaac, and My covenant with Abraham as well, and I will remember the land.

Gabriel's Correction

Dan. 9:20 Now while I was speaking and praying, and confessing my sin and the sin of my people Israel, and presenting my supplication before the Lord my God in behalf of the holy mountain of my God,

Dan. 9:21 while I was still speaking in prayer, then the man Gabriel, whom I had seen in the vision previously, came to me in my extreme weariness about the time of the evening offering.

Dan. 9:22 He gave me instruction and talked with me and said, "O Daniel, I have now come forth to give you insight with understanding.

Dan. 9:23 "At the beginning of your supplications the command was issued, and I have come to tell you, for you are highly esteemed; so give heed to the message and gain understanding of the vision.

Gabriel's Explanation

Dan. 9:24 "**Seventy weeks** have been decreed for your people and your holy city, to finish the transgression, to make an end of sin, to make atonement for iniquity, to bring in everlasting righteousness, to seal up vision and prophecy and to anoint the most holy place.

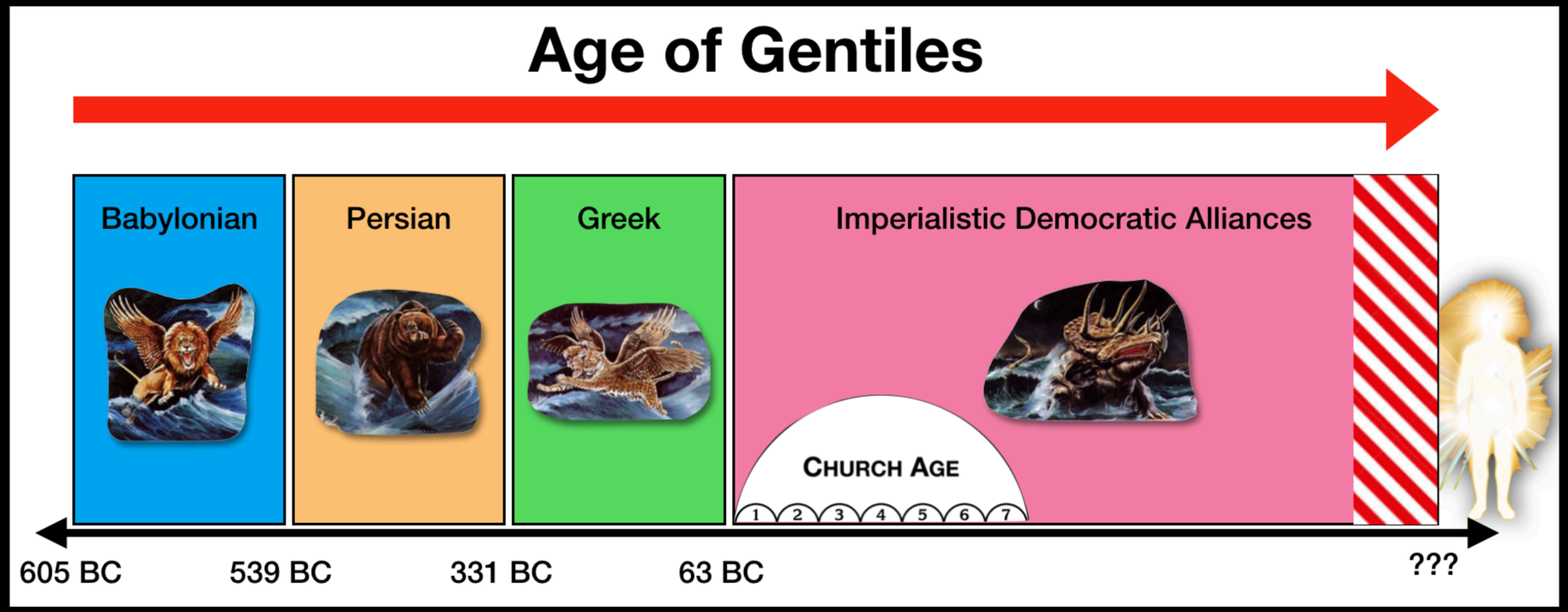
Seventy "Weeks"

"Weeks" = shavat = sevens

Land Rests

70 sevens = 490...?

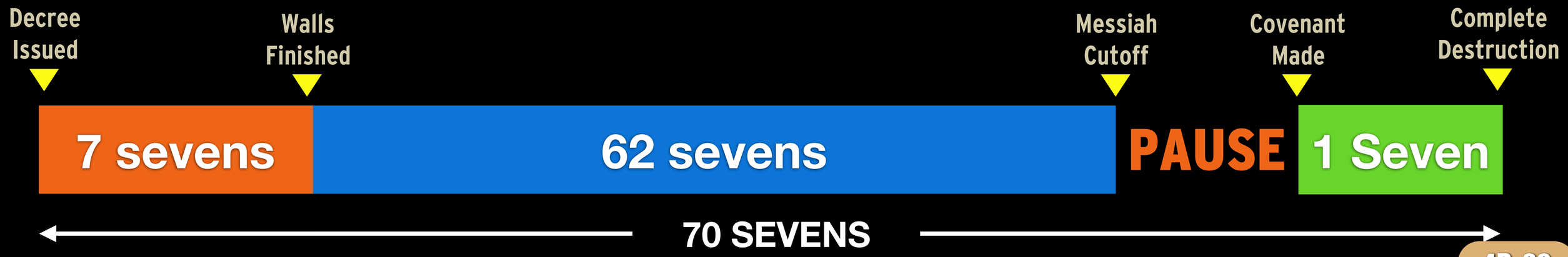
Days? Weeks? Months? Years?



Dan. 9:25 "So you are to know and discern that from the issuing of a decree to restore and rebuild Jerusalem until Messiah the Prince there will be seven weeks and sixty-two weeks; it will be built again, with plaza and moat, even in times of distress.

Dan. 9:26 "Then after the sixty-two weeks the Messiah will be cut off and have nothing, and the people of the prince who is to come will destroy the city and the sanctuary. And its end will come with a flood; even to the end there will be war; desolations are determined.

Dan. 9:27 "And he will make a firm covenant with the many for one week, but in the middle of the week he will put a stop to sacrifice and grain offering; and on the wing of abominations will come one who makes desolate, even until a complete destruction, one that is decreed, is poured out on the one who makes desolate."



Seventy "Weeks"

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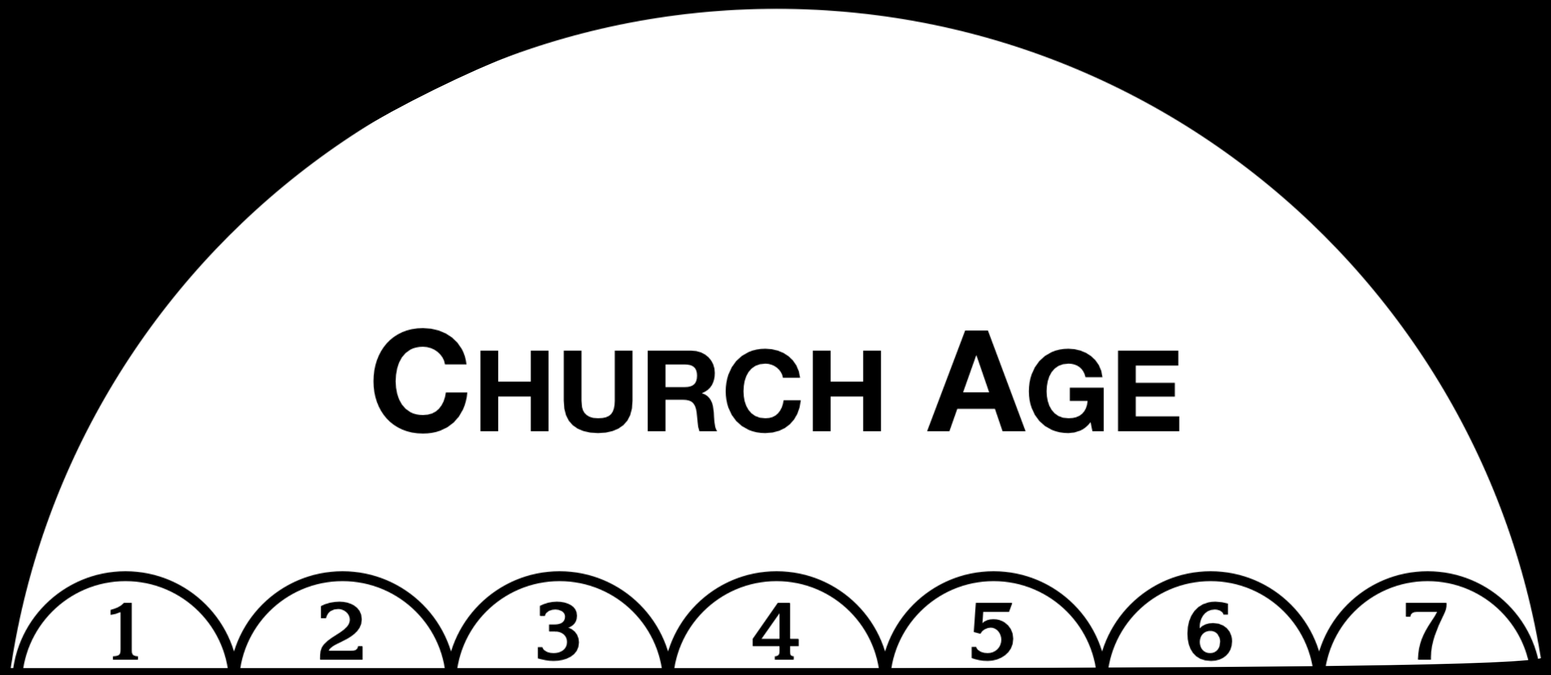

Seventy "Weeks"

Rom. 11:7 What then? What Israel is seeking, it has not obtained, but those who were chosen obtained it, and the rest were hardened;

Rom. 11:11 I say then, they did not stumble so as to fall, did they? May it never be! But by their transgression salvation has come to the Gentiles, to make them jealous.

Rom. 11:25 For I do not want you, brethren, to be uninformed of this mystery — so that you will not be wise in your own estimation — that a partial hardening has happened to Israel until the fullness of the Gentiles has come in;

Seventy "Weeks"

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Land Rests

Decree Issued

Walls Finished

Messiah Cutoff

Covenant Made

Complete Destruction

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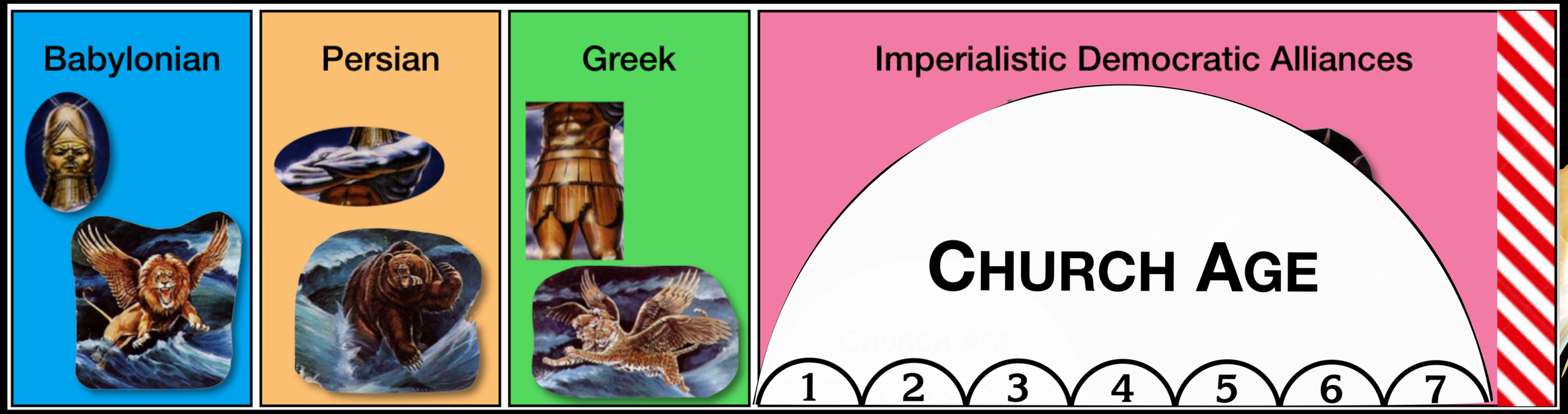

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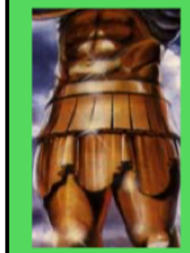
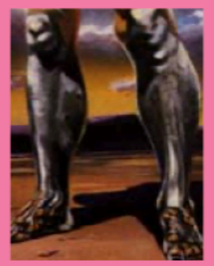


Imperialistic Democratic Alliances



CHURCH AGE

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Daniel Summary

- God established the Age of Gentiles to judge Israel for disobedience to the Old Covenant
- The age began with Babylon and continues until Jesus returns to establish the (Jewish) Kingdom
- The Age concludes with a single world leader persecuting the saints until he is destroyed by Christ's return
- The age will last 490 years...apart from a long pause while the Lord works with the Gentile Church
- When the fullness of the Gentiles has come in, then the final "seven" may begin

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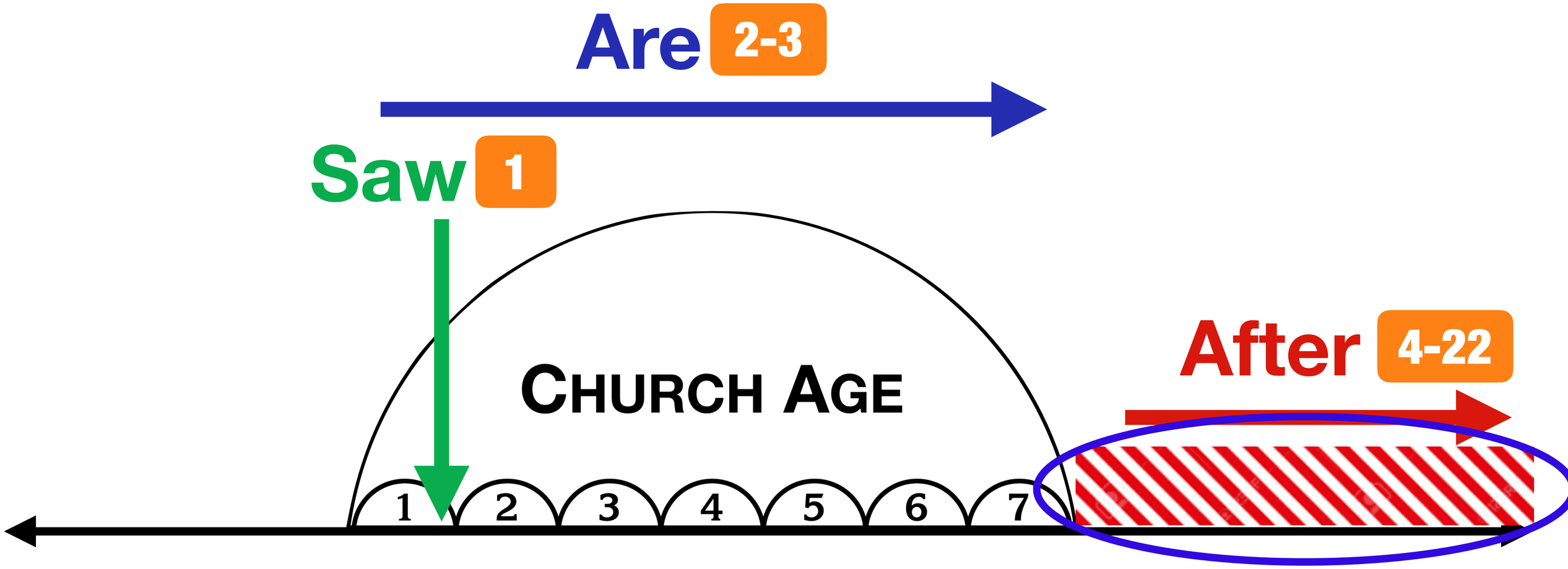

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