

Daniel 11:36 – 12:13. Sermon outline

“blessed is he who waits”

1. The rule of the Ungodly King – 11:36-45

“exalts himself”

“against the God of gods... the God of his fathers”

“the god of fortresses”

the kings of the “south” and the “north” (? Anthony and Octavian)

“news... shall alarm him” (? Matthew 2:1-3)

2. A time of trouble... and deliverance – 12:1-3

Trouble—see Matthew 23:33-36, 24:15-22, 34-35. Also Acts 7:56.

Deliverance—Ezekiel 37

Encouragement: rise and shine!

3. How long, O Lord? - 12:4-13

for Daniel: not yet (“seal the book”)

“time, times and half a time”: fixed by the Lord

$1 + 2 + \frac{1}{2} = 3$ set times and a short set time

1,290 days... + 45 days

Long period... and a short period.

Encouragement: “refined... rest... stand...”