Biblical Millennialism

- I. For a refutation of Premillennialism and Postmillennialism, check out the following videos and sermon series:
 - 1. Destroying Premillennialism in Less Than 10 Minutes
 - 2. <u>What's Wrong With Premillennial Dispensationalism? (Animated Video)</u>
 - 3. Postmillennialism is Unbiblical
 - 4. Millennialism, End Times, and the Reign of Christ (Sermon Series)
- II. Having already refuted Premillennialism and Post Millennialism, let's look at Biblical Millennialism.
- III. Biblical Millennialism can be summed up as follows:
 - 1. The "millennium" the figurative amount of time between the first and second comings of Jesus Christ (**Rev 1:1 c/w Rev 20:4 c/w Psa 50:10**).
 - 2. Jesus bound Satan at His first coming (Rev 20:1-3 c/w Col 2:15 c/w Mat 12:29).
 - 3. The kingdom of God in which the saints reign with Christ during "the millennium" is the New Testament local church (Dan 2:44 c/w Mat 4:17 c/w Mar 1:14-15 c/w Luk 16:16 c/w Luk 7:29-30 c/w Mat 21:31-32 c/w Luk 22:29-30 c/w Heb 12:28).
 - 4. The "church age" is the last age and will last until the last day of time (Heb 1:2 c/w 1Jo 2:18 c/w Heb 9:26 c/w Eph 3:21).
 - 5. The saints will experience tribulation throughout "the millennium" (Joh 16:33 c/w Act 14:22 c/w 2Ti 3:12).
 - 6. The tribulation will become more intense at the end when Satan is loosed for a little season (**Rev 20:3,7-9**).
 - 7. The second coming of Christ will happen on the last day, at which time He will:
 - A. return to earth in the clouds (Mat 24:30 c/w 1Th 4:16).
 - B. resurrect the dead, of both righteous and the wicked, on the LAST DAY (1Th 4:16-17 c/w 1Co 15:52 c/w Act 24:15 c/w Joh 5:28-29 c/w Joh 6:39,40,44,54; Joh 11:24).
 - C. deliver up his kingdom to God by gathering His elect from the four winds of the earth to meet him in the air (1Th 4:16-17 c/w Mat 24:30-31 c/w 1Co 15:24).
 - D. destroy the devil and his armies who are gathered to make war with Him and His saints (**Rev 19:19-21 c/w Rev 20:7-10**).
 - E. destroy the heavens and the earth (**Rev 20:11 c/w 2Pe 3:10-12**).
 - F. judge the wicked and cast them into the lake of fire (**Rev 20:11-15 c/w Mat 25:31-46 c/w 2Th 1:7-9**).
 - G. create new heavens and a new earth (**Rev 21:1-2** c/w 2Pe 3:13).