THE END TIMES

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Part 1

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 (p. 836)

• Three arrows and two lines, to explain The End Times



- ↑ Rapture: Christ coming <u>for</u> His church
  1 Corinthians 15:50-58; John 14:1-3 (p. 815 & 763)
- ~ Tribulation: <u>7</u> years of worldwide calamity
  Revelation 6-19; 2 Thessalonians 2 (p. 870 & 838)
- ↓ Second Coming of Christ: He comes <u>with</u> His church
  Revelation 19:11-21 (p. 877)
- — Millennium: <u>1000</u> year reign of Christ on earth with His people
  Revelation 20 (p. 878)
- → Eternity: New <u>heaven</u> and earth for <u>believers</u>; hell for unbelievers Revelation 21 (p. 878)

• Death is <u>not</u> the end

• The Rapture

- <u>Different</u> than second coming of Christ, but connected
- Dead raised <u>first</u>, living second
- One day it is coming, so be <u>encouraged</u>