

## DAY 30: THE TWO WITNESSES AND THE BATTLE FOR JERUSALEM

### I. THE TWO WITNESSES

- A. Authority granted to different players in the End Times
  - 1. God gives authority to the Antichrist
  - 2. God gives authority to His two witnesses
- B. Olive trees and lamp stands (v. 4)
- C. This is the second woe, there is a battle for Jerusalem, the temple is trampled, the third woe is coming (which will be the sounding of the seventh trumpet) (v. 1-14)
- D. Two prophets prophecy for 1,260 days in the midst of the battle for Jerusalem
- E. In the midst of conflict, the two witnesses will be calling down fire and plagues in the name of Christ
- F. We will know who these Two Witnesses are when we see them
- G. They are killed in the same place as their Lord (v. 8-9)
  - 1. These are servants of the Messiah
  - 2. Providing a massive degree of protection for the People of God
- H. Many will leave the Holy City, but there will be a remnant that stays (Isaiah 4)
- I. No rain for 3.5 years (v. 6)
- J. These two prophets will be the most hated people on Earth (v. 7-10)
  - 1. Reminiscent of Jihadist-like celebrations
  - 2. The slaying of these two prophets will bring about great celebration
- K. They will be resurrected where their Lord was resurrected (v. 11)
- L. What we see described in Revelation 11 is identical to Daniel 11

### II. THE MASKILIM

- A. “Those who understand, who have revelation” (Daniel 11:33)
- B. Referring to those who will also help others to understand
- C. Deeper than just human wisdom, referring to the wisdom of God
  - 1. They know what He’s doing and they know what He wants them to do
- D. Those who follow are being persecuted
- E. Some of The Maskilim will stumble and fall so that they can be refined (v. 33-34)
- F. A prophetic ministry unlike anything the world has ever seen that emerges in the midst of immense trouble