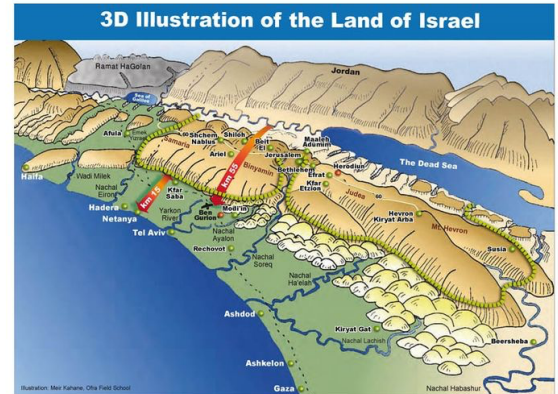


MATTHEW 24:1-28

- 1) In Matthew 24:15 Jesus mentions the “*abomination of desolation, spoken of by Daniel the prophet.*” Check out Daniel 11:31 & 12:11—what do you think the *abomination of desolation* is?
- 2) Now look at 2 Thessalonians 2:3-4 & Revelation 13:13-15. Is the *abomination of desolation* a who, a what, or both?
- 3) Comparing all of the scriptures you’ve just read, at what point during the Tribulation do you think the *abomination of desolation* will be set up?
- 4) In Matthew 24:15-22 Jesus gives instructions to a specific group of people; based on your reading of the text what ethnic group of people is Jesus speaking to?



- 5) Next compare Jesus' instructions in Matthew 24:16 with Revelation 12:14; where does the scripture tell these people (the ones you identified in question 4) to go?

- 6) Look at the map on the main screen—based on your answer to question 5, what direction are these people likely to go?

- 7) In vss. 23-26 Jesus warns the “elect” to beware of false messiahs & false prophets. In context, who are the “elect”?

- 8) In vs. 27 Jesus compares His return to a flash of lightning. What do you think He means by this analogy?

- 9) From our last study we found that the word “sorrows in vs. 8 means “*labor pains*”. What do all the labor pains bring forth?