

## NOTES FOR DISCUSSION OF PROPHECY IN DANIEL 9:20-27

1. Key verse references for background to Daniel Chapter 9
  - Jeremiah 25:11
  - Jeremiah 29:10
  - Leviticus 26:18, 21, 24, 27, 33-45; Deuteronomy 30:1-10; I Kings 8:23-25, 46-50
    - a) prosecution of covenant lawsuit
    - b) “todah” confession prerequisite for restoration of blessing and renewal of covenant
  - Exodus 31:12-18
  - II Chronicles 36:17-23 (Isaiah 44:28; 45:1)
  - Leviticus 25:1-23
  - Hebrews 4:9,10
  - I Samuel 8:1-21(kingship established 490 years before the end of the exile)
  
2. Daniel Chapter 9
  - Daniel 9:1-19 (central theme)
    - a) Yahweh’s covenant with Israel
    - b) “todah” prayer (vv 4,20) → concern for broken covenant and covenant renewal (Dan 9:4 “Steadfast love” & Psalm 103:11, 17)
      - function judicially as a covenant lawsuit (Hebrew “riv”)
  
  - Daniel 9:20-27
    - V 24
      - 1) to finish/to complete/to restrain rebellion ]
      - 2) to make an end of/to put an end to/to seal up sin ] sin
      - 3) to atone/to make reconciliation for iniquity ]
      - 4) to bring everlasting/eternal/age-abiding righteousness ]
      - 5) to seal up vision and prophet/prophecy ] righteousness
      - 6) to anoint the holy of holies ]
  
    - V27
      - “Strong covenant” Isa 55:3,4; 42:6, 13; 49:8; 9:6; Genesis 15:18; Psalm 89:3,4
      - “the many” = covenant elect
        - Isaiah 53:11; Mark 10:45; 14:24; Matthew 26:28;
        - Romans 5:19; Ephesians 4:13; Hebrews 9:28
      - “abominations” = pagan images of idolatry
        - Matthew 24:15; Luke 21:20-24
      - “until the decreed end” Isaiah 10:21-23
  
  - Other Key verse references
    - Isaiah 53:5, 6, 8-12; 61:1-4 (Luke 4:18, 19)
    - Acts 7:55, 56 → Matthew 26:64
    - Daniel 7:13 (Revelation 1:7)
    - Revelation 12:14