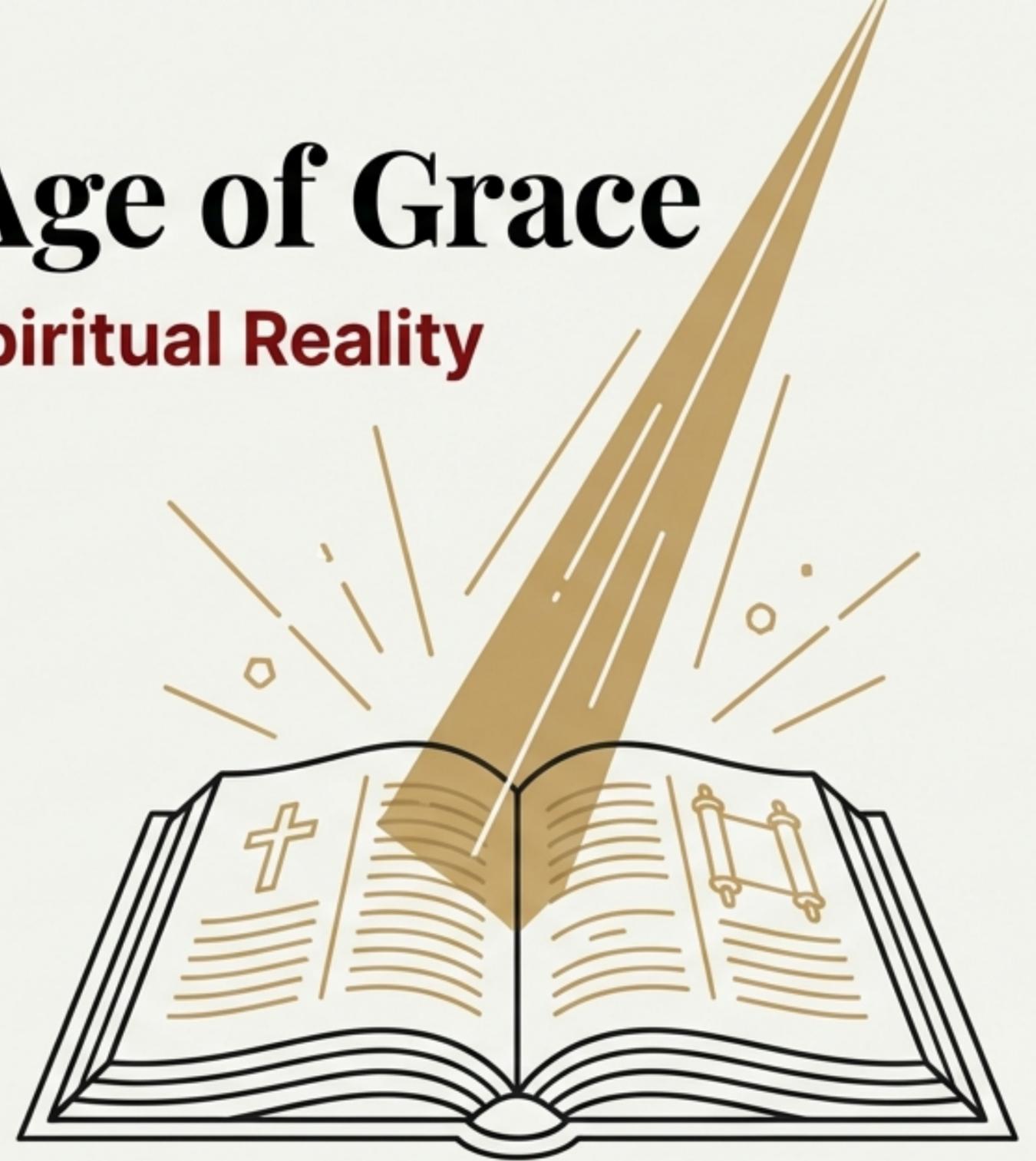


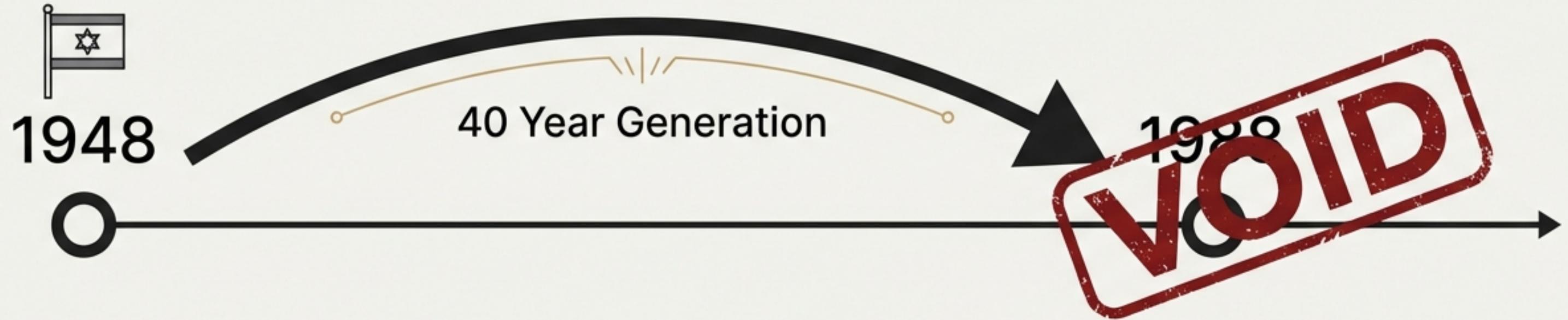
# The End of the Age of Grace

## Physical Signs vs. Spiritual Reality



We appreciate the question: Is there a sign? Most look to the news ticker for the answer. But if we look to the 'Mystery' revealed to Paul, the answer changes entirely.

# The Trap of “Newspaper Exegesis”



## The Methodology

Looking at current events (wars, national gatherings) as direct fulfillments of Old Testament prophecy.

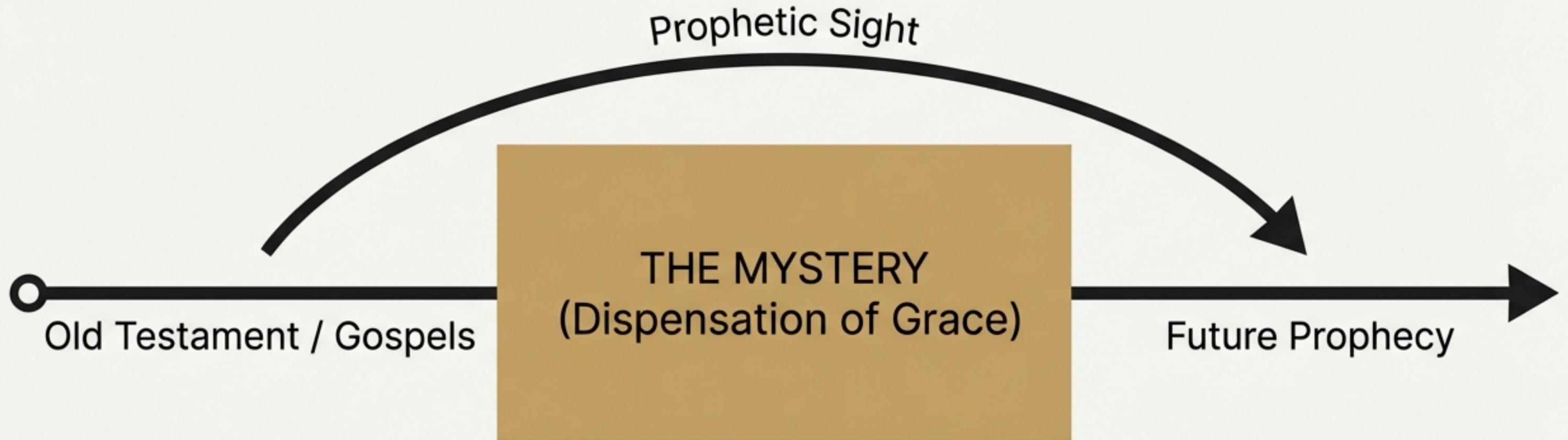


## The Error

Assuming the prophetic clock is ticking during the Dispensation of Grace. Sensationalism fails because it misplaces the timeline.

# The Premise: A Secret “Hid in God”

Ephesians 3:2-9 | Colossians 1:26



The Dispensation of Grace was not just unmentioned; it was **entirely hidden**. If prophetic events were occurring now, they would have been clues. Since there were no clues, prophecy is paused.

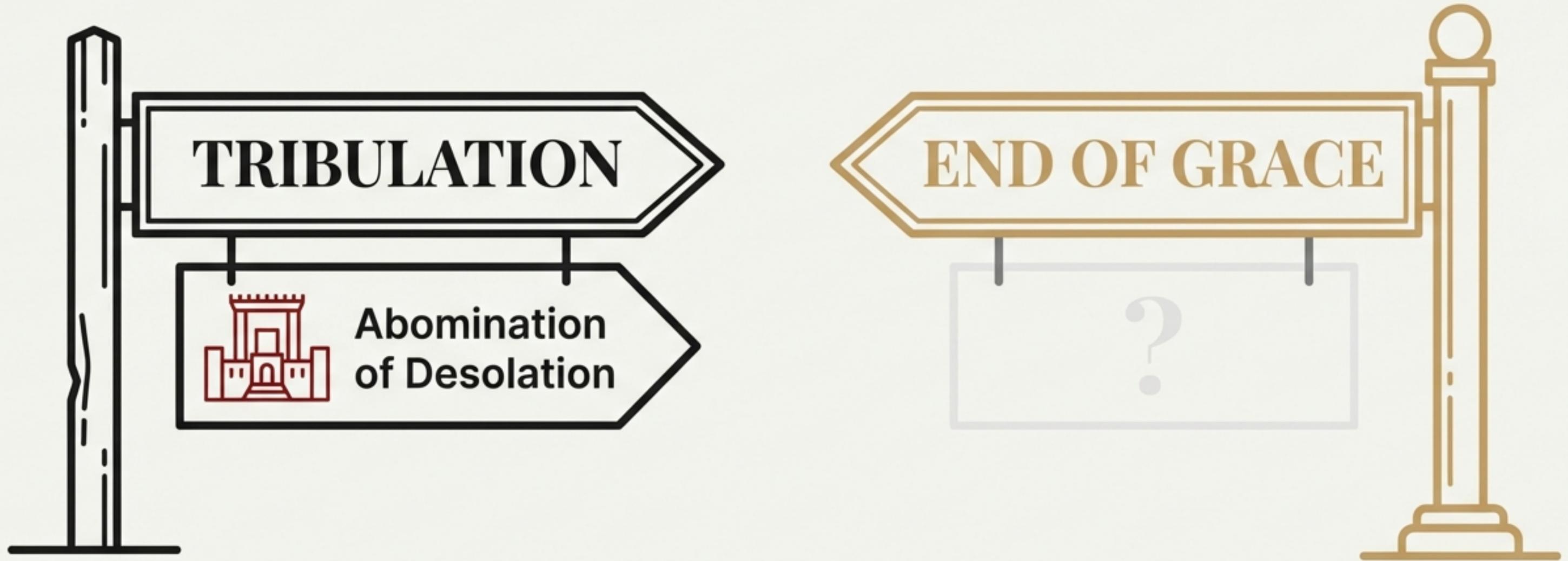
# The Divine Delay: Amnesty Before Wrath

In Acts 2, the clock was ticking toward the 70th Week. God inserted the Dispensation of Grace not to cancel the wrath, but to delay it.

Purpose: A magnanimous offer of amnesty to humanity before the judgment falls.



# No Political Signposts



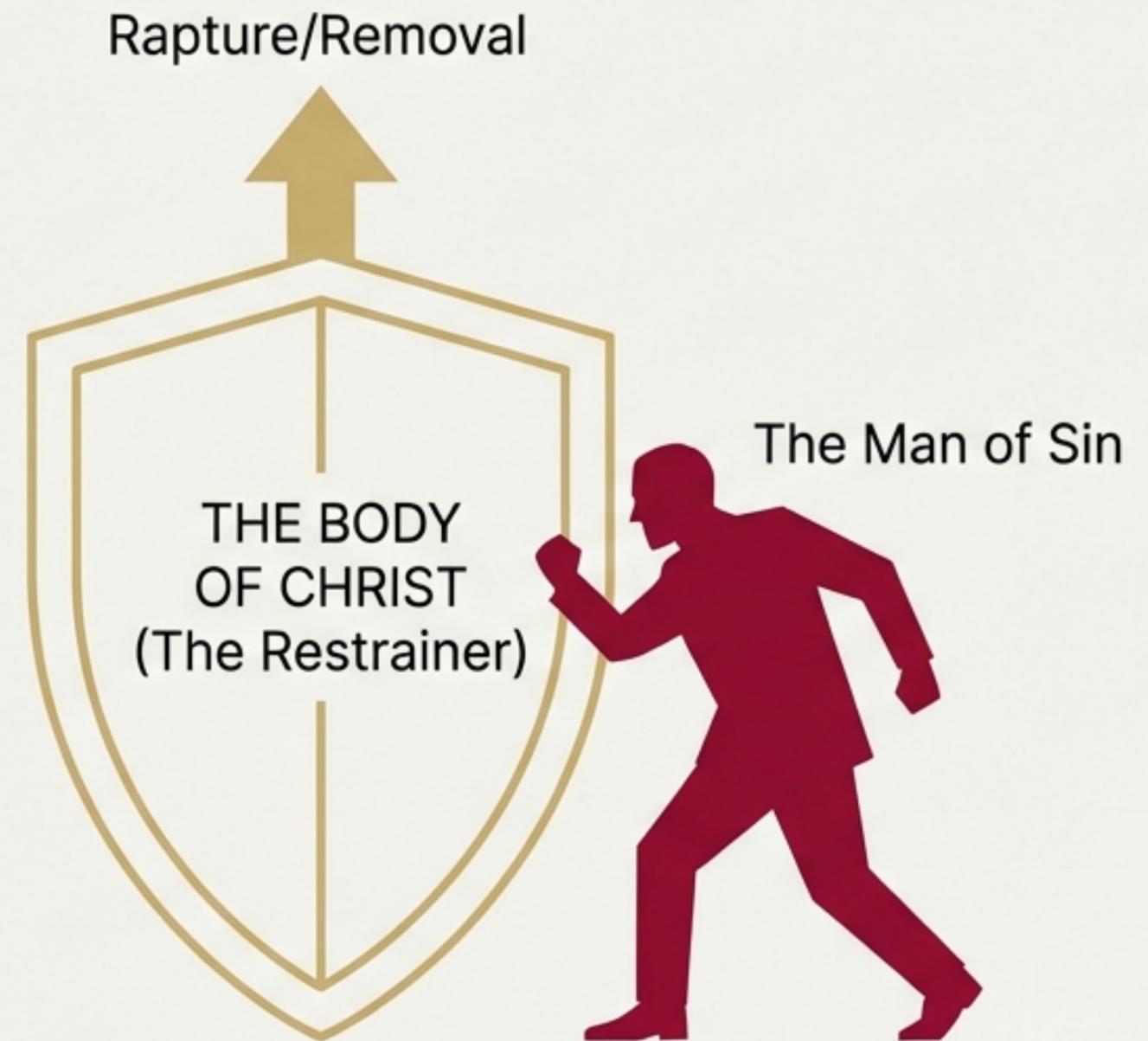
The Tribulation has clear physical markers (The Man of Sin in the Temple).  
The Dispensation of Grace has NO equivalent **political or physical** sign.  
No war, no treaty, no geopolitical shift signals the **end of this age**.

# The Restrainer and the Man of Sin

2 Thessalonians 2:6-8

**Logic:** The “Man of Sin” cannot be revealed until the Restrainer (The Church) is removed.

**Takeaway:** Trying to identify the Antichrist now is futile. He is revealed only AFTER we are gone.



## The Only Pauline Foreshadowing

~~GLOBAL REVIVAL~~  
~~PEACE TREATIES~~

**THE FALLING AWAY  
DEPARTURE FROM FAITH**

The Spirit speaks expressly. The only indicator Paul gives for the end of this dispensation is not a war, but a spiritual plummet.  
It is a time of seducing spirits, not rejuvenation.

2 Thessalonians 2:3, 1 Timothy 4:1



# Security in the Midst of Apostasy



If we believe not, yet he abideth faithful:  
he cannot deny himself.

The Assurance: Even if a believer is swept up in the confusion of the age, they remain sealed. God cannot deny His own Body. We are secure even when the age is crumbling.

# The Trigger: “Fullness of the Gentiles”

Romans 11:25



Mechanism: Blindness is on Israel UNTIL the fullness of the Gentiles comes in.

Correction: This is not a divine “quota” or headcount. It is a state of being.

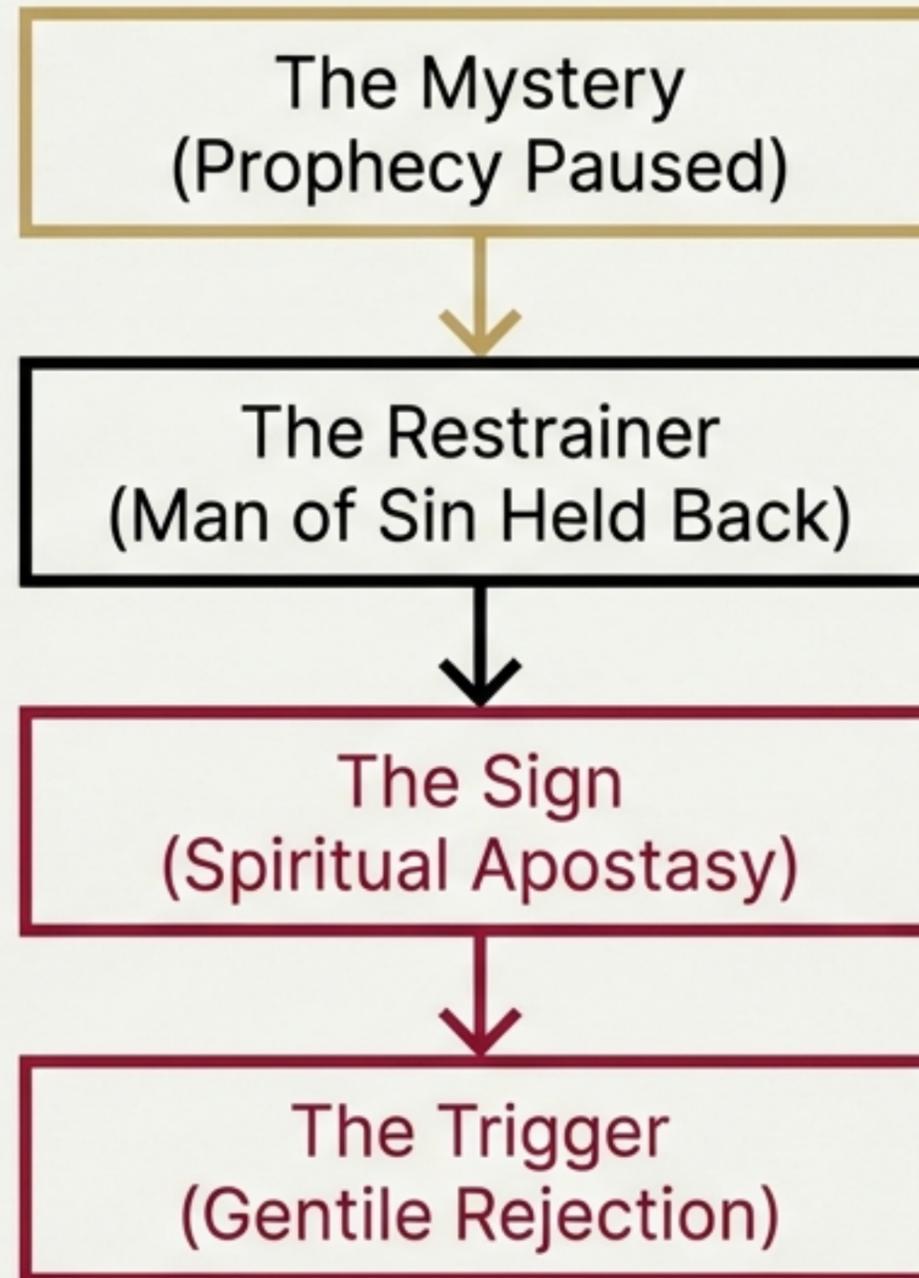
# Fullness Means Rejection



**The Definition:** The “Fullness” arrives when Gentiles, as a collective group, say “No” to Grace.

God does not cut off the age because He is tired of saving; He cuts it off because the world is done wanting to be saved.

# The Logical Sequence



The end is not marked by a treaty, but by a world that has turned its back on Grace.

# Our Mandate in the Final Days



**Rejoice:** We live in the time of God's amnesty.

**Act:** The window is closing—not because of a date on a calendar, but because of the hardening of hearts.

**The Call:** Secure as many as possible before the Gentile access is cut off and the calendar of wrath resumes.

# Sources & Further Study

Based on the teaching: “Does Paul Ever Mention that the Dispensation of Grace is About to End?” by David Reid.

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Key Scriptures: Ephesians 3, Romans 11, 2 Thessalonians 2, 2 Timothy 3.

