**The Millennium**

Revelation 20: 1 -1 5
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Introduction:

We believe in the literal reign of Christ here on earth for four reasons:

1. Because it is predicted in the Old Testament
2. Christ predicted this
3. Paul predicted this
4. Revelation 20

**I. The Blessing of the Saved — verses 1-6**

A. The binding of Satan — verses 1-3

1. "And **I** saw" — verse 1
2. "key" — authority
3. "bottomless pit"

B. Notice this binding

1. He is "bound" — verse 2
2. "Cast" — verse 3
3. "Shut-up" — verse 3
4. "Sealed" — verse 3

C. His names

1. Dragon — destructive
2. Serpent — crafty/subtle
3. Devil — accuser
4. Satan — adversary

D. Second blessing — first resurrection — verses 4-6 This resurrection is in two phases:

1. The rapture
2. The saved during the tribulation

**II. The Judgment of the Lost — verses 7-15**

A. The release of Satan — verses 7-9
Why will he be released?

1.
2.
3.
4.
5. The judgment of Satan — verse 10
6. The judgment of the dead — verse 11

Question — Are there degrees of judgment or punishment?

1. Death — has the body (grave)
2. Hell — has the soul