

# OPERATION SUBORDINATION

## POSITIONAL AND EXPERIENTIAL SUBORDINATION OF CHRIST'S ENEMIES

**OLD COVENANT**

**N E W C O V E N A N T**

**JEWISH AGE**

Session on the Father's Throne



Jesus is seated at God's right hand throughout the Church Age and Tribulation. Eph. 1:21.

All things are positionally subordinated to Jesus. Eph. 1:21; Heb. 2:8b.



**6**

Jesus delivers the kingdom to His Father and subordinates Himself to Him. I Cor. 15:24, 28.

**CHURCH AGE**

**TRIBULATION**

**MILLENNIAL KINGDOM**

ASCENSION

Satan and His Angels Are Operational  
Death Continues



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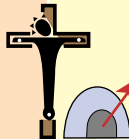
SECOND COMING

New Enemies Arise  
Death Continues

David's Throne

Great White Throne

**1**



**2**

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**4**



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We do not yet see all things subordinated to Jesus. Heb. 2:8c.

**1**

During His earthly ministry Jesus cast out demons by the power of the Holy Spirit since they were not yet subordinated to Him. Matt. 12:28.

**2**

Satan and his angels are cast down to the earth. Rev. 12:9–13.

**3**

**OPERATION FOOTSTOOL**

Psa. 110:1; Luke 20:42–43; Acts 2:34–35; Heb. 1:13; 10:12–13

Experiential subordination of Jesus' enemies:

- 1) The kings of the earth and their armies are killed at Armageddon. Rev. 19:19, 21.
- 2) The beast and false prophet are captured alive and cast into the Lake of Fire. Rev. 19:20.
- 3) Jesus defeats, captures, and makes a public display of Satan and the fallen angels—perhaps with a victory parade through the streets of Jerusalem similar to a Roman triumph. Col 2:15.
- 4) Satan and probably the demons are cast into the Abyss. Rev. 20:1–3.

**4**

Surviving tribulational unbelievers (civilians) are gathered by the angels, judged, and cast into the eternal fire. Matt. 13:41–42; 25:31–32, 41–46.

**5**

All of Jesus' enemies are experientially subordinated to Him, including death. I Cor. 15:24–28. All of His enemies are now in the Lake of Fire.