THE CAREER OF THE DEVIL

1 John 3:8
John 8:44

"thou wast perfect in thy ways" (Ez. 28:15)
"full of wisdom, and perfect in beauty (Ez. 28:12)

"iniquity was found in thee" (Ez. 28:15)
thine heart was lifted up" (Ez. 28:17)

I. His FALL to the earth (Rev. 12:9,12)
This takes place in the middle of the TRIBULATION.

"the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that now worketh in the sons of disobedience" (Ephesians 2:1-3)

His Names:
The Great Dragon
That Old Serpent
The Devil (Accuser)
Satan (Enemy, Adversary)
[See Rev. 12:9; 20:2]

II. His FALL to the abyss or bottomless pit (Rev. 20:1-3).
This takes place at the second coming of Christ.

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III. His FALL to the lake of fire (Rev. 20:10).
This takes place after the 1000 year kingdom.

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The Beast's Reign of Terror
For 3½ years Satan empowers the Antichrist (Rev. ch. 13 and 2 Thess. 2:9-10).

The Church Age
1. Hindering Unbelievers (Luke 8:12), blinding their minds (2 Cor. 4:4) and working in them (Eph. 2:2).
2. Sufficient Armour for believers (Ephesians 6).
3. Victory assured (1 Pet. 5:8-9; James 4:7).
4. Overcomers (1 John 4:4).

Messiah will bruise the Serpent's head;
The Serpent will bruise Messiah's heel. (See Genesis 3:15)

Tempts and Beguiles Eve
(2 Cor. 11:3; Gen.ch.3)

Entices David (2 Chron. 21:1)
Dispute with Michael over Moses' body (Jude 9)

Enrages Moses
(Deut. 32:5)
Resists Joshua
(Deut. 31:22)

2000 BC
1500 BC
1000 BC

THE CHURCH AGE

TRIBULATION

THE KINGDOM

LAKE OF FIRE