

# How does the Final Beast/Anti-Christ (and False Prophet) Compare to Christ?

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The Beast power in all its iterations has attempted, in some crude way, to be a savior and to mirror Christ. The final Beast will be much more deceptive (Matt 24). The chart below attempts to demonstrate the deceitfulness of the final restoration of the Roman system and its leader by his attempts as appearing as a saviour and Christ-like.

<b>Final Beast/Anti-Christ (and False Prophet)</b>	<b>Christ</b>
Possibly single or divorced	Single at His first coming but marries the Church
Probably of Royal stock (with mix of Judah and Assyrian blood?)	Royal stock of Judah
Rules over a 3 ½ year period of ‘peace and safety’ and prosperity (lulls Israel into a sense of security) followed by sudden destruction	Completes His 3 ½ year ministry to Israel, bringing them into a land of peace, safety and prosperity
Gets cremated in the lake of fire	Comes like a fire
Has a covenant of death with Israel	Has a new covenant of life with Israel
‘Dies’ and restored (probably in a coma)	Crucified and resurrected
Performs miracles	Performs miracles
Attacks the King of the South	Enters into the Middle East
Enters Jerusalem	Enters Jerusalem
Rules from Jerusalem	Rules from Jerusalem
Destroys Israel	Revives Israel
Scatters Israel	Re-gathers Israel (Ezek 36)
Enters as ‘God’ into a pre-Tribulation temple or structure	Enters the Millennial temple at the end of this 3 ½ year ministry to Israel (Ezek 43)
Stops the sacrifices	Commences a new order of sacrifices (Ezek 40-46; Cp Ezra 3:2-6)
Destroys Jerusalem	Re-builds Jerusalem
Goes to war against the kings of the east	Goes to war with the nations of the east (Ezek 38 & 39)

Because the final Beast will be the ultimate culmination of the Anti-Christ system, he will be doubly deceptive with deceit at an all-time high. His influence under Satan will mask his true intentions, much like Napoleon and Hitler.

His empire may be at the helm of a world superstructure, ushering in a period of world peace and prosperity before the leader descending into war and conquest just like his predecessors. This is the reverse of Christ’s role and second coming. The Anti-Christ mimics Christ in some ways but also reverses the order of events – such is Satan’s influence and deception.