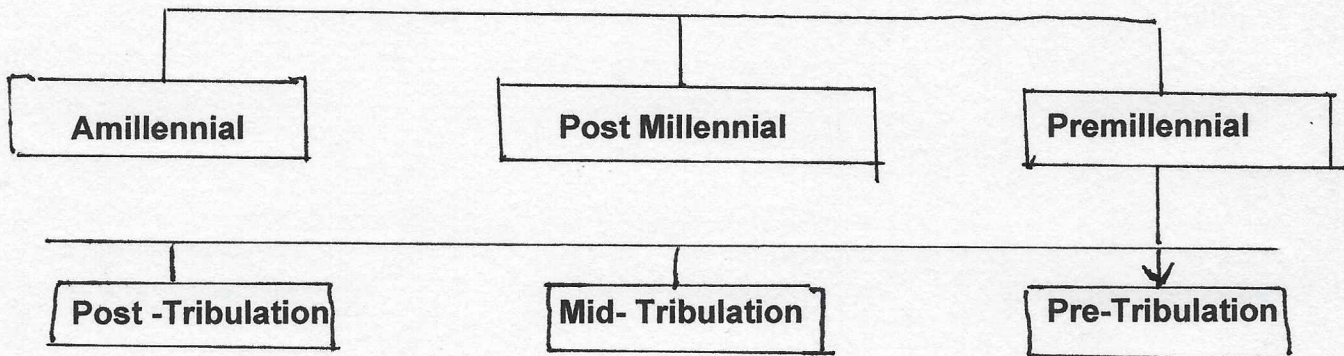


Eschatology



Post millennial position is that we are already in the millennium-

We are of the pretribulation position – but the issue here is when does the Church get raptured?

The classical position of the church is that we will be raptured just prior to the return as in my chart. Obviously having the church go through the 6 plus years of the tribulation.

People who hold the position of **post tribulation** are not evil people. They are wrong, but not evil. Obviously there is a problem with the judgment seat of Christ, the marriage of the Lamb and the wedding feast that follows.

We are taught to expect the Lord Jesus at “any moment.” You of course would not do that if you follow their schedule.

It would also follow that the Church would suffer on earth, and this cannot be the case as Paul tells us in **1st Thes: 5-9** “God **did not** appoint us to wrath, but to obtain salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Another problem with this teaching asks the question “how can the bride of Christ come with Him?”

The pretribulation position is the only position that assures the believer the act that we are to anticipate His calling us to come up – looking up for that blessed hope