**Biblically Approaching Awaiting the Return of Christ**

**Level setting our expectations of the age**

* Definition
  + New Testament, Church Age, Known Specific Soteriology, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Eschatology
  + The next biblically prophesied event is the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
  + Christ not yet on His throne “\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_” kingdom view.

**Coming Denials by the Church**

* God
  + Luke 17:26, 2 Tim 3:4-5
* Christ
  + 1 John 2:18, 4:3
* Christ’s Return
  + 2 Peter 3:3-4
* Faith
  + 1 Tim 4:1-2

**What are We Supposed to do?**

* Liberty
  + 1 Tim 4:3-4
* Sanctification
  + 2 Tim 3:1-7
* Morals
  + 2 Tim 3:1-8, Jude 18
* Authority
  + 2 Tim 3:4

* Be patient and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - James 5:7-8
* Be diligent to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ each other Heb 10:25
* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in faith, love, and hope – 1 Thes 5:8-9