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#### A. What will these 1000 years accomplish?

1. God will fulfill all remaining prophecies about the promised Kingdom of God.
2. God will fulfill all the promises made by Jesus to all His followers. **Matthew 19:29**
3. God will continue to save the lost under the perfect rule of Christ.
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#### B. What will happen to us and the reign of Christ after the 1000 year anniversary?

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**(Rev. 20:6)**
2. There must be ideal condition for Satan to convince the nations to rebel.

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#### B. Satan will find no lack of willing masses of the unconverted who are ready to rebel.

1. Their fully blossomed hatred is described in **Psalm 2:1–3** —

#### C. Application: Truths that mold the attitudes of the redeemed:

1. **Psalm 33:12** —
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#### A. There will be one last war between good and evil.

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