

## ANIMAL SACRIFICES

**Animal Sacrifices** — Animals have NOT been sacrificed in Jerusalem since 70 A.D., but the practice will be reinstituted in the end-time (Daniel 9:27).

The sacrificing of animals will be started seven years before Christ's return as the result of an agreement that the Antichrist will make (Daniel 9:26-27). But in the middle of this 7-year agreement (or about 3½ years after the sacrifices begin) the Antichrist will rush in with an army to put an end to the sacrifices (Daniel 9:27).

The animal sacrifices will be stopped exactly 1290 days before Christ's return—at the same time that the “abomination of desolation” (a statue of the Antichrist) is set up in the temple (Daniel 12:11).

**Daniel 9:26-27** — ...And the people of the prince [the Antichrist] who is to come [in the end-time] shall destroy the city [Jerusalem] and the sanctuary [the temple]. The end of it shall be with a flood [army], and till the end of the war desolations are determined. Then he [the Antichrist] shall confirm a covenant with many for one week [7 years]; but in the middle of the week [after about 3½ years] *he [the Antichrist] shall bring an end to sacrifice and offering.* And on the wing of abominations shall be one who makes desolate, even until the consummation, which is determined, is poured out on the desolate.

**Daniel 12:11** — And from the time that the *daily sacrifice* is taken away, and the abomination of desolation [a statue of the Antichrist] is set up, there shall be one thousand two hundred and ninety days [left before the return of Christ].