

tells us plainly that the attempt fails. The kgdm. of Chríst is not destroyed after 1000 years. Christ's dominion is everlasting it will not pass away. His kgdm. is that which will not be destroyed. There is some sort of a chagge after 1000 yrs. There are elements of change then.

There are some who have the idea that there never was time before the creation. There was something that was no motion, no time, just static. Then out of eternity which they think of as something static there came time into existence and we have the time of the existence of this world, and at the end of it again there is eternity ~~to~~ which they think of as static, one unending now. That is a philosophical idea which has no basis whatever in Scripture. We do not know what God may have done before the creation of the world. We do not know how far back His great acts of one sort or another may have existed. We are told in Gen.1:1 that God created in the beginning the heavens and earth. Then we are told in 2 v.2 the condition of the earth when he began to bring this earth into condition to be a place for man to live. How much time between v.1 and 2 ~~wex~~ are simply not told. If you want to guess v. 2 comes right after v. 1 you have a perfect right to guess it, but you have no right to say it is required by God's Word. If you want to guess that before God created the universe as described in v. 1 and that time when He began to take that part of the universe which He intended to make into an earth for man, if you wanted to guess that there were 100 billion yrs. in between ~~xxx~~ you have just as much right to guess it as to guess that there was no period in between. We do not know what God did before He brought this world into its present condition. But we have no right to think of Him as every being like a wooden indian in front of a cigar store standing without motion, without deed. God is unchanging, yes. He is unchanging in His being, unchanging in His attributes, but His changlessness does not mean He does not do things, does not mean He is not active. The same applies to this period after it is over.

After the millennium we are not told what's going to happen, but that there is just a static condition we have no warrant for it in Scripture whatsoever. When you are in your early 20's maybe in your 30's, life seems to stretch on and on and on. There seems to be no end to it. When you get as far as I am you begin to ~~x~~ think of all the things you've wanted to do in your life and then you don't have time to do them any more.. You think of all the places you'd like to go, all the things you'd like to learn, of all the experiences you'd like to have, all the books you'd like to read that you simply cannot read in this life. If the Lord should give me another 100 yrs. I could not get 1/3 of them done. And I don't think the Lord is going to give me another 100~~0~~ yrs. in this life. But we know there is going to be a millennium ahead. And During the millennium we can do a great many of these things. We praise God for the wonderful experience we can look forward to ahead, and we know that beyond the millennium we don't know what is going to be, but we know that it ~~was~~ will not be simply a static situation. We will go on and rejoice in God and love and enjoy Him forever. We will go on enjoying His provisíon through all eternity.