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of time and another little period of time, thirteen thirty-five days. Well, you don't know what those periods are, but there is a little distinction there, maybe a month or two. What's going on in that time? Well, those things could grow, or take place within a month or so. It wouldn't have to be three and a half years or even seven years. Dr. MacRae--You mean it might be a month, though?

Student--It might be a month, yes. Dr. MacRae--What might be a month? Student--the judgment seat of Christ, and whatever the Lord may be doing while He is there with us. There may be ^{some} should watch before that, and then we have to consider the possibility that He pulls out the viols after the rapture or the possibility that He ^{pulls} pulls out the viols before the rapture. Dr. MacRae--You mean, then, that if the rapture comes after the tribulation it might, nevertheless, be a month before the return of Christ to the earth. Student--Yes. Dr. MacRae--so you have an interval?

Student--The big problem to me is, are the signs before Christ's coming, are the two great signs anti-Christ and tribulation? how long the period is between the rapture and the coming in glory to judge and reign, but it is a big problem, the big problem is, are the tribulation and the anti-Christ to precede the rapture or are they to follow the rapture? Dr. MacRae--

Well, do you think one could be sure of recognizing the tribulation? Student--Well, I think, as I said last week, the covenant of anti-Christ with the Jews is something that probably could be recognized when the Anti-Christ enters into that covenant with Israel, they're certainly going to benefit from it, Israel is. They are going to be able to rebuild the temple, no doubt, and set up their ceremonies again and he'll probably defend them against all of resistance, etc. There is a probability that there certainly will be some evidence that a

covenant with Israel and then there is the evidence when He breaks that covenant and puts up that abomination in the holy place. Those things are definitely recognizable even if the tribulation isn't and of course you have to figure this, too, that even if we don't recognize the signs, yet, there are still times in history when you can say He couldn't come because there is no tribulation. Dr. MacRae--you mean, then, that even if you