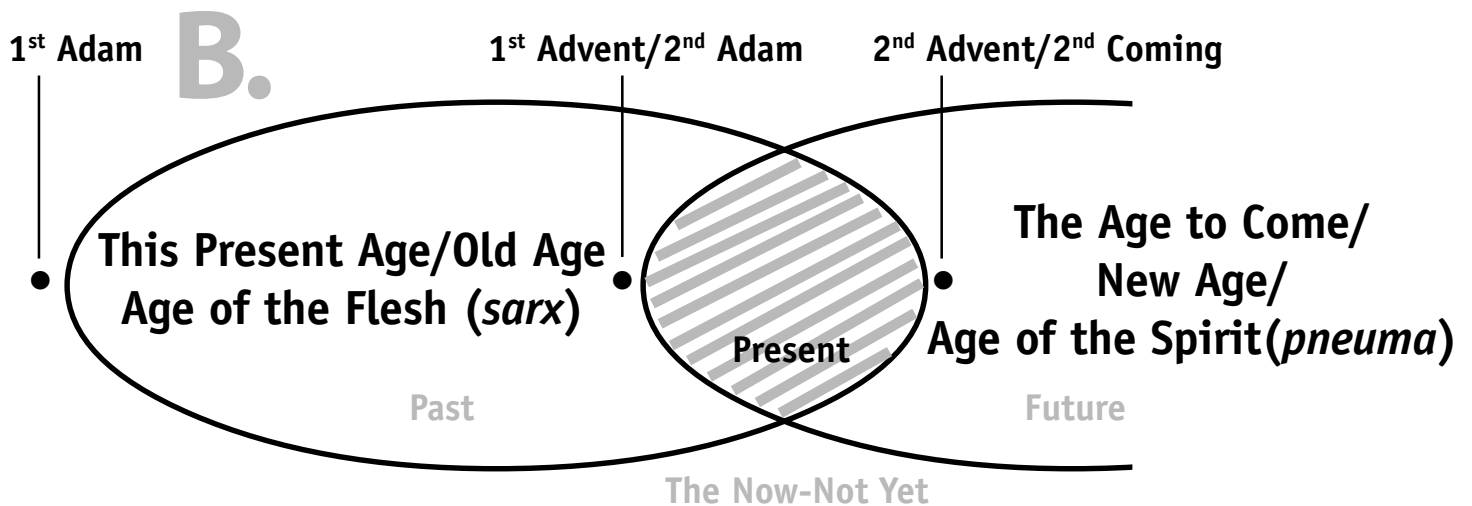
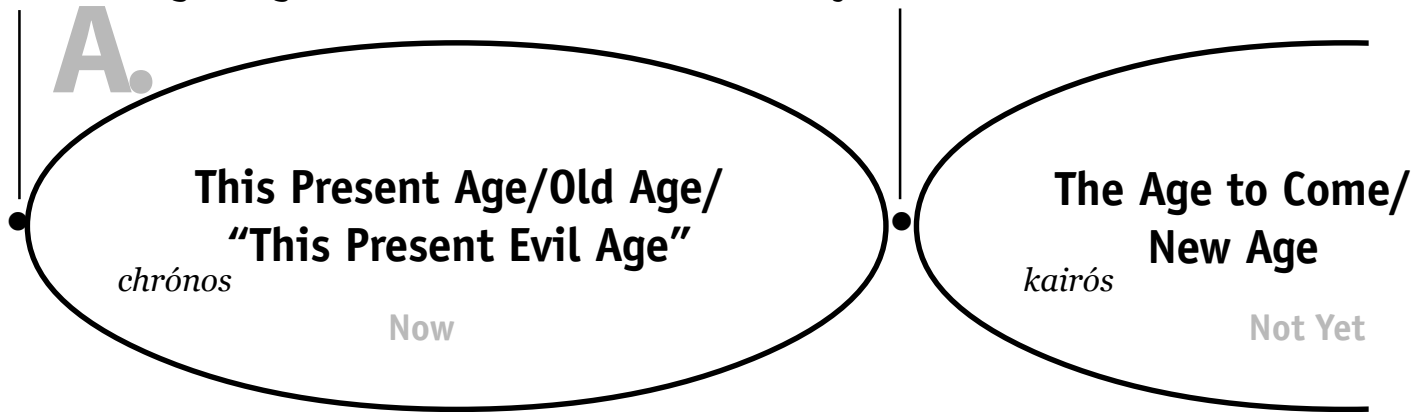


"How Will God Act in History to Save His People?"

"In the beginning..."

OT Day of the Lord



C. Another Example: Paul's Letter to the Romans

Life in the Old Age/Aeon

- Law, sin, wrath, death
- People of Promise/Israel as Chosen (old covenant)
- ABRAHAM: anticipation of coming age: faith, hope
- Reality of evil and suffering in this age

Life in the New Age/Aeon

- Faith, hope, life, reconciliation
- The inauguration of the Kingdom
- Cross as the doorway
- CHURCH: People of Promise (new covenant)
- Anticipation of Kingdom coming in its fullness
- Presence of the Spirit

Life with God in Fullness

- Final defeat of evil and suffering
- Resurrection and judgment
- God's visible rule
- Eternal life in the Kingdom