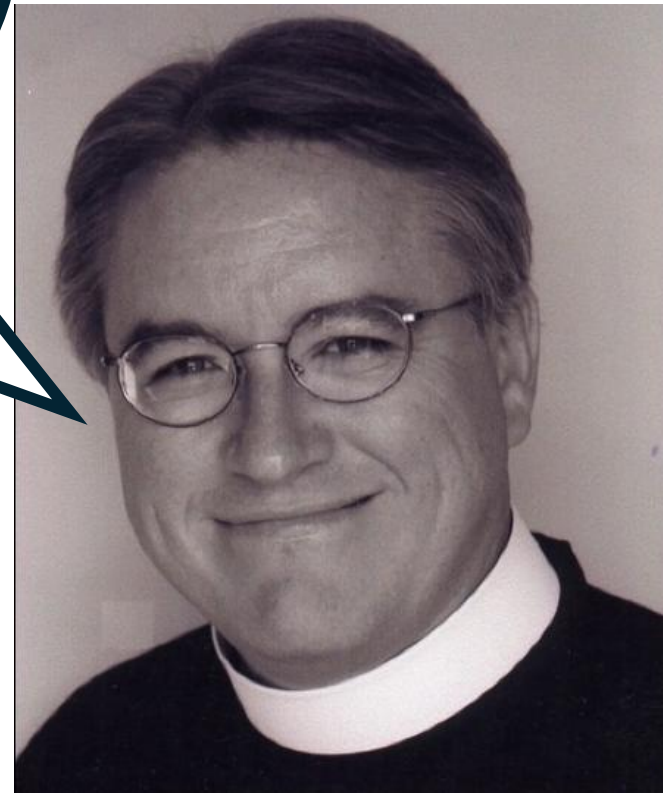


The Revelation

Background: Part 2

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A service that comes with this study...I will serve as your personal buyer/shopper. Here are some products that will enhance your study of Revelation



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APOCALYPSE



Apocalypse is a complex fragrance based on olfactory materials detailed in The Book Of Revelation as it appears in the King James Bible first published in 1611. We established our list of terms from the book and then worked in collaboration with perfumer Euan McCall to develop this chemical depiction of biblical end times.



SMELL OF THE APOCALYPSE

A fragrance **recently released by Thomson & Craighead** is described as "a complex fragrance based on olfactory materials detailed in The Book of Revelation as it appears in the King James Bible first published in 1611."

Some of those materials:

Thunder, blood, hail and fire, the creatures of the sea that have died, wormwood, a rod of iron, the opened earth, a grievous sore, the blood of a dead man, every living soul [who has] died in the sea, plagues, wine of her fornication, animal horns, filthiness of her fornication, blood of the martyrs of Jesus, flesh burned with fire, [and] a lake which burneth with fire and brimstone.



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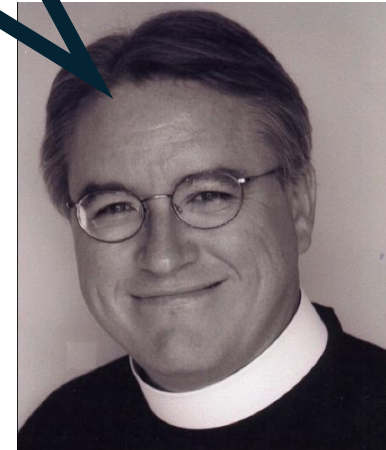
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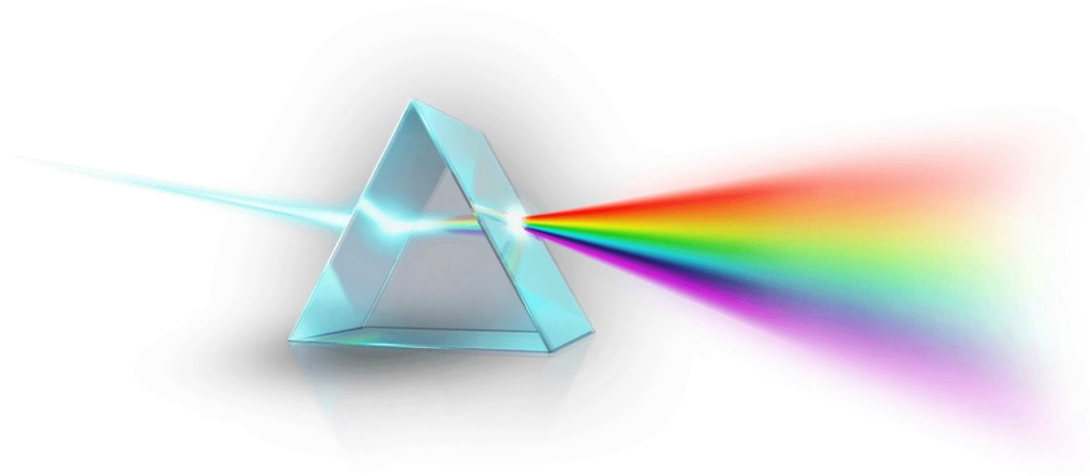
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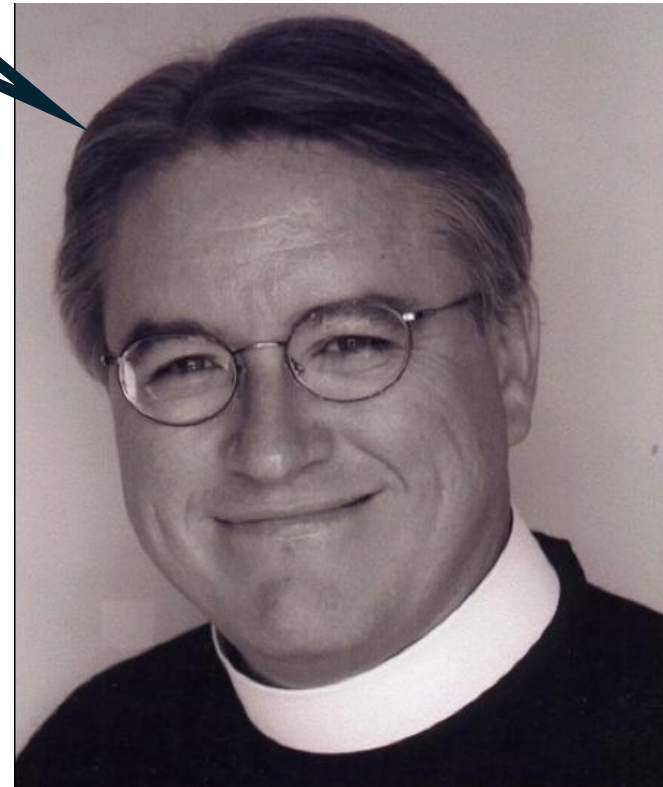


God
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layers





One thing I've
learned is...



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• **Apocalyptic literature**

- Dreams
- Visions
- Fantastical beasts, creatures
- Colors
- Number games
- Cyclical (chiastic)

- First century AD Jews loved this genre
 - Sibylline Oracles
 - 1 Enoch
 - 2 Baruch

Secondly...

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- *“Scholars estimate that as many as 278 of the 404 verses in Revelation contain some kind of reference to the OT and that there are over 500 allusions to the OT in total.”* – Douglas Van Dorn, Rings of Revelation, p. 43
- *“The book of Revelation contains a massive volume of OT... echoes, allusions, and types exceeding 1,000.”* – AI Overview

- John never does what Jesus and Paul do – cite Scripture to expound it
- John writes ***with*** Scripture rather than ***about*** it
- It is the most ‘***Old Testamentest***’ book in the New Testament
- The following slides are a *far-from-complete* list of OT references, allusions

Genesis

- Creation – 1
- Adam & Eve – 2
- Garden – 2:8
- Tree of Life – 2:9
- Serpent and Eve – 3:1-7
- Rainbow – 9:13-16
- Babel – 11:1-8
- Abraham beyond river – 11-12

Revelation

- Sevens – 2-3; 6:1-8:4; 8:6-11:18; 16:1-21
- Son of Man & Bride – 1:13; 21:1-8
- Paradise – 2:7
- Tree of Life – 2:7
- Dragon & Woman – 12:1-5
- Rainbow – 4:3; 10:1
- Babylon – 14:8, 17-18
- Army from Euphrates – 9:14

Genesis

- Sodom – 18-19
- Judah a lion – 49:9

Revelation

- Sodom – 11:8
- Lion of Judah – 5:5

Exodus

- I Am – 3:14
- Plagues – 5-11
- River to blood – 7:19
- Frogs 8:1-13
- Hail – 9:18-35
- Locusts – 10:1-20
- Passover Lamb – 12
- Bitter Water – 15:23-25
- Sea dried up – 14:21-22
- Song of Moses - 15

Revelation

- I Am – 1:8,7; 22:13,16
- Plagues 15:1
- Water to blood – 8:8-9
- Frogs – 16:13
- Hail – 8:7; 16:21
- Locusts – 9:1-11
- Lamb – 5:6
- Poison water – 8:10-11
- River dried – 16:12
- Song of Moses – 15:1-4

Exodus

- Manna – 16:1-36
- Eagle wings – 19:4
- Kingdom of priests – 19:6
- Thunder and lightning – 19:16
- God the Creator – 20:11
- Tabernacle – 25-31
- Ark of the Covenant – 25:10-22

Revelation

- Manna – 2:17
- Eagle wings – 12:14
- Kingdom and priests – 1:6; 5:10; 20:6
- Thunder and lightning – 4:5; 8:5; 16:18
- God the Creator – 10:6
- Spread tabernacle – 7:15
- Ark of the Covenant – 11:19

Exodus

- Bronze altar – 27:1-8
- Golden altar – 30:1-10
- Lampstand – 25:31-35
- Priestly robes – 28

- Golden calf – 32
- Tabernacle filled with glory – 40:34, 35

Revelation

- Altar – 6:9
- Golden altar – 8:3
- 7 lampstands – 1:12
- Jasper – 4:3
- Name on forehead – 7:3
- Gemstones 21:19,20
- Image of the Beast – 13
- Temple filled with smoke – 15:8

Leviticus

- Blood of sin offering – 4:18, 25
- Coals and incense – 16:12
- Burning of priest's harlot daughter – 21:9
- Lamb with first sheaf – 23:9-12
- Priests trim lampstands – 24:1-9

Revelation

- Souls under altar – 6:9-11
- Coals and incense – 8:5
- Burning of Babylon – 17:6
- Lamb ascended – 5:5
- Jesus among lampstands – 1:13

Leviticus 23

- Sabbath
- Passover, Unleavened
- First sheaf
- Pentecost

- Trumpets
- Atonement
- Tabernacles

Revelation

- “Lord’s Day” – 1:10
- Seven messages – 2, 3
- Ascension of Lamb – 4,5
- Opening of book, fire – 6,7

- Trumpets – 8-15
- Blood – 16-18
- Marriage feast – 19-22

Numbers

- Balaam and Balak – 22-25
- Numbering the tribes – 1:26
- Inspection of jealousy test – 5:1-31

Revelation

- Balaam and Balak – 2:14
- Numbering 144,000 – 7:1-8
- Eating the book – 10:8-11

Deuteronomy

- Curses – 28
- City of palms – 34:3
- Avenges servants – 32:43

Revelation

- Trumpets and bowls – 8-11; 16
- Palm branches – 7:9
- Avenges saints – 19:2

Joshua

- Joshua with book – 1:8
- Fall of Jericho - 6

Revelation

- Lamb with book – 5:6-7
- Fall of Babylon – 17-18

Judges

- Megiddo – 5:19

Revelation

- Har-Magedon – 16:16

Samuel

- David

Revelation

- Lion of Judah – 5:5

Kings

- Pillars in the Temple – I Ki. 7:15-22
- 666 – I Ki. 10:14
- Jezebel – I Ki. 16 - II Ki. 9
- Shut up the sky – I Ki. 17:1
- 7000 – I Ki. 19:18
- Fall of Jerusalem – II Ki. 25

Revelation

- Pillar in Temple – 3:12
- 666 – 13:18
- Jezebel – 2:20
- Shut up sky – 11:6
- 7000 – 11:13
- Fall of Babylon 17-18

Chronicles

- 24 chief priests – I Chr. 24-25
- Levitical choir – I Chr. 25:1-31
- Temple filled with glory – II Chr. 5:14

Revelation

- 24 Ancient Ones – 4:4
- Heavenly choir – 4-5; 15:1-4
- Temple filled with smoke – 15:8

Esther

- Feast with gifts – 9:22

Revelation

- Feast with gift giving – 11:10

Job

- Satan the accuser – 9:22

Revelation

- Satan – 12:9

Psalms

- Rule with rod – 2:9
- Nations enraged – 2:1-3
- “How long?” – 13:1-2
- Shepherd – Psalm 23:1
- Firstborn, ruler – 89:27
- New song – 96:1
- Idols – 115, 135
- Incense, prayer – 141:2
- Hallelujahs – 146-150

Revelation

- Rule with iron rod – 2:27; 12:5
- Nations enraged – 11:17
- “How long?” – 6:10
- Shepherd – 7:17; 19:15
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- Hallelujah – 19:1-6

Proverbs

- Lady Wisdom and Dame Folly – 7-9

Revelation

- Harlot and Bride – 17, 21

Song of Songs

- *Wasf* of groom – 5:10-16
- Knocking to enter – 5:2
- *Wasf* of bride – 4:1-6; 7:1-9
- Come to me – 8:14

Revelation

- Revealing of Jesus – 1:12-17
- Invitation to Laodicea – 3:20-21
- False bride – 9:1-11; true bride – 21:9-22:5
- Come, Lord Jesus – 22:20

Isaiah

- Pilgrimage of nations – 2:2-4
- Holy, Holy, Holy – 6:3
- 7 gifts of Spirit – 11:2
- Rod of mouth – 11:4
- Sun darkened – 13:10
- Fallen star of Babylon – 14:12
- Fallen is Babylon – 21:9
- Keys – 22:22
- Wipe tears – 25:8

Revelation

- Kings bring treasures – 21:24
- Holy, Holy, Holy – 4:8
- 7 spirits – 4:5; 5:6
- Rod – 19:15
- Sun black – 6:12; 8:12
- Fallen stars – 8:10,11; 9:1-11
- Fallen is Babylon – 14:8
- Keys – 1:18
- Wipe tears – 21:4

Isaiah

- Dragon – 27:1
- Sky rolled like scroll 34:4
- Smoke forever – 34:10
- First and last – 41:4; 44:6
- Do something new – 43:19
- Queen forever – 47:5
- No hunger, thirst, heat – 49:10
- Second Exodus – 40-48
- Nations in Zion's light – 60:3

Revelation

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- Smoke forever – 14:11
- First and last – 1:7; 2:8
- Make things new – 21:5
- Queen forever – 18:7
- No hunger, thirst, heat – 7:16
- Come out! – 18:4
- Nations walk by city's light – 21:24

Isaiah

- Wine press – 63:2
- New heaven and earth – 65:17

Revelation

- Wine press – 19:15
- New heaven and earth – 21:1

Jeremiah

- Fire from mouth – 5:14
- Wine of wrath – 25:15
- Golden cup – 51:7

Revelation

- Fire from mouth – 9:18;
11:5
- Wine of wrath – 14:10
- Golden cup – 17:4

Lamentations

- Treading wine press – 1:15
- Mourning over fallen city – 1:1-22

Revelation

- Treading wine press – 14:19-20
- Mourning over fallen city - 18

Ezekiel

- Throne vision – 1
- The book – 2,3
- Four plagues – 5
- Slain under altar – 6
- Wrath of God – 7
- Seal on foreheads – 9
- Coals from altar – 10
- No more delay – 12
- Eating book – 2
- Measuring the Temple – 40-43

Revelation

- Throne vision – 4
- The book – 5
- Four plagues – 6:1-8
- Slain under altar – 6:9-11
- Wrath of God – 6:12-7
- Seal on foreheads – 7
- Coals from altar – 8
- No more delay – 10:1-7
- Eating book – 10:8-11
- Measuring the Temple – 11:1, 2

Ezekiel

- Jerusalem and Sodom – 16
- Cup of wrath – 23
- Vine of the land 15
- Great Harlot – 16, 23
- Lament over city – 27
- Scavenger's feast – 39
- First resurrection – 37
- Gog and Magog – 38, 39
- New Jerusalem – 40-48
- River of life - 47

Revelation

- Jerusalem and Sodom – 11:8
- Cup of wrath – 14
- Vine of the land 14:18-20
- Great Harlot – 17, 18
- Lament over city – 18
- Scavenger's feast – 19
- First resurrection – 20:4-6
- Gog and Magog – 20:7-9
- New Jerusalem – 21
- River of life - 22

Ezekiel

- Vision of glory – 1-3
- Cherubim – 1:10
- Rainbow – 1:28
- Eat scroll – 3:1
- Marking the mourning – 9
- Harlot Jerusalem – 16;23
- Tyre's goods – 27
- Restored Eden – 36:33-36
- Resurrection – 37:1-14
- Gog and Magog – 38-39

Revelation

- Heavenly liturgy – 4
- Living creatures – 4:7
- Rainbow – 4:3
- Eat book – 10:8-10
- Sealing 144,000 – 7:1-7
- Harlot Babylon – 17-18
- Babylon's goods – 18:11-13
- Holy city – 21:1-22:5
- First resurrection – 20:4-5
- Battle – 20:7-10

Ezekiel

- Scavenger birds – 39:17-20
- Measuring rod – 40:1
- Restored Temple and city – 40-48
- River and tree of life – 47:1-12

Revelation

- Scavenger birds – 19:17-18
- Measuring rod – 11:1; 21:15
- Temple-city from heaven – 21-22
- River and tree of life – 22:1-2

The Throne Vision	Revelation 4	Ezekiel 1
The Book	Revelation 5	Ezekiel 2-3
The Four Plagues	Revelation 6:1-8	Ezekiel 5
The Slain under the Altar	Revelation 6:9-11	Ezekiel 6
The Wrath of God	Revelation 6:12-7	Ezekiel 7
Seal on the Saint's Foreheads	Revelation 7	Ezekiel 9
The Coals from the Altar	Revelation 8	Ezekiel 10
No More Delay	Revelation 10:1-7	Ezekiel 12
Eating the Book	Revelation 10:8-11	Ezekiel 2
Measuring the Temple	Revelation 11:1,2	Ezekiel 40-43
Jerusalem and Sodom	Revelation 11:8	Ezekiel 16
Cup of Wrath	Revelation 14	Ezekiel 23
Vine of the Land	Revelation 14:18-20	Ezekiel 15
The Great Harlot	Revelation 17-18	Ezekiel 16, 23
Lament over the City	Revelation 18	Ezekiel 27
The Scavenger's Feast	Revelation 19	Ezekiel 39
The First Resurrection	Revelation 20:4-6	Ezekiel 37
Gog and Magog	Revelation 20:7-9	Ezekiel 38-39
The New Jerusalem	Revelation 21	Ezekiel 40-48
The River of Life	Revelation 22	Ezekiel 47

Daniel

- Imperial statue – 2:36-45
- King of kings – 2:37
- Head and white hair – 7:9
- Coming on clouds – 7:13-14
- Son of Man – 7:13
- Beasts from sea – 7:1-8

- Glory, dominion, kingdom – 7:14
- Stars fall – 8:10
- Michael – 10:13, 21; 12:1
- Sealed book – 12:4

Revelation

- Jesus's bronze feet – 1:15
- King of kings – 17:14; 19:16
- Head and white hair – 1:14
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- Sealed book - 5:1; 10:4

Hosea

- Courting the wayward bride – 1-3
- Mountains fall – 10:8

Revelation

- Wayward bride in wilderness – 17-18
- Mountains fall – 6:16

Joel

- Locusts – 1-2
- Moon to blood – 2:31

Revelation

- Locust/scorpions – 9:1-11
- Moon to blood – 6:12

Jonah

- Sea monster - 2

Revelation

- Beast from the sea – 13:1-2

Habakkuk

- Lord rides out with a bow –
3:8-15

Revelation

- White horse rider with bow
– 6:1-2

Zephaniah

- Day of Yahweh – 1:14-18

Revelation

- Great day of God Almighty – 16:14

Haggai

- Shaking heaven and earth
– 2:6-7

Revelation

- Earthquakes – 6:12; 8:5;
11:13, 19; 16:18

Zechariah

- Horses – 1:8-11; 6:1-8
- Woman wickedness – 5:5-11
- Joshua and Satan – 3
- Lampstands and trees – 4:1-14
- Conversation with angel – 4:5, 13
- Tribes mourn – 12:10
- Megiddo – 12:11
- Holy city – 14:1-21

Revelation

- 4 Horsemen – 6:1-6
- Harlot city – 17-18
- Woman and Satan – 12:1-6
- 2 witnesses as lampstands, trees – 11:4
- Conversation with angel – 7:13-14
- Tribes mourn – 1:7
- Har-Magedon – 16:16
- Holy city – 21-22

- Revelation is also at home in the NT. It is full of Jesus
- It shares phrases, themes, terms, and teachings of the NT

Matthew

- Jesus's face like sun – 17:8
- Millstone into sea – 18:6
- Mountain into sea – 21:21
- Blood of saints – 23:30
- Great tribulation – 24:21
- Stars fall – 24:29

Revelation

- Jesus's face like sun – 1:16; 10:1
- Millstone in sea – 18:21
- Mountain into sea – 8:8
- Blood of saints – 18:24
- Great tribulation – 7:14
- Stars fall – 6:13

It is impossible to exaggerate the importance of this next slide

Study this with some intent. It will be an insight of the material that will transform your understanding of The Revelation

The Olivet Discourse

Passages

- Matthew 24:3-5; Mark 13:5-9,12,13; Luke 21:8,12,16-19; Revelation 2-3 **The Seven Letters** (Deuteronomy 28:15,45,58)
- Matthew 24:6-8; Mark 13:7,8; Luke 21:9-11; Revelation 4-7 **The Seven Seals** (Deuteronomy 28:15-42, 53-57)
- Matthew 24:14-27; Mark 13:10, 14-22; Luke 21:13,14,22,24; Revelation 8-14 **The Seven Trumpets** (Deuteronomy 28:64-68)
- Matthew 24:28-31; Mark 13:24,26,27; Luke 21:20-28; Revelation 15-22 **The Seven Bowls** (Deuteronomy 28:30,49,52,62)

Events

- **False prophets, persecution, lawlessness, love grown cold**
- **Wars, famines, earthquake**
- **Church's witness, flight into wilderness, Great Tribulation, the False prophets**
- **Darkening of the Kingdom, destruction of the Harlot, gathering the eagles/vultures over Jerusalem, gathering the Church into the Kingdom**

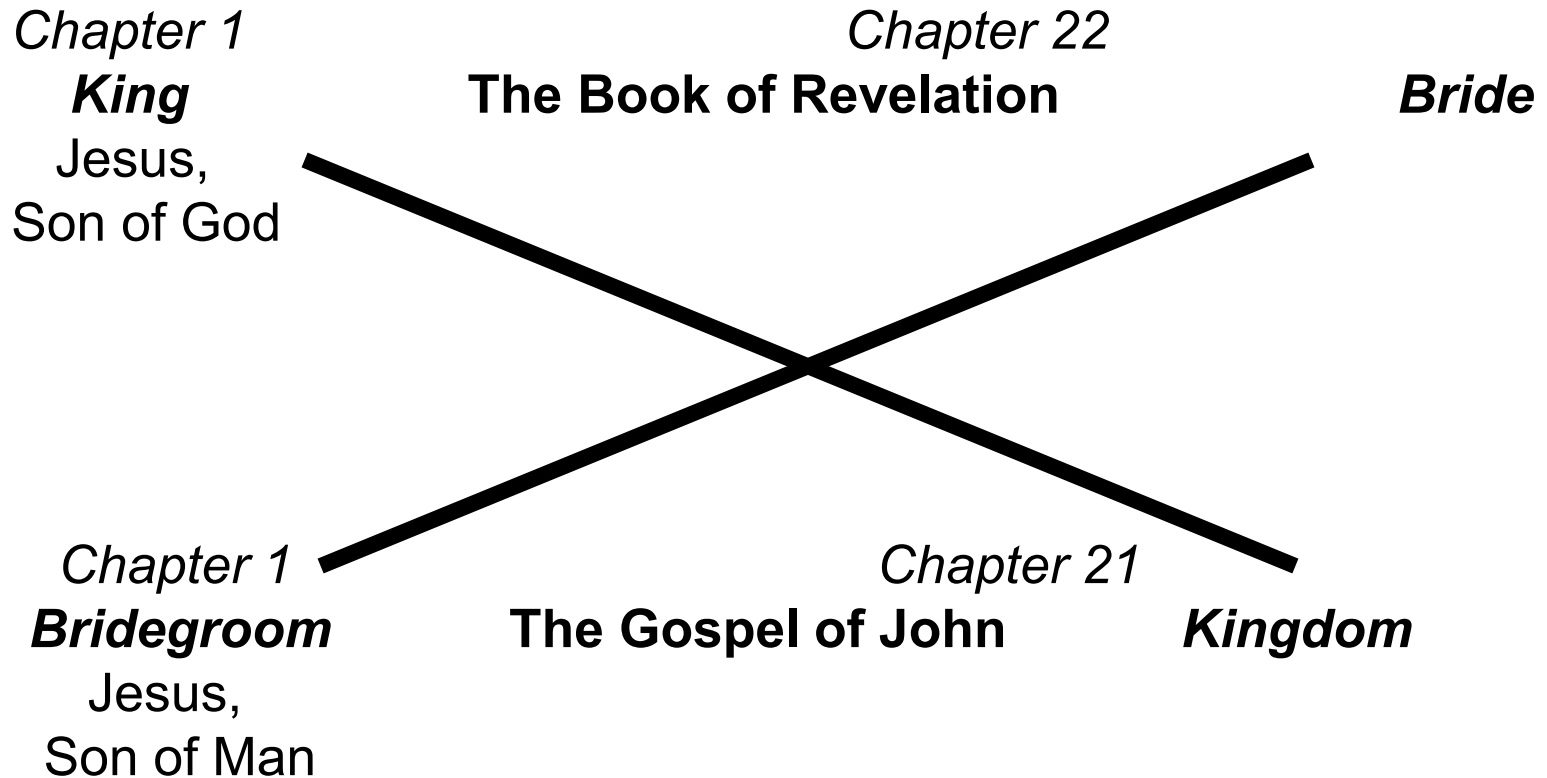
John

- Word of God – 1:1-14
- Word tabernacled – 1:14
- John the Baptist – 1:6-8
- “I Am” – 6:35; 8:12, 58
- Ruler of this world cast out – 12:31-32
- Woman in travail – 16:21
- “It is finished” – 19:28-30

Revelation

- Word of God – 19:13
- God tabernacled – 21:3
- Witnessed, witness – 1:2
- “I Am” – 1:8, 17; 22:13, 16
- Satan cast out – 12:9
- Woman in travail – 12:1-2
- Mystery finished – 10:7

The John-Revelation Chiastic Arrangement



Acts

- Into heaven in a cloud – 1:9

Revelation

- Ascend in cloud – 11:12

I Corinthians

- Meat sacrificed to idols –
8, 10

Revelation

- Meat sacrificed to idols -
2:20

Thessalonians

- Like a thief – I The. 5:2

Revelation

- Like a thief – 16:15

Hebrews

- Sword of the Spirit – 4:12

Revelation

- Sword – 1:16; 2:12

Peter

- Like a thief – II Pet. 3:10

Revelation

- Like a thief – 16:15

James

- Crown of life – 1:12

Revelation

- Crown of life – 2:10

Jude

- Michael – 1:9

Revelation

- Michael – 12:7

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Hittite Treaty

Turkey, Hittite (1300 BC)

This Hittite treaty details the suzerain-vassal relationship between Muwattalli II of Hatti, king of the Hittites, and Alakshandu of Wilusa. Treaties like this one were extremely common in the ancient Near East and appear to have influenced the composition of the book of Deuteronomy— all the basic components of a vassal treaty are present and follow the basic structure of a treaties written during this time period.



The **treaties** follow a prescribed form

- ***Preamble*** – identifying the king; emphasizing his greatness and presence
- ***Historical prologue*** – surveys the previous relationship
- ***Ethical stipulations*** – establishes the vassals obligations
- ***Sanctions*** – a curse/blessing formulary
- ***Succession arrangements*** – deals with the future relationship of the covenant

- Transcendence
- Historical preamble
- Ethical stipulations
- Oaths
- Succession arrangements

- **T**ranscendence
- **H**istorical preamble
- **E**thical stipulations
- **O**aths
- **S**uccession arrangements

• **Deuteronomy**

- Transcendence – 1:1-5
- Historical prologue – 1:6-4:49
- Ethical stipulations – 5:1-26:19
- Oaths – 27:1- 30:20
- Succession arrangements – 31:1- 34:12

- **Hosea**

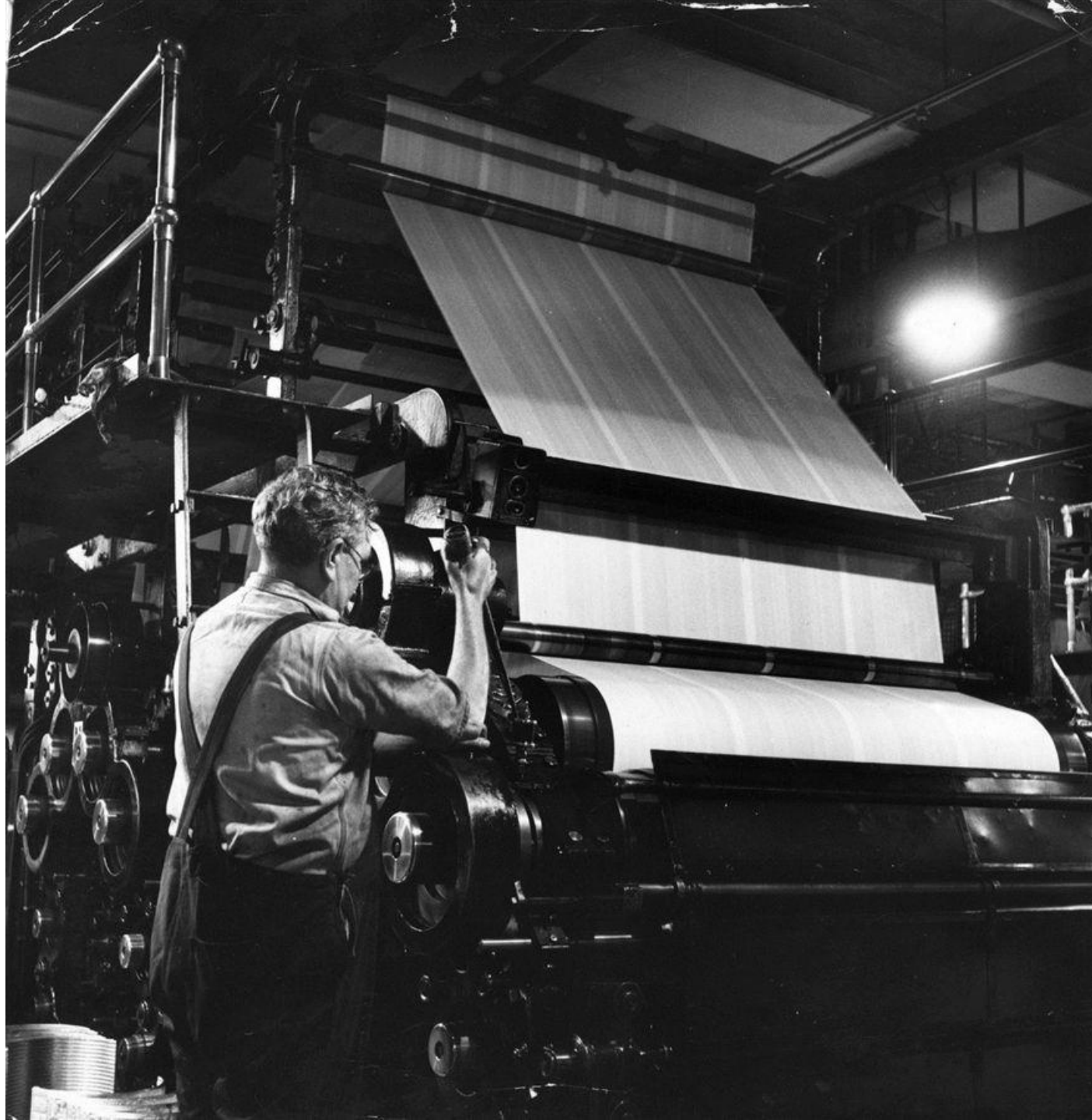
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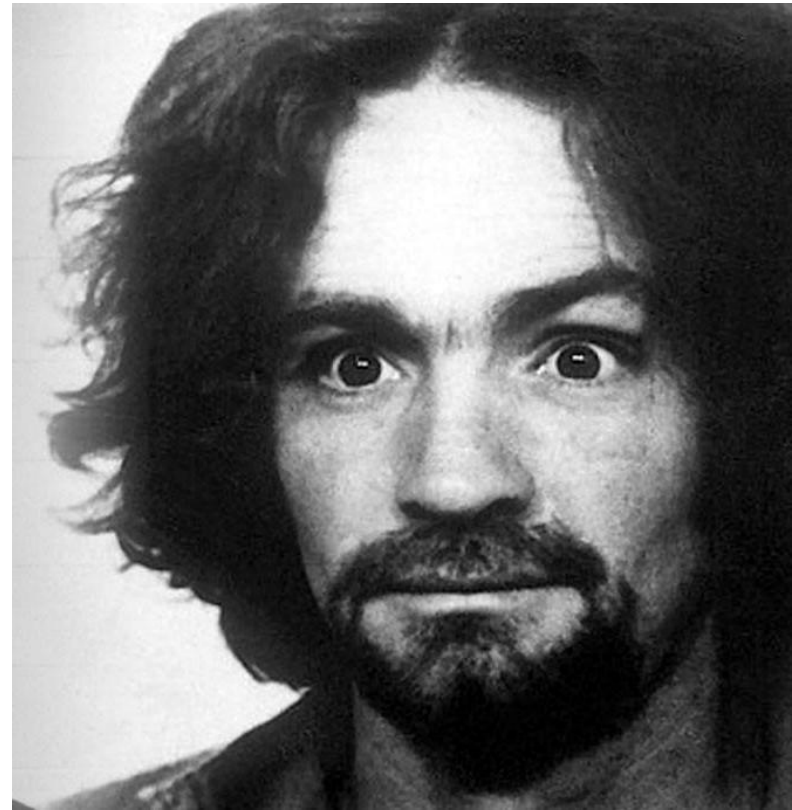
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- Revelation has been the Bible book that has captured the imagination of generations of people...often with bad results



• Revelation 9

- ‘*Son of Man*’ = Manson
- ‘*locusts*’ = Beatles
- ‘*women’s hair*’ = mop tops
- ‘*breastplates of iron*’ = guitars
- ‘*scorpion*’ – November 12, 1934 – Scorpio
- The White album = white supremacy
- ‘*Revolution 9*’ = Revelation
- ‘*Helter Skelter*’ = *Healter Skelter*

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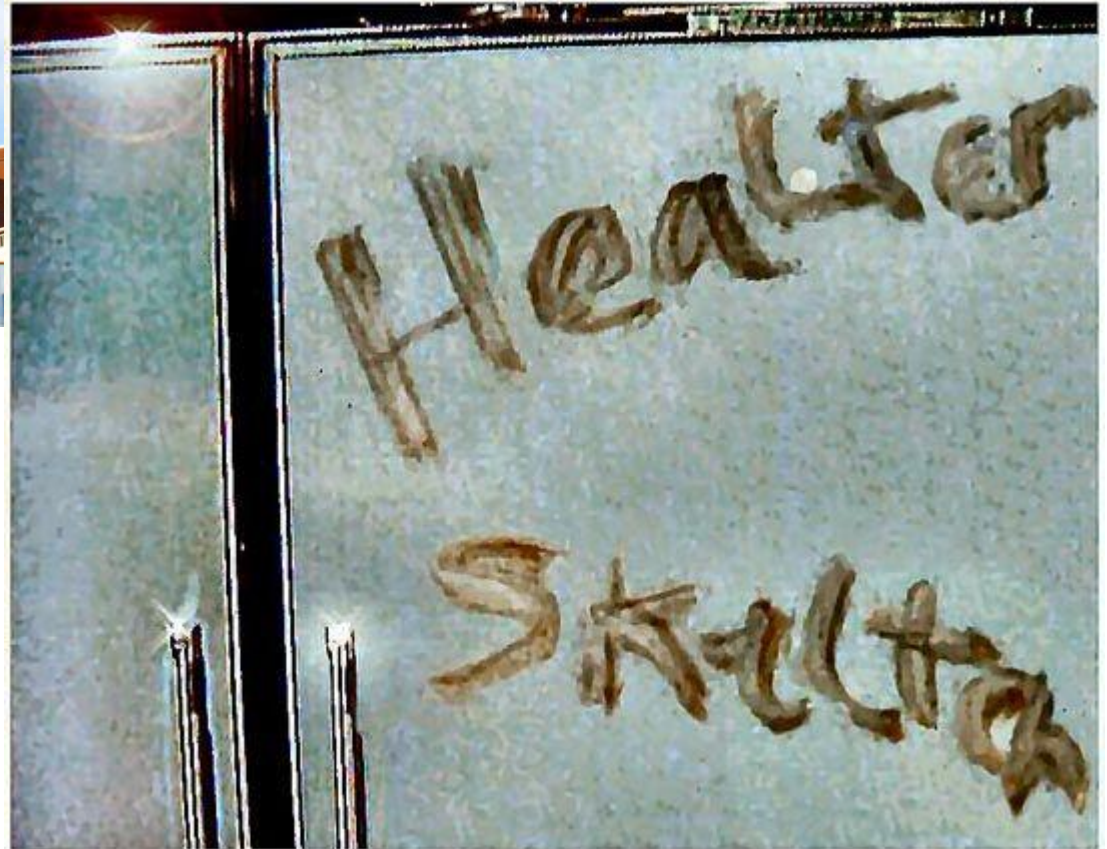
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Leno and Rosemary LaBianca

Revelation 22:10-11

¹⁰ Then he told me, “Do not seal up the words of the prophecy of this scroll, because the time is near. ¹¹ Let the one who does wrong continue to do wrong; let the vile person continue to be vile; let the one who does right continue to do right; and let the holy person continue to be holy.”

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- Symbolical
- Liturgical









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He made so many of
them





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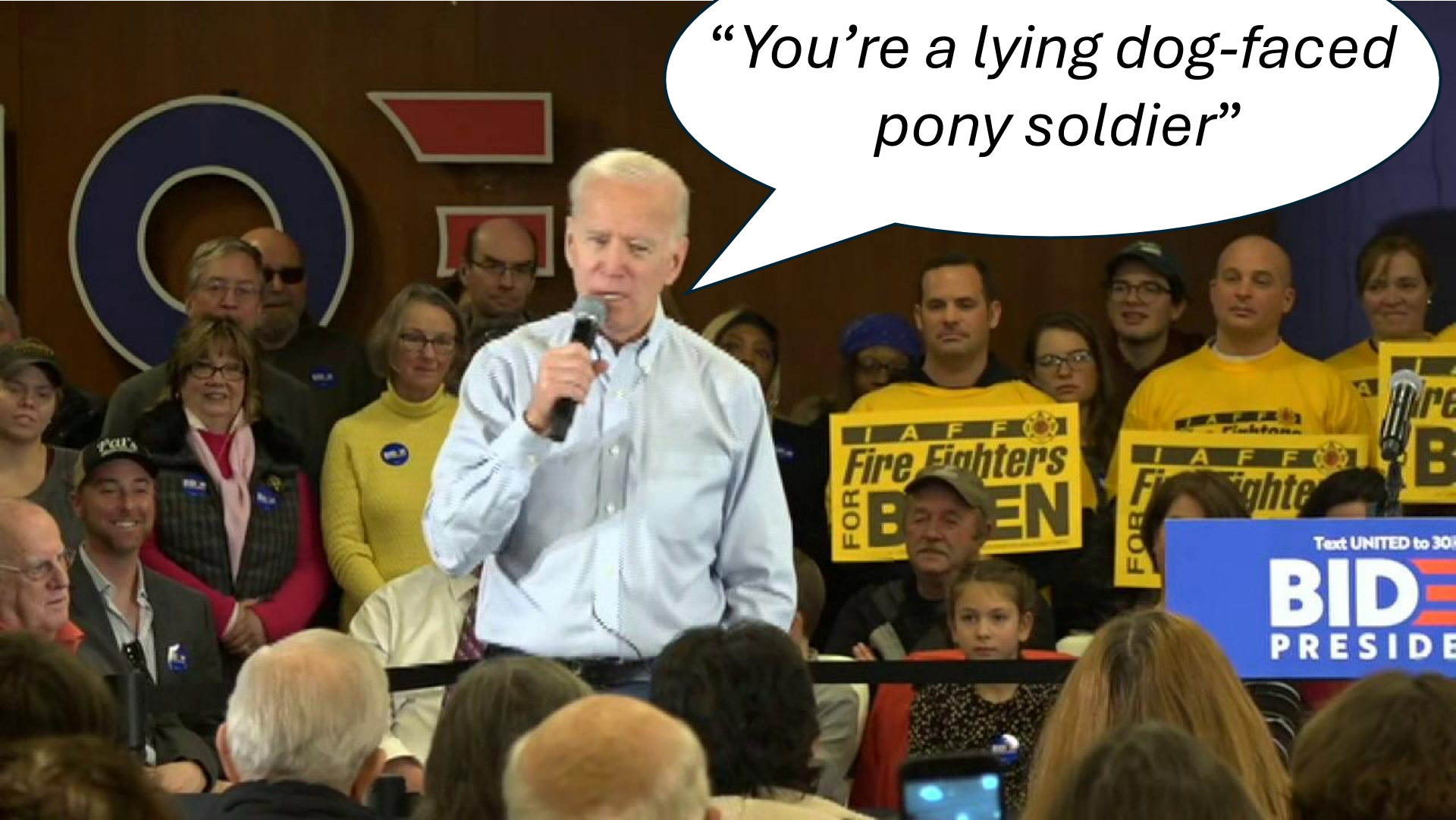


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- In Revelation 1:1 John wrote: “**He *made it known...***”
 - The word ‘*made*’ is ‘*esemanen*’ and it literally means ‘signified’ or ‘symbolized’
 - This is a book written in a language called ‘symbol’
 - Symbols are visual prompts that point to other, different realities
 - John used the word ‘*semeion*’ in his gospel to describe the seven miracles that Jesus worked

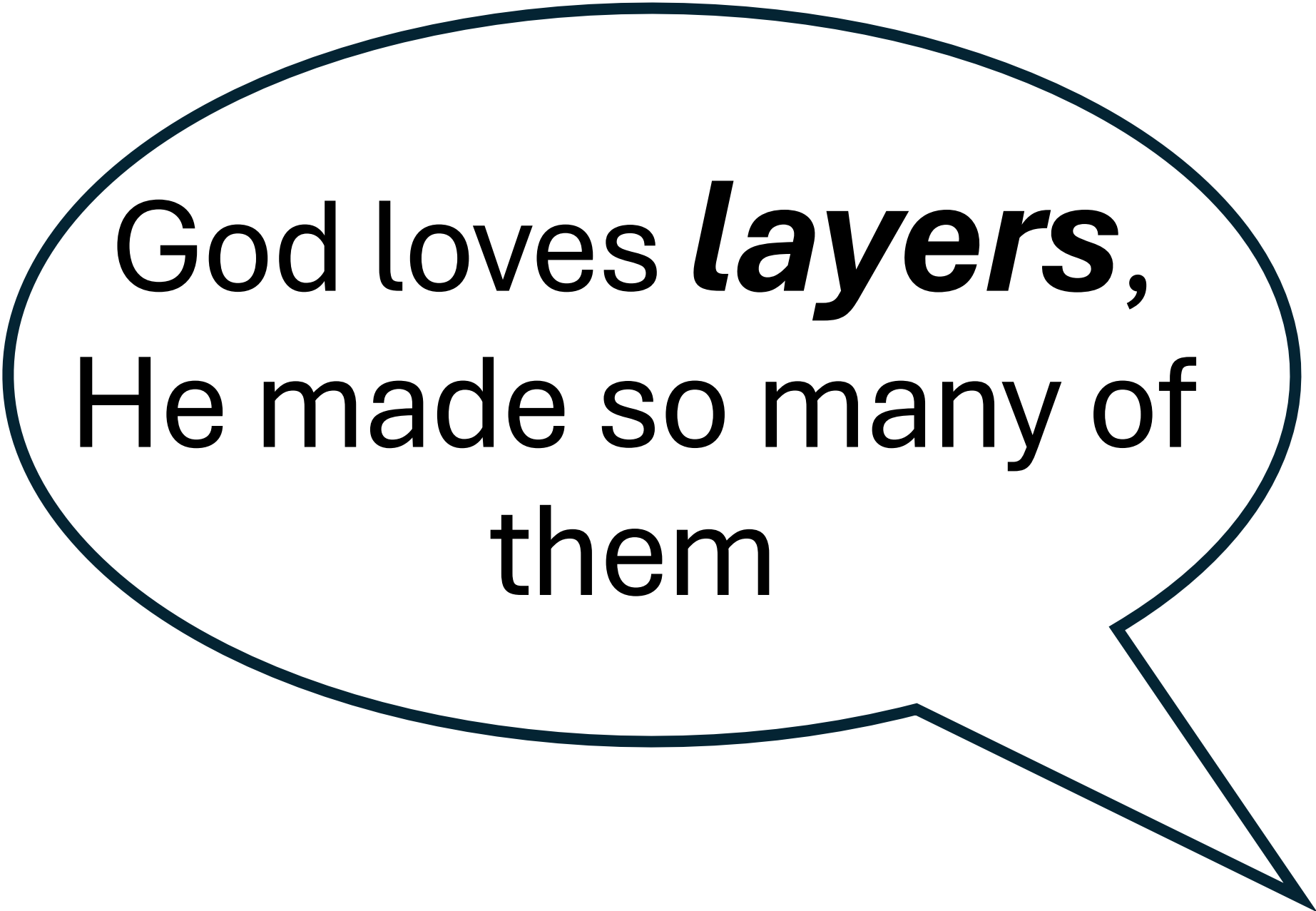
“You’re a lying dog-faced pony soldier”







- There is a real *referent* to that phrase
- In what sense is she a liar, dog-faced, and a pony soldier?
- Is Biden using a literal or figurative insult?



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- Liturgical refers to orderly worship
- Read Revelation 1:3; 4:1, 2, 9
- A topic we'll discuss in future classes is astronomy/zodiac references in Revelation



- Zodiac is not an occultic practice
- Read Genesis 1:14; Job 38:31-33
- The word ‘zodiac’ means ‘circle’ – it is the path that the sun takes in a year; through the 12 signs or constellations
- Jesus is compared to the sun – Psalm 19:4-6; Malachi 4:2; Luke 1:78;

- The liturgy of the Church follows the calendar
- For instance –
 - There are 50 sections in Revelation
 - The ox/bull is prominent in Revelation 1-3
 - The lion in 4-7
 - The eagle in 8-14
 - The man in 15-22



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More Proverbs of Solomon

25 These also are proverbs of Solomon
which the men of Hezekiah king of
Judah copied.

2 It is the glory of God to conceal things,
but the glory of kings is to search things
out.

3 As the heavens for height, and the earth for
depth,

23 so the heart of kings is unsearchable.

4 Take away the dross from the silver,
and the smith has material for a vessel.