All verses are copied from https://biblehub.com/ in King James.

November 7, 2021

Before we begin let's take a look at some headlines, and some of the players of today as it may relate to Revelation and current events?

Some of these I sent out from JD Farag Prophecy update from last Sunday October 31, 2021.

1. "- Video: "China's Nightmarish New Bio Weapon Targets Race and Ethnicity"

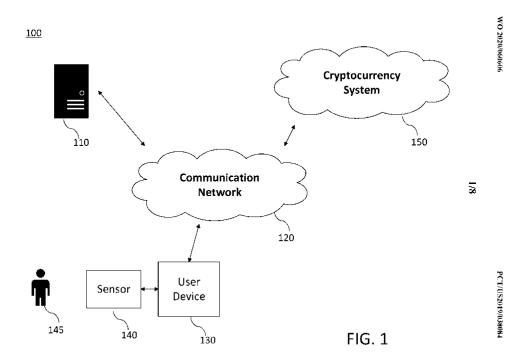
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=biNxl7tiVSY"

Precision Medicine:

The vision was to create a virus that can be spread within the human population easily and bring about the need for a vaccine. A case has been made that the vaccine process was created and patented by Bill Gates through his Microsoft Corp and Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation.

These are pulled exactly from the patent application form submitted by Bill Gates; Microsoft Corp in 2019. If you search the idea that Gates has any patents on virus vaccines, you will find total denial online. You must dig deeper and connect the dots

that are out there. Reading what Bill Gates claims he says that there is nowhere found any injection of any bio-chips that would generate feedback.



1. WO2020060606 - CRYPTOCURRENCY SYSTEM USING BODY ACTIVITY DATA

CLAIMS

1. A cryptocurrency system, comprising: one or more processors; and memory storing executable instructions that, if executed by the one or more processors, configure the cryptocurrency system to: communicate with a device of a user; receive body activity data which is generated based on body activity of the user, wherein the body activity is sensed

by a sensor communicatively coupled to or comprised in the device of the user; verify if the body activity data of the user satisfies one or more conditions set by the cryptocurrency system; and award cryptocurrency to the user whose body activity data is verified.

- 2. The system of claim 1, wherein the body activity sensed by the sensor comprises at least one of body radiation emitted from the user, body fluid flow, a brain wave, pulse rate or body heat radiation.
- 3. The system of claim 1, wherein the one or more conditions are set based on an amount of human body activity associated with a task which is provided to the device of the user.
- 4. The system of one of claims 1-3, wherein the body activity data is generated using a hash algorithm converting human body activity into an encryption output, and the generated body activity data comprises a hash of the sensed body activity of the user.
- 5. The system of one of claims 1-3, wherein the body activity data comprises one or more vectors produced from the body activity sensed by the sensor.
- 6. The system of one of claims 1-3, wherein the cryptocurrency system awards the cryptocurrency to the user by generating a block for the awarded cryptocurrency and adding the block to a blockchain stored in the cryptocurrency system.
- 7. The system of claim 6, wherein the block comprises data comprising:

a task provided to the device of the user;

information on the awarded cryptocurrency;

a hash associated with the body activity; and

a hash of a previous block.

8. The system of claim 3, wherein the task provided to the device of the user comprises a test for verifying if the user of the device is human or not.

9. The system of claim 4, wherein the cryptocurrency system is configured to:

receive, from the device of the user, data of the body activity generated before the hash algorithm is applied and the hash of the body activity;

rehash the data of the body activity; and

compare the rehashed data with the hash of the body activity received from the device of the user to verify the body activity data.

10. A computer-implemented method, comprising:

receiving, by a device of a user coupled to a network, a task over the network; sensing, by a sensor communicatively coupled to or comprised in the device of the user, body activity of the user;

generating body activity data based on the sensed body activity of the user;

verifying, by a cryptocurrency system communicatively coupled to the device of the user, if the body activity data satisfies one or more conditions set by the

cryptocurrency system; and

awarding, by the cryptocurrency system, cryptocurrency to the user whose body activity data is verified.

- 11. The method of claim 10, wherein the body activity sensed by the sensor comprises at least one of body radiation emitted from the user, body fluid flow, a brain wave, pulse rate or body heat radiation.
- 12. The method of claim 10, wherein the one or more conditions are set by the cryptocurrency system based on an amount of human body activity associated with the task provided to the device of the user.
- 13. The method of one of claims 10-12, wherein the body activity data is generated using a hash algorithm converting human body activity into an encryption output, and the

generated body activity data comprises a hash of the sensed body activity of the user.

- 14. The method of one of claims 10-12, wherein the body activity data comprises one or more vectors produced from the body activity sensed by the sensor.
- 15. The method of claim 13, further comprising:

receiving, by the cryptocurrency system, from the device of the user, data of the body activity generated before the hash algorithm is applied and the hash of the body activity;

rehashing, by the cryptocurrency system, the data of the body activity; and comparing, by the cryptocurrency system, the rehashed data with the hash of the body activity received from the device of the user to verify the body activity data.

Kushi baby program in India. See attached

- 2. From Gordon Chang, Nov 2, 2021 "China's 'Satellite Crusher': 'Space Pearl Harbor' Is Coming"
- Over 10,000 Active-Duty Air Force Personnel Not Vaccinated by Deadline; No religious accommodation requests have been granted yet By <u>Zachary Stieber</u> and <u>Li Hai</u> November 3, 2021 Updated: November 4, 2021
- 4. "Be Afraid of Big Banks and Government Seeking to Direct Businesses and Personal Financial Decisions" H. Sterling Burnett November 4, 2021

From, "Be Afraid of Big Banks and Government seeking to

Direct Business and Personal Finance Decisions":

(ESG) Environmental Social Governance

"One of the subtlest and most perfidious paths through which the cabal of elitist activists, industrial and commercial interests, and national and international politicians and bureaucrats are trying to "reset" capitalism to prioritize "woke" social justice and green priorities is through the co-opting and takeover of global capital markets: banks, insurance, and stock and bond trading and investment.

"Big financial institutions such as Bank of America and Mastercard, investment managers such as BlackRock and Vanguard, and hundreds of corporations are going all-in to push environmental, social, and governance (ESG) metrics.

These powerful institutions would have ESG metrics replace capitalization, revenue, profits, and profit margins as the new way of evaluating businesses."

(ESG) stands for Environmental Social Governance.

Klaus Schwab, a name to remember and watch, authored an essay on the 4th Industrial revolution. It is about melding humanity and machine or artificial intelligence (AI). Its goals are eternal life without God, environmentalism, and

socialism. It is Satanic in my opinion and lends itself to the making of the Beast discussed later in Revelation.

This is from an article

Ernst Stavro Blohfeld...Er... Klaus Schwab: A Family History

July 4, 2021

written by Joseph P Farrell.

"This remarkable article was spotted and shared by E.V.H., but before we get to it, a little background. Regular readers here may recall that some weeks ago I blogged about Klaus Schwab, the perpetually scowling figure who heads the World Economic Forum.

I noted at the time that Schwab seemed very much like the character of Dr. Ernst Stavro Blohfeld, the fictitious villain and head of SPECTRE (Special Executive for Counterintelligence, Terrorism, Revenge and Extortion) from the James Bond films."

Whose idea was the Fourth Industrial Revolution and other nefarious ideas?

This from Britannica

https://www.britannica.com/topic/The-Fourth-Industrial-Revolution-2119734

"1. The term "Fourth Industrial Revolution" was coined by Klaus Schwab, the Founder and Executive Chairman of the World Economic Forum.

He wrote in his book of the same name that this coming era, what he called the fourth industrial revolution, is fundamentally different than the previous three. These were the use of water and steam power to mechanize production, the use of electric power to create mass production, and the advent of electronics and information technology to automate production. This new industrial revolution, he argues, will happen at an exponential pace and the new technologies that will be introduced will change society in unpredictable ways.

2. This isn't just about technology.

The technology of today and tomorrow is the platform on which innovation, creativity, and entirely new industries will form.

Technologies like 5G will usher in this new wave of development. 4IR is going to change the way people think, learn, and process information and the environments around them, and that is ultimately the sea change that will make our world look very different...."

Klaus Schwab is also the founder of the World Economic Forum.

Who is Klaus Schwab from Wikapedia

Schwab obtained his <u>Abitur</u> or high school diploma from the Humanistisches Gymnasium in <u>Ravensburg</u>, Germany. In 1961, he graduated as a mechanical engineer from <u>ETH Zurich</u> (the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology), then gained a doctorate in Engineering from ETH Zurich, a doctorate in Economics from the <u>University of Fribourg</u>, and a <u>Master of Public Administration</u> degree from the <u>John F. Kennedy School of Government</u> at <u>Harvard University</u>. While at Harvard, Schwab began what he has described as "the 50-year-long mentorship" by <u>Henry Kissinger</u>.

Klaus Schwad on nuclear weapons technology:

https://www.shiftfrequency.com/ernst-stavro-blohfelderklaus-schwab-a-family-history/

> "It was eventually revealed, thanks to a review and report carried out by the Swiss authorities and a man named Peter Hug, that Sulzer Escher-Wyss began secretly procuring and building key parts for nuclear weapons during the 1960s.

> The company, while Schwab was on the board, also began playing a critical key role in the development of South Africa's illegal nuclear weapons programme during the darkest years of the apartheid regime. Klaus Schwab was a leading figure in the founding of a company culture which

helped Pretoria build six nuclear weapons and partially assemble a seventh. (Boldface emphasis added)"

"The implications here are inescapable, and the article's author, Johnny Vedmore, doesn't shrink from mentioning them:

"In the case of Klaus Schwab himself, it appears that he has helped to launder relics of the Nazi era, i.e. its nuclear ambitions and its population control ambitions, so as to ensure the continuity of a deeper agenda. While serving in a leadership capacity at Sulzer Escher Wyss, the company sought to aid the nuclear ambitions of the South African regime, then the most Nazi adjacent government in the world, preserving Escher Wyss' own Nazi era legacy."

Then, through the World Economic Forum, Schwab has helped to rehabilitate eugenicsinfluenced population control policies during the post-World War II era, a time when the revelations of Nazi atrocities quickly brought the pseudoscience into great disrepute.

Is there any reason to believe that Klaus Schwab, as he exists today, has changed in anyway? Or is he still the public face of a decades-long effort to ensure the survival of a very old agenda?

The last question that should be asked about the real motivations behind the actions of Herr Schwab, may be the most important for the future of humanity: Is Klaus Schwab trying to create the

Fourth Industrial Revolution, or is he trying to create the Fourth Reich?

For my part, readers can already guess the answer, for I've been trying for years to warn people about a post-war "Nazi International," an "extra-territorial state" hiding behind a complex tapestry of corporations, funds, foundations, think tanks, and a bewildering labyrinth of interconnections, all still firmly in the grasp of a hideous ideology."

Again, from Wikapedia:

The World Economic Forum generally suggests that a globalised world is best managed by a self-selected coalition of multinational corporations, governments and civil society organizations (CSOs). [7] It sees periods of global instability – such as the financial crisis and the Covid 19 pandemic – as windows of opportunity to intensify its programmatic efforts. Some critics hence see the Great Reset as a continuation by the World Economic Forum's strategy to focus on connotated activist topics such as environmental protection[8] and social entrepreneurship[9] to disguise the organisation's true plutocratic goals. [10][11][12]

According to <u>The New York Times</u>, [13] the <u>BBC</u>, <u>The Guardian</u>, <u>Le Devoir</u> and <u>Radio Canada</u>, baseless <u>conspiracy theories</u> spread by <u>American far-right</u> groups linked to <u>QAnon</u> surged at the onset of the Great Reset forum and increased in fervor as leaders such as <u>U.S. President Joe Biden</u> and <u>Canadian Prime Minister Justin Trudeau [14] incorporated ideas based on a "reset" in their speeches. [15]</u>

From a Christian web site:

https://www.gardenstatefamilies.org/post/worldview-klaus-schwab-the-most-dangerous-man-in-the-world

"Mr. Schwab writes the following "One of the greatest lessons of the past five centuries in Europe and America is this: acute crisis contribute to boosting the power of the state. It's always been the case, and there is no reason why it should be different with the Covid-19 pandemic." And what better way to do that than with youth activism. According to Mr. Schwab, "youth activism is increasing worldwide, being revolutionized by social media that increases mobilization to an extent that would have been impossible before it. It takes many different forms, ranging from noninstitutionalized political participation to demonstrations and protests, and addresses issues as diverse as climate change, economic reforms, gender equality, and LGBTQ rights. The young generation is firmly at the vanguard of social change. There is little doubt that it will be the catalyst for change and a source of critical momentum for the Great Reset." Here we see the use of digital brown shirts that are mobilized using social media, another mechanism of lies and propaganda, to usher in Mr. Klaus Schwab's agenda."

Mr. Schwab is a die hard communist/socialist. He says one thing that does something completely different. For those insidious folks that believe they can manipulate a crisis to gain more power, it is not a far jump for them to manufacture

the crisis to begin with such as what is called the "Plandemic".

Over the years since becoming a Christian I like most of us had tried to envision what the end times would look like. I envisioned total societal breakdown, chaos, murder rates exploding, government overreach, nations collapsing by terrorist activity, wars and rumors of wars, lies and deceit from everywhere.

Luke 21: 25 And there shall be signs in the sun, and in the moon, and in the stars; and upon the earth distress of nations, with perplexity; the sea and the waves roaring; 26 Men's hearts failing them for fear, and for looking after those things which are coming on the earth: for the powers of heaven shall be shaken. 27 And then shall they see the Son of man coming in a cloud with power and great glory.

28 And when these things begin to come to pass, then look up, and lift up your heads; for your redemption draweth nigh.

The lesson of the Fig Tree

(Matthew 24:32-35; Mark 13:28-31)

29And he spake to them a parable; Behold the fig tree, and all the trees; 30When they now shoot forth, ye see and know of your own selves that summer is now nigh at hand. 31So likewise ye, when ye see these things come to pass, know ye that the kingdom

of God is nigh at hand. <u>32</u>Verily I say unto you, This generation shall not pass away, till all be fulfilled. <u>33</u>Heaven and earth shall pass away: but my words shall not pass away.

Be Watchful

<u>34</u>And take heed to yourselves, lest at any time your hearts be overcharged with surfeiting, (overindulgence, definition from Webster's dictionary) and drunkenness, and cares of this life, and so that day come upon you unawares. <u>35</u>For as a snare shall it come on all them that dwell on the face of the whole earth. <u>36</u>Watch ye therefore, and pray always, that ye may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass, and to stand before the Son of man.

Romans 1: 18For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who hold the truth in unrighteousness: 19Because that which may be known of God is manifest in them; for God hath shewed it unto them. 20For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse: 21Because that, when they knew God, they glorified him not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened. 22Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools, 23And changed the glory of the uncorruptible God into an image made like to corruptible man, and to birds, and fourfooted beasts, and creeping things.

<u>24</u>Wherefore God also gave them up to uncleanness through the lusts of their own hearts, to dishonour their own bodies between themselves: <u>25</u>Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and worshipped

and served the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. Amen.

<u>26</u>For this cause God gave them up unto vile affections: for even their women did change the natural use into that which is against nature: <u>27</u>And likewise also the men, leaving the natural use of the woman, burned in their lust one toward another; men with men working that which is unseemly, and receiving in themselves that recompence of their error which was meet.

<u>28</u>And even as they did not like to retain God in their knowledge, God gave them over to a reprobate mind, to do those things which are not convenient; <u>29</u>Being filled with all unrighteousness, fornication, wickedness, covetousness, maliciousness; full of envy, murder, debate, deceit, malignity; whisperers, <u>30</u>Backbiters, haters of God, despiteful, proud, boasters, inventors of evil things, disobedient to parents, <u>31</u>Without understanding, covenant breakers, without natural affection, implacable, unmerciful: <u>32</u>Who knowing the judgment of God, that they which commit such things are worthy of death, not only do the same, but have pleasure in them that do them.

Now on to Revelation 6:

Revelation 6

Recap of Book of Revelation:

1. Chapter 1: gives a description of John being called by Jesus to write a letter to 7 churches that existed at that time. Those letters also were able to span time from the day John wrote them and the words given him by Jesus

- to this very day in 2021, and beyond until the Rapture happens.
- 2. Chapters 2 4 gives details that only Jesus would know about the inner workings of these churches; the dirty little secrets that these churches tried to hide from the world. Only 2 of the 7 were declared by Jesus to be walking in righteousness and they were barely hanging on. These letters also translated into time periods of church history where in the CHURCH was barely walking or just hanging onto a righteousness but constantly being attacked. The rest of the churches or times are in various states of decay, perhaps the worst being even now the Church of Laodicea or current time of the times of the Gentiles. The Church, big "C" made up of only believers is from here on sequestered in Heaven with Jesus our Lord, until He returns to earth to bind Satan for a thousand years and we come with Him.
- 3. Chapters 5-18 deal with the judgement of mankind staying on earth and for their rejecting of the Messiah the Son of the Living God.
- 4. Chapter 19 the Marriage Supper of the Lamb

- Chapter 20 Satan is bound a thousand years and then the Great White Throne Judgement
- 6. Chapter 21-22 The new heaven and the new earth and eternity without sin.

Chapter 6 reveals the "Seal Judgements" and that they are the inevitable repercussions of man saying, "my will be done not God's Will be done". It describes what happens on earth after the Church is removed along with the Holy Spirit.

In Chapter 5 of Revelation, we had discussed what might be in the scroll that John was so distraught over. No one was found worthy to break the seals of the scroll that God had in his hand. After the search turned up no man worthy to open the scroll then the Lamb of God comes forward being found worthy by TRUTH and by God to break the seals on the scroll and was the only one worthy to redeem what was in it.

We are not told out right but again I think a good case can be made that this is the Title deed to the earth and all of creation within it. We know that Adam was given dominion and title in a sense to the earth in Genesis. Through his and his wife's sin they lost dominion over the earth, and through their being deceived by Satan he was given dominion over the earth.

But how do we know that Satan has this power and authority over the earth and God's creation?

Ephesians 2:2 Wherein in time past ye walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit that now worketh in the children of disobedience:

There are only two kinds of people; those that believe and those that do not.

1 John 5:19 And we know that we are of God, and the whole world lieth in wickedness.

Satan had a conversation with Jesus and confirmed what we believe happened in the Garden, the transferring of the title deed to Satan. Satan tries to get Christ to worship him in exchange for that which was rightfully Jesus's all along, the earth and mankind.

Luke 4:6 And the devil said unto him, All this power will I give thee, and the glory of them: for that is delivered unto me; and to whomsoever I will I give it.

God held onto the Title Deed to keep it safe but due to God's nature of unyielding honor it was granted to Satan to take

dominion over the earth. That Title Deed would remain in the only place in all of creation that was safe, in the presence of God Himself. One day to be presented to the only one worthy to break its seals and redeem the Earth and all of Creation within it.

Satan had and still has the power of the Deed until the Messiah steps forward to claim ownership. And Satan has and will use his power against those who love God.

Remember we had discussed a non-Biblical yet still considered a viable term to describe what has already happened; it was called "all ready, not yet". In other words, Jesus has already won back the authority but has not exercised it yet and will not exercise it until the last person to be saved is so sealed. At that point I believe Rapture will happen and then we will see these things that John is seeing play out.

1 Timothy 6: 11 But thou, O man of God, flee these things; and follow after righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness. 12 Fight the good fight of faith, lay hold on eternal life, whereunto thou art also called, and hast professed a good profession before many witnesses. 13 give thee charge in the sight of God, who quickeneth all things, and before Christ Jesus, who before Pontius Pilate witnessed a

good confession; 14That thou keep this commandment without spot, unrebukeable, until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ: 15Which in his times he shall shew, who is the blessed and only Potentate, the King of kings, and Lord of lords; 16Who only hath immortality, dwelling in the light which no man can approach unto; whom no man hath seen, nor can see: to whom be honour and power everlasting. Amen.

A Charge to the Rich

17Charge them that are rich in this world, that they be not highminded, nor trust in uncertain riches, but in the living God, who giveth us richly all things to enjoy; 18That they do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to distribute, willing to communicate; 19Laying up in store for themselves a good foundation against the time to come, that they may lay hold on eternal life.

Final Guidance

200 Timothy, keep that which is committed to thy trust, avoiding profane and vain babblings, and oppositions of science falsely so called: 21 Which some professing have erred concerning the faith. Grace be with thee. Amen. {The first to Timothy was written from Laodicea, which is the chiefest city of Phrygia Pacatiana. (Emphasis mine)

Chapter 6 covers the first six seals, which are in the purest sense judgments which God calls "woes", the first four are described as horses of different color and strike at four possible specific human institutions: Religious, Political, Economic and Military.

There is a change of focus in chapter seven (the sealing of the 144,000 Jews) then back to the seventh seal in the 8th Chapter, which introduces the trumpet judgments. This pattern repeats itself in chapter 11 where it is revealed that the Seals and Trumpets are considered by God to be more "woes" and the Seventh Trumpet introduces the Bowl or plague judgments.

So, to be clear the 7th seal introduces the 1st Bowl judgment, the 7th bowl judgment introduces the 1st Trumpet Judgment.

It is not until Revelation 11:15 that we find the title deed transferred back to God.

Revelation 11: <u>14</u>The second woe is past; and, behold, the third woe cometh quickly.

The Seventh Trumpet

<u>15</u>And the seventh angel sounded; and there were great voices in heaven, saying, The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of his Christ; and he shall reign for ever and ever.

That is a critical pivotal point in the Gospel; the kingdoms surrendered in the Garden are now finally back in the hands of the Creator God and His Messiah Son.

The First Seal: Rider on a White Horse

1And I saw when the Lamb opened one of the seals, and I heard, as it were the noise of thunder, one of the four beasts saying, Come and see.

According to historians the writing on the back of the scroll would be the conditions that must be met in order for the person wanting to redeem the property must meet, in other words the "PRICE" of redemption. So, in essence the price was innocent Blood of a man and there were none found. It was the Son of God that met the conditions for redemption fo the earth and its human inhabitants. Then God by handing the scroll to the Lamb, declared that the Lamb had met the conditions of redemption.

Messiah Jesus opens the first seal; if this is the Title Deed to earth there are conditions contained within the Scroll that must be met. The first condition was (only a worthy man could open the seals) and that was found to be the Lamb, the Son of God the Messiah. That would likely be spelled out in writing on the parchment just before the first seal was placed.

The "as it were thunder" remember John is describing something he had never seen or heard and this is his best way of telling us that this booming voice; filled with power, authority sounded like.

We do not know which beast spoke and it seems of little importance, even though many commentators seem to choose the Lion as the voice. Jesus was the Lion of the Tribe of Judah as He conquered evil in this world.

2And I saw, and behold a white horse: and he that sat on him had a bow; and a crown was given unto him: and he went forth conquering, and to conquer.

There are articles that attempt to link the colors of the four horses to the four major political, religious, economic and military elements in the world as we now know it. I think it is interesting to consider.

Firstly, why a horse?

A horse is symbolic of war, military or sometimes depending on context of a King or Ruler who has power.

Why White:

The great imposter Satan always trying to mimic the Truth but always totally opposite. In this instance I believe it

reveals that Satan will to many appear to be a savior, impersonating the real Savior of mankind Jesus the Christ.

White in the Bible from Biblehub

"White, in the Bible and in today's society, is typically associated with purity, things that are good, innocence, honesty, and cleanliness."

It may help to better understand Symbolism and Reality if we consider that the Symbolism we read here may be reality in the Spiritual dimension. In other words, the things John describes as happening in Heaven actually happen as described but they are manifested in our dimension on earth in some other form than what is described in the Spiritual dimension.

For example, Chuck Missler posited a thought on the term "bow" used in vs 2: he did not go beyond the idea and suggested that someone look further into that idea, so that is what we are doing.

2And I saw, and behold a white horse: and he that sat on him had a bow; and a crown was given unto him: and he went forth conquering, and to conquer.

Chucks thought was that the term "bow" is not as in bow and arrow but in bow as in God using it as a covenant to mankind after the flood.

Genesis 9:13 13 do set my bow in the cloud, and it shall be for a token of a covenant between me and the earth. 14And it shall come to pass, when I bring a cloud over the earth, that the bow shall be seen in the cloud: 15And I will remember my covenant, which is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall no more become a flood to destroy all flesh. 16And the bow shall be in the cloud; and I will look upon it, that I may remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is upon the earth. 17And God said unto Noah, This is the token of the covenant, which I have established between me and all flesh that is upon the earth.

Consider again what Chuck was saying and wonder what good is a bow without arrows? There are no arrows given to the rider on the white horse that is going out conquering. The only other thing given him is a crown, we'll get to that in a minute. So, how does this rider conquer if he has no implements of war like arrows for his bow?

If Chuck was right that the bow is not as in bow and arrow but as "bow" as in "covenant" then the idea makes more sense. God is a covenant keeper; Satan is a covenant breaker just like the anti-Christ is a covenant breaker.

Daniel 9:27 And he shall confirm the covenant with many for one week: and in the midst of the week he shall cause the sacrifice and the oblation to cease, and for the overspreading of abominations he shall make it desolate, even until the consummation, and that determined shall be poured upon the desolate.

Consider that what is released in the heavenly or spiritual realm that is beyond our vision is a fallen angel with the power to deal with a covenant in any way he sees fit. IE: confirm and then break the covenant.

I think there are so many things we struggle to understand mainly due to language understanding and interpretation of words etc. For example, there is an acronym for BOW on the internet and an entire evil side to that acronym or a variation of it. BOW stands for Big Organic Weapon as in biological weapons like Covid 19 and many more deadly variations. The Dark Web has a different meaning or Acronym for BOW. Biological Organic Weapons.

My point is this, while we are looking at a word in the Bible understanding it to mean one thing there may be a much deeper more sinister understanding of something that is right in front of us. God knows the future and puts it in terms for us to decipher by using His very own Word. So, when we look at the original Greek to understand what God is speaking of it reveals something that I really did not consider.

One more point, the Greek word for "bow" according to Strong's Concordance is:

toxon: a bow

Original Word: τόξον, ου, τό Part of Speech: Noun, Neuter

Transliteration: toxon

Phonetic Spelling: (tox'-on)

Definition: a bow Usage: a bow.

From the Greek Lexicon:

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The NAS New Testament Greek Lexicon

Strong's Number: 5115	Browse Lexicon	NAS Verse Count
Original Word	Word Origin	Revelation 1
toxon	from the base of (5088)	
Transliterated Word	TDNT Entry	Total 1
Toxon	None	
Phonetic Spelling	Parts of Speech	
tox'-on	Noun Neuter	
Definition		
1. a bow		
2.		
NAS Word Usage - Total:	1	
bow 1		

This rider on the white horse is given a "bow" and a "crown". It is not the crown of a King as in ruler, but the word used in the Greek is: Stephanos

4735 *stéphanos* – properly, a wreath (garland), awarded to a victor in the ancient athletic games (like the Greek

Olympics); the crown of *victory* (versus <u>1238</u> /diádēma, "a royal crown").

[4735 (stéphanos) is used of a plaited wreath ("crown"), like the one made of thorns placed on the head of Christ at His trial (Mt 27:29, Mk 15:17; Jn 19:2,5).]

The crown of Glory that Christ will wear or is wearing is a diadem.

2 Corinthians 2: 13For such are false apostles, deceitful workers, transforming themselves into the apostles of Christ. 14And no marvel; for Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light. 15Therefore it is no great thing if his ministers also be transformed as the ministers of righteousness; whose end shall be according to their works.

The Bible in Matthew 17:2, Mark 16:5; Luke 9:29; Acts 1:10; Revelation 3:5; Revelation 4:4; Revelation 6:11; Revelation 7:9, 13; Revelation 19:14 each case of attire is "white" and each is representative of a relationship to Jesus Christ.

One of the beasts which is speaking to John does not explain who the rider is. We know that Satan's desire is to deceive the world, specifically humanity.

Revelation 12:9 And the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the Devil, and Satan, which deceiveth the whole world: he was cast out into the earth, and his angels were cast out with him.

Revelation 6:2" and he went forth conquering, and to conquer"

Satan is the imposter here on a white horse, showing himself to be the savior by conquering any who resist him. He appears as a savior to the world and will conquer through diplomatic means.

The Second Seal: War

3And when he had opened the second seal, I heard the second beast say, Come and see.

We are not told again which beast is speaking it would just be speculation to say.

4And there went out another horse that was red: and power was given to him that sat thereon to take peace from the earth, and that they should kill one another: and there was given unto him a great sword.

There must be "peace" on the earth because this spiritual rider is able to manifest war, removing peace from the earth.

How does God define "peace". From Strong's concordance:

Transliteration: eiréné

Phonetic Spelling: (i-ray'-nay)

Definition: one, peace, quietness, rest

Usage: peace, peace of mind; invocation of peace a

common Jewish farewell, in the Hebraistic sense of the health (welfare) of an individual. HELPS Word-studies

1515 eirénē (from eirō, "to join, tie together into a whole") – properly, wholeness, i.e. when all essential parts are joined together; peace (God's gift of wholeness).

Peace is hard to define but according to God's Will it somehow involves a "spiritual wholeness" being in complete unity with God and His Will. At this point in a linear look at time the Church is gone along with the Holy Spirit in the sense of restraining. It is hard to conceive that there was "peace" to be found on earth. But God states that this spiritual rider on the red horse

"...power was given to him that sat thereon to take peace from the earth....."

My assumption is that this "peace" is not a Godly peace but a human peace. Perhaps the absence of worldwide or regional wars in a general widespread understanding.

Again, the horse is symbolic spirit of **war** and military, and we see that this rider represents great and violent wars; the removal of peace or at least what we have come to know as peace is removed from the earth. Where does war come from?

James 4: 1From whence come wars and fightings among you? come they not hence, even of your lusts that war in your members? 2Ye lust, and have not: ye kill, and desire to have, and cannot obtain: ye fight and war, yet ye have not, because ye ask not. 3Ye ask, and receive not, because ye ask amiss, that ye may consume it upon your lusts. 4Ye adulterers and adulteresses, know ye not that the friendship of the world is enmity with God? whosoever therefore will be a friend of the world is the enemy of God. 5Do ye think that the scripture saith in vain, The spirit that dwelleth in us lusteth to envy? 6But he giveth more grace. Wherefore he saith, God resisteth the proud, but giveth grace unto the humble.

There really are no political solutions due to the evil heart of men which eventually end in war to bring about control of and for power.

Red; is representative of blood among other things but predominately in a ritual sense blood in the Old and New Testament. Red is also critical in God's Economy and in the future temple. The temple that is yet to be built will require the ashes of a "red heifer" to purify the Temple and other elements.

The great sword is emblematic of course of death by violence and millions will suffer that fate. The problem for many is that this death for them will be the first death, the second death is yet to come and leads to eternity separated from God.

Psalms 2: 1Why do the heathen rage, and the people imagine a vain thing?

2The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together, against the LORD, and against his anointed, saying,

3Let us break their bands asunder, and cast away their cords from us.

Destruction of Godly ordained institutions: marriage, government, church

4He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh: the Lord shall have them in derision. (Emphasis mine)

5Then shall he speak unto them in his wrath, and vex them in his sore displeasure.

6Yet have I set my king upon my holy hill of Zion.

Jesus' response to what His Father has just said.

<u>7</u>I will declare the decree: the LORD hath said unto me, Thou art my Son; this day have I begotten thee.

8Ask of me, and I shall give thee the heathen for thine inheritance, and the uttermost parts of the earth for thy possession.

9Thou shalt break them with a rod of iron; thou shalt dash them in pieces like a potter's vessel. (emphasis mine)

Revelation 19:<u>15</u>And out of his mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the nations: and he shall rule them with a rod of iron: and he treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. (emphasis mine)

<u>10</u>Be wise now therefore, O ye kings: be instructed, ye judges of the earth.

<u>11</u>Serve the LORD with fear, and rejoice with trembling.

12Kiss the Son, lest he be angry, and ye perish from the way, when his wrath is kindled but a little.

Blessed are all they that put their trust in him.

What would cause leaders of nations to take up arms against the Lord God? Pride

Proverbs 16:18 Pride goeth before destruction, and an haughty spirit before a fall.

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The Third Seal: Famine

5And when he had opened the third seal, I heard the third beast say, Come and see. And I beheld, and lo a black horse; and he that sat on him had a pair of balances in his hand.

Even though this verse is referring to physical food do not forget that as Christians we rely on Spiritual Food, God's Word.

Matthew 4:4 4But he answered and said, It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.

Black has as its attribute "darkness" or the absence of light. Black is portrayed throughout the Bible as "famine".

In this case black is indicative of famine that will come upon the earth in the form of food shortage and food cost.

When a person or an animal is truly hungry, they will eat anything.

The Word of God is to us food and when the churches don't teach God's Word the people begin to starve, and they will eat/believe anything. The unsaved when they hear things from God that are no pleasant, they reject it, it does not please their ears; starving they will eat anything, believe anything that is pleasant to their ears.

Timothy had this to say shortly before his death.

2 Timothy 4: <u>3</u>For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; <u>4</u>And they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables.

6And I heard a voice in the midst of the four beasts say, A measure of wheat for a penny, and three measures of barley for a penny; and see thou hurt not the oil and the wine.

Ezekiel 4:16 Moreover he said unto me, Son of man, behold, I will break the staff of bread in Jerusalem:

and they shall eat bread by weight, and with care; and they shall drink water by measure, and with astonishment:

The scales are indicative of the value of food in this time. During the good economic times little value is placed on measuring things whether it be food or even money.

Food Prices Vault to Highest Level in a Decade By <u>Tom</u> <u>Ozimek</u> November 4, 2021

https://www.theepochtimes.com/food-prices-vault-to-highest-level-in-a-decade_4085899.html

There are a number of possibilities that we are going to be faced with food shortages and or high food prices. As of today, November 12, 2021, one of the main problems is our transportation industry, couple that with weather anomalies and the farming industry may be affected at our food source. Farmers rely on trucking to do every aspect of their work, from getting fuel to run equipment, to fertilizer, seed, harvesting and hauling to market are all transportation centric.

As we consider this time God speaks of, He will put a restriction on the availability of food. When food becomes scarce, little else matters. God brought Israel to its knees with the lack of food as we saw in Ezekiel 4. The desperation

of the human body for food led Israel to even devour other human beings to survive.

There is an added spiritual sense to this verse and that is the last part of the verse. "and see thou hurt not the oil and the wine.

Oil and wine are a sign of wealth and value, both are connected with Temple Worship. There will be as there is now at least a two-tiered system, the very wealthy the ruler types, the very wealthy among the living will have their lavishness while the rest are starving. But the mighty who reject God will fall just as the weak who reject the Lord God.

Proverbs 18:12 Before his downfall a man's heart is proud, but humility comes before honor.

Proverbs 29:23 A man's pride will bring him low, but a humble spirit will obtain honor.

The Fourth Seal: Death

7And when he had opened the fourth seal, I heard the voice of the fourth beast say, Come and see.

This is the final beast to speak to John before we move to environmental devastating events. The command is the same as the other beasts that spoke to John. He was told to come forward and see something; a fourth horse.

<u>8</u>And I looked, and behold a pale horse: and his name that sat on him was Death, and Hell followed with him. And power was given unto them over the fourth part of the earth, to kill with sword, and with hunger, and with death, and with the beasts of the earth.

Again, remember these are events happening and John is allowed to see them in the Spiritual domain that is not visible to the physical domain we live in. I believe John actually sees these 4 horses and riders as they carry out the specific actions in the Spiritual dimension. And the things that occur in that dimension are somehow translated into actions in our earthly dimension. How does that happen? Only God knows.

It appears that the English translation of this color is not precise enough.

Transliteration: chlóros

Phonetic Spelling: (khlo-ros') Short Definition: green, pale Definition: green, pale green.

So, the color of this horse is pale green, and some have drawn some correlations to the green of the Nation of Islam.

Let's look again at the four colors of the horses in light of them being a reference to: political, religious, economic and military elements. The White horse is of a religious nature and is self-explanatory; however, the articles I read specified the Rome, meaning the Old Roman Empire including the Catholic Church as this religious element. Some extoled the virtues of the Catholic Church, but most demonize Catholicism as part of the evil plan of Satan. I think there is a better explanation than the Old Roman Empire in end times. We will get to that. The religious aspect of this horse and rider is appearing to be the savior of the world; the Anti-Christ. He will eventually create a Beast and demand that the Beast be worshipped.

The political element is defined under the Red Horse. There were in America what were called "RED Scares", fear of communism or socialism creeping into our Republic. Both scares occurred after major wars WW1 and WW2. Not until now have we seen Communism or Socialism have such a strangle hold on America.

We often look at the United States to get a sense of what is happening in the world. Our view of that can and usually does cause us to make things Americantric. We do that because this is what we know, it is what we grew up in and

on; The United States Constitution and the Bill of Rights said within that document establishes our freedoms and God given Rights. And America since around the 1800's has been the leader of the Free World.

Red has usually been associated since the 1800's with Communism and Socialism. It is antithetical to our Republic and Constitutional way of life.

This is a quote from Findigit IE Financial Digits an online financial resource that looks at economic consequences of political decisions among other things.

https://findigits.com/why-americans-fear-communism/

"Communist ideology goes against the fundamental rights of the U.S. Most Americans approach life from an individualistic perspective. They believe individuals and businesses should have the freedom to do what they choose. Communism bans freedom of speech and lacks freedom of choice.

The First Amendment of the United State's Constitution affirms the government cannot make laws that prohibits the exercise of religion, establishment of religion, freedom of speech, freedom of press and the right to peacefully assemble. In communism, individuals cannot express their ideas or opinions out loud.

Everyone wears similar and bland clothing in communism. Most people drive similar cars. All schools teach the same things. Workers have the same income, regardless whether they work hard at a job or not. Part of the American Dream is that if you work hard, you will be successful. There is no success in Communism."

If indeed the red horse is about a political persuasion, then the red flag of Communism/Socialism and all the death it has brought to the World seems fitting for this horse and rider.

Patriot Purge by Tucker Carlson is a 3-part expose' on the communist overtaking of American Politics and the Country. If you don't have access to it through Fox Nation we can make it available to our Bible Study group.

The Black horse is reference to the economy as in worldwide Capitalist power. The black horse rider carries a set of scales, which would be indicative of an economic based society.

A world economic organization that currently exists is the International Monetary Fund (IMF)

Written in May 30, 2013

"Generally speaking, it is not believed by the vast majority that the American dollar will be overthrown," says Dick Bove. "But it will be, and this defrocking may occur in as short a period as five to 10 years," he tells CNBC."

https://www.rt.com/usa/dollar-danger-as-world-currency-977/

Oct 12, 2021

"The International Monetary Fund decided to keep Kristalina Georgieva as its managing director, expressing full confidence in her leadership, despite accusations she'd altered data to favor China during her time at the World Bank."

https://www.rt.com/business/537228-imf-georgieva-backed-china-bias/

In a speech given by Ms Georgiva to the Klaus Schwab World Economic Forum in Dovo in 2020 in a speech titled:

"The Great Reset

Remarks to World Economic Forum Kristalina Georgieva, Managing Director, IMF

June 3, 2020

".....So, what would it take for historians to look back at this crisis as the moment of a Great Reset?

From the perspective of the IMF, we have seen a massive injection of fiscal stimulus to help countries deal with this crisis, and to shift gears for growth to return. It is of paramount importance that

this growth should lead to a **greener**, **smarter**, **fairer** world in the future."

Make no mistake the world leadership in both political, economic view are united to bring about a one world government.

And finally, the Green horse may have implications of a military implication. Islam favors within their radicalized military the color Green.

Because it was supposedly Mohammed's favorite color. The Islamic prophet is said to have worn a green cloak and turban, and his writings are full of references to the color. A passage from the Quran describes paradise as a place where people "will wear green garments of fine silk." One hadith, or teaching, says, "When Allah's Apostle died, he was covered with a Hibra Burd," which is a green square garment. As a result, you'll see green used to color the binding of Qurans, the domes of mosques, and, yes, campaign materials.

Vast numbers of commentators have pointed to Rome as the progenerate of some end times events. Most refer to it from Bible prophecy as a resurgence of the Old Roman Empire. Remember, the Roman empire headquarters were moved from Rome to Turkey, Constantinople to be exact by Constantine. It wasn't long after that the Roman Empire was

split in two. The eastern half ultimately becoming the Islamic run state of Ottoman Empire after other failed regimes, which expanded back to much of what had been the Eastern Roman Empire.

God has provided little detail as to the exact meaning of these colors so we search Scripture first and historical documents after that to see if we can gain understanding. I am unconvinced that what I have just explained is totally correct only interesting to think about.

It is interesting that the voices of the beasts or simply emanating from the throne no longer introduce these last three seals. After the seals we will enter the trumpets and the sound of trumpets will introduce each new woe.

The next seal returns to part of the Church. Some commentators argue that this is martyrs from all of time.

The Fifth Seal: Martyrs

9And when he had opened the fifth seal, I saw under the altar the souls of them that were slain for the word of God, and for the testimony which they held:

Are these souls the souls of those killed over the history of the Church, Jesus calls His Bride, or are they those who are killed during Tribulation? People coming to Christ after the Rapture and during the Tribulation. I am basing that on the church being removed from the earth prior to these woes and the dead in Christ were raised first.

1 Thessalonians 4: <u>15</u>For this we say unto you by the word of the Lord, that we which are alive and remain unto the coming of the Lord shall not prevent them which are asleep. <u>16</u>For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: <u>17</u>Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord. <u>18</u>Wherefore comfort one another with these words.

2 Corinthians 5: <u>6</u>Therefore we are always confident, knowing that, whilst we are at home in the body, we are absent from the Lord: <u>7</u>(For we walk by faith, not by sight:) <u>8</u>We are confident, I say, and willing rather to be absent from the body, and to be present with the Lord.

There are a variety of explanations of this alter and of those souls beneath it. Some hold the alter to be on earth, some hold these souls to be those of Jews that were sacrificed, and this image is of paradise. I don't agree with that.

I believe John is still in the throne room of God and He sees beneath the Throne of God; perhaps the most protected place in the universe the souls of those slain for standing for God's Word and for their testimony. There are many who have died over the centuries; prior to Christ they went to Paradise, after the Crucifixion they went at once into the presence of our Lord and our God awaiting the resurrection of the bodies at Rapture. So, for God to identify this group of people who have died for the Word of God and to point them out during this time of worldwide calamity and again after the church has seemingly left the earth it seems likely that these are the souls of those slain during the Tribulation.

10And they cried with a loud voice, saying, How long, O Lord, holy and true, dost thou not judge and avenge our blood on them that dwell on the earth?

The first blood spilled on the earth of man by man was in Genesis; when Cain slew Abel. Abel's blood cried out for justice to God.

Genesis 4:8 8And Cain talked with Abel his brother: and it came to pass, when they were in the field, that Cain rose up against Abel his brother, and slew him. 9And the LORD said unto Cain, Where is Abel thy brother? And he said, I know not: Am I my brother's keeper? 10And he said, What hast thou done? the voice of thy brother's blood crieth unto me from the ground. 11And now art thou cursed from the earth, which hath opened her mouth to receive thy brother's blood from thy hand;

It appears to me that this bloodshed that started in Genesis and has increased and intensified over the centuries is a good part of the reason for the coming of God's Wrath. We have seen sacrifices made to idols where children are slain that has morphed into an industry in the US and around the world called the abortion industry. My sense is that if God heard the blood of Abel cry out then His ears must constantly hear the injustice of the senseless murders and abortions happening daily, especially in the US even today.

These martyrs are apparently slain by the world who rejects the Good News and embrace the Anti-Christ and his message of hate.

Likewise, if it as I understand it, this is yet a future event and those that are named in this verse are likely on the earth today.

11And white robes were given unto every one of them; and it was said unto them, that they should rest yet for a little season, until their fellowservants also and their brethren, that should be killed as they were, should be fulfilled.

There are some commentators that put these people in Paradise and this description is of those folks and they had to wait. The flaw I see in that is there was only One that

needed to die for them to be released from Paradise. That happened with Christ, and He went and told them about the Good News during His three days of being beneath the earth.

You'll have to decide for yourselves who these martyrs are.

These events that we have looked at from Revelation 6 vs 1 through 11 have all been things that we have seen happen on the earth for millennial. There is nothing-new only increase in intensity and frequency perhaps.

The sixth seal is really that last of the seals that brings momentous destruction to the earth; the seventh seal will introduce the bowl judgments and onto the Trumpet Judgments.

God is now going to set His creation on edge by bringing such cataclysmic destruction that even the very elements of creation are affected.

The Sixth Seal: Terror

12 And I beheld when he had opened the sixth seal, and, lo, there was a great earthquake; and the sun became black as sackcloth of hair, and the moon became as blood:

What God is showing John here is a combination of seismic activity; the moving of tectonic plates located beneath the earth's surface. God knowing the beginning from the end HE most likelihood crafted the earths structure in such a way that these plates as they moved would remind man of Who created the earth. God uses His creation to remind man of his place in creation. Remember how God used the rainbow.

Genesis 9: 12And God said, This is the token of the covenant which I make between me and you and every living creature that is with you, for perpetual generations: 13I do set my bow in the cloud, and it shall be for a token of a covenant between me and the earth. 14And it shall come to pass, when I bring a cloud over the earth, that the bow shall be seen in the cloud: 15And I will remember my covenant, which is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall no more become a flood to destroy all flesh. 16And the bow shall be in the cloud; and I will look upon it, that I may remember the everlasting covenant between God and every living creature of all flesh that is upon the earth. 17And God said unto Noah. This is the token of the covenant. which I have established between me and all flesh that is upon the earth.

Even though John would not understand the technicalities of why earthquakes happen it is clear that in God's design that He intended for them to occur. The question is, is it all set in a predetermined time or does God actually move a plate with His finger to begin earthquake events.

Coupled with earthquakes are great pressures that are subterranean, molten rock or lava that is boiling beneath the surface always looking for a way to come to the surface and release pressure. As the tectonic plates move it can cause pressures to increase in volcanoes that have existed, or it can create new vents for volcanoes to erupt through.

However, God does this, He is revealing to John and to us those catastrophic earthquakes and volcanoes will literally change the atmosphere of the world. I guess in the end the progressives were right, the world as we know it is going to burn up; just not caused by man though.

The eruption of volcanoes puts a great quantity of dust particles into the air. Those particles when suspended in the stratosphere inhibit the suns light and rays from entering the lower atmosphere and cause significant changes in temperatures around the globe. Dust so thick that it can blot out the light from the sun and at night the moon will appear as blood red. The implications of such a change in temperatures is staggering to those on the earth.

But the earthquakes and volcanoes are not all God has planned for a people that have rejected Him.

13And the stars of heaven fell unto the earth, even as a fig tree casteth her untimely figs, when she is shaken of a mighty wind.

The word used for "stars" in the Greek is Aster; where we get our word for Asteroid. Stars are massive bodies; 10 to 1000 times larger than planets. Stars have a nuclear reaction causing them to burn and give off light and heat, where planets do neither.

So, the possibility is that God was speaking of asteroids and meteors and not stars. In either case God has placed Stars, Planets and even Asteroids and Meteors in the heavens to be used by Him as He wants.

If you read this carefully God is comparing figs on a tree to stars or asters (astoroids) placed in heaven. The implication is that this cataclysmic event is not isolated to earth alone it extends to the heavens as well where God has placed stars like figs on a tree. And when the wind blows hard on a fig tree that is not yet been plucked for its fruit the fruit is dislodged from the branches and falls to the ground. God will maneuver asters from the heavens and have them plummet to the earth.

Isaiah 2: 12For the day of the LORD of hosts shall be upon every one that is proud and lofty, and upon every

one that is lifted up; and he shall be brought low:13And upon all the cedars of Lebanon, that are high and lifted up, and upon all the oaks of Bashan,14And upon all the high mountains, and upon all the hills that are lifted up,15And upon every high tower, and upon every fenced wall,16And upon all the ships of Tarshish, and upon all pleasant pictures.17And the loftiness of man shall be bowed down, and the haughtiness of men shall be made low: and the LORD alone shall be exalted in that day.18And the idols he shall utterly abolish.19And they shall go into the holes of the rocks, and into the caves of the earth, for fear of the LORD, and for the glory of his majesty, when he ariseth to shake terribly the earth.

14And the heaven departed as a scroll when it is rolled together; and every mountain and island were moved out of their places.

We know that God is not going to destroy the earth at least not yet. But to account for this type of appearance will require a sizable change to the earth's surface. The word to focus on here is "as". John sees the heaven depart "as" a scroll. Well, we know that a scroll rolls so what John sees perhaps is the clouds caused by the volcanoes being driven by strong winds that God will create. The appearance would be like seeing a scroll roll up from underneath the scroll as the clouds move rapidly along in the visible atmosphere above us it would appear to John as a scroll rolling up. Not Biblical just a thought as to what John might be seeing.

The accompanying earthquakes are so strong that they apparently cause the earth's crust to realign relieving the pent up pressure beneath the surface. This realignment causes mountains to sink and valleys to protrude upward. We can see evidence of these very events by looking southwest to Baldy in the Cabinet mountains; the striations that are visible tell us the immense pressure that God used to force these majestic mountains to climb nearly 10 thousand feet above sea level. God did it at least once, so what would stop Him from doing it again?

15And the kings of the earth, and the great men, and the rich men, and the chief captains, and the mighty men, and every bondman, and every free man, hid themselves in the dens and in the rocks of the mountains;

The point of this verse I think is to show that in this time of cataclysmic destruction there will not be a division on any social or economic scale; the million-dollar mansion on the coastline of Santa Barbara and the humble dwelling in the inner city of Chicago will all feel the power of God's hand. Everyone on the earth is in the same boat and it is going to get hammered.

So, what does one do when he or she has no hope? All a person can do is hide their eyes, so they don't see. It reminds me of a story of a young pilot in training doing his first night flight with his instructor. The instructor was quizzing the young want to be pilot about various procedures when the young man asked the instructor.

"If I lose engine power at night, should I turn on my landing lights?"

The instructor said, "absolutely not, do not turn on your landing lights if you lose power at night."

The student asked, "Why not".

The instructor said, "Because you don't want to see what is going to happen next."

So, the person with no hope can only close their eyes and wait for what happens next.

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16 And said to the mountains and rocks, Fall on us, and hide us from the face of him that sitteth on the throne, and from the wrath of the Lamb: 17 For the

great day of his wrath is come; and who shall be able to stand?

It is apparently clear to those on the earth at this time as to the source of this massive destruction that these who have rejected Jesus are enduring. You can deny anything until the Truth is the only thing left that makes sense. The Truth is that God is in control and to put your life, your dreams, your hopes in anything other than Him is pure folly.

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