

3. Seven Performers During the Great Tribulation, Revelation 12–13

Revelation 12:1-17

- a. The Woman—Israel (Revelation 12:1–2)**
- b. The Red Dragon—Satan (Revelation 12:3–4)**
- c. The Child of the Woman (Israel)—Jesus Christ (Revelation 12:5–6)**
- d. Michael, the Archangel, Wars with the Dragon (Revelation 12:7–12)**
 - 1) Satan loses his access to Heaven - God's throne (Revelation 12:7-9)**
 - 2) Salvation = the Separation from Accuser of the brethren (Revelation 12:10)**
 - 3) Saving Force - The Blood of The Lamb (Revelation 12:11-12a)**
- e. The Dragon Persecutes the Woman (Revelation 12:12b–16)**
- f. Remnant of Israel - The Saved Israelites (Revelation 12:17)**
- g. Beast Out of the Sea (Revelation 13:1–10)**
 - (5) The Beast's Backing (Revelation 13:7c-8)**
 - (6) The Beast's end predetermined (Revelation 13:9–10)**

Conclusion: the First beast must be the Dragon Himself and his place of rule!

- h. Beast #2 Out of the Earth—a Religious Leader (Revelation 13:11–18)**
 - 1) Beast #2 Description (Revelation 13:11a)**
 - 2) Beast #2 The Diabolical Deceiver (Christ Like) (Revelation 13:11b-d)**
 - a) False external appearance (Revelation 13:11c)**
 - b) Speech betrays him (Revelation 13:11d)**
 - 3) Beast #2 - Delegated Authority (Revelation 13:12–14)**
 - a) Dictatorial power from Satan (Revelation 13:12a)**
 - b) Direct Purpose of the Anti-christ (Revelation 13:12b)**
 - c) Deceitful miracles of the Anti-christ (Revelation 13:13-14)**
 - 4) The Beast #2 - Delusion Perpetrated on the World (Revelation 13:15–17)**
 - a) Life Given to the Image (Revelation 13:15-16)**
 - b) The Mark of the beast (Revelation 13:17)**
 - 5) God's Declaration of the Beast (Revelation 13:18)**

4. Looking to the End of the Great Tribulation (Revelation 14)

- a. Picture of the Lamb with the 144,000, (Revelation 14:1–5)**
 - 1) The Lamb and His 144,000 (Revelation 14:1-2)**
 - 2) The Heavenly Harmony (Revelation 14:3)**
 - 3) Purity - Virgins (Revelation 14:4)**
 - 4) They are Real People (What you see is what you get!) (Revelation 14:5)**
- b. Three Angels (Revelation 14:6–7)**
 - 1) Another Angel 1 - The Preaching Angel (Revelation 14:6-7)**

- 2) Another Angel 2 - The Heraldng Angel - Announcement of Babylon's Fall (Revelation 14:8)
- 3) The Third Angel - The Warning Angel (Revelation 14:9-11)
- c. The Lead up to the Battle of Armageddon (Revelation 14:12)
 - The Saints attend the Harvesting of the earth
- d. Praise for Those Who Die in the Lord (Revelation 14:13)
- e. Preview of Armageddon (Revelation 14:14–20)
 - 1) Jesus with His sickle (Revelation 14:14)
 - 2) Another Angel #4 - Thrust in (Revelation 14:15-16)
 - 3) The Another Angel #5 - Out of the Temple (Revelation 14:17)
 - 4) The Another Angel #6 - Calls for a reaping (Revelation 14:18-19)
 - 5) The Battle of Armageddon Described (Revelation 14:20)

Revelation 15:1-8 Another View from Heaven

- 5. Pouring Out of the Seven Mixing Bowls of Wrath Revelation 15-16
 - a. Tribulation Saints in Heaven Worship God (Revelation 15:1-3)
 - b. Temple of the Tabernacle is Opened (Revelation 15:5–16:1)

Revelation 16

- 1) Commandment from the Temple (Revelation 16:1)
 - a) The Angels and their Vials (Revelation 16:2-11)
 - b) Interlude: Kings of Earth Proceed to Armageddon (Revelation 16:12–16)
 - c) Pouring Out of the Seventh Bowl (Revelation 16:17–21)

Revelation 17 - The Whore and Her Beast

6. The Two _____ Judged - Religious and Political Babylon Revelation 17–18

a. The Apostate Church in the Great Tribulation, Revelation 17

1 And there came **one of the seven angels** which had **the seven vials**, and talked with me, saying unto me, **Come hither**; I will shew unto thee **the judgment** of the **great whore**(strumpet; W1828 - a _____) that sitteth upon many waters:

- 1) Great _____ Riding the Beast (Revelation 17:1–7)

**GOD IN THE BIBLE ALWAYS CORRELATES THE _____
OF HIS PEOPLE WITH WHOREDOM!**

Isaiah 1:21-26

21 How is the faithful city(_____) become an harlot! it WAS full of judgment; righteousness lodged in it; but NOW murderers.

22 Thy silver is become dross, thy wine mixed with water:

23 Thy **princes**(_____) *are* **rebellious**(_____), and **companions of thieves**: every one loveth gifts, and followeth after **rewards**(_____): they judge not the fatherless, neither doth the cause of the widow come unto them.

24 Therefore saith the Lord, the LORD of hosts, the mighty One of Israel, Ah, I will ease me of **mine adversaries**, and avenge me of **mine enemies**:

25 And I will turn my hand **upon thee**, and purely **purge away thy dross**, and take away all thy tin:

26 And I will restore thy judges as at the first, and thy counsellors as at the beginning: **AFTERWARD** thou shalt be called, **The city of righteousness, the faithful city**.

27 **Zion**(_____) shall be redeemed(_____) with judgment, and her converts(_____) with righteousness.

28 And the **destruction**(_____) of the **transgressors**(_____) and of the sinners shall be **together**, and they that forsake the LORD **shall be consumed**.

29 For they shall be ashamed of the oaks which ye have desired, and ye shall be **confounded**(brought to _____) for the gardens that ye have chosen.

a) The _____ of the Great Whore (A view of the _____!)

1 And there came **one of the seven angels** which had **the seven vials**, and talked with me, saying unto me, **Come hither**; I will shew unto thee **the judgment** of the **great whore**(strumpet; W1828 - _____)

Revelation 21:9 And there came unto me **one of the seven angels which had the seven vials full of the seven last plagues**, and talked with me, saying, **Come hither**, I will shew thee **the bride, the Lamb's wife**.

1b that sitteth upon **many waters**:

Revelation 17:15 And he saith unto me, The **waters** which thou sawest, where the **whore** sitteth, are **peoples, and multitudes, and nations, and tongues**.

b) _____ kings of the earth

2 With whom **the kings**(foundations of _____) of the earth have committed **fornication**(practice of _____), and **the inhabitants of the earth** have been **made drunk with the wine** of her fornication.

c) Transported to the _____

3 So he carried me away in the spirit into the wilderness:

2) Description of the _____

a) Her _____

3b and I saw a woman sit upon a scarlet coloured(_____ color of an insect) beast, full of names of blasphemy(_____ speaking), having seven heads and ten horns.

b) The _____

i. Her _____

4 And the woman was arrayed(cast about; _____) in purple(_____ color) and scarlet colour, and decked with gold and precious stones and pearls, having a golden cup in her hand full of abominations(idolatry) and filthiness(_____ impurity) of her fornication:

ii. Her _____

5 And upon her forehead was a name written, MYSTERY, BABYLON THE GREAT, THE MOTHER OF HARLOTS AND ABOMINATIONS OF THE EARTH.

iii. Her _____

6 And I saw the woman drunken with the blood of the saints(_____), and with the blood of the martyrs(_____) of Jesus: and when I saw her, I wondered with great admiration (_____).

3) The Beast _____ the Great Harlot (Revelation 17:7-18)

a) The Beast is _____

7 And the angel said unto me, Wherefore didst thou marvel(_____)? I will tell thee the mystery(_____) of the woman, and of the beast that carrieth her, which hath the seven heads and ten horns.

Revelation 13:1 And I stood upon the sand of the sea, and saw a beast(_____) rise up out of the sea, having seven heads(_____) and ten horns, and upon his horns ten crowns, and upon his heads the name of blasphemy(vilification; W1828 = to make vile; defame; _____).

2 And **the beast** which I saw was like unto a **leopard**, and his feet were as *the feet of a bear*, and his mouth as the **mouth of a lion**: and **the dragon gave him his power**, and his seat, and great authority.

3 And I saw **one**(_____) of his heads as it were(_____) wounded to death; and **his deadly wound was healed**: and **all the world wondered**(_____) **after the beast**.

4 And they worshipped(kiss ;like a dog licking his _____) **the dragon**(_____) which **gave power** unto **the beast**: and they **worshipped the beast**, saying, Who *is* like unto the beast? who is able to make war with him?

5 And there was given unto him **a mouth speaking great things and blasphemies**; and power was given unto him to continue **forty and two months**(_____).

8 The beast that thou sawest was, and is not; and shall ascend out of the bottomless pit, and go into perdition(_____): and they that dwell on the earth shall **WONDER**, whose names were not written in the book of life from the foundation of the world, when they behold the beast that was, and is not, and yet is.

Revelation 13:8 And all that dwell upon the earth shall worship him, **whose names are not written in the book of life of the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world**.

b) If You Know you know

9 And here *is* the mind which hath wisdom.

Revelation 13:18 Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number of the beast: for it is the number of a man; and his number *is* **Six hundred threescore and six**.

4) THE _____ EMPIRE

9b The **seven heads** are **seven mountains**, on which the woman sitteth.

SPECIAL NOTE:

"City of Seven Hills" most famously refers to

_____, founded on seven iconic hills east of the Tiber River (Palatine, Aventine, Capitoline, Quirinal, Viminal, Esquiline, and Caelian).

-Wikipedia

10 And there are **seven kings**:

1. _____ Empire - 3,000 years

2. _____ Empire - 300 years

3. _____ Empire - 87 years
4. _____ Empire - 230 years
5. _____ Empire - lasted about 13 years

10b five are fallen,

- These 5 had fallen by _____ of the book of Revelation

6. Roman Empire - _____

10c and one is,

- The Roman Empire was still in power at the writing of the book of _____

5) The Anti - christ - _____ at the most

10d *and* the other is not yet come; and when he cometh, he must continue A SHORT SPACE(oligos = _____ extent).

6) The _____ Exposed

11 And the beast(_____ animal) that was,

11b and is not,

7) The _____ or New Roman Empire

11c even he is the eighth, and is of the seven, and goeth into perdition(_____).

a) What the Revised Roman Empire _____

12 And the ten horns which thou sawest are ten kings, which have received no kingdom as yet; but receive power as kings one hour with the beast.

Daniel 7:7-8

7 After this I saw in the night visions, and behold a **fourth beast**, dreadful and terrible, and **strong exceedingly**; and it had great **iron teeth**: it devoured and brake in pieces, and stamped the residue with the feet of it: and it was **diverse from all the beasts that were before it**; and **it had ten horns**.

8 I considered the horns, and, behold, there came up among them **another little horn**(the _____), before whom there were three of the first horns plucked up by the roots: and, behold, in this horn were eyes like the eyes of man, and a mouth speaking great things.

b) _____ Strength

13 These have **one mind**, and shall **give their power and strength unto the beast**.

Fight against _____ - “Make war with the Lamb”

14 These shall make war with the Lamb, and **the Lamb shall overcome them: FOR HE IS LORD OF LORDS, AND KING OF KINGS:** and they that are with him(the _____) *are called, and chosen, and faithful.*

c) The _____ of the waters

15 And he saith unto me, The **waters** which thou sawest, where the **whore** sitteth, are **peoples, and multitudes, and nations, and tongues.**

d) The behavior of the _____

16 And **the ten horns** which thou sawest upon the beast, these shall **hate the whore**, and shall make her desolate and naked, and shall **eat her flesh**, and **burn her** with fire.

e) Their purpose - To do _____

17 For God hath put in their hearts **to fulfil his will**, and to agree, and **give their kingdom unto the beast, until the words of God shall be fulfilled.**

f) The woman is the _____ over the world

18 And **THE WOMAN WHICH THOU SAWEST IS THAT GREAT CITY**, which reigneth over the kings of the earth.