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It is our sincere prayer that this video and workbook will help guide you through a profitable study of the prophetic Word of God.

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How to use this Workbook

This workbook was designed to be used with the Revelation Walk Thru DVD, either as a part of a small group Bible study, such as a Sunday School class or family devotions, or for personal Bible study. You are free to use the workbook as you see fit, but most people seem to get the most out of it when they watch the video segments with their Bibles and their workbooks open, so they can follow along in God's Word and take notes in the workbook.

There are 4 chapters on the DVD and in the Workbook. If you are using this in a weekly bible study, you can do one chapter a week for 4 weeks.

How this Workbook is set up

The workbook is divided into 4 chapters - each chapter matching a chapter on the Revelation Walk Thru DVD. Within each chapter you will find a *Chapter Overview*, a *Follow Along Outline* with fill-in the blanks, and a *Think About This* review of key thoughts for the chapter and gives thought provoking questions for you to answer.

There is also a *Review* segment at the end of the workbook to help you gauge what you have learned throughout the study.

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Overview of Revelation

I. The Prelude to the Tribulation - Chapter 1:1 - 4:1

- ▶ Jesus Christ in His person and power
- ▶ The letters to the 7 churches
- ▶ The Rapture of the Church

II. The Program of the Tribulation - Chapter 4:2 - 19:10

The Events of the First 3.5 Years

- ▶ Seven Seal judgments
- ▶ Two Witnesses
- ▶ 144,000 evangelists
- ▶ The death, resurrection and entrance into Heaven of the two Witnesses
- ▶ The battle in Heaven between the Archangel Michael and Satan

The Events of the Last 3.5 Years

- ▶ Seven Trumpet Judgments
- ▶ Seven Vial Judgments
- ▶ The Battle of Armageddon
- ▶ God's rescue of the surviving Jews from Petra

III. The Postlude to the Tribulation - Chapter 19:11 - 22:21

The day of God's wrath and vengeance

- ▶ The millennial kingdom of Jesus Christ, the Prince of Peace
- ▶ Satan loosed for a season
- ▶ Satan defeated and cast into the Lake of Fire
- ▶ Retribution – The Great White Throne Judgment

The new heavens, the new earth, the new Jerusalem

Chapter One



The Revelation of Jesus Christ

It starts in the Past, continues through the Present, and explains, in great detail, the Prophetic. The next great event on God's prophetic time line of events is the Rapture of the Church. That event starts the clock ticking on the prophetic scenario laid out in the Book of Revelation called the Tribulation. But what of the Church Age? How does the Bible describe the time leading up to the Tribulation. We will explore this and the background of the Book of Revelation as it sets the stage for the prophetic to be fulfilled.

Overview of Chapter One

I. Introductory Background

- *When, where and to whom was Revelation revealed?*
- *Apocalyptic literature identified*
- *Apocalyptic literature interpreted*
- *The three main events in the future*

II. The unfolding chronology of the book of Revelation

- *The Prelude to the Tribulation*
- *The Program of the Tribulation*
- *The Postlude of the Tribulation*

III. A detailed description of the Lord Jesus Christ

- *His Person*
- *His Power*

IV. Christ's last words to the Church on Earth today

Follow Along Outline

REVELATION BACKGROUND

The book of Revelation was written by the Apostle John in 95 AD while he was under house arrest on the Isle of Patmos. It was revealed to John by an angel.

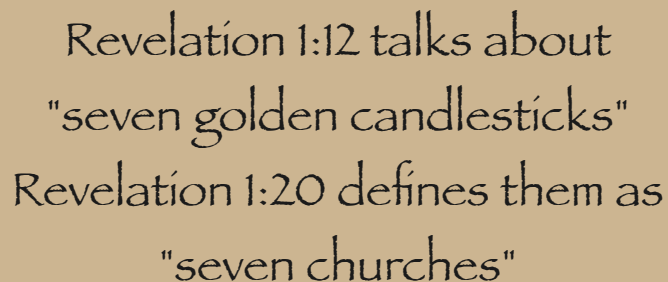
Apocalyptic literature identified

There are four apocalyptic books in the Bible

- ▶ Daniel
- ▶ Ezekiel
- ▶ Zechariah
- ▶ Revelation

Apocalyptic literature interpreted

It takes a symbol within the context of the message and uses that as a way of communicating an absolute truth. The way you interpret this symbol is by additional apocalyptic literature.



Revelation 1:12 talks about
"seven golden candlesticks"
Revelation 1:20 defines them as
"seven churches"

The 3 remaining main events in God's Timetable

- ▶ The Rapture of the Church
- ▶ The Revelation/Return of Christ
- ▶ The Retribution - the Great White Throne Judgment

The periods following those 3 Events

- ▶ The Tribulation
- ▶ The Millennial Reign / 1000-Year Kingdom of Christ
- ▶ Eternity Future
 - New Heaven, New Earth, and New Jerusalem



The Rapture ... and the Tribulation

Descriptions of the Rapture

- ▶ John 14:1-4 - Jesus alludes to the Rapture
- ▶ I Thessalonians 4:13-18 - Paul describes the Rapture

Descriptions of the 7-Year Tribulation

- ▶ Revelation 4:2-19:11

The Revelation ... and the Kingdom

The **Revelation** of Jesus Christ – His **Return** to the Earth

- ▶ His **Return** to the Mount of Olives.
- ▶ The Construction of the Messiah's Temple on the Temple Mount - *Ezekiel 40-46*
- ▶ The battle of Armageddon in the Jezreel Valley
- ▶ Christ gathers in the Jewish survivors in Petra and returns with them to Jerusalem

The **Millennial** Kingdom – the 1000 year Reign of Christ

- ▶ Revelation 20:4-6

The Retribution ... and Eternity Future

- ▶ **The Great White Throne Judgment**
- ▶ Revelation 20:11-15

The **Judge** – Jesus Christ

The **Judged** – The Lost

The **Judgment** - The Lake of Fire

- ▶ Torment
- ▶ Thirst
- ▶ Thinking

The Book of Revelation - *the End Times for the Christians*

Revelation starts at the
Resurrection of Christ
and extends to
Eternity Future.

A Biblical Outline for the book of **Revelation**

- ▶ Things which were - Chapter 1
- ▶ Things which are - Chapter 2 and 3
- ▶ Things which shall be hereafter - Chapter 4 - 22

Another Outline for the book of **Revelation**

- ▶ The Prelude to the Tribulation - Chapter 1:1 - 4:1
- ▶ The Program of the Tribulation - Chapter 4:2 - 19:10
- ▶ The Postlude to the Tribulation - Chapter 19:11 - 22:21

The Resurrection is the
Key Event in all of History.

The Prelude to the Tribulation

- ▶ The Rapture of the Church – Revelation 4:1, 2 & I Thessalonians 4:13-18

UNFOLDING THE BOOK OF REVELATION

Prior to the Rapture of the Church

- ▶ Chapter 1 – Jesus Christ in His person and power
- ▶ Chapters 2 & 3 – Jesus Christ writing a letter to 7 churches
- ▶ Chapter 4 – The Rapture of the Church
- ▶ Chapter 5 – Angels singing, Worthy is the Lamb
- ▶ Chapter 6 – The beginning of 3 sets of Judgments during the Tribulation

The events of the First 3.5 Years

- ▶ Seven Seal judgments
- ▶ Two Witnesses
- ▶ 144,000 will be born again
- ▶ The death, resurrection and entrance into Heaven of the two Witnesses
- ▶ The battle in Heaven between the Archangel Michael and Satan

The Events of the Last 3.5 Years

- ▶ Seven Trumpet Judgments
- ▶ Seven Vial Judgments
- ▶ The Battle of Armageddon
- ▶ Satan is bound for 1,000 years
- ▶ The Millennial Kingdom rule of Jesus Christ (and us)
- ▶ Satan is loosed for a season and recaptured by God
- ▶ The Great White Throne Judgment
- ▶ Eternity Future, new Heaven, new Earth and new Jerusalem

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF JESUS CHRIST

Revelation 1 – the **Person** and **Power** of Jesus Christ

Verse 12 - The seven golden candlesticks are an apocalyptic symbol of seven churches.

Verse 16 - The seven stars are the angels of the seven churches. Verse 20

Verse 14 - The glorified, resurrected Jesus Christ is described. His head and hair were white like wool, as white as snow, depicting His purity and longevity from eternity past through eternity future. His eyes were as a flame of fire. Jesus can see all.

Verse 15 - His feet were like fine brass burned in the furnace, depicting His coming as the purified judge. His voice was as the sound of many waters.

- ▶ That voice _____
- ▶ That voice _____
- ▶ That voice _____
- ▶ That voice _____

Verse 16 - Out of His mouth went a two-edged sword, the Word of God. Cf. Hebrews 4:12 His countenance was as the sun shining in all its brilliance.

Verse 18 - His testimony attesting to His life, death, burial and resurrection, describing His person and His power.

CHRIST'S LAST WORDS TO THE CHURCH TODAY

Revelation 2 and 3

Here is recorded seven letters to seven churches, alive in 95 A.D., alive throughout church history, and alive today. Common to each letter are the words, *and unto him who is an overcomer*.

- ▶ The church at Ephesus (2:7)

- ▶ The church at Smyrna (2:11)

- ▶ The church at Pergamum (2:17)

- ▶ The church at Thyatira (2:26-28)

- ▶ The church at Sardis (3:5)

- ▶ The church at Philadelphia (3:12)

- ▶ The church at Laodicea (3:21)

Think About This!

1. Revelation 2 and 3 are Jesus' Last Words To The Church on Earth Today. What do they mean to you?
2. Jesus is coming again! John 14:3 How should we prepare?
3. I John 5:4 describes and defines an Overcomer as one who has trusted in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. Have you? If so, then the promises listed above are yours. If not, then you face the third main event of the future, that of retribution described in Revelation 20:11-15

Chapter Two



After the Church has been caught up to be with Christ

At first, it seems that there is a peace, as a powerful, charismatic, religious, political, military, and economic superman takes charge of this chaotic world. But then the clock starts ticking on the seven year Tribulation period when the Antichrist confirms a peace covenant with Israel. This time unleashes one judgment after another, each progressively worse than the last.

Overview of Chapter Two

I. The Program of the Seven Year Tribulation period

- *The Three Sets of Judgments*
 - *The Seal Judgments*
 - *The Trumpet Judgments*
 - *The Vial Judgments*

II. The Seal judgments during the first half of the Tribulation

- *The first seal – the appearance of the Antichrist*
- *The second seal – the judgment of war*
- *The third seal – the judgment of famine*
- *The fourth seal – the judgment of death*
- *The fifth seal – the martyrdom of believers*
- *The sixth seal – the judgment of terror through nature*

Follow Along Outline

THE SEVEN SEAL JUDGMENTS during the 1st half of the Tribulation

The **First Seal** – The appearance of Antichrist

- ▶ In Revelation 6:1 we read how he is revealed. The Apostle John heard thunder. He saw a white horse. Its rider had a bow and a crown, and he went forth conquering and to conquer. This is the beginning of the seven years of Tribulation, the time of Jacob's trouble.
- ▶ Daniel, in chapter 7 of his prophecy, speaks of the Revived Roman Empire (the ten horns). The little horn (one of 27 names for the Antichrist) comes to power and will confirm a covenant with Israel for this seven year period of time. That starts the clock ticking on that period of Tribulation.
- ▶ Revelation 13 confirms that the Antichrist comes from the Revived Roman Empire (a one-world economic political system) and is wounded, "as it were," to the death. "As it were" is used 52 times in the book of Revelation, and what it means is it seems to be but not really is. He is wounded, but does not die.
- ▶ Revelation 17 tells us about a one-world false church over which the Antichrist will rule in the city of Rome over a 3.5 year period of time.
- ▶ The one-world church was originally established in Babylon as a mother-son cult over 4,000 years ago. When Babylon fell in 539 B.C., this mother-son cult moved to Pergamos. It remained there until the fall of the Roman Empire when it was actually moved to a seven hilled city (Revelation 17:9), Rome.
- ▶ In Revelation 17 the word whore is used three times and the word woman six times referring to an unvirtuous woman (apocalyptic symbol). True believers in Jesus Christ are the bride of Christ, pure and virtuous.
- ▶ In Revelation 17:16 the Antichrist at the end of 3.5 years will rise and destroy this false church. Antichrist will then leave Rome and go to Jerusalem and desecrate the Temple.

The **Second Seal** – the judgment of **war**

- ▶ In Revelation 6:3,4 a red horse is mentioned with its rider given power to take peace from the earth and that men would kill one another. A great sword was given to him.

The **Third Seal** – the judgment of **famine**

- ▶ In Revelation 6:5,6 the black horse is mentioned with its rider carrying a pair of scales in his hand. A measure (quart) of wheat took a day's wages to purchase and make enough bread for a family of four. Three measures of barley was enough food for one's animals.
- ▶ The World Health Organization tells us that 50% of the world's population go without a full stomach, and every seven seconds a child dies of starvation.

The **Fourth Seal** – the judgment of **death**

- ▶ In Revelation 6:7,8 a pale horse is mentioned, and its rider had the name Death, and Hell was following with him.
- ▶ One fourth of the world's population will be killed at this time. Using today's population, that is over 1.5 billion people.

The **Fifth Seal** – the martyrdom of believers

- ▶ Revelation 6:9-11 describes the martyrdom of those who maintained their testimony for Word of God.
- ▶ The Holocaust Museum lists the names of 6,000,000 Jews slain because they were Jewish.

Zechariah 13:8 speaks of a worse Holocaust yet to come during the Tribulation period where two of every three Jewish people will be killed. Presently that would be 8,000,000 Jews.

The **Sixth Seal** – the judgment of terror through nature

- ▶ Revelation 6:12-17 describes the terror through nature where the moon turns to blood, the sun becomes black, and there is a great earthquake. Compare the tsunami, the 7.6 earthquake in Pakistan, earthquakes in many places all over the world.

Think About This!

1. Remember, there is a prelude to all this – the Rapture of the church. Are you ready to be a participant in this next main event on God’s calendar?
2. If not, give very serious consideration to John 3:16-18. By turning from your sin and believing in Jesus Christ and His shed blood on the cross for you, you can qualify to be a participant in that great event so well described in I Thessalonians 4:13-18. To refuse leads you to God’s retribution judgment in Revelation 20:11-15.
3. If you are ready, tell others the Good News how they can be ready, and live godly each day now, maintaining your testimony because of the Word of God!

*Even so come, Lord Jesus. Even so come today.
Even so come, Lord Jesus. Catch up Thy bride away.
Oh how my heart is yearning, longing for Thy returning.
Even so come, Lord Jesus. Even so come today!*

Chapter Three



The Last Half of the Tribulation

The events of the last 3.5 years of the Tribulation period are described by the seven trumpet judgments and the seven vial judgments.

Overview of Chapter Three

I. Events of the First 3.5 years of the Tribulation

II. Events of the Last 3.5 years of the Tribulation

- *War in heaven*
- *Satan, the accuser of the brethren*
- *Satan makes war with Israel.*
- *The seven trumpet judgments*
- *The seven vial judgments*
- *The destruction of Babylon*

III. The Revelation of Jesus Christ

Follow Along Outline

THE PROGRAM OF THE TRIBULATION – PART II

- ▶ During the first 3.5 years of the Tribulation period two witnesses will preach. 144,000 Jews will be born again, 12,000 from each of the twelve tribes of Israel.
- ▶ At the end of the 3.5 years there will be a fight in Heaven between the Archangel Michael and Satan, who is cast out of the Heaven.
- ▶ Gehennah depicts the everlasting fire that burns forever and ever.
- ▶ Revelation 12:9 identifies the dragon as that old serpent called the Devil and Satan.
- ▶ Revelation 12:10 tells us Satan has access to the throne of God to accuse the brethren day and night. How did they overcome him? v. 11
- ▶ In Revelation 12:13 when the dragon saw he was cast down to the earth, he persecuted the woman who brought forth a man child. He will attempt to annihilate Israel and become God.
- ▶ In Revelation 12:17 the dragon was wroth with the woman and made war with the remnant of her seed who keep the commandments of God and have the testimony of Jesus Christ.
- ▶ In the second 3.5 years of the Tribulation Satan intensifies his persecution on the Jewish people described by the seven Trumpet Judgments.
- ▶ A Shofar (ram's horn) is a trumpet that would have been used to call a solemn assembly, bringing the people together at the entrance of the Tabernacle/Temple.

The **Seven Trumpet Judgments** summarized include:

- ▶ **First Trumpet Judgment** – 1/3 of the earth and trees burn up and all the green grass.
- ▶ **Second Trumpet Judgment** – 1/3 of the ocean turns to blood, 1/3 of the fish in the ocean die, 1/3 of the ships on the ocean are destroyed.
- ▶ **Third Trumpet Judgment** – 1/3 of the water is made bitter.
- ▶ **Fourth Trumpet Judgment** – The sun, moon and stars lose 1/3 of their light.
- ▶ **Fifth Trumpet Judgment** – In Revelation chapter 9 Satan releases those evil angels from the bottomless pit. They are described as locusts that as aliens enter the earth's atmosphere from outer space.
 - They have the face of a man, the hair of a woman, the teeth of a lion, a breastplate like a horse running to battle, a tail like a scorpion, and they are given the capability to kill 1/3 of the earth's population.

The Seven Vial Judgments take place culminating with the kings coming out of the East here to Jerusalem

- ▶ **First Vial Judgment** – severely painful sores on those who had the mark of the beast. *Revelation 16:2*
- ▶ **Second Vial Judgment** – All the ocean turns to blood. All the fish die.
- ▶ **Third Vial Judgment** – The rivers and springs of water become blood.
- ▶ **Fourth Vial Judgment** – The sun scorches man, and man blasphemes God instead of repenting.
- ▶ **Fifth Vial Judgment** – In Revelation 16:10, 11 people gnawed their tongues from pain and blasphemed the God of heaven because of their pain and sores, yet they did not repent of their actions.
- ▶ **Sixth Vial Judgment** – The River Euphrates dries up to prepare the way for the kings of the East to come for that campaign of Armageddon. *Revelation 16:12*
- ▶ **Seventh Vial Judgment** – Revelation 16:17 describes the destruction of the City of Babylon, the headquarters in the last 3.5 years of the Tribulation period where the Antichrist rules over a one world economic, political governmental system. Then Jesus Christ comes back to the Mount of Olives.

The City of Babylon

Walls are to protect a city. Two walls surrounded the ancient City of Babylon with a moat in between.

- ▶ The Apostle Peter goes to the City of Babylon and there establishes a church. *1 Peter 5:3*
- ▶ In Isaiah 13 and 14, Jeremiah 50 and 51 and Revelation 18 we are told Babylon will come back to power in the last half of the Tribulation period, the location of the head-quarters for the Antichrist when he rules over a one-world economic, political, governmental system.

Though the Babylonian Empire fell in 539 B.C., the City of Babylon has never fallen.

- ▶ Revelation 18:10, 17 and 19 tell us that in one hour Babylon will be destroyed. This is the 7th Vial Judgment described in 16:17ff as voices, thunder, lightning and the greatest earthquake ever take place to destroy the City of Babylon.
- ▶ Babylon is located in modern-day Iraq. Babylon itself today is on the shores of the Euphrates River some 65 miles southwest of Bagdad, Iraq. Its fall is the last event to take place in the Tribulation period before Jesus Christ returns to Jerusalem.

The Campaign of Armageddon

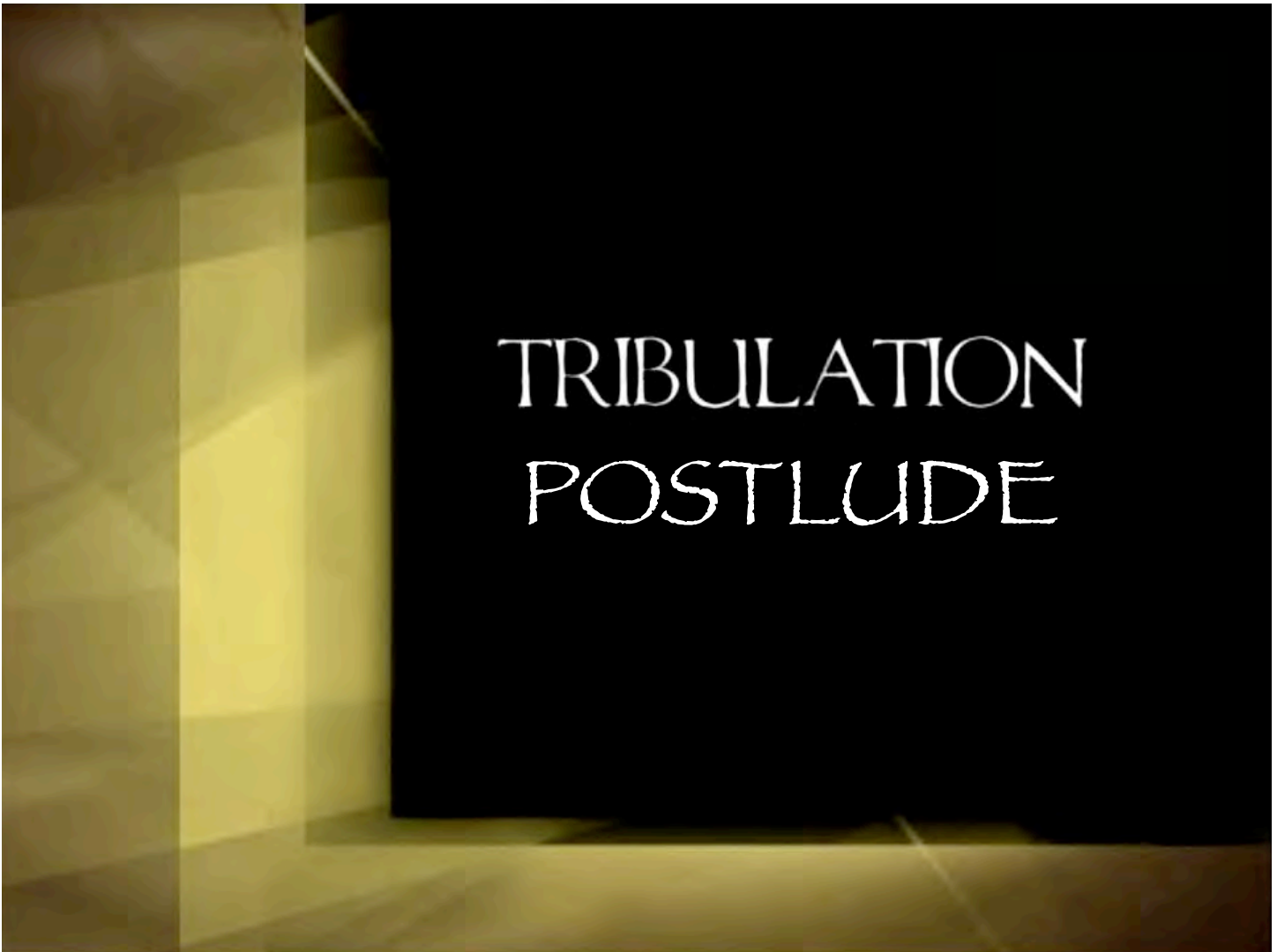
- ▶ Jesus Christ then mounts His white horse in Heaven, we get on our white horses, and we come back to the earth, and that is the Revelation of Christ.
- ▶ When Jesus returns to the Mount of Olives in the City of Jerusalem, the campaign of Armageddon actually begins. The battle will occur in the Jezreel Valley.
- ▶ In Zechariah 14:2 God gathers all the nations of the world against Jerusalem to do battle. Houses will be looted. Women will be raped. The city will be devastated. Half the city will be captured. In verse 3 the Lord will fight against those nations.
- ▶ In Revelation 19:11-14 John saw heaven open, a white horse, its rider called Faithful and True, and in righteousness He judges and makes war. His eyes were as a flame of fire. On His head were many crowns. His vesture (robe) was dipped in blood. His name is called the Word of God. The armies in heaven (those raptured and in the heavens with Him) follow Him clothed in fine linen white and clean.
- ▶ Zechariah 14:4 tells us His feet shall stand in that day upon the Mount of Olives. The mount will split creating a great valley. That massive army of the nations will flee for the Jezreel Valley where the battle will continue.
- ▶ Jesus lifts up Jerusalem and on the temple mount itself, one square mile, He will build His 21 story high Temple, Messiah's Temple as described in Ezekiel 40-46.
- ▶ Jesus then goes to the Jezreel Valley and strikes dead the armies of the nations whose blood and that of the horses will flow as high as the horses bridle.

Think About This!

1. Satan has access to heaven as a prosecuting attorney (accuser) against God's children (believers). *Revelation 12:10* Does Satan ever put you on a guilt trip?
2. Jesus is our defense attorney. *I John 2:1,2*
3. Their victory and ours is found in the blood of the Lamb and the word of our testimonies. *Revelation 12:11*

This is the victory that overcomes the world, even our faith. I John 5:4b
Faith is the victory!!!

Chapter Four



What happens next?

For 7 long grueling years, the long-stored righteous wrath of God has been poured out upon the inhabitants of the earth. What happens next? We will follow Christ's victorious march across the Jezreel Valley and watch Him establish his Millennial Kingdom here on Earth. And after that, the wicked will be sentenced and separated, and the world, the universe, and even Heaven will be taken away and replaced with a New Heaven, New Earth, and a New Jerusalem.

Are you ready?

Overview of Chapter Four

I. The day of God's wrath and vengeance

- *Battle of Armageddon*
- *God's rescue of the surviving Jews from Petra*
- *The millennial kingdom of Jesus Christ, the Prince of Peace*
- *Satan loosed from the bottomless pit for a season*
- *Satan defeated and cast into the lake of fire*
- *Retribution – The Great White Throne Judgment*
 - *The books and the book of life*

II. The new earth, the new heaven, the new Jerusalem

III. When will Jesus Christ come again?

Follow Along Outline

The Battle of Armageddon

- ▶ Revelation 14: 19 and 20 speak of the great winepress of the wrath of God. Blood came up out of the winepress even to the horses bridle for 176 miles. An estimate of 100 million soldiers would be 600 million quarts of blood, 50 quarts every foot for 176 miles, as high as the horses bridle.
- ▶ In Isaiah 63:1 the prophet asks, Who is this that comes from Edom with dried garments from Basra? Basra is known as Petra, the impregnable city prepared by God to protect the Jewish people in the last 3.5 years of the Tribulation. Jesus is the One who comes from Petra.
- ▶ In verse four the day of God's vengeance and the year of His redemption is come. The battle of Armageddon is concluded, and Jesus walks that 176 miles from the Jezreel Valley to Petra to gather the 4 million surviving Jews and bring them to Jerusalem.
- ▶ In Ezekiel 43:4 the glory of the God of Israel came from the way of the east, from Petra to east of Jerusalem. From the Mount of Olives Jesus takes these surviving Jews through the Eastern Gate into His 21 story high Temple.
- ▶ The Eastern Gate is closed now, but when Jesus returns it will be open. He will walk through it up to the temple mount, into the Temple, into the Holy of Holies, sit down on His throne to rule and reign forever and ever. This is the millennial kingdom during which Satan is bound.

Judgment against the Satanic Trinity

- ▶ Gehennah depicts a continuous burning fire, similar to that lake of fire where the Antichrist, the false prophet and Satan himself (the unholy trinity) will be punished forever and ever.

- ▶ In Revelation 20:1 that dragon, that serpent which is the Devil and Satan will be bound and sealed 1,000 years in the bottomless pit. At that time Jesus will rule and reign from the Temple, and believers will rule and reign with Him.

- ▶ Revelation 20:4-6 Jesus, having already built the Temple, will bring the surviving Jews from Petra to it from where He will rule and reign in true peace because the Prince of Peace has come back.

- ▶ Revelation 2:7 – On this Temple Mount, the original site of the Garden of Eden, will be a tree of life. Those who are over comers shall eat of it during the millennium.

- ▶ Revelation 20:7ff – Satan will be loosed for a season and gather the armies of the world to make a final attempt to defeat God. Jesus will defeat him and cast him into the bottomless pit and the lake of fire to be tormented day and night forever and ever along with the false prophet and the Antichrist (the Satanic trinity).

Retribution - The Great White Throne Judgment

- ▶ Revelation 20:11-15 – This is not a judgment to determine whether someone is saved or lost. That decision is made on earth before death. Have you made your decision to be saved?
- ▶ The Great White Throne Judgment is the sentencing of the lost. Jesus Christ is the judge. God the Father delegated this responsibility to His Son. See John 5:27.
- ▶ In verse 12 two different kinds of books are mentioned. The dead are judged according to their works by what is written in the books (plural). There will be degrees of punishment according to the evil, bad works one has done.
- ▶ Also in verse 12 another book (singular) is opened which is the book of life. Then verse 15 tells us whoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire. This will be a terrible time for those who have rejected Jesus Christ. It will be a time of sentencing. The decision that one made while on earth will have confirmed his eternal destiny, judgment in the lake of fire.
- ▶ In Luke 16 we read about Lazarus and the rich man. The rich man dies, and immediately he was in hell, the place that keeps the lost until the Great White Throne Judgment, a place of torment where the flame is not quenched and the worm dies not. It is a place of thirst (just a drop of water to touch my tongue). It is a place of thinking. He asks Abraham to go to his brothers and tell them the proper way.

The New Heaven, The New Earth, and the New Jerusalem

- ▶ In Revelation 21 and 22 we read about the new heaven, the new earth and the new Jerusalem. John saw the holy city, the new Jerusalem.

- ▶ The new Jerusalem is described as 1,500 miles high, 1,500 miles wide and 1,500 miles long.

- ▶ The new Jerusalem will have three pearly gates on each of its four sides and each named by one of the twelve tribes of Israel.

- ▶ Ezekiel 37 tells us the Temple Jesus Christ builds on the Temple Mount will be on the earth. In Revelation 21 there is no temple in the new Jerusalem because God and Jesus are there.

- ▶ The new Jerusalem will not be on earth. It will hover someplace over the new earth.

- ▶ Jews and Gentiles will inhabit the new earth, Christians the new Jerusalem. Those Jews on the earth will have access to come and visit, and we in the new Jerusalem will have access to the new earth. New heavens, new earth and a new Jerusalem.

Wrap - Up to the Walk Thru

- ▶ When would Jesus Christ set up His millennial kingdom?
- ▶ Matthew 24:4ff give us the signs of the time. Take heed to deception, the great deceiver, the Antichrist (the first seal).
- ▶ Matthew 24:6 – the hearing of wars and rumors of wars (the second seal judgment – war) Matthew 24:7 – There will be famines and earthquakes in various places (the sixth seal judgment).
- ▶ In Matthew 24:32 Jesus gives the parable of the fig tree. As soon as its branch becomes tender and sprouts leaves, you know the summer is near. In verse 33 He says, *When you see all these things...What things?* These seven seal judgments. His second coming is near.
- ▶ In Matthew 24:33 it says, *this generation shall not pass away until all these things be fulfilled.* He is talking about the generation that sees these things happening. That's our generation. We are seeing these things unfold.
- ▶ In Luke 21 He says, *When you see these things beginning to happen, look up, for your redemption draweth nigh.* He is talking about His second coming. How close must we be to the rapture? It could happen at any moment. Are you ready?
- ▶ If not, get ready by trusting Jesus as your Savior and Lord. If you are ready, live a pure life in the light of His soon return, and work productively until He does come.

John concludes with a prayer in Revelation 22:20, *Even so come, Lord Jesus.* Is that your prayer? Let us keep looking up...Until!

Think About This!

If God's judgments are true and righteous (and they are according to Revelation 16:7 and 19:2), then how much more amazing is His love, mercy and grace toward us?

Amazing Grace

Amazing grace, how sweet the sound
That saved a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now I'm found.
Was blind, but now, I see.

When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we've first begun.

- John Newton

The Wonder of it All

There's the wonder of sunset at evening,
The wonder as sunrise I see;
But the wonder of wonders that thrills my
Soul is the wonder that God loves me.

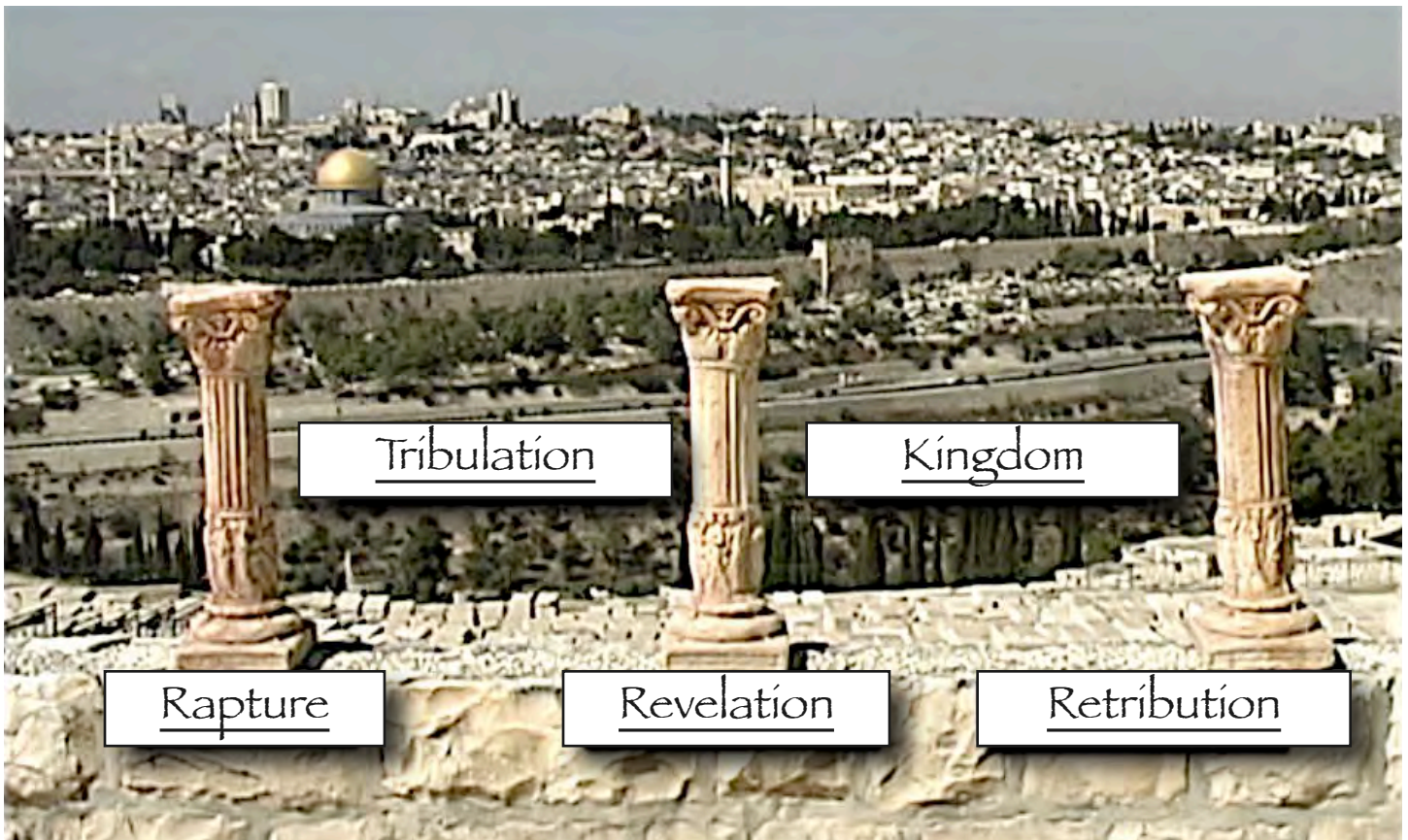
O, the wonder of it all!
The wonder of it all!
Just to think that God loves me.

- George Beverly Shea

Ephesians 2:4-10

Revelation Review

1. How many years is the Tribulation?
2. How many years does the Kingdom last?
3. How many male, virgin Jews are called from each tribe?
4. Where is “Babylon the Great” physically located?
5. In the image below, please fill in the three next great events on God’s time table in the spaces beneath the columns, and then the two events in between them in the spaces between the columns.



6. Please fill in the judgments associated with each of the four horsemen in the following chart.

Horse Color	Rider / Judgment
White	<u>Antichrist</u>
Red	<u>War</u>
Black	<u>Famine</u>
Pale	<u>Death</u>

7. Please fill in the missing judgments to the following chart.

	Seal Judgment	Trumpet Judgment	Vial Judgment
1	Antichrist	1/3 of the Earth burned	<u>Sores</u>
2	<u>war</u>	<u>1/3 of sea creatures die</u>	Sea to blood - all sea life dies
3	famine	Stars fall 1/3 water turns bitter	Rivers to blood - all water dies
4	<u>death</u>	<u>1/3 Sun, Moon, & stars darkened</u>	<u>Sun scorches Earth</u>
5	<u>martyrdom</u>	Woes, Abaddon, Locusts	<u>Beast's kingdom is darkened</u>
6	nature	1/3 of people killed by horsemen	<u>Euphrates dries up</u>
7	1/2 hour of silence / trumpets	Wrath / Reward	"It is Finished"

8. What is the most important / key event in all of history?
9. How many prophecies remain to be fulfilled *before* the Rapture of the Church can take place?
10. Please list the 4 apocalyptic books of the Bible:
 1. Daniel
 2. Ezekiel
 3. Zechariah
 4. Revelation
11. What is apocalyptic literature?
12. Are you ready for the Rapture? Why or why not?

Thank you for studying with us!

We hope this study has been a help to you!

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God bless you, and thanks once again for choosing to study with us the ever closer scenario for the End Times that is laid out in God's prophetic Word. Remember, the Rapture of the Church could take place at any moment, so let's keep looking up... Until.

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