



VOICE:
"Seal up the things
which the seven
peals of thunder
have spoken and
do not write
them"

Go, take the
book which is
open in the
hand of the
angel... take
it and eat it:
it will make
your stomach bitter
but in your mouth
it will be sweet
as honey.

The angel
swore by HIM
who lives forever
and ever, who
created heaven
and the things in it,
and the earth and
the things in it, and
the sea and the
things in it, THAT
THERE WILL BE DELAY
NO LONGER!!

They said to
me,

"You must prophesy again
concerning many people
and nations and
tongues and kings."

6th Trumpet & 2nd Woe

“SEAL UP
7 THUNDERS”

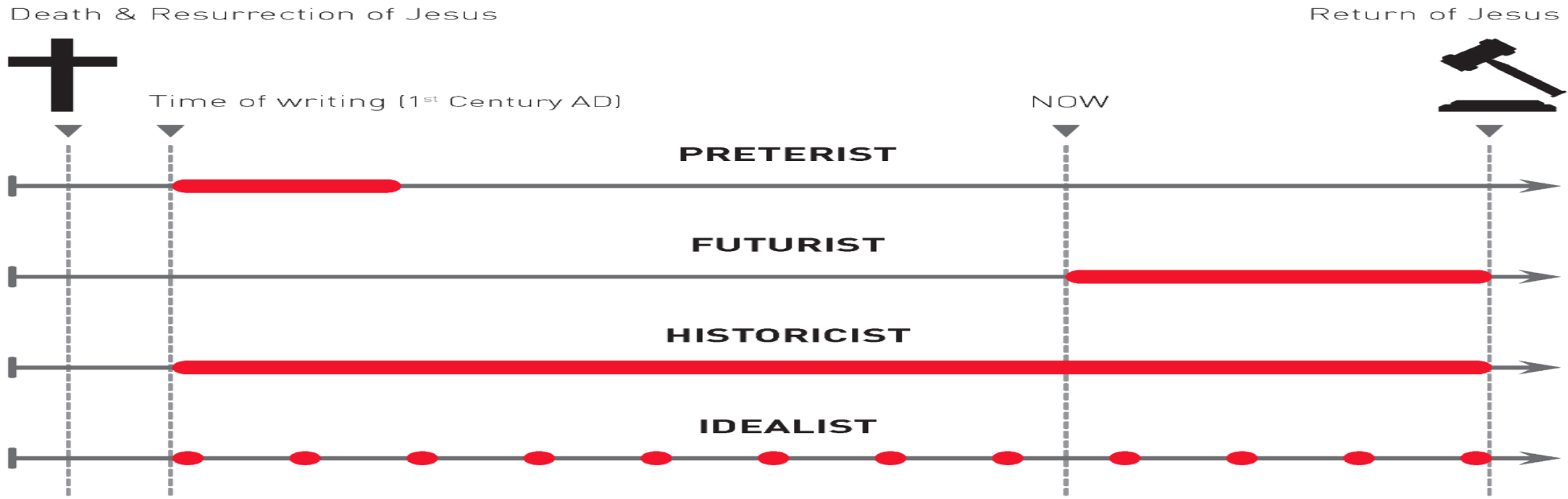
Revelation 10:1-7



“EAT SCROLL”
“PHOPHESY AGAIN”

Revelation 10:8-11





1. PRETERIST: Revelation is about events in the past

The events described in Revelation all took place around the time of the letter's writing and should be read with that historical context in mind. In other words, the letter was written first and foremost to Christians in the first century, under Roman rule and persecution. As such, we need to understand how they would have originally read it, before applying it to ourselves.

2. FUTURIST: Revelation is about events in the future

The events described in Revelation were predicted to take place in the far distant future, at least from the point of view of the original readers. So, the focus is on events that are still to come, including times like "the tribulation" and "the millennium."

3. HISTORICIST: Revelation is about all of history

Revelation describes the key events of history stretching from the death and resurrection of Jesus to his return as judge. It can be seen as a *timetable*, by which we can interpret "the signs of the times." In other words, world events *today* are described in Revelation.

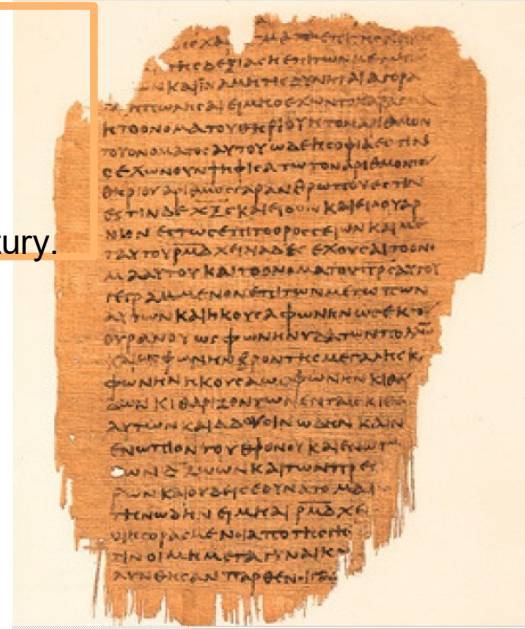
4. IDEALIST: Revelation is about timeless principles

Revelation isn't talking about a specific time. It is talking about a pattern of events or trends that will be repeated throughout history, as an encouragement to God's people of all times who face persecution. In that sense, it is a "timeless" message.

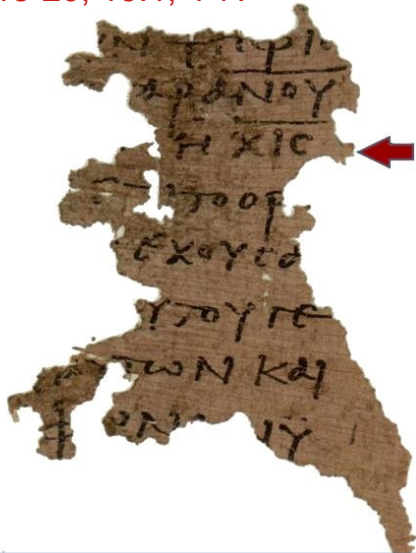
Papyrus 47 is an early copy of the New Testament in Greek.

It is a papyrus manuscript of the Book of Revelation
which contains **Rev. 9:10-11:3; 11:5-16:15; 16:17-17:2**

The manuscript has been assigned paleographically to the 3rd century.

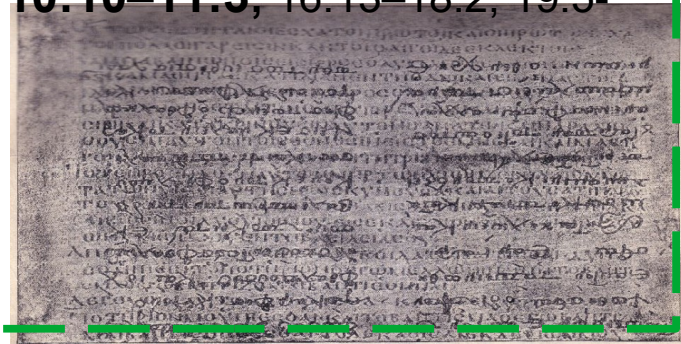


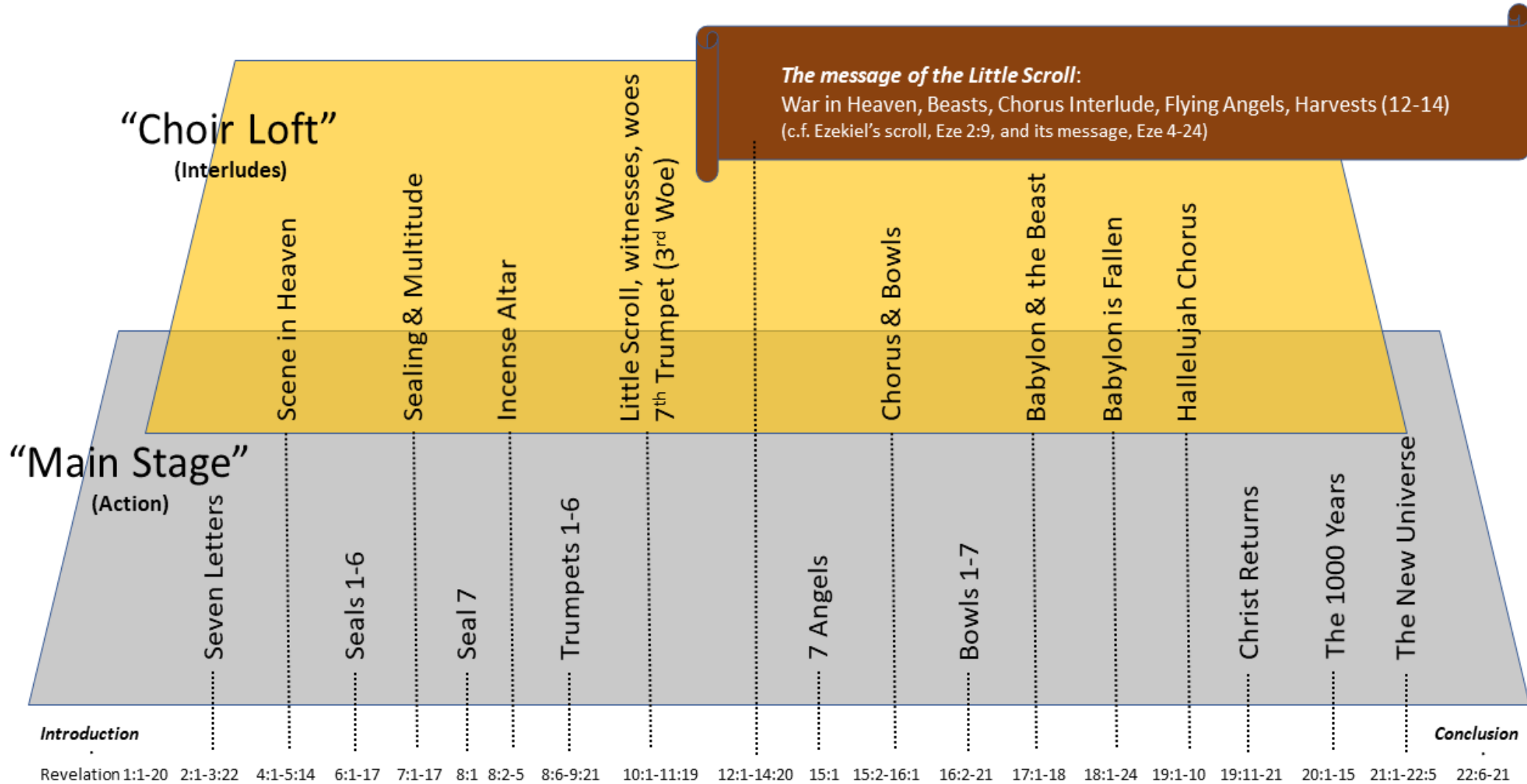
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An interesting element is that it gives the number of the beast in Revelation 13:18 as **616** (chi, iota, stigma (XIC)), rather than the majority reading of **666** (chi, xi, stigma (XEC)), as does Codex Ephraemi Rescriptus.

Codex Ephraemi Rescriptus is a fifth-century Greek manuscript of the Bible. Revelation: 1:1-2; 3:20-5:14; 7:14-17; 8:5-9:16; **10:10-11:3**; 16:13-18:2; 19:5-fin





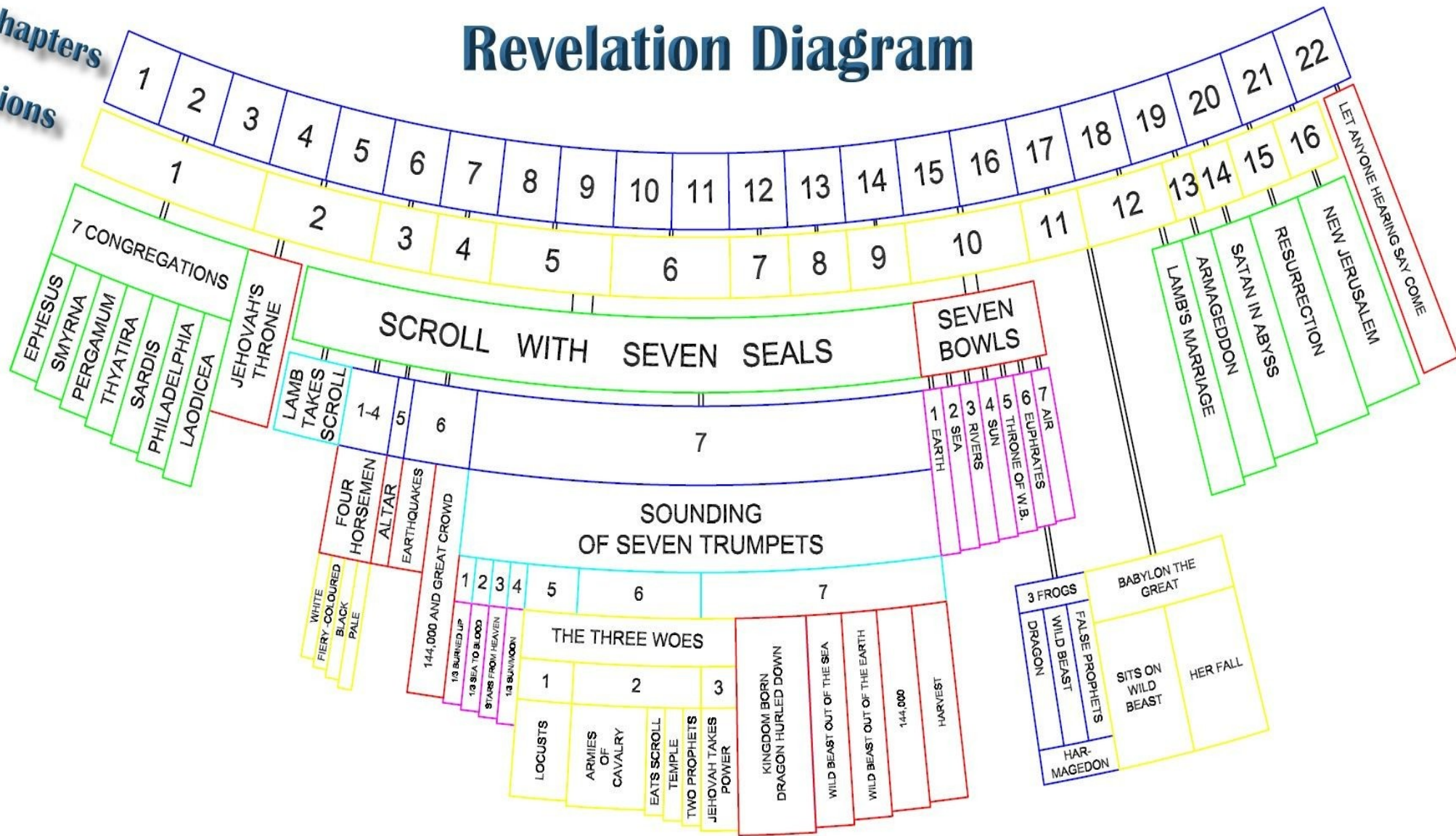
The message of the Little Scroll:

War in Heaven, Beasts, Chorus Interlude, Flying Angels, Harvests (12-14)
(c.f. Ezekiel's scroll, Eze 2:9, and its message, Eze 4-24)

The Dramatic Structure & Outline of Revelation

Chapters
Visions

Revelation Diagram

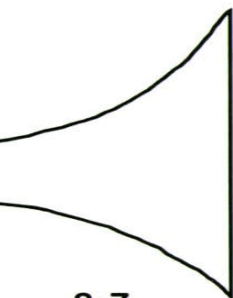


Rev. 8-11

← last 3^{1/2} Years →

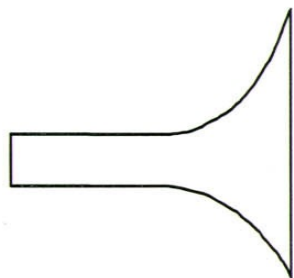
7th Seal =
7 Trumpets

MAT. 24:15-30



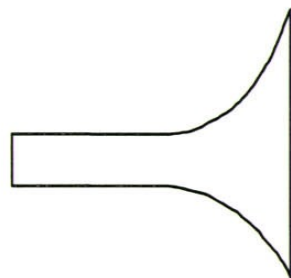
8:7

1/3 of trees,
grass burnt



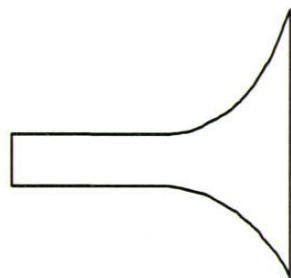
8:8-9

1/3 of sea
into blood



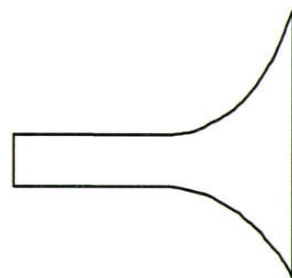
8:10-11

1/3 of fresh
water bitter



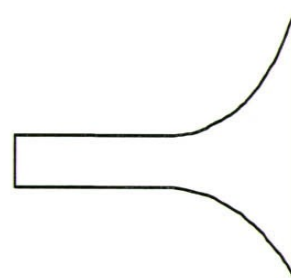
8:12-13

1/3 of sun, moon
& stars dark



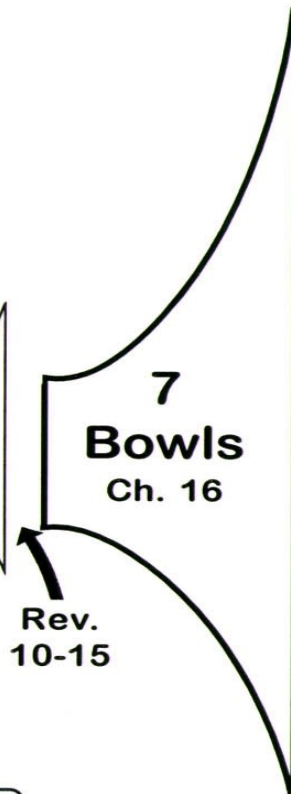
9:1-12

Locusts sting
human for 5 mos.



9:13-21

1/3 of humans
killed



7

Bowls

Ch. 16

**Rev.
10-15**

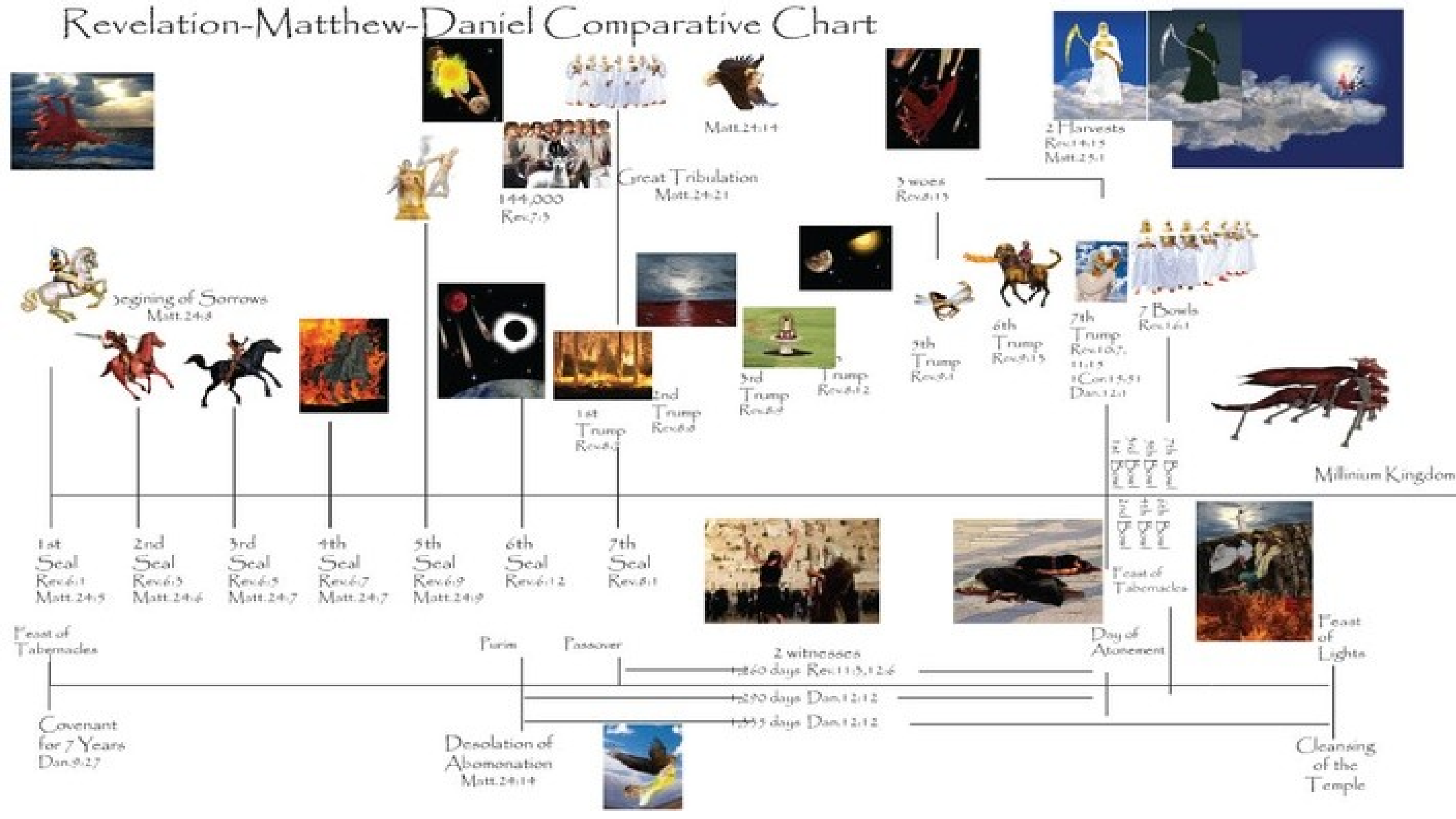
Rev. 10

announcement
of accomplish-
ment of God's
plan.

Rev. 11

Two witnesses in
the last 3 1/2
years, celebra-
tion & sounding
of 7th trumpet.

Revelation-Matthew-Daniel Comparative Chart





Revelation 10

NLT (online)



1 Then I saw another mighty angel coming down from heaven, surrounded by a cloud, with a rainbow over his head. His face shone like the sun, and his feet were like pillars of fire.

2 And in his hand was a small scroll ^[fn] that had been opened. He stood with his right foot on the sea and his left foot on the land.



3 And he gave a great shout like the roar of a lion. And when he shouted, the seven thunders answered.

4 ¶ When the seven thunders spoke, I was about to write. But I heard a voice from heaven saying, “Keep secret ^[fn] what the seven thunders said, and do not write it down.”

5 ¶ Then the angel I saw standing on the sea and on the land raised his right hand toward heaven.



6 He swore an oath in the name of the one who lives forever and ever, who created the heavens and everything in them, the earth and everything in it, and the sea and everything in it. He said, “There will be no more delay.

7 When the seventh angel blows his trumpet, God’s mysterious plan will be fulfilled. It will happen just as he announced it to his servants the prophets.”



Revelation 10

NLT (online)



8 ¶ Then the voice from heaven spoke to me again: “Go and take the open scroll from the hand of the angel who is standing on the sea and on the land.”

9 ¶ So I went to the angel and told him to give me the small scroll. “Yes, take it and eat it,” he said. “It will be sweet as honey in your mouth, but it will turn sour in your stomach!”

10 So I took the small scroll from the hand of the angel, and I ate it! It was sweet in my mouth, but when I swallowed it, it turned sour in my stomach.

11 ¶ Then I was told, “You must prophesy again about many peoples, nations, languages, and kings.”

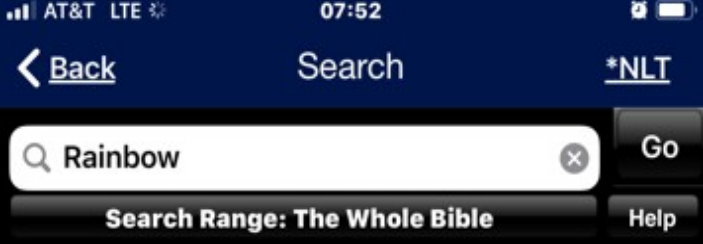
And I saw another mighty angel come down from heaven, clothed with a cloud: and a rainbow was upon his head, and his face was as it were the sun, and his feet as pillars of fire:

— Revelation 10:1 (KJV)



AND	
DANIEL 12	REVELATION 10
Vs. 4 "shut up" and "seal" the book	Vs. 2 book "open" in angel's hand
Vs. 5 two men on left & right riverbank	Vs. 2 feet on land and sea
Vs. 6 man clothed in white linen	Vs. 1 angel
Vs. 7 • held up both hands • swore by Him who lives forever • after time, times, and 1/2 time it shall be finished	Vs. 5 • lifted up hand • swore by Him who created • no "delay" any longer
Vs. 9 "seal" until the time of the end	Vs. 8 take the book which is "open"
Vs. 10 the wise understand	Vs. 9 eat the book
Vs. 11 1290-day/year prophecy	Vs. 11 you must prophesy again
Vs. 12 1335-day/year prophecy	





Rainbow occurs in 7 verses in the NLT

Genesis 9:13

I have placed my **rainbow** in the clouds. It is the sign of my covenant with you and with all the earth.

Genesis 9:14

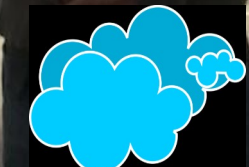
When I send clouds over the earth, the **rainbow** will appear in the clouds,

Genesis 9:16

When I see the **rainbow** in the clouds, I will remember the eternal covenant between God and every living creature on earth."

Genesis 9:17

Then God said to Noah, "Yes, this **rainbow** is the sign of the covenant I am confirming with all the creatures on earth."



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Ezekiel 1:28

All around him was a glowing halo, like a **rainbow** shining in the clouds on a rainy day. This is what the glory of the LORD looked like to me. When I saw it, I fell face down on the ground, and I heard someone's voice speaking to me.

Revelation 4:3

The one sitting on the throne was as brilliant as gemstones--like jasper and carnelian. And the glow of an emerald circled his throne like a **rainbow**.

Revelation 10:1

Then I saw another mighty angel coming down from heaven, surrounded by a cloud, with a **rainbow** over his head. His face shone like the sun, and his feet were like pillars of fire.

**And he had in his hand a little book open:
and he set his right foot upon the sea, and
his left foot on the earth,**

— Revelation 10:2 (KJV)



LAODICEAN CHURCH AGE

Semi-darkness: neither day nor night. An "evening time" condition: no spiritual light of God but "evening (star) light" comes to light the way to the Full Light — the Sun of righteousness.

[Types from Zech. 14:6-7; Mal. 4:2; 2 Pet. 1:19.]

Wesley
PHILADELPHIAN
CHURCH AGE

The Message
of the Prophet
heralds THE COMING.

As the Mighty Angel comes
down Seals are revealed.
Sealed book becomes "little book"
open in His hand: shows that
Mighty Angel is making
Himself known (prominently).

THE MARRIAGE

Only after the Friend of the Bridegroom
has left can the Bride and Bridegroom
enter into the Marriage Chamber (CHUPPAH).
Bridegroom now speaks (with the Voice of an
Archangel) through the 5-Fold Ministry to the Bride.
Bride must become WIFE and be made ready
for the final ceremony to be conducted at the
House of the Bridegroom's Father.

NOTE:

7th STAR-Messenger is not the DAYSTAR (SUN). It is an evening light. It reflects the Daystar. The evening time never has full sunlight. [The "shout" to meet the SON (Bride-groom) and enter into the Marriage takes place here.]

Behold! The
Bridegroom cometh!

SEA

Seven
Seals
revealed

Indictment of Christendom

The VOICE of
the ARCHANGEL

From 1966

Posters
Evangelists
Teachers
Prophets
Apocals

The hour for the Bride-WIFE to go "HOME" will
be made known to her in the Last Trump of God.

The Mighty Angel of the Covenant shines
like the SUN upon the life of the Bride as she
enters into the Nuptial Chamber. The day
dawns and the DAYSTAR arises in the heart
of the Bride. [THIS SHINING FORTH of the
Full SON-LIGHT is hid from the world.
It takes place in the CHUPPAH.]

SILENCE IN
HEAVEN

VOICE LIKE A LION'S ROAR

MARRIAGE SUPPER OF THE LAMB

WIFE OF THE LAMB GRANTED
TO BE ARRAYED IN FINE LINEN
CLEAN AND WHITE

70th WEEK OF DANIEL

LAND

The
LAST
TRUMP

Thunders
utter
their voices to

The Final
"Reveille"
— a revival —
to gather home
the elected members
of the Bride-WIFE.

Two Olives Trees
See Zech. 4:2-3, 10-14

SEALING
of the 144,000
of Israel

Points to note:

Rev. 10 is not the Rapture itself.
See 1 Cor. 15:17.

Rev. 10 is not Christ's coming
with the saints.
See Zech. 14:4; Rev. 20:11-15.

Remember: The Marriage ceremony
takes place openly in the evening time.
But the intimacy between the Bride
and Groom is shared in secrecy in
the CHUPPAH. Groom turns on the
SON-LIGHT of Full Revelation.

And cried with a loud voice, as when a lion roareth: and when he had cried, seven thunders uttered their voices.

— Revelation 10:3 (KJV)

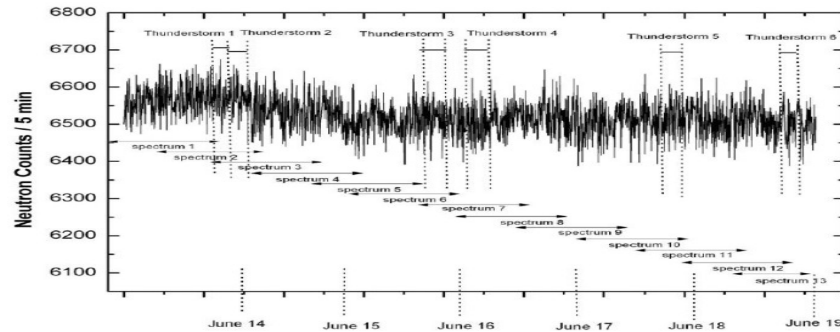
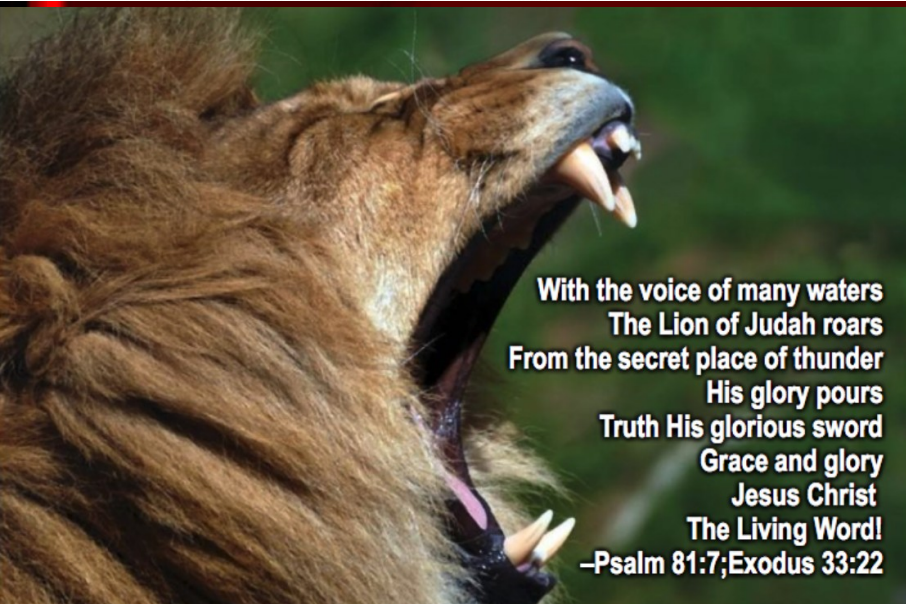
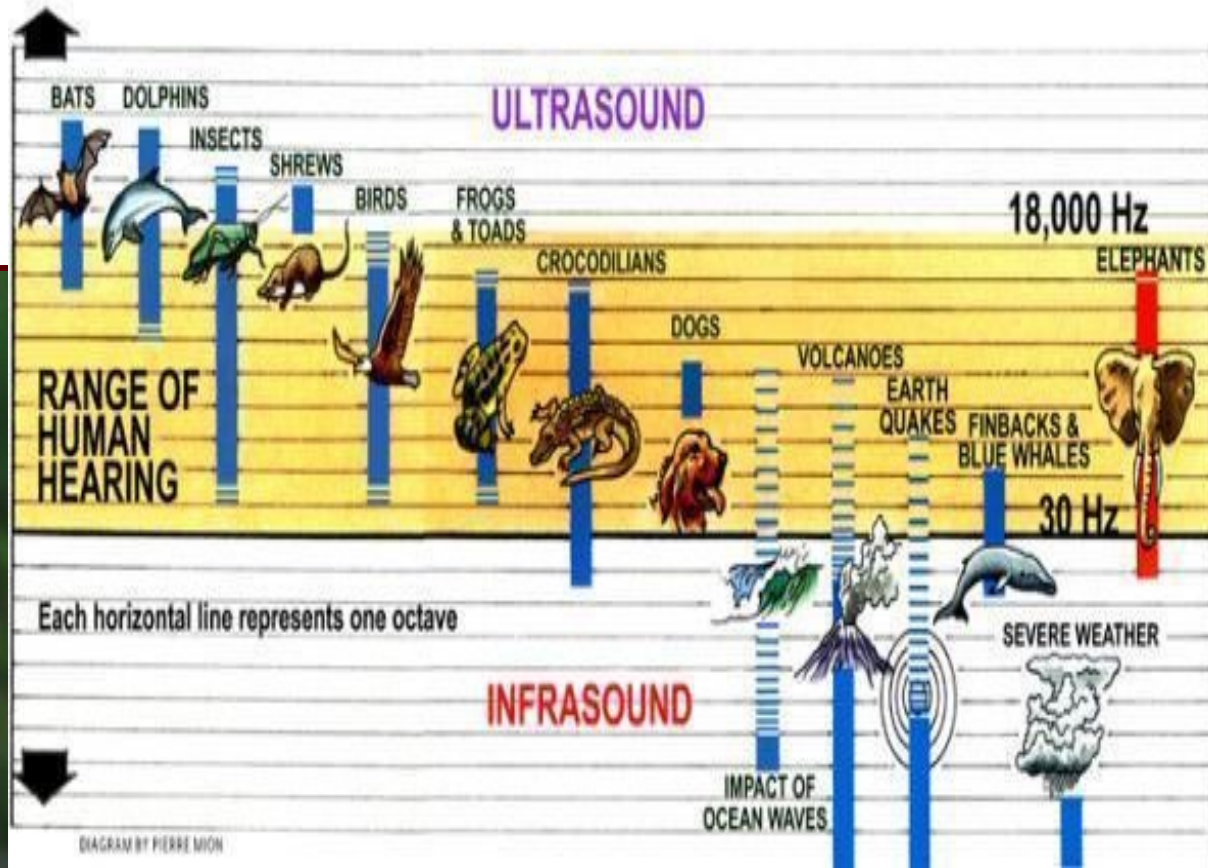


Fig. 1. Neutron counts as a time function for the interval 1, showing the 6 thunderstorms.



With the voice of many waters
The Lion of Judah roars
From the secret place of thunder
His glory pours
Truth His glorious sword
Grace and glory
Jesus Christ
The Living Word!
—Psalm 81:7; Exodus 33:22





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WORD OF THE DAY

WORDS AT PLAY

thunder

DICTIONARY

THESAURUS

thunder noun



Save Word

thun-der | \ 'then-dər \

Definition of *thunder* (Entry 1 of 2)

- 1 : the sound that follows a flash of lightning and is caused by sudden expansion of the air in the path of the electrical discharge
- 2 : BANG, RUMBLE
// the *thunder* of big guns
- 3 : a loud utterance or threat

thunder verb

thundered; thundering \ 'then-d(ə-)rɪŋ \

Definition of *thunder* (Entry 2 of 2)

intransitive verb

- 1 a : to produce thunder —usually used impersonally
// it *thundered*
- b : to give forth a sound that resembles thunder
// horses *thundered* down the road

2 : ROAR, SHOUT

transitive verb

- 1 : to utter loudly : ROAR
- 2 : to strike with a sound likened to thunder

And when the seven thunders had uttered their voices, I was about to write: and I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, Seal up those things which the seven thunders uttered, and write them not.

Revelation 10:4 (KJV)

Revelation 10 – A Big Angel



Concerning what the 7 thunders said . . .

Deuteronomy 29:29

The **secret** things belong to the LORD our God, but the things that are revealed belong to us and to our children forever, that we may do all the words of this law.



Hear the 'roar' of the Lion of Judah, it is announcing something important. And then we hear '7 thunders' speak through the earth. What did they say? John was told not to write it down. Then why did Jesus mention it at all?

Sealed 7 Thunders

Revelation 10:4

“Seal up what the 7 Thunders have said
& do not write it down.”

Biblical Clue to Understand!

Revelation 10:7

“but that in the days of the Trumpet Call ^{7th} Trumpet
to be sounded by the 7th Angel,
the Mystery of YHWH would be fulfilled,
just as he announced to his servants the prophets.”

Understanding the Sealed 7 Thunders also called
the “Mystery of God” during the 7th Trumpet,
comes from **Reading the Biblical Prophets!**

EzeKiel

Isaiah

Daniel

Jeremiah

Joel

Elisha

Mical

Zephaniah

Elijah

Habakkuk

Samuel

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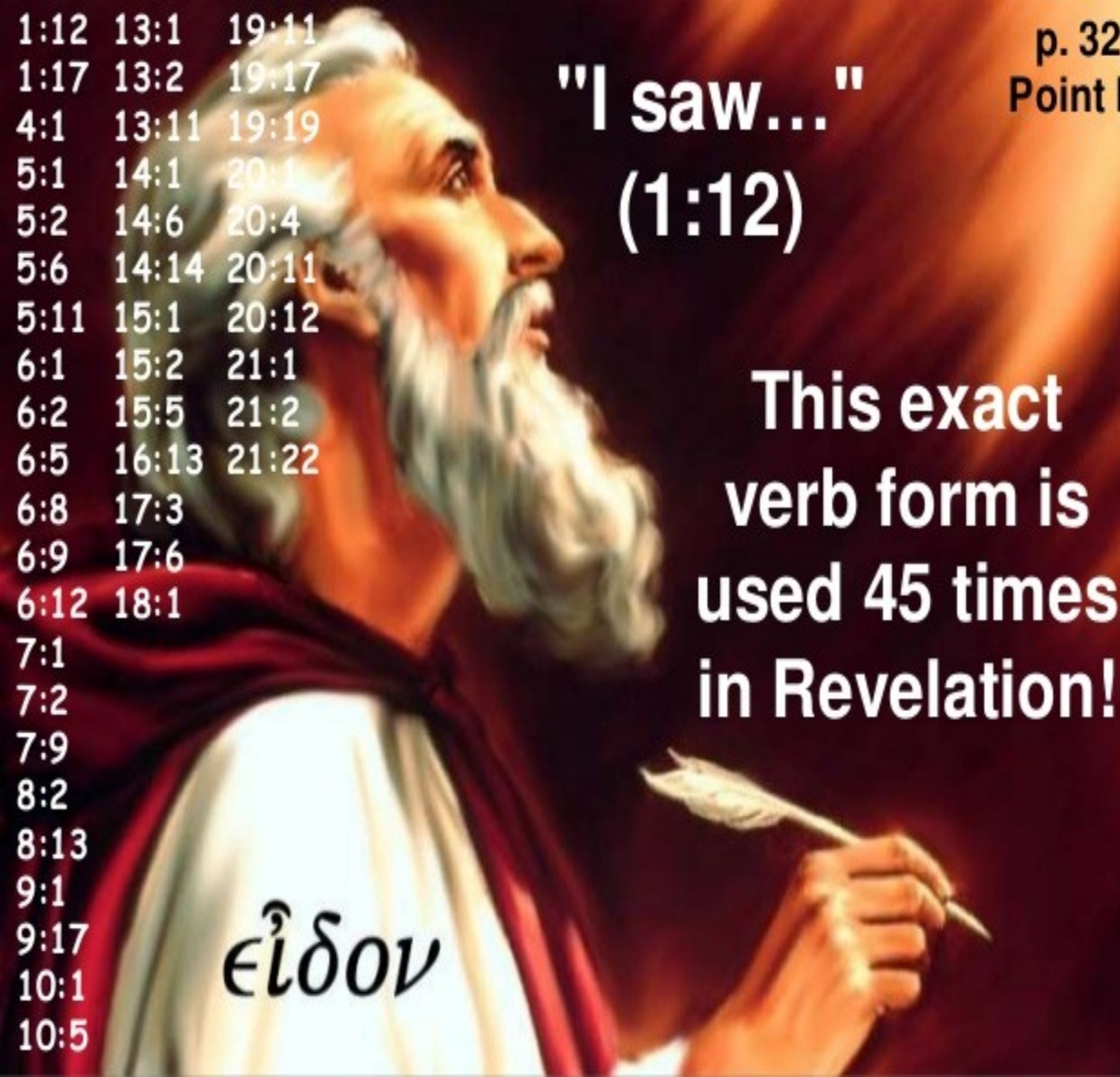
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Nahum

Moses

Haggai

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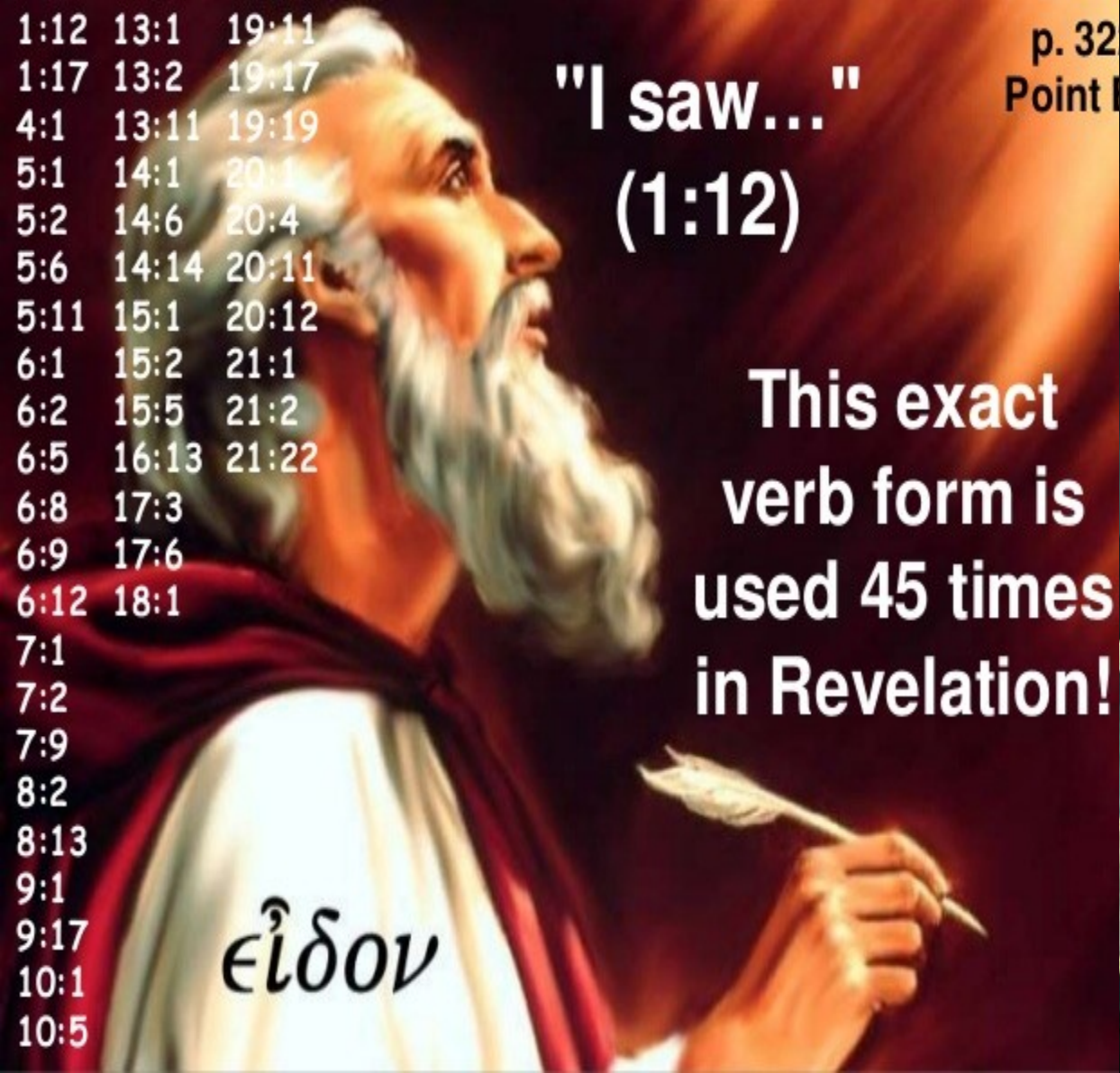
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6:9 17:6
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7:1
7:2
7:9
8:2
8:13
9:1
9:17
10:1
10:5

**"I saw..."
(1:12)**

**This exact
verb form is
used 45 times
in Revelation!**

εἶδον

p. 32
Point I



And the angel which I saw stand upon the sea and upon the earth lifted up his hand to heaven,

— Revelation 10:5 (KJV)

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Revelation 5:13

And every creature which is in **heaven**, and on the **earth**, and under the **earth**, and such as are in the **sea**, and all that are in them, heard I saying, Blessing, and honour, and glory, and power, [be] unto him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb for ever and ever.

Revelation 10:5

And the angel which I saw stand upon the **sea** and upon the **earth** lifted up his hand to **heaven**,

Revelation 10:6

And sware by him that liveth for ever and ever, who created **heaven**, and the things that therein are, and the **earth**, and the things that therein are, and the **sea**, and the things which are therein, that there should be time no longer:

Revelation 10:8

And the voice which I heard from **heaven** spake unto me again, and said, Go [and] take the little book which is open in the hand of the angel which standeth upon the **sea** and upon the **earth**.



Revelation 12:12

Therefore rejoice, [ye] **heavens**, and ye that dwell in them. Woe to the inhabitants of the **earth** and of the **sea**! for the devil is come down unto you, having great wrath, because he knoweth that he hath but a short time.

Revelation 14:7

Saying with a loud voice, Fear God, and give glory to him; for the hour of his judgment is come: and worship him that made **heaven**, and **earth**, and the **sea**, and the fountains of waters.

Revelation 21:1

And I saw a new **heaven** and a new **earth**: for the first **heaven** and the first **earth** were passed away; and there was no more **sea**.

And swear by him that liveth for ever and ever, who created heaven, and the things that therein are, and the earth, and the things that therein are, and the sea, and the things which are therein, that there should be time no longer:

— Revelation 10:6 (KJV)

And every created thing which is in heaven and on the earth and under the earth and on the sea, and all things in them, I heard saying, “To Him who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb, be blessing and honor and glory and dominion forever and ever.”

— Revelation 5:13 (NASB®)



But in the days of the voice of the seventh angel, when he shall begin to sound, the mystery of God should be finished, as he hath declared to his servants the prophets.
— Revelation 10:7 (KJV)

"& we have the **PROPHETIC WORD** more fully confirmed, to which you will do well to **PAY ATTENTION** as to a **LAMP** shining in a dark place, until the day dawns & the morning star rises in your hearts"
 2 Peter 2:19

"...in the days of the trumpet call to be sounded by the 7th angel, the mystery of God would be fulfilled, **JUST as HE ANNOUNCED to HIS SERVANTS the PROPHETS.**
 Revelation 10:7



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And the voice which I heard from heaven spake unto me again, and said, Go and take the little book which is open in the hand of the angel which standeth upon the sea and upon the earth.

Revelation 10:8 (KJV)

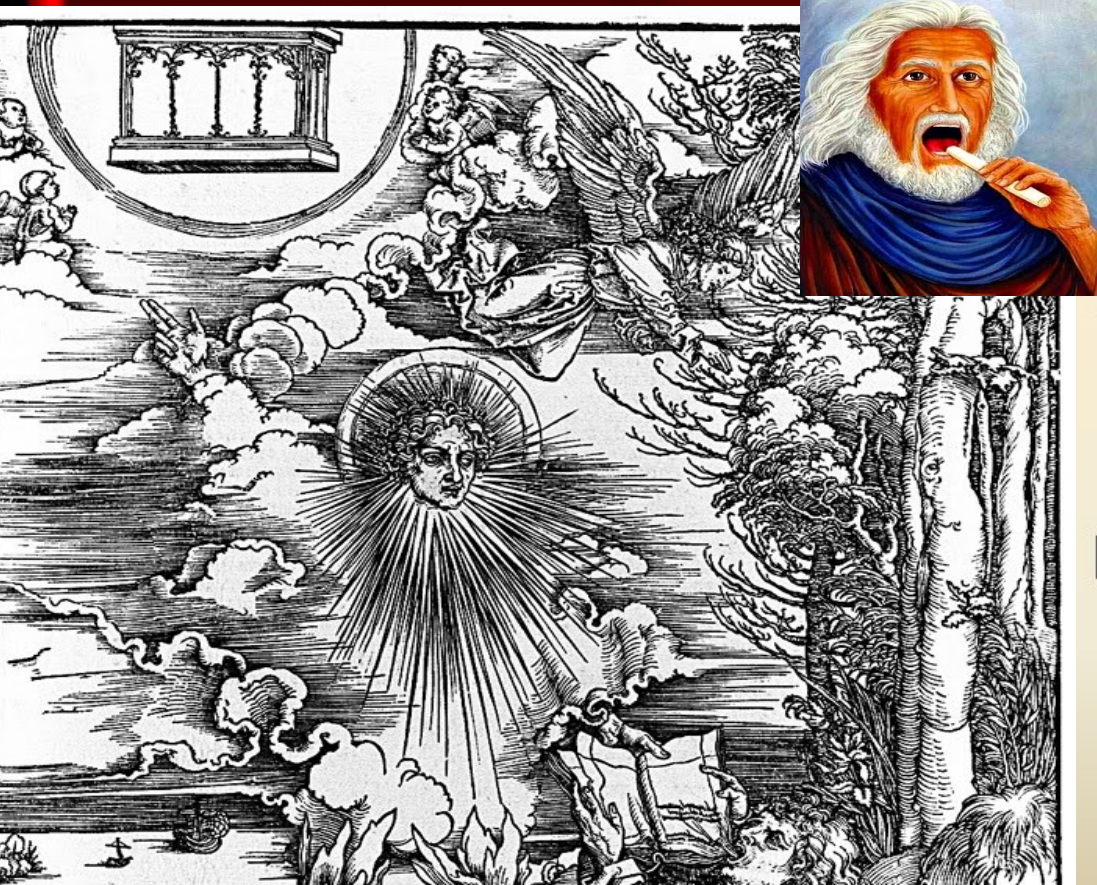


And I went unto the angel, and said unto him, Give me the little book. And he said unto me, Take it, and eat it up; and it shall make thy belly bitter, but it shall be in thy mouth sweet as honey.

Revelation 10:9 (KJV)



And I took the little book out of the angel's hand, and ate it up; and it was in my mouth sweet as honey: and as soon as I had eaten it, my belly was bitter.



Revelation 10:10 (KJV)

“Sweet because John, like all believers, wanted the Lord to act in judgment to take back the earth that is rightfully his and be exalted and glorified as he deserved. Yet the realization of the terrible doom awaiting unbelievers turned that initial sweet taste into **bitterness.**”

(John MacArthur)

And he said unto me, Thou must prophesy again before many peoples, and nations, and tongues, and kings.

— Revelation 10:11 (KJV)

< Rev 10 Interlinear Online

G1163 - *dei*

Outline of Biblical Usage:

- I. it is necessary, there is need of, it behooves, is right and proper
 - A. necessity lying in the nature of the case
 - B. necessity brought on by circumstances or by the conduct of others toward us.
 - C. necessity in reference to what is required to attain some end
 - D. a necessity of law and command, of duty, equity
 - E. necessity established by the counsel and decree of God, especially by that purpose of his which relates to the salvation of men by the intervention of Christ and which is disclosed in the Old Testament prophecies

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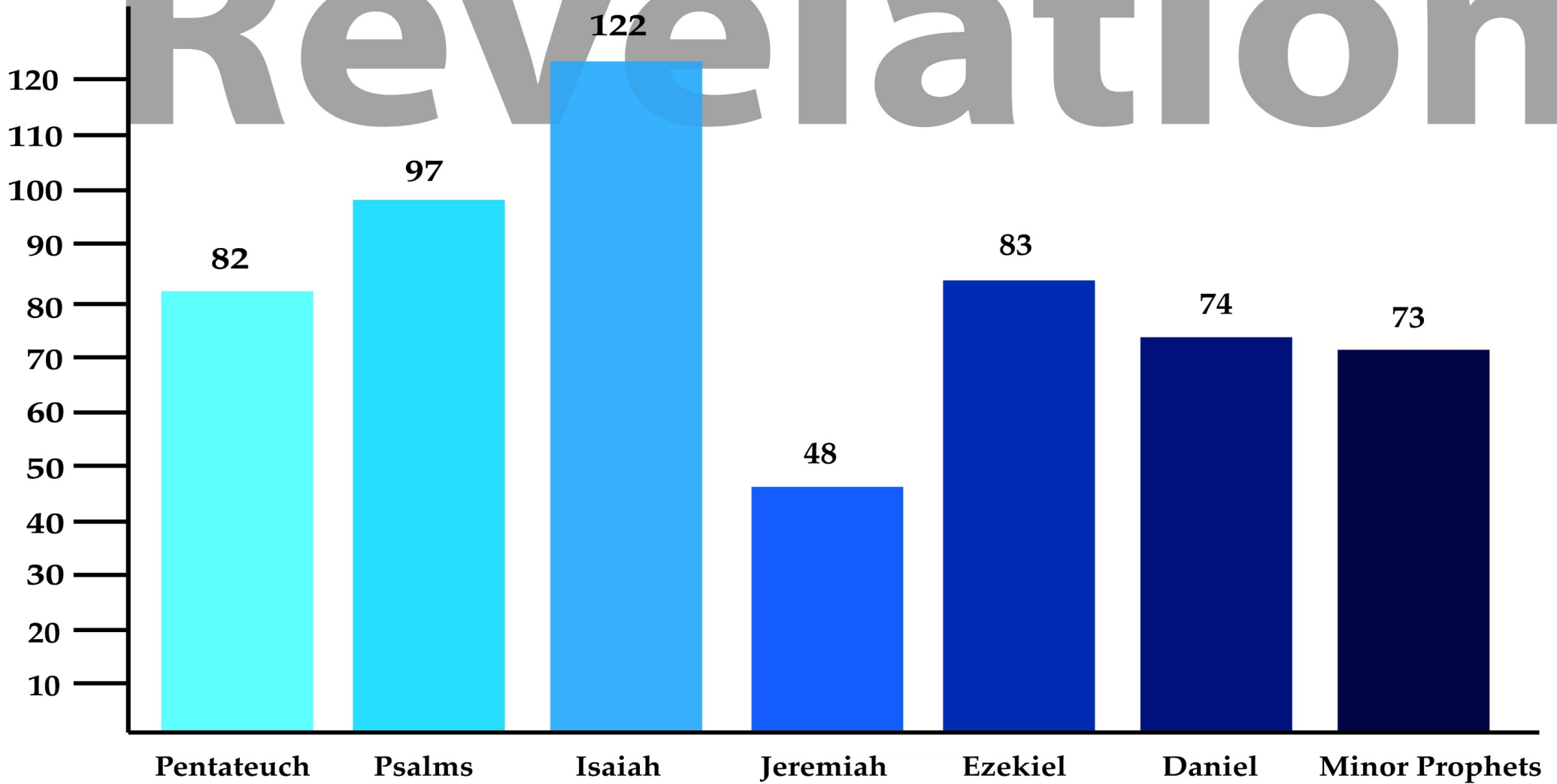
- I. to prophesy, to be a prophet, speak forth by divine inspirations, to predict
 - A. to prophesy
 - B. with the idea of foretelling future events pertaining esp. to the kingdom of God
 - C. to utter forth, declare, a thing which can only be known by divine revelation
 - D. to break forth under sudden impulse in lofty discourse or praise of the divine counsels
 - i. under like prompting, to teach, refute, reprove, admonish, comfort others
 - E. to act as a prophet, discharge the prophetic office





- The unrecorded thunders
 - *Rev 10:1-7 WEB*
 - No more warning
- The little book
 - *Rev 10:8-11 WEB*
 - John must continue to preach a sorrowful message
- The measuring of the temple
 - *Rev 11:1-2 WEB*
 - God knows and protects his people
- The two witnesses
 - *Rev 11:3-13 WEB*
 - Gospel preaching will ultimately triumph

Allusions to the Old Testament



BOOK OF REVELATION

Chapter 11 The ministry of two witnesses

- **A rod to measure** (v.1-2)
Measure the temple, altar and those worship (v.1-2)
- **The two witnesses** (3- 13)
 - a. Who the witnesses are? (v.3; 4)
 - b. How long their ministry (v.3)
 - c. What they will do (v.5-6)
 - d. What will happen to them (v.7-12)(Great earthquake, 1/10th of city falls, 7000 dies) v. 13
- **Second woe is past** (v.14) **Third woe cometh quickly**



The kingdom becomes to the Lord

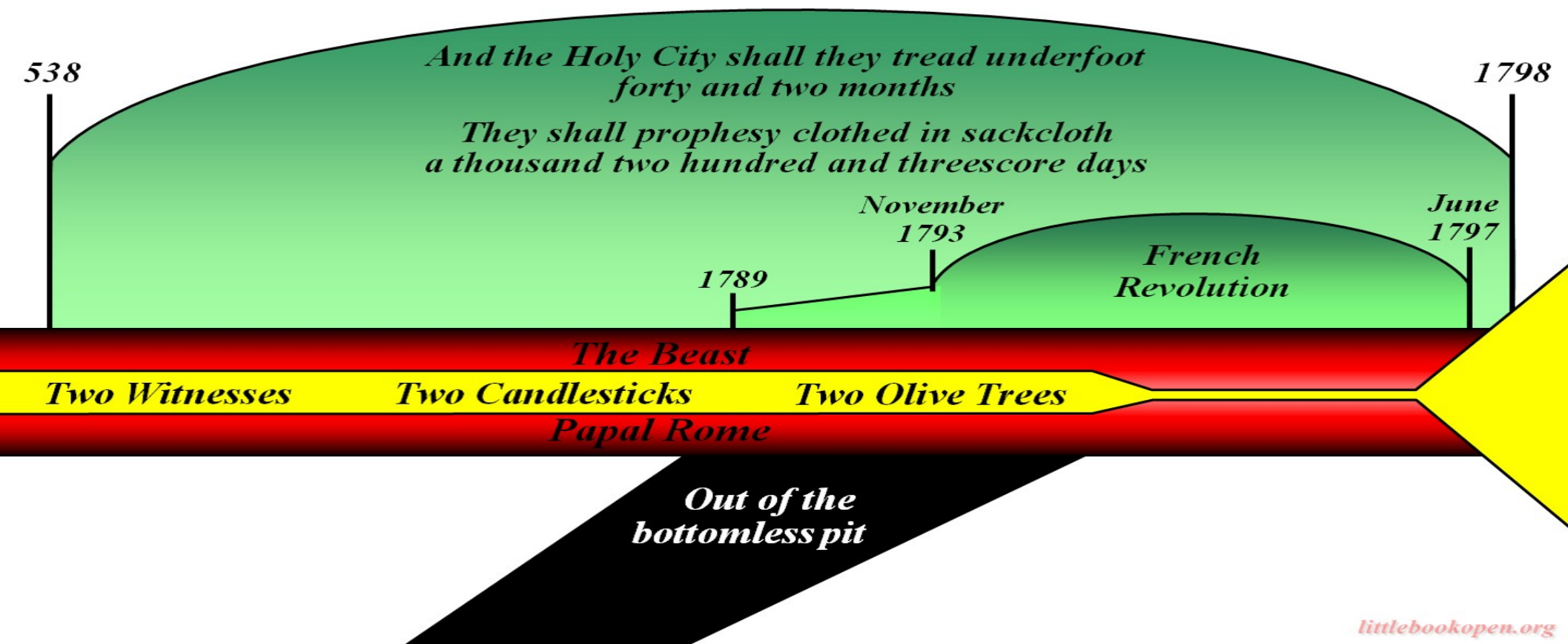
- **When blows the seventh trumpet** (v.15)
 - a. Kingdom of world becomes to the lord and Christ (v.15)
 - b. Time of the wrath of God (to judge and reward-v.18)
 - c. Ark of His testament seen in the temple in heaven (v.18)



Revelation 11:1-13

War Against the Bible #1

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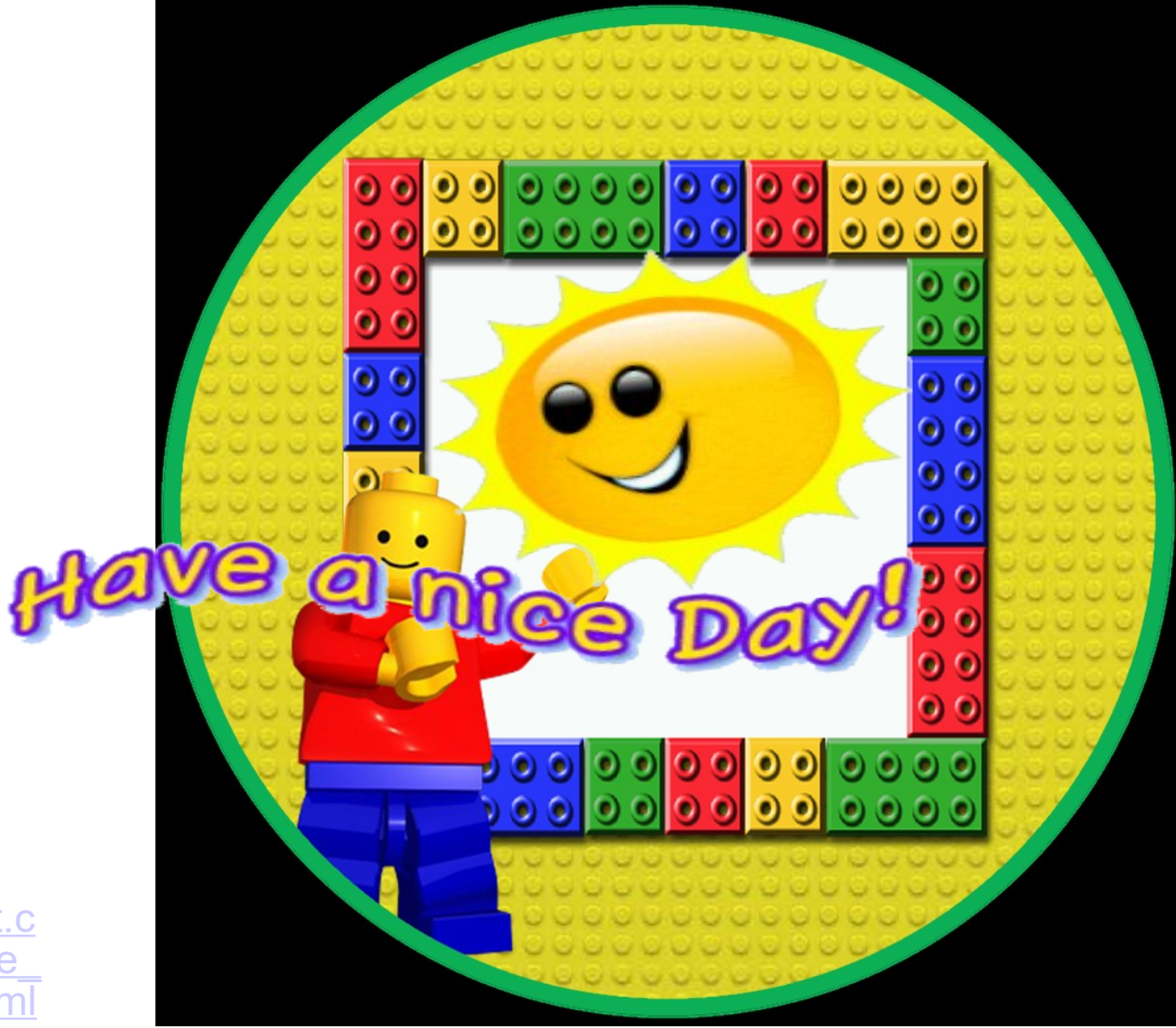


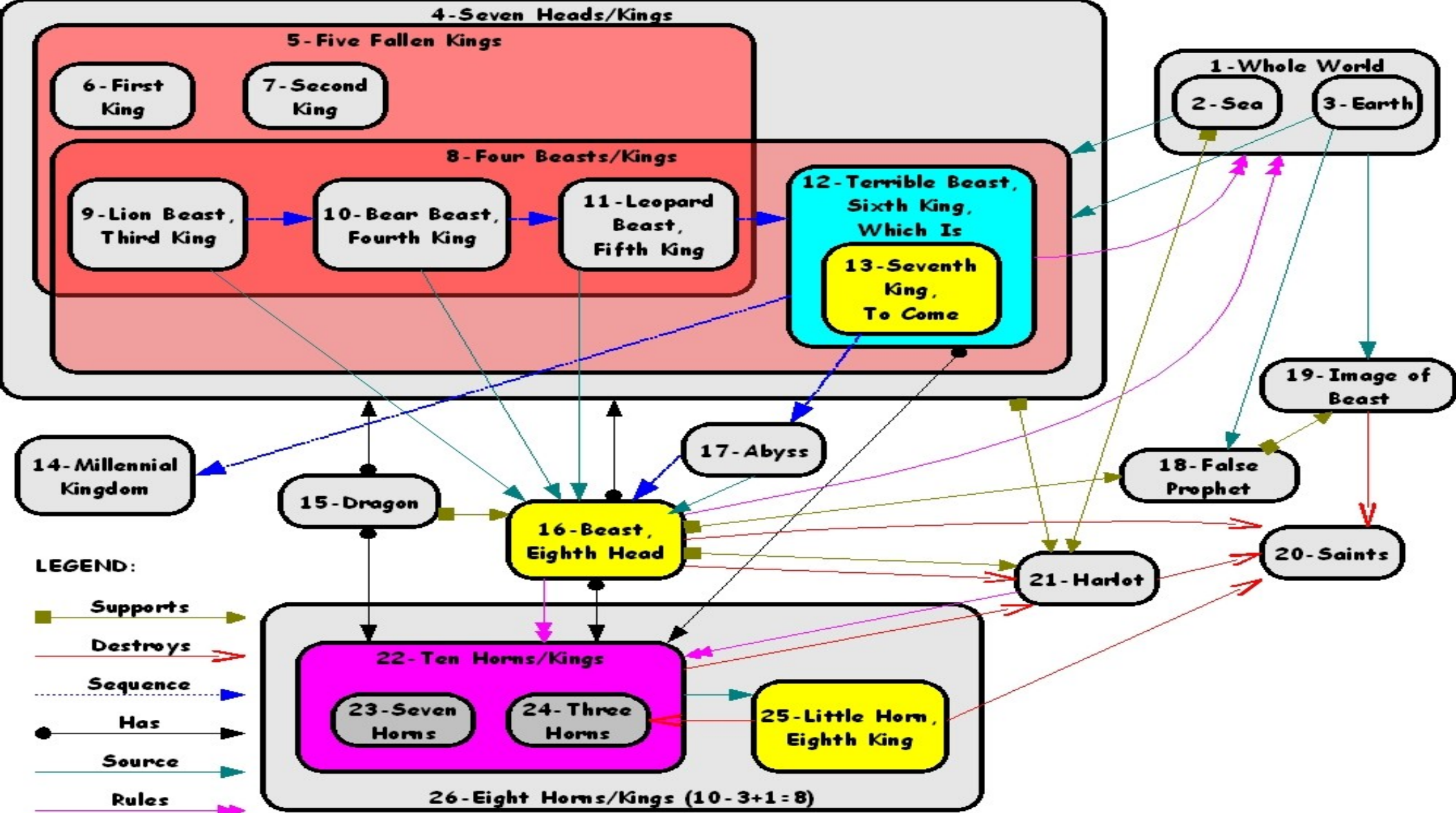
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— Revelation 11:1 (KJV)

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10 FACTS ABOUT HELL **NOT TOLD IN THE CHURCH TODAY**

1. It's a dark, eternal PLACE of fire, brimstone & torment, not a state of mind.
2. It's ruled by GOD, not by the Devil.
3. God IS in there as an ANGRY, HOLY JUDGE, not separated from sinners.
4. The Devil & his Angels are NOT tormenting people in Hell, GOD is.
5. The Devil is NOT in hell yet.
6. The Devil & his angels will be **TORMENTED** there forever & ever.
7. Jesus preached more about Hell than Heaven.
8. Using Hell as a curse word is a sin.
9. People end up in Hell because their SIN incurs God's WRATH.
10. Just "believing in God" will not save you from Hell.

Only JESUS can save you cos He paid ALL your sins on the cross & rose again.
Place your faith in Him alone.

ETERNAL LIFE

Jn 3:16

1

BENEFITS

1. An immortal body 1 Co 15:53
2. No more pain, tears, sorrow, hunger, thirst or uncomfortable conditions Rev 21:4; Rev 7:16
3. No more sin Rev 21:27
4. Jesus will reward us Rev 22:12
5. We will serve and worship God Rev 22:3

ETERNAL LOVE

Ro 8:38,39

2

BENEFITS

1. All of our sins are forgiven Col 2:13
2. Jesus will never leave us Heb 13:5
3. His Holy Spirit, our helper lives in us forever Jn 14:16,17
4. We can bring our cares to God for He cares for us 1 Pe 5:7
5. We will be united in marriage to Christ Eph 5:31,32; Rev 19:7,8

ETERNAL NEEDS

ETERNAL WORTH

Jn 1:12

3

BENEFITS

1. Part of God's household Eph 2:19
2. Adopted into God's family Eph 1:5
3. No longer slaves but Sons Ro 8:15
4. Joint heirs with Christ Ro 8:17
5. We will be like God 1 Jn 3:2

ETERNAL PURPOSE

Eph 2:10

4

BENEFITS

1. God has a plan to prosper us Jer 29:11
2. It is God that works in us to fulfill His purposes Php 2:13
3. We are His ambassadors 2 Co 5:20
4. Each purpose is valuable 1 Co 12:21,22
5. The power of prayer Jn 14:13,14

**MOST PEOPLE
CAN'T SEE BECAUSE**

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**THEY HAVE THE WORLD
PULLED OVER THEIR EYES**

How long it takes to read
THE BOOK OF

Revelation

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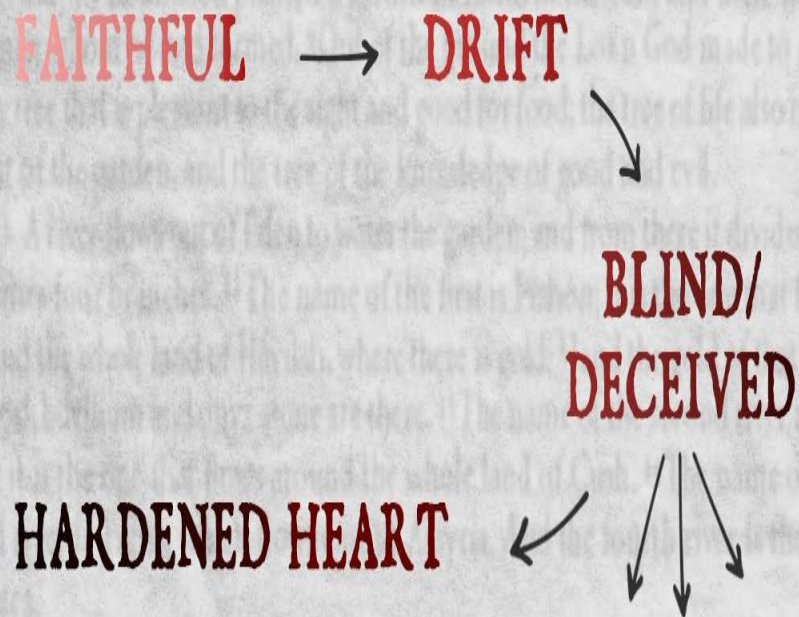
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Blessed is he who reads and those who hear the words of this prophecy, and keep those things which are written in it; for the time is near.



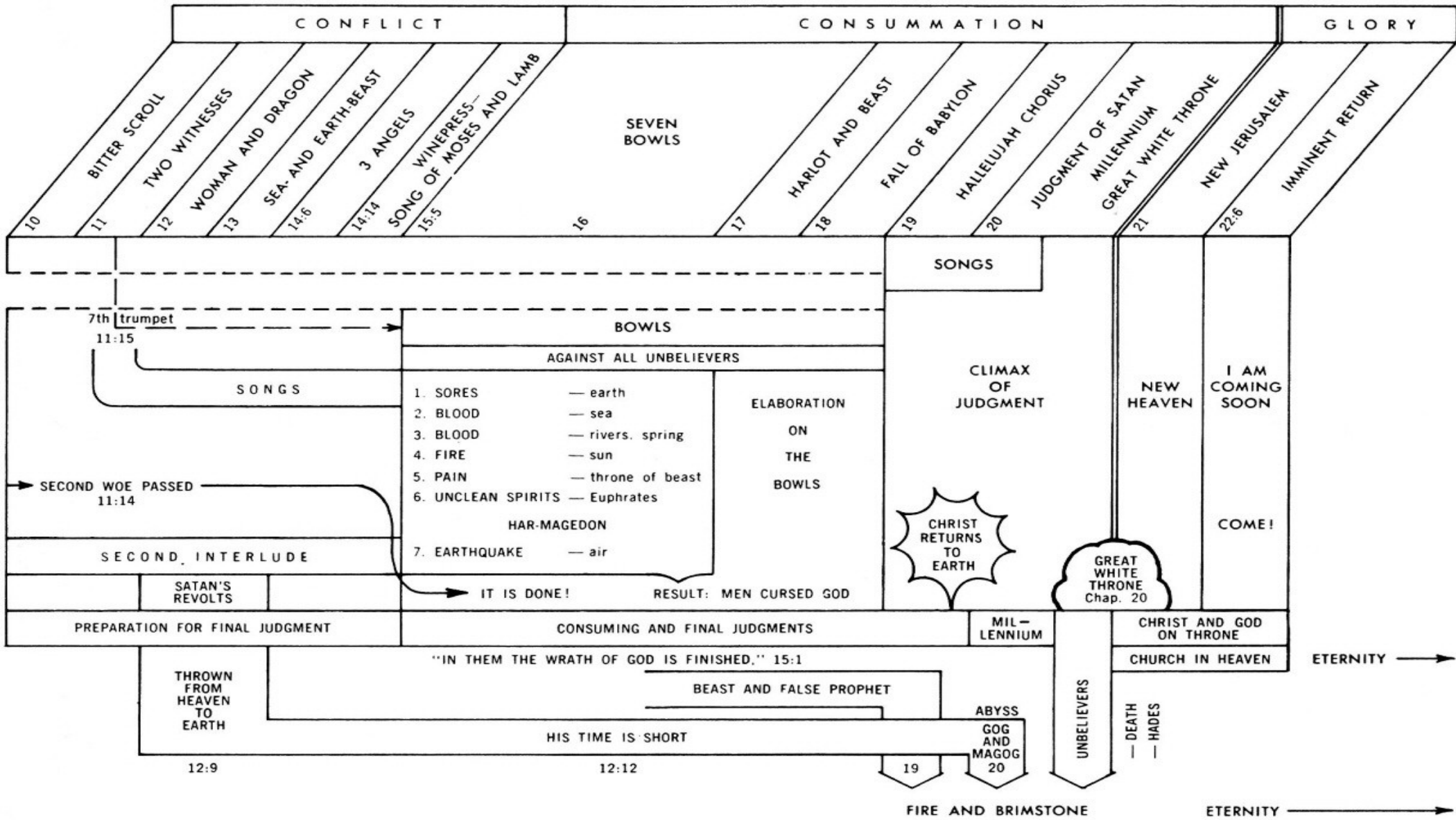
Revelation 1:3





IDENTIFYING MARKS OF THE LAST DAYS

- Unprecedented warfare.—[Matthew 24:7](#); [Revelation 6:4](#)
- Famine.—[Matthew 24:7](#); [Revelation 6:5, 6, 8](#)
- Pestilences.—[Luke 21:11](#); [Revelation 6:8](#)
- Increasing lawlessness.—[Matthew 24:12](#)
- Earthquakes.—[Matthew 24:7](#)
- Critical times hard to deal with.—[2 Timothy 3:1](#)
- Inordinate love of money.—[2 Timothy 3:2](#)
- Disobedience to parents.—[2 Timothy 3:2](#)
- A lack of natural affection.—[2 Timothy 3:3](#)
- Loving pleasures rather than God.—[2 Timothy 3:4](#)
- A lack of self-control.—[2 Timothy 3:3](#)
- Without love of goodness.—[2 Timothy 3:3](#)
- Taking no note of the impending danger.—[Matthew 24:39](#)
- Ridiculers rejecting proof of the last days.—[2 Peter 3:3, 4](#)
- Global preaching of God's Kingdom.—[Matthew 24:14](#)



Thunderstorms and Transient Luminous Events

Vigorous thunderclouds can intrude slightly into the lowest stratosphere in the form of so-called overshooting tops resulting from intense convection (the rising of warm air). **The turbulence associated with such thunderstorms creates a localized zone of mixing between the troposphere and stratosphere.**

The **electrical fields caused by thunderheads**, which of course create lightning within them and down to the Earth's surface, **trigger colorful pulses of light in the upper atmosphere known as Transient Luminous Events (TLEs).**

One kind of TLE, known as **a blue jet, consists of a conical blue discharge that fires in the stratosphere** from the field created by the positively charged cloud top of the thunderstorm and the negatively charged zone formed above it. Blue jets are thought to transport water vapor as well as nitric and nitrous oxides into the stratosphere and also locally decrease ozone concentrations there.

Another TLE, the **red sprite, originates at altitudes above the stratosphere, but its “streamers” can propagate downward into this layer.**

Types of Lightning

- ❖ **Intra-cloud lightning:** Lightning happening inside a cloud.
- ❖ **Cloud to Ground Lightning:** Lightning that hits the Earth from a cloud.
- ❖ **Bead Lightning:** A brighter version of cloud to ground lightning.
- ❖ **Cloud to Cloud Lightning:** Lightning that goes from one cloud to another.(RARE)
- ❖ **Ball Lightning:** Lightning that comes in the shape of a ball in a thunderstorm



• Figure 8 – Thunderstorm intensity based on type and updraft strength. (fm NOAA)