

The Book of Revelation

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Revelation 1:17-19

¹⁷ When I saw Him, I fell at His feet like a dead man And He placed His right hand on me, saying, "Do not be afraid; I am the first and the last, ¹⁸ and the living One; and I was dead, and behold, I am alive forevermore, and I have the keys of death and of Hades. ¹⁹ "Therefore write the things which you have seen, and the things which are, and the things which will take place after these things.

Daniel 9:27

²⁷ "And he will make a firm covenant with the many for one week, but in the middle of the week he will put a stop to sacrifice and grain offering

I. Events in heaven

A. Judgment Seat of the Messiah

2 Corinthians 5:10

¹⁰ For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Messiah, so that each one may be recompensed for his deeds in the body, according to what he has done, whether good or bad.

Romans 14:10, 12

¹⁰ But you, why do you judge your brother? Or you again, why do you regard your brother with contempt? For we will all stand before the judgment seat of G-d. ¹² So then each one of us will give an account of himself to G-d.

Luke 19:11-13, 15

¹¹ While they were listening to these things, Yeshua went on to tell a parable, because He was near Jerusalem, and they supposed that the kingdom of G-d was going to appear immediately. ¹² So He said, "A nobleman went to a distant country to receive a kingdom for himself, and then return. ¹³ "And he called ten of his slaves, and gave them ten minas and said to them, 'Do business with this until I come back.'

Luke 19:11-13, 15

¹⁵ "When he returned, after receiving the kingdom, he ordered that these slaves, to whom he had given the money, be called to him so that he might know what business they had done.

1 Corinthians 3:10-15

¹⁰ According to the grace of G-d which was given to me, like a wise master builder I laid a foundation, and another is building on it. But each man must be careful how he builds on it. ¹¹ For no man can lay a foundation other than the one which is laid, which is Yeshua Messiah. ¹² Now if any man builds on the foundation with gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw,

1 Corinthians 3:10-15

¹³ each man's work will become evident; for the day will show it because it is to be revealed with fire, and the fire itself will test the quality of each man's work. ¹⁴ If any man's work which he has built on it remains, he will receive a reward. ¹⁵ If any man's work is burned up, he will suffer loss; but he himself will be saved, yet so as through fire.

1 Corinthians 4:1-5

¹ Let a man regard us in this manner, as servants of Messiah and stewards of the mysteries of G-d. ² In this case, moreover, it is required of stewards that one be found trustworthy. ³ But to me it is a very small thing that I may be examined by you, or by any human court; in fact, I do not even examine myself.

1 Corinthians 4:1-5

⁴ For I am conscious of nothing against myself, yet I am not by this acquitted; but the one who examines me is the L-rd. ⁵ Therefore do not go on passing judgment before the time, but wait until the L-rd comes who will both bring to light the things hidden in the darkness and disclose the motives of men's hearts; and then each man's praise will come to him from G-d.

I. Events in heaven

B. Marriage supper of the lamb

Revelation 19:5-10

⁵ And a voice came from the throne, saying, "Give praise to our G-d, all you His bond-servants, you who fear Him, the small and the great." ⁶ Then I heard something like the voice of a great multitude and like the sound of many waters and like the sound of mighty peals of thunder, saying, "Hallelujah! For the L-rd our G-d, the Almighty, reigns.

Revelation 19:5-10

⁷ "Let us rejoice and be glad and give the glory to Him, for the marriage of the Lamb has come and His bride has made herself ready." ⁸ It was given to her to clothe herself in fine linen, bright and clean; for the fine linen is the righteous acts of the saints. Then he said to me, "Write, 'Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb'" And he said to me, "These are true words of G-d."

Revelation 19:5-10

¹⁰ Then I fell at his feet to worship him But he said to me, "Do not do that; I am a fellow servant of yours and your brethren who hold the testimony of Yeshua; worship G-d. For the testimony of Yeshua is the spirit of prophecy."

I. Events in heaven

C. Departure from heaven

Revelation 19:11-14

¹¹ And I saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse, and He who sat on it is called Faithful and True, and in righteousness He judges and wages war. ¹² His eyes are a flame of fire, and on His head are many diadems; and He has a name written on Him which no one knows except Himself. ¹³ He is clothed with a robe dipped in blood, and His name is called The Word of G-d.

Revelation 19:11-14

¹⁴ And the armies which are in heaven, clothed in fine linen, white and clean, were following Him on white horses.

II. Events on earth

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A. The judgments

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1. Seals Revelation 6 – 8:1

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3. Vials Revelation 16
4. Religious Babylon Revelation 17
5. Commercial Babylon Revelation 18

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3. Vials Revelation 16
4. Religious Babylon Revelation 17
5. Commercial Babylon Revelation 18
6. Gentiles

Matthew 25:31-33

³¹ "But when the Son of Man comes in His glory, and all the angels with Him, then He will sit on His glorious throne. ³² "All the nations will be gathered before Him; and He will separate them from one another, as the shepherd separates the sheep from the goats; ³³ and He will put the sheep on His right, and the goats on the left.

Joel 3:2, 12, 14

² I will gather all the nations and bring them down to the valley of Jehoshaphat then I will enter into judgment with them there on behalf of My people and My inheritance, Israel, whom they have scattered among the nations; and they have divided up My land. ¹² Let the nations be aroused and come up to the valley of Jehoshaphat, for there I will sit to judge all the surrounding nations. ¹⁴ "Then

Joel 3:2, 12, 14

¹⁴ Multitudes, multitudes in the valley of decision! For the day of the L-rd is near in the valley of decision.

Matthew 25:34, 41

³⁴ "Then the King will say to those on His right, 'Come, you who are blessed of My Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world. ⁴¹ "Then He will also say to those on His left, 'Depart from Me, accursed ones, into the eternal fire which has been prepared for the devil and his angels;

II. Events on earth

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6. Gentiles
7. Jews

Matthew 25:1-2, 5-12

¹"Then the kingdom of heaven will be comparable to ten virgins, who took their lamps and went out to meet the bridegroom. ²"Five of them were foolish, and five were prudent. ³"Now while the bridegroom was delaying, they all got drowsy and began to sleep. ⁴"But at midnight there was a shout, 'Behold, the bridegroom! Come out to meet him.' ⁵"Then all those virgins rose and trimmed their lamps.

Matthew 25:1-2, 5-12

⁸"The foolish said to the prudent, 'Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.' ⁹"But the prudent answered, 'No, there will not be enough for us and you too; go instead to the dealers and buy some for yourselves.' ¹⁰"And while they were going away to make the purchase, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went in with him to the wedding feast; and the door was shut.

Matthew 25:1-2, 5-12

¹¹"Later the other virgins also came, saying, 'L-rd, lord, open up for us.' ¹²"But he answered, 'Truly I say to you, I do not know you.'

Ezekiel 20:35-38, 41-42

³⁵and I will bring you into the wilderness of the peoples, and there I will enter into judgment with you face to face. ³⁶"As I entered into judgment with your fathers in the wilderness of the land of Egypt, so I will enter into judgment with you," declares the L-rd G-d. ³⁷"I will make you pass under the rod, and I will bring you into the bond of the covenant;

Ezekiel 20:35-38, 41-42

³⁸and I will purge from you the rebels and those who transgress against Me; I will bring them out of the land where they sojourn, but they will not enter the land of Israel. Thus you will know that I am the L-rd. ⁴¹"As a soothing aroma I will accept you when I bring you out from the peoples and gather you from the lands where you are scattered; and I will prove Myself holy among you in the sight of the nations.

Ezekiel 20:35-38, 41-42

⁴² "And you will know that I am the L-rd, when I bring you into the land of Israel, into the land which I swore to give to your forefathers..

II. Events on earth

B. The participants

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1. The 144,000 and the gentiles

Revelation 7, 14

II. Events on earth

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2. The two witnesses

Revelation 11:3-6

³ "And I will grant authority to my two witnesses, and they will prophesy for twelve hundred and sixty days, clothed in sackcloth."

⁴ These are the two olive trees and the two lampstands that stand before the L-rd of the earth. ⁵ And if anyone wants to harm them, fire flows out of their mouth and devours their enemies; so if anyone wants to harm them, he must be killed in this way.

Revelation 11:3-6

⁶ These have the power to shut up the sky, so that rain will not fall during the days of their prophesying; and they have power over the waters to turn them into blood, and to strike the earth with every plague, as often as they desire.

II. Events on earth

B. The participants

3. Israel, Satan, Michael

Revelation 12:1-9

¹ A great sign appeared in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars; ² and she was with child; and she cried out, being in labor and in pain to give birth. ³ Then another sign appeared in heaven: and behold, a great red dragon having seven heads and ten horns, and on his heads were seven diadems.

Revelation 12:1-9

⁴ And his tail swept away a third of the stars of heaven and threw them to the earth And the dragon stood before the woman who was about to give birth, so that when she gave birth he might devour her child. ⁵ And she gave birth to a son, a male child, who is to rule all the nations with a rod of iron; and her child was caught up to G-d and to His throne.

Revelation 12:1-9

⁶ Then the woman fled into the wilderness where she had a place prepared by G-d, so that there she would be nourished for one thousand two hundred and sixty days. ⁷ And there was war in heaven, Michael and his angels waging war with the dragon The dragon and his angels waged war, ⁸ and they were not strong enough, and there was no longer a place found for them in heaven.

Revelation 12:1-9

⁹ And the great dragon was thrown down, the serpent of old who is called the devil and Satan, who deceives the whole world; he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him.

II. Events on earth

B. The participants

4. Satan, Beast, False Prophet

Revelation 13:1-2, 5-7, 11, 13-15

¹ And the dragon stood on the sand of the seashore. Then I saw a beast coming up out of the sea, having ten horns and seven heads, and on his horns were ten diadems, and on his heads were blasphemous names. ² And the beast which I saw was like a leopard, and his feet were like those of a bear, and his mouth like the mouth of a lion And the dragon gave him his power and his throne and great authority.

Revelation 13:1-2, 5-7, 11, 13-15

⁵ There was given to him a mouth speaking arrogant words and blasphemies, and authority to act for forty-two months was given to him. ⁶ And he opened his mouth in blasphemies against G-d, to blaspheme His name and His tabernacle, that is, those who dwell in heaven.

Revelation 13:1-2, 5-7, 11, 13-15

⁷ It was also given to him to make war with the saints and to overcome them, and authority over every tribe and people and tongue and nation was given to him. ¹¹ Then I saw another beast coming up out of the earth; and he had two horns like a lamb and he spoke as a dragon. ¹³ He performs great signs, so that he even makes fire come down out of heaven to the earth in the presence of men.

Revelation 13:1-2, 5-7, 11, 13-15

¹⁴ And he deceives those who dwell on the earth because of the signs which it was given him to perform in the presence of the beast, telling those who dwell on the earth to make an image to the beast who had the wound of the sword and has come to life. ¹⁵ And it was given to him to give breath to the image of the beast, so that the image of the beast would even speak and cause as many as do not worship the image of the beast to be killed.

II. Events on earth

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1. The L-rd's appearance

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¹⁴ And the armies which are in heaven, clothed in fine linen, white and clean, were following Him on white horses. ¹⁵ From His mouth comes a sharp sword, so that with it He may strike down the nations, and He will rule them with a rod of iron; and He treads the wine press of the fierce wrath of G-d, the Almighty. ¹⁶ And on His robe and on His thigh He has a name written, "KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS."

II. Events on earth

C. The climax

2. The L-rd's victory

Revelation 19:17-21

¹⁷ Then I saw an angel standing in the sun, and he cried out with a loud voice, saying to all the birds which fly in midheaven, "Come, assemble for the great supper of G-d, ¹⁸ so that you may eat the flesh of kings and the flesh of commanders and the flesh of mighty men and the flesh of horses and of those who sit on them and the flesh of all men, both free men and slaves, and small and great."

Revelation 19:17-21

¹⁹ And I saw the beast and the kings of the earth and their armies assembled to make war against Him who sat on the horse and against His army. ²⁰ And the beast was seized, and with him the false prophet who performed the signs in his presence, by which he deceived those who had received the mark of the beast and those who worshiped his image; these two were thrown alive into the lake of fire which burns with brimstone.

Revelation 19:17-21

²¹ And the rest were killed with the sword which came from the mouth of Him who sat on the horse, and all the birds were filled with their flesh.

Conclusion

A. Believers

2 Peter 3:10-13

¹⁰ But the day of the L-rd will come like a thief, in which the heavens will pass away with a roar and the elements will be destroyed with intense heat, and the earth and its works will be burned up. ¹¹ Since all these things are to be destroyed in this way, what sort of people ought you to be in holy conduct and godliness,

2 Peter 3:10-13

¹² looking for and hastening the coming of the day of G-d, because of which the heavens will be destroyed by burning, and the elements will melt with intense heat! ¹³ But according to His promise we are looking for new heavens and a new earth, in which righteousness dwells.

Luke 19:15

¹⁵ "When he returned, after receiving the kingdom, he ordered that these slaves, to whom he had given the money, be called to him so that he might know what business they had done.

1 Corinthians 15:58

⁵⁸ Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the L-rd, knowing that your toil is not in vain in the L-rd.

Conclusion

A. Believers

B. Unbelievers

John 8:24

²⁴ "Therefore I said to you that you will die in your sins; for unless you believe that I am He, you will die in your sins."

John 6:28-29

²⁸ Therefore they said to Him, "What shall we do, so that we may work the works of G-d?"

²⁹ Yeshua answered and said to them, "This is the work of G-d, that you believe in Him whom He has sent."

John 1:12

¹² But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of G-d, even to those who believe in His name,