

The Book of
REVELATION

Revelation 1

King James Version

1 The Revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave unto him, to shew unto his servants things which must shortly come to pass; and he sent and **signified** it by his angel unto his servant John:

PAUSE CHAPTERS

CHAPTER 7

DETAILS OF THE 144,000 (EVANGELISTS WHO PREACH SALVATION DURING TRIBULATION) AND THE PALM BEARING MULTITUDE (THE MARTYRS DURING TRIBULATION)

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JESUS' POSSESSION OF PLANET EARTH, HIS KINGDOM COME

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TWO WITNESSES 3 1/2 YEARS OF MINISTRY IN JERUSALEM, DIRECTLY OPPOSING THE WORLD LEADERS RULE

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the Two Witnesses**

REVELATION CHAPTER 12

PART 1



THE WOMAN CLOTHED WITH THE “SUN”

REVELATION CHAPTER 12

PART 2



WAR IN HEAVEN & THE WOMAN'S FLIGHT INTO THE WILDERNESS

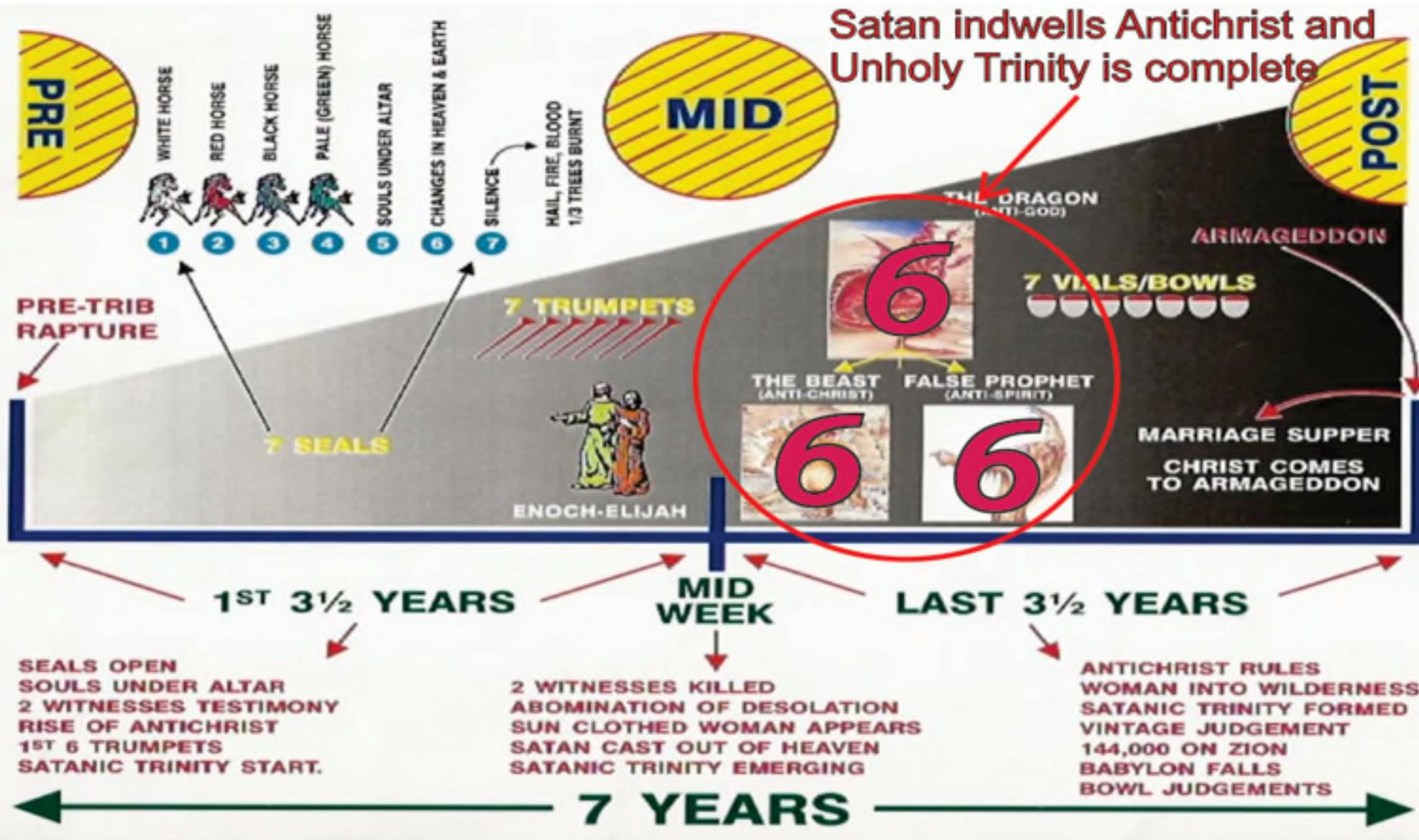
REVELATION 13

THE SEA
BEAST

& THE EARTH
BEAST

REVELATION REVISITED





144,000

REVELATION 14



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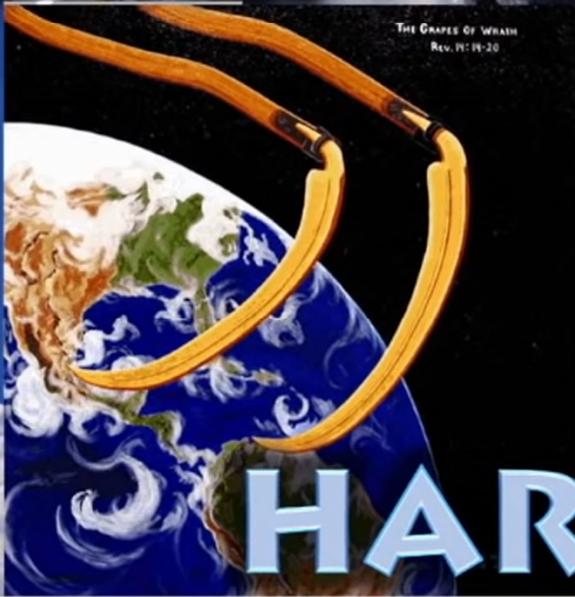
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ETERNAL GOSPEL



SON OF
MAN



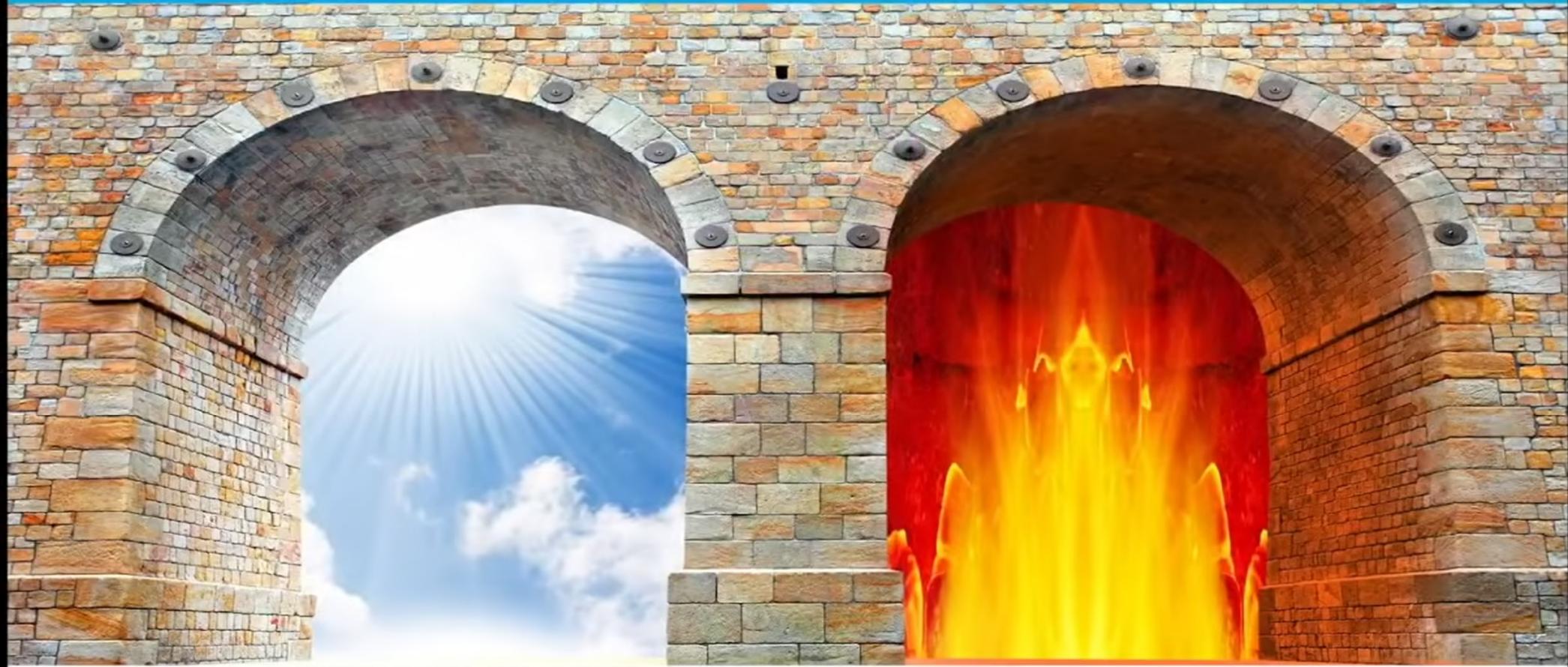
THE GRAPES OF WRATH
REV. 14:10-20

HARVEST



Revelation 14 – Last minute to choose:

God's Seal vs Beast's Mark



The Lamb and the 144,000 on Mount Zion

14 Then I looked, and behold, the Lamb *was* standing on Mount Zion, and with Him 144,000 who had His name and the name of His Father written on their foreheads. ² And I heard a voice from heaven, like the sound of many waters and like the sound of loud thunder, and the voice which I heard *was* like *the sound* of harpists playing on their harps. ³ And they *sang a new song before the throne and before the four living creatures and the elders; and no one was able to learn the song except the 144,000 who had been purchased from the earth. ⁴ These are the ones who have not defiled themselves with women, for they are celibate. These *are* the ones who follow the Lamb wherever He goes. These have been purchased from mankind as first fruits to God and to the Lamb. ⁵ And no lie was found in their mouths; they are blameless.

Revelation 14

Vision of the Angel with the Gospel

⁶And I saw another angel flying in midheaven with an eternal gospel to preach to those who live on the earth, and to every nation, tribe, language, and people; ⁷and he said with a loud voice, “Fear God and give Him glory, because the hour of His judgment has come; worship Him who made the heaven and the earth, and sea and springs of waters.”

Doom for Worshipers of the Beast

⁹ Then another angel, a third one, followed them, saying with a loud voice, “If anyone worships the beast and his image, and receives a mark on his forehead or on his hand, ¹⁰ he also will drink of the wine of the wrath of God, which is mixed in full strength in the cup of His anger; and he will be tormented with fire and brimstone in the presence of the holy angels and in the presence of the Lamb. ¹¹ And the smoke of their torment ascends forever and ever; they have no rest day and night, those who worship the beast and his image, and whoever receives the mark of his name.” ¹² Here is the perseverance of the saints who keep the commandments of God and their faith in Jesus.

Blessed are the dead???

¹³ And I heard a voice from heaven, saying, “Write: ‘Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on!’” “Yes,” says the Spirit, “so that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow with them.”

This is the second (and oddest) of 7 beatitudes (blessings). The first, of course is

[Revelation Chapter 1:3](#) Blessed is the one who reads, and those who hear the words of the prophecy and keep the things which are written in it; for the time is near.

The Harvest of the Earth

¹⁴ Then I looked, and behold, a white cloud, and seated on the cloud one like a son of man, with a golden crown on his head, and a sharp sickle in his hand. ¹⁵ And another angel came out of the temple, calling with a loud voice to him who sat on the cloud, “Put in your sickle, and reap, for the hour to reap has come, for the harvest of the earth is fully ripe.” ¹⁶ So he who sat on the cloud swung his sickle across the earth, and the earth was reaped.

¹⁷ Then another angel came out of the temple in heaven, and he too had a sharp sickle. ¹⁸ And another angel came out from the altar, the angel who has authority over the fire, and he called with a loud voice to the one who had the sharp sickle, “Put in your sickle and gather the clusters from the vine of the earth, for its grapes are ripe.” ¹⁹ So the angel swung his sickle across the earth and gathered the grape harvest of the earth and threw it into the great winepress of the wrath of God. ²⁰ And the winepress was trodden outside the city, and blood flowed from the winepress, as high as a horse's bridle, for 1,600 stadia. [\[c\]](#)

CLOUD IN SCRIPTURE

THE LORD APPEARS IN A WHITE CLOUD TO LEAD ISRAEL BY DAY

EXO 13:21

SOLOMONS TEMPLE IS FILLED WITH THE LORD IN A WHITE CLOUD

1 KINGS 8:10

A CLOUD BLOTS OUT THE SINS OF ISRAEL

ISA 42:22

THE SON OF MAN COMING ON THE CLOUDS

DAN 7:13

THE FATHERS VOICE COMES OUT OF A CLOUD TO CONFIRM HIS SON

MATT 17:5

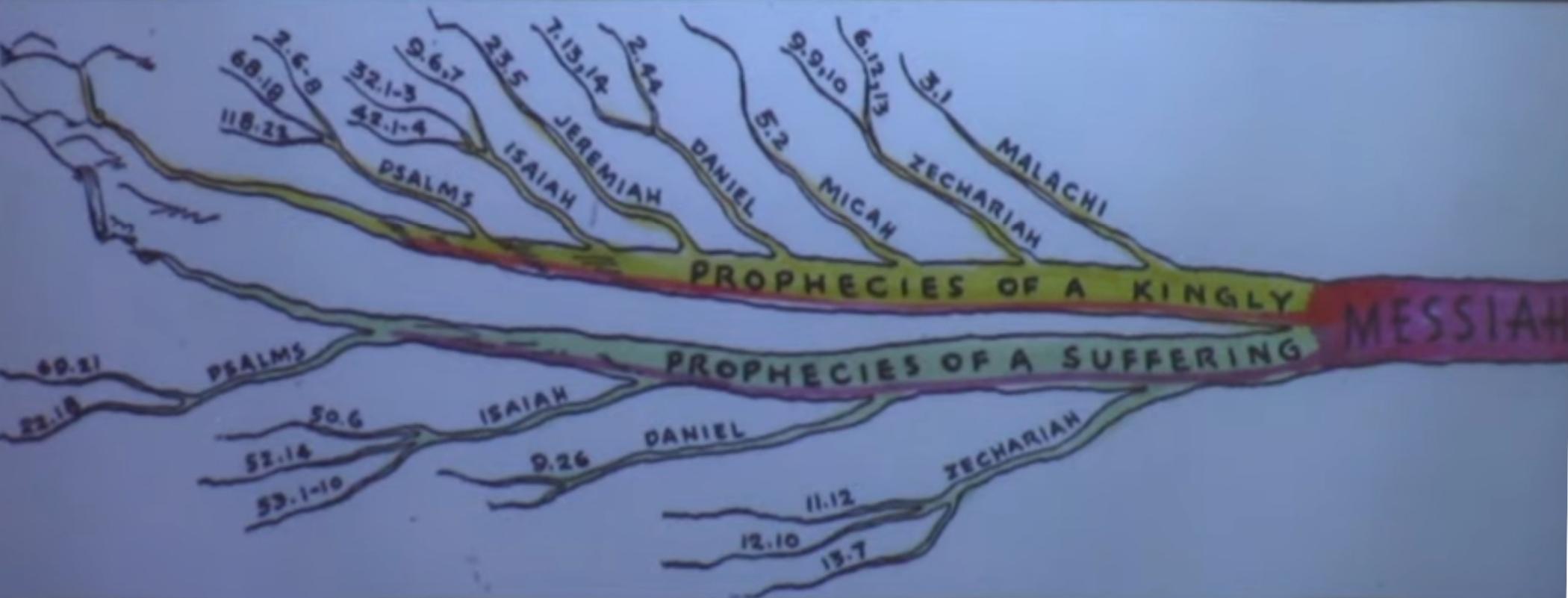
JESUS PROMISES TO COME BACK IN THE CLOUDS

LUKE 21:27

JESUS IS TAKEN UP IN A CLOUD

ACTS 1:9

The Two Branches in the Stream of Messianic Prophecy



Islamic Eschatology

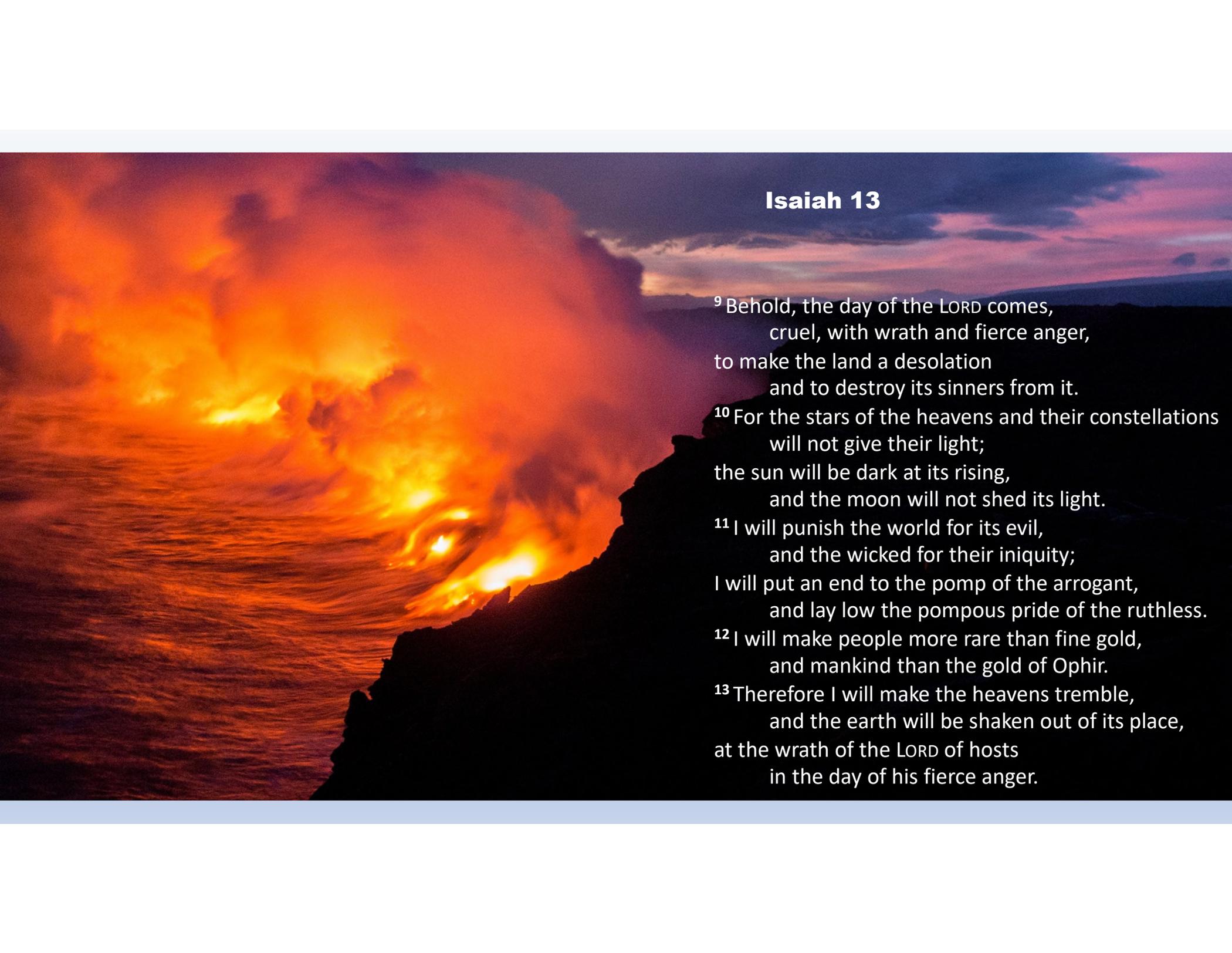
In Islamic eschatology, the Mahdi, or 12th Imam, comes at the end of the age and will slaughter everyone who will not worship Allah. He comes on a white horse and, after making a peace treaty, his army will go from nation to nation killing unbelievers. They will carry black flags that say “Punishment” then establish Mahdi’s rule on the Temple mount, universal Islamic rule.

He will bring rain and make the desert fertile. He will be loved. He will find the “true” scriptures near Jordan river.

The “Masih ad-Dajjal” will come riding on mule and blind in one eye. He will claim to be the Messiah. But the Islamic “Jesus” (Isa) will arrive in Damascus holding feet of eagles who flew him down from heaven. He will kill the “false Jesus” and acknowledge and worship Mahdi. “He will crush crosses” and show Christians and Jews that their scripture is false. “The army of Satan will be led by antichrist, claiming to be Jesus and will be killed by Jesus.” This will establish a period of peace, liberating the world from cruelty. These events will be followed by a time of serenity when people live according to religious values. (1000 years?)

Islamic apocalyptic literature describing Armageddon is often known as fitna, Al-Malhama Al-Kubra (The Great Epic) or ghaybah in Shī'a Islam. The righteous are rewarded with the pleasures of Jannah (Paradise), while the unrighteous are punished in Jahannam (Hell).

NOTE: This not from the Quran, mostly from hadith. The hadith is Mohamad’s writing about Quran and others writing about Mohamad’s writing. Also note that Sunni and Shia versions differ significantly, and this is a broadly combined and integrated summary.



Isaiah 13

⁹ Behold, the day of the LORD comes,
cruel, with wrath and fierce anger,
to make the land a desolation
and to destroy its sinners from it.

¹⁰ For the stars of the heavens and their constellations
will not give their light;
the sun will be dark at its rising,
and the moon will not shed its light.

¹¹ I will punish the world for its evil,
and the wicked for their iniquity;
I will put an end to the pomp of the arrogant,
and lay low the pompous pride of the ruthless.

¹² I will make people more rare than fine gold,
and mankind than the gold of Ophir.

¹³ Therefore I will make the heavens tremble,
and the earth will be shaken out of its place,
at the wrath of the LORD of hosts
in the day of his fierce anger.

Isaiah 63 The LORD's Day of Vengeance

Who is this who comes from Edom,
in crimsoned garments from Bozrah,
he who is splendid in his apparel,
marching in the greatness of his strength?
“It is I, speaking in righteousness, mighty to save.”
² Why is your apparel red, and your garments like his
who treads in the winepress?
³ “I have trodden the winepress alone,
and from the peoples no one was with me;
I trod them in my anger
and trampled them in my wrath;
their lifeblood spattered on my garments,
and stained all my apparel.
⁴ For the day of vengeance was in my heart,
and my year of redemption had come.
⁵ I looked, but there was no one to help;
I was appalled, but there was no one to uphold;
so my own arm brought me salvation,
and my wrath upheld me.
⁶ I trampled down the peoples in my anger;
I made them drunk in my wrath,
and I poured out their lifeblood on the earth.”



Revelation 14:14-16

The Grain Harvest

The Harvest of the Earth

¹⁴ Then I looked, and behold, a white cloud, and seated on the cloud one like a son of man, with a golden crown on his head, and a sharp sickle in his hand. ¹⁵ And another angel came out of the temple, calling with a loud voice to him who sat on the cloud, “Put in your sickle, and reap, for the hour to reap has come, for the harvest of the earth is fully ripe.” ¹⁶ So he who sat on the cloud swung his sickle across the earth, and the earth was reaped.



Matthew 13

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The Parable of the Weeds

²⁴ He put another parable before them, saying, “The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a man who sowed good seed in his field, ²⁵ but while his men were sleeping, his enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat and went away. ²⁶ So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared also. ²⁷ And the servants of the master of the house came and said to him, ‘Master, did you not sow good seed in your field? How then does it have weeds?’ ²⁸ He said to them, ‘An enemy has done this.’ So the servants said to him, ‘Then do you want us to go and gather them?’ ²⁹ But he said, ‘No, lest in gathering the weeds you root up the wheat along with them. ³⁰ Let both grow together until the harvest, and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, “Gather the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn.””

The Parable of the Weeds Explained

³⁶ Then he left the crowds and went into the house. And his disciples came to him, saying, “Explain to us the parable of the weeds of the field.” ³⁷ He answered, “The one who sows the good seed is the Son of Man. ³⁸ The field is the world, and the good seed is the sons of the kingdom. The weeds are the sons of the evil one, ³⁹ and the enemy who sowed them is the devil. The harvest is the end of the age, and the reapers are angels. ⁴⁰ Just as the weeds are gathered and burned with fire, so will it be at the end of the age. ⁴¹ The Son of Man will send his angels, and they will gather out of his kingdom all causes of sin and all law-breakers, ⁴² and throw them into the fiery furnace. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. ⁴³ Then the righteous will shine like the sun in the kingdom of their Father. He who has ears, let him hear.

2 Thessalonians 1

1 Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy,

To the church of the Thessalonians in God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ:

2 Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Thanksgiving

3 We ought always to give thanks to God for you, brothers, as is right, because your faith is growing abundantly, and the love of every one of you for one another is increasing. **4** Therefore we ourselves boast about you in the churches of God for your steadfastness and faith in all your persecutions and in the afflictions that you are enduring.

The Judgment at Christ's Coming

5 This is evidence of the righteous judgment of God, that you may be considered worthy of the kingdom of God, for which you are also suffering— **6** since indeed God considers it just to repay with affliction those who afflict you, **7** and to grant relief to you who are afflicted as well as to us, **8** when the Lord Jesus is revealed from heaven with his mighty angels **9** in flaming fire, inflicting vengeance on those who do not know God and on those who do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus. **10** They will suffer the punishment of eternal destruction, away from the presence of the Lord and from the glory of his might, **11** when he comes on that day to be glorified in his saints, and to be marveled at among all who have believed, because our testimony to you was believed. **12** To this end we always pray for you, that our God may make you worthy of his calling and may fulfill every resolve for good and every work of faith by his power, **13** so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in you, and you in him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Revelation Chapter 16

The Seven Bowls of God's Wrath

16 Then I heard a loud voice from the temple telling the seven angels, “Go and pour out on the earth the seven bowls of the wrath of God.”

² So the first angel went and poured out his bowl on the earth, and harmful and painful sores came upon the people who bore the mark of the beast and worshiped its image.

³ The second angel poured out his bowl into the sea, and it became like the blood of a corpse, and every living thing died that was in the sea.

⁴ The third angel poured out his bowl into the rivers and the springs of water, and they became blood.

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⁸ The fourth angel poured out his bowl on the sun, and it was allowed to scorch people with fire. ⁹ They were scorched by the fierce heat, and they cursed the name of God who had power over these plagues. They did not repent and give him glory.

¹⁰ The fifth angel poured out his bowl on the throne of the beast, and its kingdom was plunged into darkness. People gnawed their tongues in anguish ¹¹ and cursed the God of heaven for their pain and sores. They did not repent of their deeds.

¹² The sixth angel poured out his bowl on the great river Euphrates, and its water was dried up, to prepare the way for the kings from the east.

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¹⁶ And they assembled them at the place that in Hebrew is called Armageddon.

¹⁷ The seventh angel poured out his bowl into the air, and a loud voice came out of the temple, from the throne, saying, "It is done!" ¹⁸ And there were flashes of lightning, rumblings, peals of thunder, and a great earthquake such as there had never been since man was on the earth, so great was that earthquake. ¹⁹ The great city was split into three parts, and the cities of the nations fell, and God remembered Babylon the great, to make her drain the cup of the wine of the fury of his wrath. ²⁰ And every island fled away, and no mountains were to be found. ²¹ And great hailstones, about one hundred pounds each, fell from heaven on people; and they cursed God for the plague of the hail, because the plague was so severe.

¹⁷ Then another angel came out of the temple in heaven, and he too had a sharp sickle. ¹⁸ And another angel came out from the altar, the angel who has authority over the fire, and he called with a loud voice to the one who had the sharp sickle, "Put in your sickle and gather the clusters from the vine of the earth, for its grapes are ripe." ¹⁹ So the angel swung his sickle across the earth and gathered the grape harvest of the earth and threw it into the great winepress of the wrath of God. ²⁰ And the winepress was trodden outside the city, and blood flowed from the winepress, as high as a horse's bridle, for 1,600 stadia.



Rev. 14:17 And another angel came out of the temple which is in heaven, he also having a sharp sickle.



A Winepress in Ancient Israel

An ancient winepress was a rock-hewn open-air system. Grapes were pressed by being trodden underfoot in a treading floor. The juice would pour through a channel into a vat, where it would ferment. It would then be collected in jars.

The yeast from the skin of the grapes would begin fermenting the grape juice at the time of pressing.



Wine jars were often stoppered with unfired clay (or sometimes olive oil would be floated on top).

Pressed thorns or other plant fibers were used to filter the grape juice.

The fermentation would take a few days, bubbling vigorously, especially during the first day. When the bubbling stopped, the juice—now wine—was ready to be taken out.

The chalk/limestone bedrock in Israel makes excellent winepresses—it cuts easily and holds liquid well.

Wine skins were also used. Under proper conditions, stored wine could last for a year. If left exposed, it would soon turn to vinegar.



Revelation Chapter 19

¹¹ Then I saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse! The one sitting on it is called Faithful and True, and in righteousness he judges and makes war. ¹² His eyes are like a flame of fire, and on his head are many diadems, and he has a name written that no one knows but himself. ¹³ He is clothed in a robe dipped in blood, and the name by which he is called is The Word of God. ¹⁴ And the armies of heaven, arrayed in fine linen, white and pure, were following him on white horses. ¹⁵ From his mouth comes a sharp sword with which to strike down the nations, and he will rule them with a rod of iron. He will tread the winepress of the fury of the wrath of God the Almighty. ¹⁶ On his robe and on his thigh he has a name written, King of kings and Lord of lords.





Luke 19:13 KJV

And he called his ten servants, and delivered them ten pounds, and said unto them, Occupy till I come.

“OCCUPY”
Luke 19:13

PRAGMATEUOMAI
PRAG-MAT-YOO-OM-AHEE

“To Busy Oneself With The Deeds Of The Master”

**WE GET OUR ENGLISH WORD “PRAGMATIC”
DEALING WITH FACTS OR ACTUAL OCCURRENCES.**

**And What Are the Facts?
According to Jesus in Luke 19, it is:**

- 1. Trade what God has given you with others - so His kingdom can grow. (Luke 19:15)**
- 2. If you have been given the maximum blessings from God – You must give out maximum blessings to others. (Luke 19:16,17)**
- 3. Your future rewards are based on your present ability and desire to sow into the kingdom of what God has given you. (Luke 19:18-26)**



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