

Revelation 14:12 - 20

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Let's do a quick review before we move on, to refresh those who heard it and catch up people who haven't been with us or haven't heard.

In Revelation 12:1 we see an image of a woman clothed with the sun, under her is the moon and on her head is twelve stars. Pastor Martin using the best commentary for the Bible being the Bible showed us in the book of Genesis chapter 37 that the woman is described in Joseph's dream. She is Israel and the child she is bearing is the Messiah Jesus, Revelation 12:5 this child will rule all the nations with a rod of iron.

In Revelation 12:3 we see a second image the fiery red dragon with seven heads, ten horns and seven diadems on his heads. The chapter later describes the dragon as Satan and the horns is a picture of his authority on the earth.

In Revelation 12:4 thru 6 we see an image of the dragon's tail drawing a third of the stars of heaven to earth and Pastor Martin brought out that these stars are a third of the angels who followed the dragon.

Also, in verse 4 we see the dragon [Satan] standing over the woman Israel trying to prevent and/or kill the Christ child, ever since God announces the Virgin birth Satan try to prevent the Messiah's birth or kill the Messiah. Explain

In [Rev 12:6 NKJV] 6 Then the woman fled into the wilderness, where she has a place prepared by God, that they should feed her there one thousand two hundred and sixty days.

Revelation 12: 7 thru 12 war break out in heaven Michael and the angels under his charge against the dragon and the angels the follow him. The dragon loses the war and he is casted down earth out of heaven [kicked out of heaven].

There is a proclamation in heaven with a loud voice announcing the Lamb's victory, salvation and rejoicing over those who overcame Satan the accuser of the brethren by the blood of the Lamb and by their testimony.

Furthermore, they are proclaiming woe to the inhabitants to the earth, because the Devil has come down to you, having great wrath, because he knows his time is short.

Revelation 12:13 thru 17 speak about the women [Israel] given wings of a great eagle to escape from the persecution from the dragon to a place prepared for the remnant of Israel for 3 1/2 years [Bozrah Petra of Jordan]. After God supernaturally protects the remnant of Israel the Devil becomes enraged and make war on the rest of her offspring as well as those who turn to Jesus.

Revelation 13:1 thru 10 we are re-introduced to the Antichrist from Revelation 6 the rider with a bow on a white horse. We are told that he rises out of the sea and Pastor Martin explained this means he is a Gentile. The description given of his image like the image of the dragon and the image of the world empires outlined in the book of Daniel.

He is given authority and power from the dragon.

He is the great imitator; he has a deadly wound that is healed. Which is one of the deceptions that causes the world to follow him and dragon.

He is given a mouth to blasphemies God, His name, his tabernacle and those who dwell in heaven.

He given authority to make war on the saints and to overcome them.

He given authority over every tribe, tongue and nation all who dwell on the earth will worship him [Satan] whose names are not written in the book of life of the Lamb who was slain from the foundation of the earth.

Revelation 13:11 thru 18 we are introduced to the False Prophet the third member of the unholy trinity.

Rises out of the earth [13:11] [Daniel 11:36 thru 39]

Motivated and powered by Satan [13:11]

Controls religious affairs [13:12]

Promotes the worship of the beast [13:12]

Performs sign and wonders [13:13]

Deceives the whole world [13:14]

Empowers the image of the beast [13:15]

Kills all who refuse to worship [13:15]

Controls all economic commerce [13:17]

10. Controls the mark of the beast 666 [13:18]

In chapter 14 there are seven proclamations given by Jesus from Heaven, aimed at doing three things. First, to predict the failure of the counterfeit trinity and proclaiming the Victory of the Lamb, second, to announce the last seven judgements [known as the Bowl Judgements] third, to give a word of assurance, encouragement, and comfort to the saints living in the last 3 ½ years of the tribulation.

Jesus makes these Proclamations due to the events of Revelation 12 & 13

First Proclamation is in Revelation 14:1 thru 5 [Chronological]

This is clearly a VICTORY ANNOUNCEMENT CLAIMING GOD HAS WON AND THAT THE HOLY TRINITY IS VICTORIOUS

We see a millennial scene, with the 144,000 Jewish evangelist from Revelation seven now on Mount Zion with the Lamb of God. The 144,000 has the seal of God the Father.

The second proclamation is in Revelation 14:6 thru 7 [Chronological]

Is a mighty angel flying through the earth proclaiming the Gospel of God to fear Him who is the creator of creation. telling the inhabitant of the earth to worship the only the true God and Jesus the Christ who die for our sins.

The third proclamation Revelation 14:8 [Future]

Is future concerning the fall of Babylon.

[Revelation 14:8 NKJV] 8 And another angel followed, saying, "Babylon is fallen, is fallen, that great city, because she has made all nations drink of the wine of the wrath of her fornication."

The Fourth Proclamation Revelation 14:9 thru 12 [Chronological]

Warning those who may take the Mark of the Beast that if they take the Mark that this is the point of no return. There is no changing their minds, there is no going back, and it means eternity in the Lake of Fire.

We have three Proclamations left,

The fifth Proclamation is Revelation 14:12 thru 13 [Chronological]

[Revelation 14:12-13 NKJV]

This is a hard saying, in the world that live in today this goes against everything we are made to believe is important.

We are taught and encouraged by the Holy Spirit living inside of us that this world is not our home. Our home is wherever the Lamb is.

[Matthew 10:27-31 NKJV]

[2Corinthians 5:7-8 NKJV]

[Philippians 1:21-24 NKJV]

We this very thing in the persecuted Church Jesus reinsure them not to fear. I bring this up Church because persecuting is around the corner, the attack on Christian is near and will grow not decrease!!!

[Revelation 2:8-11 NKJV]

The Sixth Proclamation Revelation 14:14 thru 16 [Future]

[Rev 14:14-16 NKJV]

This is a proclamation is of reaping. Reaping is a common symbol for salvation. There is victory even in the worst time ever on this planet earth, spoken about by Jesus in [Mat 24:21-22 NKJV]

Let me make an appeal right now again, you do not have to suffer these things. Things will get rough for Christian soon, but it nothing compared to the tribulation or last 3 1/2 year in the tribulation.

The seventh Proclamation Revelation 14:17 thru 20 [Future]

[Revelation 14:17-20 NKJV]

This proclamation is one of treading of grapes. Where reaping is common symbol for salvation, treading is common symbol for judgement. This judgement take place outside of Jerusalem in the valley of Jehoshaphat known as valley of Armageddon. The judgement causes blood to approx. 4 ½ feet high for over 180 miles. I will just touch on this little because we get into this battle in depth in the future.

[Isaiah 63:1-6 NKJV]

[Isaiah 34:5-7 NKJV]

[Revelation 16:12-16 NKJV]