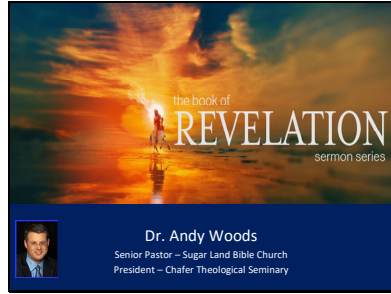
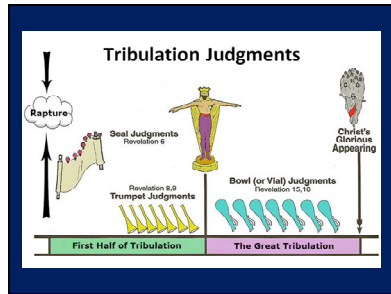


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- 6th Trumpet (9:13-21) – 1/3 humanity destroyed
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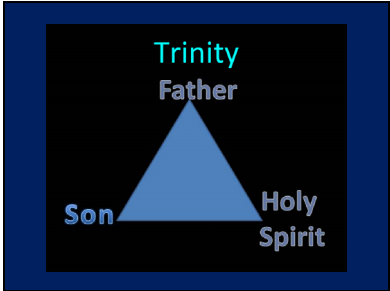


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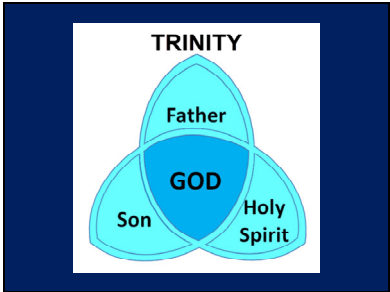
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- Genesis 2:8 (Eden)
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How Satan Imitates God and the Antichrist Imitates Jesus Christ			
NO.	CATEGORY	JESUS CHRIST	ANTICHRIST
1.	World prepared in advance	Gal. 4:4	2 Thess. 2:7
2.	Revealed at the proper time	Gal. 4:4	2 Thess. 2:6
3.	Claim of deity	John 14:9	2 Thess. 2:4
4.	Heralded by a forerunner	John 1:23	Rev. 13:12
5.	Forerunner comes in the Spirit and power of Elijah	Luke 1:17	1 Kgs. 8:37-38; Rev. 13:13
6.	Empowered by a higher source	1 Cor. 6:14	Rev. 13:14
7.	Member of a Trinity	Phil. 1:2; Acts 5:3-4; John 14:9	Rev. 16:13; 20:10
8.	Head of a Church	Eph. 5:23	Rev. 2:9; 3:9
9.	Miracle worker	Acts 2:22	2 Thess. 2:9
10.	Resurrection from the dead	1 Cor. 15:3-6	Rev. 13:3, 12, 14
11.	Given a throne	Rev. 3:21	Rev. 13:2

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12.	Ruling a political kingdom	Isa. 9:6-7	Rev. 13:5
13.	Ushering in world peace	Isa. 9:6-7	Rev. 6:1-4
14.	Activity in the Temple	Luke 2:41-50	2 Thess. 2:4
15.	Putting an end to animal sacrifices	Heb. 9:26-29	Dan. 9:27
16.	Length of ministry	Over 3 years	Rev. 13:5
17.	Sealing ministry	Eph. 4:30	Rev. 13:16-17
18.	Presentation to Israel as her Messiah	John 1:11	John 5:43
19.	Covenant with Israel	Gen. 15:18	Dan. 9:27
20.	Reception of worship	Zech. 14:16	2 Thess. 2:4
21.	Establishing Jerusalem as the center of worldwide worship	Zech. 14:17	2 Thess. 2:4

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Satanic/Demonic Miracles


- Exod 7-8
- Deut 13:1-3
- Matt 7:21-23; 24:24
- Acts 8:9; 16:16
- Gal 1:6-9
- 2 Thess 2:9
- Rev 13:3, 13, 15; 16:13-14



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1 John 4:1

"Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits to see whether they are from God, because many false prophets have gone out into the world."



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Thomas Ice
"A Thief in the Night," Pre-Trib.
Perspectives, August 2013, 1, 4-5.



Some become confused how the rapture can possibly comfort since they incorrectly associate the "thief in the night" imagery with the rapture. Since a thief breaking into one's house in the middle of the night is a harmful and negative occurrence, people mis-associate such negativity with the rapture. However, the New Testament never analogizes the rapture with the coming of a thief. While the New Testament uses "thief" imagery seven times (Matt. 24:43; Luke 12:39; 1 Thess. 5:2,4; 2 Pet. 3:10; Rev. 3:3; 16:15), none of these references contextually allude to the rapture.

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Smyrna	2:8	Euphrates	9:14;16:12
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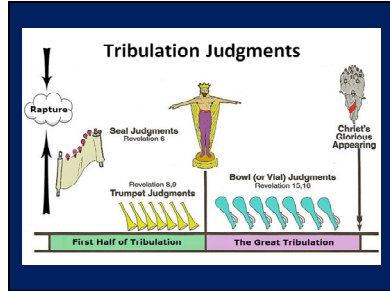
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Zechariah 14:16-18


"Then it will come about that any who are left of all the nations that went against **Jerusalem** will go up from year to year to worship the King, the **LORD** of hosts, and to celebrate the Feast of Booths. ¹⁷ And it will be that whichever of the families of the earth does not go up to **Jerusalem** to worship the King, the **LORD** of hosts, there will be no rain on them. ¹⁸ If the family of Egypt does not go up or enter, then no *rain will fall* on them; it will be the plague with which the **LORD** smites the nations who do not go up to celebrate the Feast of Booths."



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Isaiah 2:2-3

"Now it will come about that in the last days The mountain of the house of the **LORD** Will be established as the chief of the mountains, And will be raised above the hills; And all the nations will stream to it. ³ And many peoples will come and say, 'Come, let us go up to the mountain of the **LORD**, To the house of the God of Jacob; That He may teach us concerning His ways And that we may walk in His paths.' For the law will go forth from Zion And the word of the **LORD** from **Jerusalem**."




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Robert Thomas
Four Views on the Book of Revelation, page 207.




"At the end of the Millennium that city will be Satan's prime objective with his rebel army, because Israel will be a leader among the nations."



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Promised Exemption from Divine Wrath


- The promise (1 Thess 1:10; 5:9; Rom 5:9; 8:1; Rev 3:10)
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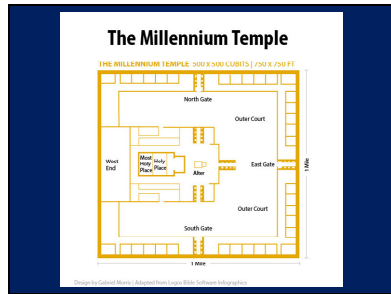
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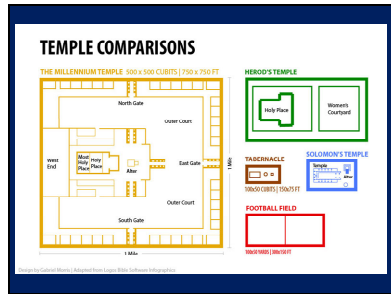
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Ultimate Exodus
(Rev 11:15)

- **Sores:** 6th plague (Ex 9:8-12), 1st bowl (Rev 16:1-2)
- **Rivers to blood:** 1st plague (Ex 7:19-21), 3rd bowl (Rev 16:4-7)
- **Darkness:** 9th plague (Ex 10:21-23), 5th bowl (Rev 16:10-11)
- **Frogs:** 2nd plague (Ex 7:25-8:15), 6th bowl (Rev 16:13)
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**David Hocking**
The Book of Revelation: Understanding the Future
(Tustin, CA: Hope For Today Publications, 2014), 472

"It is quite astonishing to read the response of the people of Earth to this remarkable disaster. All hope of survival will be gone, and nothing but ruins and evidences of total destruction will be evident. And still, men do not repent, but instead blaspheme God for doing it!"



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"The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face shine on you and be gracious to you; the LORD turn his face toward you and give you peace." (NIV)

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Rev. 2:13-I know where you dwell, **where Satan’s throne is;** and you hold fast My name, and did not deny My faith even in the days of Antipas, My witness, My faithful one, who was killed among you, where Satan dwells.

Acts 26:18-to open their eyes so that they may turn from darkness to light and from **the dominion of Satan** to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and an inheritance among those who have been sanctified by faith in Me.

Col. 1:13-For He rescued us from **the domain of darkness**, and transferred us to the kingdom of His beloved Son.

Matt. 24:29-But immediately after the tribulation of those days THE SUN WILL BE DARKENED, AND THE MOON WILL NOT GIVE ITS LIGHT, AND THE STARS WILL FALL from the sky, and the powers of the heavens will be shaken.

Matt. 8:12-but the sons of the kingdom will be cast out into the outer **darkness**; in that place there will be **weeping and gnashing of teeth**.

Matt. 25:30-Throw out the worthless slave into the outer **darkness**; in that place there will be **weeping and gnashing of teeth**.

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Rev. 9:20-21-²⁰ The rest of mankind, who were not killed by these plagues, did not repent of the works of their hands, so as not to worship demons, and the idols of gold and of silver and of brass and of stone and of wood, which can neither see nor hear nor walk; ²¹ and **they did not repent** of their murders nor of their sorceries nor of their immorality nor of their thefts.

Exodus shows Pharaoh repeatedly hardening his own heart (7:13, 22; 8:15, 19, 32; 9:7). Not until the sixth plague did God harden Pharaoh's heart (Exod. 9:12).

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Gen. 2:8-The Lord God planted a garden toward the **east**, in Eden; and there He placed the man whom He had formed.

Gen. 11:2-It came about as they journeyed **east**, that they found a plain in the land of **Shinar** and settled there.

Matt. 2:2-Where is He who has been born King of the Jews? For we saw His star in the **east** and have come to worship Him.

Rev. 14:8-And another angel, a second one, followed, saying, "Fallen, fallen is Babylon the great, she who has made all the nations drink of the wine of the passion of her immorality."

14

Acts 17:11-Now these were more noble-minded than those in Thessalonica, for they received the word with great eagerness,

examining the Scriptures daily *to see* whether these things were so.

1 Thess. 5:21-But **examine everything** *carefully*; hold fast to that which is good.

Rev. 2:2-I know your deeds and your toil and perseverance, and **that you cannot tolerate evil men, and you put to the test those who call themselves apostles, and they are not, and you found them to be false.**

Zech. 12:2-Behold, I am going to make Jerusalem a cup that causes reeling to all the peoples around; and when the siege is against Jerusalem, it will also be against Judah.

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John 14:1-**Do not let your heart be troubled**; believe in God, believe also in Me

1 Thess. 4:18-Therefore **comfort** one another with these words.

Titus 2:13-looking for **the blessed hope** and the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior, Christ Jesus.

2 Pet. 3:10-But the day of the Lord 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.

Matt. 24:42-Therefore be on the alert, for you do not know which day your Lord is coming.

Matt. 24:44-For this reason you also must be ready; for the Son of Man is coming at an hour when you do not think *He will*.

Matt. 25:13-Be on the alert then, for you do not know the day nor the hour.

Rev. 19:17-18-¹⁷ 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 God, 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.”

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“Why Megiddo? Why will this be the location of the world’s final conflict? One of the world’s greatest military figures gives us the answer. In 1799, Napoleon stood at Megiddo before the battle that ended his quest to conquer the East and rebuild the Roman Empire. Considering the enormous plain of Armageddon, he declared: ‘All the armies of the world could maneuver their forces on this vast plain . . . There is no place in the whole world more suited for war than this . . . [It is] the most natural battleground on the whole earth.’” David Jeremiah, *What in the World is Going On*, p, 194.

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Rev. 11:13-And in that hour there was a great **earthquake**, and a tenth of the city fell; seven thousand people were killed in the earthquake, and the rest were terrified and gave glory to the God of heaven.

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Rev. 20:9-And they came up on the broad plain of the earth and surrounded the camp of the saints and the **beloved city**, and fire came down from heaven and devoured them.

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Rev. 11:1-2-Then there was given me a measuring rod like a staff; and someone said, “Get up and measure the **temple** of God and the altar, and those who worship in it. ² Leave out the court which is outside the temple and do not measure it, for it has been given to the nations; and they will tread under foot the holy city for forty-two months.

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Conclusion

Num. 6:24-²⁶-The Lord bless you, and keep you;

²⁵ The Lord make His face shine on you, and be gracious to you;

²⁶ The Lord lift up His countenance on you, And give you peace.