

THE REVELATION

OF S. JOHN THE DIVINE

The source of the revelation

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

2 ^aWho bare record of the word of God, and of the testimony of Jesus Christ, and of all *things* ^bthat he saw.

3 ^aBlessed is he that readeth, and they that hear the words of *this* prophecy, and keep those *things* which are written therein: for ^bthe time is at hand.

The salutation

4 ¶ John to the seven churches which are in Asia: Grace be unto you, and peace, from him ^awhich is, and ^bwhich was, and which is to come; ^cand from the seven spirits which are before his throne;

5 And from Jesus Christ, ^awho is the faithful witness, and the ^bfirst begotten of the dead, and ^cthe prince of the kings of the earth. Unto him ^dthat loved us, ^eand washed us from our sins in his own blood,

6 And hath ^amade us kings and priests unto God and his Father; ^bto him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

7 ¶ ^aBehold, he cometh with clouds; and every eye shall see him, and ^bthey also which pierced him: and all kindreds of the earth shall wail because of him. Even so, Amen.

8 ^aI am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the ending, saith the Lord, ^bwhich is, and which was, and which is to come, the Almighty.

The voice and the vision

9 ¶ I John, who also am your brother, and ^acompanion in tribulation, and ^bin the kingdom and patience of Jesus Christ, was in the isle that is called Patmos, ^cfor the word of God, and for the testimony of Jesus Christ.

10 ^aI was in the spirit on ^bthe Lord's day, and heard behind me ^ca great voice, as of a trumpet,

11 Saying, ^aI am Alpha and Omega, ^bthe first and the last: and, What thou seest, write in a book, and send it unto the seven churches which are in Asia; unto Ephesus, and unto Smyrna, and unto Pergamos, and unto Thyatira, and unto Sardis, and unto Philadelphia, and unto Laodicea.

12 And I turned to see the voice that spake with me. And being turned, ^aI saw seven golden candlesticks;

13 ^aAnd in the midst of the seven candlesticks ^bone like unto the Son of man,

1:1 ^aJohn 3:32

^bch. 22:16

1:2 ^a1 Cor. 1:6

^b1 John 1:1

1:3 ^aLuke 11:28

^bJas. 5:8

1:4 ^aEx. 3:14

^bJohn 1:1

^cZech. 3:9

1:5 ^aJohn 8:14;

1 Tim. 6:13 ^bCol.

1:18 ^ach. 17:14

^bJohn 13:34; Gal.

2:20 ^aHeb. 9:14;

1 John 1:7

1:6 ^a1 Pet. 2:5

^b1 Tim. 6:16

1:7 ^aDan. 7:13

^bZech. 12:10

1:8 ^aIs. 41:4

^bch. 4:8

1:9 ^aPhil. 1:7

^bRom. 8:17;

2 Tim. 2:12 ^cch.

6:9

1:10 ^aActs

10:10; 2 Cor. 12:2

^bJohn 20:26 ^cch.

4:1

1:11 ^aver. 8

^bver. 17

1:12 ^aEx. 25:37;

Zech. 4:2

1:13 ^ach. 2:1

^bEzek. 1:26; Dan.

7:13; 10:16

1:13 ^aDan. 10:5

^bch. 15:6

1:14 ^aDan. 7:9

^bDan. 10:6

1:15 ^aEzek. 1:7;

Dan. 10:6 ^bEzek.

43:2; Dan. 10:6;

ch. 14:2

1:16 ^ach. 2:1

^bIs. 49:2; Eph.

6:17; Heb. 4:12

^cActs 26:13

1:17 ^aEzek.

1:28 ^bDan. 8:18;

10:10 ^cIs. 41:4;

44:6; 48:12; ch.

22:13

1:18 ^aRom. 6:9

^bch. 4:9 ^cPs.

68:20; ch. 20:1

1:19 ^ach. 2:1

^bch. 4:1

1:20 ^aMal. 2:7;

ch. 2:1 ^bZech.

4:2; Mat. 5:15;

Phil. 2:15

2:1 ^ach. 1:16

^bch. 1:13

2:2 ^aPs. 1:6; ch.

3:1, 8 ^b1 John

4:1 ^c2 Cor.

11:13; 2 Pet. 2:1

2:3 ^aGal. 6:9;

Heb. 12:3,5

2:5 ^aMat. 21:41

2:7 ^aMat. 11:15;

13:9,43; ch. 3:6,13

^bch. 22:2,14

^cGen. 2:9

^cclothed with a garment down to the foot, and ^dgirt about the paps with a golden girdle.

14 His head and ^ahis hairs were white like wool, as white as snow; and ^bhis eyes were as a flame of fire;

15 ^aAnd his feet like unto fine brass, as if they burned in a furnace; and ^bhis voice as the sound of many waters.

16 ^aAnd he had in his right hand seven stars: and ^bout of his mouth went a sharp twoedged sword: ^cand his countenance was as the sun shineth in his strength.

17 ^aAnd ^awhen I saw him, I fell at his feet as dead. And ^bhe laid his right hand upon me, saying unto me, Fear not; ^cI am the first and the last:

18 ^aI am he that liveth, and was dead; and behold, ^bI am alive for evermore, Amen; and ^chave the keys of hell and of death.

19 Write *the things* which thou hast seen, ^aand *the things* which are, ^band *the things* which shall be hereafter;

20 The mystery of the seven stars which thou sawest in my right hand, and the seven golden candlesticks. The seven stars are ^athe angels of the seven churches: and ^bthe seven candlesticks which thou sawest are the seven churches.

The message to Ephesus

2 Unto the angel of the church of Ephesus write; *These things* saith ^ahe that holdeth the seven stars in his right hand, ^bwho walketh in the midst of the seven golden candlesticks;

2 ^aI know thy works, and thy labour, and thy patience, and how thou canst not bear *them which are evil*: and ^bthou hast tried them ^cwhich say *they* are apostles, and are not, and hast found them liars:

3 And hast borne, and hast patience, and for my name's sake hast laboured, and hast ^anot fainted.

4 Nevertheless I have *somewhat* against thee, because thou hast left thy first love.

5 Remember therefore from whence thou art fallen, and repent, and do the first works; ^aor else I *will* come unto thee quickly, and will remove thy candlestick out of his place, except thou repent.

6 But this thou hast, that thou hatest the deeds of the Nicolaitans, which I also hate.

7 ^aHe that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches; To him that overcometh will I give ^bto eat of ^cthe tree of life, which is in the midst of the paradise of God.

The message to Smyrna

8 ¶ And unto the angel of the church in Smyrna write; These *things* saith ^athe first and the last, which was dead, and is alive;

9 I know thy works, and tribulation, and poverty, (but thou art ^arich) and I know the blasphemy of ^bthem which say they are Jews, and are not, ^cbut are the synagogue of Satan.

10 ^aFear none of those things which thou shalt suffer: behold, the devil shall cast some of you into prison, that ye may be tried; and ye shall have tribulation ten days: ^bbe thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee ^ca crown of life.

11 ^aHe that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches; He that overcometh shall not be hurt of ^bthe second death.

The message to Pergamos

12 ¶ And to the angel of the church in Pergamos write; These *things* saith ^ahe which hath the sharp sword with two edges;

13 I know thy works, and where thou dwellest, *even* where Satan's seat is: and thou holdest fast my name, and hast not denied my faith, even in *those* days wherein Antipas was my faithful martyr, who was slain among you, where Satan dwelleth.

14 But I have a few *things* against thee, because thou hast there them that hold the doctrine of ^aBalaam, who taught Balac to cast a stumblingblock before the children of Israel, ^bto eat things sacrificed unto idols, ^cand to commit fornication.

15 So hast thou also them that hold the doctrine of the Nicolaitans, which *thing* I hate.

16 Repent; or else I will come unto thee quickly, and ^awill fight against them with the sword of my mouth.

17 He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches; To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the hidden manna, and will give him a white stone, and in the stone ^aa new name written, which no man knoweth saving he that receiveth it.

The message to Thyatira

18 ¶ And unto the angel of the church in Thyatira write; These *things* saith the Son of God, ^awho hath his eyes like unto a flame of fire, and his feet are like fine brass;

19 ^aI know thy works, and charity, and service, and faith, and thy patience, and thy works; and the last to be more than the first.

20 Notwithstanding I have a few *things* against thee, because thou sufferest *that* woman ^aJezebel, which calleth herself a prophetess, to teach and to seduce my servants ^bto commit fornication, and to eat things sacrificed unto idols.

21 And I gave her space ^ato repent of her fornication; and she repented not.

22 Behold, I will cast her into a bed, and them that commit adultery with her into

2:8 ^ach. 1:8,17

2:9 ^aLuke 12:21; 1 Tim. 6:18; Jas. 2:5
^bRom. 2:17 ^cch. 3:9

2:10 ^aMat. 10:22 ^bMat. 24:13 ^cJas. 1:12; ch. 3:11

2:11 ^ach. 13:9 ^bch. 20:1; 21:8

2:12 ^ach. 1:16

2:14 ^aNum. 24:14; 25:1; 31:16; 2 Pet. 2:15; Jude 11
^bActs 15:29;

1 Cor. 8:9; 10:19,20 ^c1 Cor. 6:13

2:16 ^aIs. 11:4; 2 Thes. 2:8; ch. 1:16

2:17 ^ach. 3:12; 19:12

2:18 ^ach. 1:14,15

2:19 ^aver. 2

2:20 ^a1 Ki. 16:31; 21:25; 2 Ki. 9:7 ^bEx. 34:15; Acts 15:20

2:21 ^ach. 9:20

2:23 ^a1 Sam. 16:7; Jer. 11:20; John 2:24; Acts 1:24; Rom. 8:27

^bPs. 62:12; 2 Cor. 5:10

2:24 ^aActs 15:28

2:25 ^ach. 3:11

2:26 ^aJohn 6:29; 1 John 3:23
^bMat. 19:28; Luke 22:29; 1 Cor. 6:3

2:27 ^aPs. 2:8,9; Dan. 7:22

2:28 ^a2 Pet. 1:19

2:29 ^aver. 7

3:1 ^ach. 1:4,16
^bch. 2:2 ^cEph. 2:1,5

3:3 ^a1 Tim. 6:20; 2 Tim. 1:13
^bver. 19 ^cMat. 24:42; Mark 13:33; Luke 12:39; 1 Thes. 5:2,6; 2 Pet. 3:10

3:4 ^aActs 1:15
^bJude 23 ^cch. 4:4; 8:11

3:5 ^ach. 19:8
^bEx. 32:32 ^cPhil. 4:3 ^dLuke 12:8

3:6 ^ach. 2:7

3:7 ^aActs 3:14
^b1 John 5:20 ^cIs. 22:22; Luke 1:32
^dMat. 16:19
^eJob 12:14

3:8 ^aver. 1
^b1 Cor. 16:9

3:9 ^ach. 2:9 ^bIs. 49:23

great tribulation, except they repent of their deeds.

23 And I will kill her children with death; and all the churches shall know that ^aI am he which searcheth the reins and hearts: and ^bI will give unto every one of you according to your works.

24 But unto you I say, and unto the rest in Thyatira, as many as have not this doctrine, and which have not known the depths of Satan, as they speak; ^aI will put upon you none other burden.

25 But ^athat which ye have *already* hold fast till I come.

26 And he that overcometh, and keepeth ^amy works unto the end, ^bto him will I give power over the nations:

27 ^aAnd he shall rule them with a rod of iron; as the vessels of a potter shall they be broken to shivers: even as I received of my Father.

28 And I will give him ^athe morning star.

29 ^aHe that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches.

The message to Sardis

3 And unto the angel of the church in Sardis write; These *things* saith he ^athat hath the seven spirits of God, and the seven stars; ^bI know thy works, that thou hast a name that thou livest, ^cand art dead.

2 Be watchful, and strengthen the *things* which remain, that are ready to die: for I have not found thy works perfect before God.

3 ^aRemember therefore how thou hast received and heard, and hold fast, and ^brepent. ^cIf therefore thou shalt not watch, I will come on thee as a thief, and thou shalt not know what hour I will come upon thee.

4 Thou hast ^aa few names even in Sardis, which have not ^bdefiled their garments; and they shall walk with me ^cin white: for they are worthy.

5 He that overcometh, ^athe same shall be clothed in white raiment; and I will not ^bblot out his name out of the ^cbook of life, but ^dI will confess his name before my Father, and before his angels.

6 ^aHe that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches.

The message to Philadelphia

7 ¶ And to the angel of the church in Philadelphia write; These *things* saith ^ahe that is holy, ^bhe that is true, he that hath ^cthe key of David, ^dhe that openeth, and no man shutteth; and ^eshutteth, and no man openeth;

8 ^aI know thy works: behold, I have set before thee ^ban open door, and no man can shut it: for thou hast a little strength, and hast kept my word, and hast not denied my name.

9 Behold, I will make ^athem of the synagogue of Satan, which say they are Jews, and are not, but do lie; behold, ^bI will make them to come and worship before thy feet, and to know that I have loved thee.

10 Because thou hast kept the word of my patience, ^aI also will keep thee from the hour of temptation, which shall come upon ^ball the world, to try them that dwell ^cupon the earth.

11 Behold, ^aI come quickly: ^bhold *that* fast which thou hast, that no *man* take ^cthy crown.

12 Him that overcometh will I make ^aa pillar in the temple of my God, and he shall go no more out: and ^bI will write upon him the name of my God, and the name of the city of my God, *which is* ^cnew Jerusalem, which cometh down out of heaven from my God: ^dand I will write upon him my new name.

13 ^aHe that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches.

The message to Laodicea

14 ¶ And unto the angel of the church ¹of the Laodiceans write; ^aThese *things* saith the Amen, ^bthe faithful and true witness, ^cthe beginning of the creation of God;

15 ^aI know thy works, that thou art neither cold nor hot: I would thou wert cold or hot.

16 *So then* because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spue thee out of my mouth.

17 Because thou sayest, ^aI am rich, and increased with goods, and have need of nothing; and knowest not that thou art wretched, and miserable, and poor, and blind, and naked:

18 I counsel thee ^ato buy of me gold tried in the fire, that thou mayest be rich; and ^bwhite raiment, that thou mayest be clothed, and *that* the shame of thy nakedness do not appear; and anoint thine eyes *with* eyesalve, that thou mayest see.

19 ^aAs many as I love, I rebuke and chasten: be zealous therefore, and repent.

20 Behold, ^aI stand at the door, and knock: ^bif any *man* hear my voice, and open the door, ^cI will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me.

21 To him that overcometh ^awill I grant to sit with me in my throne, *even* as I also overcame, and am set down with my Father in his throne.

22 ^aHe that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches.

The heavenly worship

4 After this I looked, and behold, a door *was* opened in heaven: and ^athe first voice which I heard *was* as *it were* of a trumpet talking with me; which said, ^bCome up hither, ^cand I will shew thee *things* which must be hereafter.

2 And immediately ^aI was in the spirit: and behold, ^ba throne was set in heaven, and one sat on the throne.

3 And he that sat was to look upon like a jasper and a sardine stone: ^aand *there was* a rainbow round about the throne, in sight like unto an emerald.

3:10 ^a2 Pet. 2:9
^aLuke 2:1 ^cIs.
24:17
3:11 ^aPhil. 4:5
^bch. 2:25 ^cch.
2:10
3:12 ^a1 Ki. 7:21;
Gal. 2:9 ^cch.
14:1 ^aHeb. 12:22
^ach. 22:4
3:13 ^ach. 2:7
3:14 ¹Or, in
Laodicea ^aIs.
65:16 ^bch. 19:11
^cCol. 1:15
3:15 ^aver. 1
3:17 ^aHos. 12:8;
1 Cor. 4:8
3:18 ^aIs. 55:1;
Mat. 13:44
^b2 Cor. 5:3; ch.
7:13
3:19 ^aJob 5:17;
Prov. 3:11; Heb.
12:5,6
3:20 ^aSol. 5:2
^aLuke 12:37
^cJohn 14:23
3:21 ^aMat.
19:28; Luke
22:30; 2 Tim.
2:12
3:22 ^ach. 2:7
4:1 ^ach. 1:10
^bch. 11:12 ^cch.
1:19
4:2 ^ach. 1:10
^bIs. 6:1; Ezek.
1:26; Dan. 7:9
4:3 ^aEzek. 1:28
4:4 ^ach. 11:16
^bch. 3:4,5
4:5 ^ach. 8:5
^bEx. 37:23; 2 Chr.
4:20; Ezek. 1:13;
Zech. 4:2 ^cch.
1:4
4:6 ^aEx. 38:8;
ch. 15:2 ^bEzek.
1:5
4:7 ^aNum. 2:2;
Ezek. 1:10
4:8 ¹Gr. they
have no rest ^aIs.
6:2 ^bIs. 6:3 ^cch.
1:8 ^cch. 1:4
4:9 ^ach. 1:18
4:10 ^ach. 5:8,14
4:11 ^ach. 5:12
^bGen. 1:1; Acts
17:24; Eph. 3:9
5:1 ^aEzek. 2:9
^bIs. 29:11; Dan.
12:4
5:5 ^aGen. 49:9;
Heb. 7:14 ^bIs.
11:1; 10; ch. 22:16
^cch. 6:1
5:6 ^aIs. 53:7;
John 1:29; 1 Pet.
1:19 ^bZech. 3:9
^cch. 4:5
5:7 ^ach. 4:2
5:8 ^ach. 4:8,10

4 ^aAnd round about the throne *were* four and twenty seats: and upon the seats I saw four and twenty elders sitting, ^bclothed in white raiment; and they had on their heads crowns of gold.

5 And out of the throne proceeded ^alightnings and thunderings and voices: ^band *there were* seven lamps of fire burning before the throne, which are ^cthe seven spirits of God.

6 And before the throne *there was* ^aa sea of glass like unto crystal: ^band in the midst of the throne, and round about the throne, *were* four beasts full of eyes before and behind.

7 ^aAnd the first beast *was* like a lion, and the second beast like a calf, and the third beast had a face as a man, and the fourth beast *was* like a flying eagle.

8 And the four beasts had each of them ^asix wings about *him*; and *they were* full of eyes within: and ¹they rest not day and night, saying, ^bHoly, holy, holy, ^cLord God Almighty, ^dwhich was, and is, and is to come.

9 And when *those* beasts give glory and honour and thanks to him that sat on the throne, ^awho liveth for ever and ever,

10 ^aThe four and twenty elders fall down before him that sat on the throne, and worship him that liveth for ever and ever, and cast their crowns before the throne, saying,

11 ^aThou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: ^bfor thou hast created all *things*, and for thy pleasure they are and were created.

The book and the Lamb

5 And I saw in the right hand of him that sat on the throne ^aa book written within and on the backside, ^bsealed with seven seals.

2 And I saw a strong angel proclaiming with a loud voice, Who is worthy to open the book, and to loose the seals thereof?

3 And no *man* in heaven, nor in earth, neither under the earth, was able to open the book, neither to look thereon.

4 And I wept much, because no *man* was found worthy to open and to read the book, neither to look thereon.

5 And one of the elders saith unto me, Weep not: behold, ^athe Lion of the tribe of Juda, ^bthe root of David, hath prevailed to open the book, ^cand to loose the seven seals thereof.

6 And I beheld, and lo, in the midst of the throne and of the four beasts, and in the midst of the elders, stood ^aa Lamb as *it had been* slain, having seven horns and ^bseven eyes, which are ^cthe seven spirits of God sent forth into all the earth.

7 And he came and took the book out of the right hand ^aof him that sat upon the throne.

8 And when he had taken the book, ^athe four beasts and four *and* twenty elders fell down before the Lamb, having every one of

them ^bharps, and golden vials full of ¹odours, ^cwhich are the prayers of saints.

9 And ^athey sung a new song, saying, ^bThou art worthy to take the book, and to open the seals thereof: for thou wast slain, and ^chast redeemed us to God by thy blood ^dout of every kindred, and tongue, and people, and nation;

10 ^aAnd hast made us unto our God kings and priests: and we shall reign on the earth.

11 ¶ And I beheld, and I heard the voice of many angels round about the throne and the beasts and the elders: and the number of them was ^aten thousand times ten thousand, and thousands of thousands;

12 Saying with a loud voice, ^aWorthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honour, and glory, and blessing.

13 And ^aevery 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, ^bBlessing, and honour, and glory, and power, ^{be} unto him ^cthat sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb for ever and ever.

14 ^aAnd the four beasts said, Amen. And the four ^{and} twenty elders fell down and worshipped him ^bthat liveth for ever and ever.

Six of the seals opened

6 And ^aI saw when the Lamb opened one of the seals, and I heard, as ^{it were} the noise of thunder, ^bone of the four beasts saying, Come and see.

2 And I saw, and behold ^aa white horse: ^band he that sat on him had a bow; ^cand a crown was given unto him: and he went forth conquering, and to conquer.

3 ¶ And when he had opened the second seal, ^aI heard the second beast say, Come and see.

4 ^aAnd there went out another horse ^{that was red}: and ^{power} was given to him that sat thereon to take peace from the earth, and that they should kill one another: and there was given unto him a great sword.

5 ¶ And when he had opened the third seal, ^aI heard the third beast say, Come and see. And I beheld, and lo ^a black horse; and he that sat on him had a pair of balances in his hand.

6 And I heard a voice in the midst of the four beasts say, ¹A measure of wheat for a penny, and three measures of barley for a penny; and ^asee thou hurt not the oil and the wine.

7 ¶ And when he had opened the fourth seal, ^aI heard the voice of the fourth beast say, Come and see.

8 ^aAnd I looked, and behold a pale horse: and his name that sat on him ^{was} Death, and Hell followed with him. And ^{power} was given ¹unto them over the fourth ^{part} of the earth, ^bto kill with sword, and with hunger, and with death, ^cand with the beasts of the earth.

5:8 ¹Or, incense
^bch. 14:2 ^cPs.
141:2

5:9 ^aPs. 40:3
^bch. 4:11 ^cActs
20:28; Rom. 3:24;
1 Cor. 6:20; Eph.
1:7; Col. 1:14;
Heb. 9:12; 1 Pet.
1:18; 2 Pet. 2:1;
1 John 1:7 ^dDan.
4:1

5:10 ^aEx. 19:6;
1 Pet. 2:5

5:11 ^aPs. 68:17;
Dan. 7:10; Heb.
12:22

5:12 ^ach. 4:11

5:13 ^aPhil. 2:10
^b1 Chr. 29:11;
Rom. 9:5; 16:27;
1 Tim. 6:16;
1 Pet. 4:11; 5:11
^cch. 6:16

5:14 ^ach. 19:4
^bch. 4:9,10

6:1 ^ach. 5:5-7
^bch. 4:7

6:2 ^aZech. 6:3;
ch. 19:11 ^bPs.
45:4,5 LXX
^cZech. 6:11; ch.
14:14

6:3 ^ach. 4:7

6:4 ^aZech. 6:2

6:5 ^ach. 4:7

^bZech. 6:2

6:6 ¹The word
chenix signifieth
a measure
containing one
wine quart, and
the twelfth part of
a quart ^ach. 9:4

6:7 ^ach. 4:7

6:8 ¹Or, *to him*

^aZech. 6:3

^bEzek. 14:21

^cLev. 26:22

6:9 ^ach. 8:3;

14:18 ^bch. 20:4

^cch. 1:9 ^d2 Tim.

1:8; ch. 19:10

6:10 ^aSee Zech.

1:12 ^ach. 3:7

^cch. 11:18

6:11 ^ach. 3:4,5

^bHeb. 11:40

6:12 ^ach. 16:18

^bJoel 2:10; 3:15;

Mat. 24:29; Acts
2:20

6:13 ¹Or, *green*

figs ^ach. 8:10;

9:1

6:14 ^aPs.

102:26; Is. 34:4;

Heb. 1:12 ^bJer.

3:23; 4:24; ch.

16:20

6:15 ^aIs. 2:19

6:16 ^aHos. 10:8;

Luke 23:30

6:17 ^aIs. 13:6;

Zeph. 1:14; ch.

16:14 ^bPs. 78:7

7:1 ^aDan. 7:2

^bch. 9:4

7:3 ^ach. 6:6

^bch. 22:4

7:4 ^ach. 9:16

^bch. 14:1

9 ¶ And when he had opened the fifth seal, I saw under ^athe altar ^bthe souls of them that were slain ^cfor the word of God, and for ^dthe testimony which they held:

10 And they cried with a loud voice, saying, ^aHow long, O Lord, ^bholy and true, ^cdost thou not judge and avenge our blood on them that dwell on the earth?

11 And ^awhite robes were given unto every one of them; and it was said unto them, ^bthat they should rest yet for a little season, until their fellowservants also and their brethren, that should be killed as they ^{were}, should be fulfilled.

12 ¶ And I beheld when he had opened the sixth seal, ^aand lo, there was a great earthquake; and ^bthe sun became black as sackcloth of hair, and the moon became as blood;

13 ^aAnd the stars of heaven fell unto the earth, ^{even} as a fig tree casteth her ¹untimely figs, when she is shaken of a mighty wind.

14 ^aAnd the heaven departed as a scrole when it is rolled together; and ^bevery mountain and island were moved out of their places.

15 And the kings of the earth, and the great men, and the rich ^{men}, and the chief captains, and the mighty ^{men}, and every bondman, and every free ^{man}, ^ahid themselves in the dens and in the rocks of the mountains;

16 ^aAnd said to the mountains and rocks, Fall on us, and hide us from the face of him that sitteth on the throne, and from the wrath of the Lamb:

17 ^aFor the great day of his wrath is come; ^band who shall be able to stand?

The sealing of God's servants

7 And after these ^{things} I saw four angels standing on the four corners of the earth, ^aholding the four winds of the earth, ^bthat the wind should not blow on the earth, nor on the sea, nor on any tree.

2 And I saw another angel ascending from the east, having the seal of the living God: and he cried with a loud voice to the four angels, to whom it was given to hurt the earth and the sea,

3 Saying, ^aHurt not the earth, neither the sea, nor the trees, till we have sealed the servants of our God ^bin their foreheads.

4 ^aAnd I heard the number of them which were sealed: ^{and there were} sealed ^ban hundred and forty and four thousand of all the tribes of the children of Israel.

5 Of the tribe of Juda ^{were} sealed twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Reuben ^{were} sealed twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Gad ^{were} sealed twelve thousand.

6 Of the tribe of Aser ^{were} sealed twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Nephthaliim ^{were} sealed twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Manasses ^{were} sealed twelve thousand.

7 Of the tribe of Simeon ^{were} sealed twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Levi ^{were}

sealed twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Isachar were sealed twelve thousand.

8 Of the tribe of Zabulon were sealed twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Joseph were sealed twelve thousand. Of the tribe of Benjamin were sealed twelve thousand.

The saints in white robes

9 ¶ After this I beheld, and lo, ^aa great multitude, which no man could number, ^bof all nations, and kindreds, and people, and tongues, stood before the throne, and before the Lamb, ^cclothed with white robes, and palms in their hands;

10 And cried with a loud voice, saying, ^aSalvation to our God ^bwhich sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb.

11 ^aAnd all the angels stood round about the throne, and *about* the elders and the four beasts, and fell before the throne on their faces, and worshipped God,

12 ^aSaying, Amen: Blessing, and glory, and wisdom, and thanksgiving, and honour, and power, and might, *be* unto our God for ever and ever. Amen.

13 And one of the elders answered, saying unto me, What are these which are arrayed in ^awhite robes? and whence came they?

14 And I said unto him, Sir, thou knowest. And he said to me, ^aThese are they which came out of great tribulation, and have ^bwashed their robes, and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

15 Therefore are they before the throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple: and he that sitteth on the throne shall ^adwell among them.

16 ^aThey shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more; ^bneither shall the sun light on them, nor any heat.

17 For the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne ^ashall feed them, and shall lead them unto living fountains of waters: ^band God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes.

The seventh seal

8 And ^awhen he had opened the seventh seal, there was silence in heaven about the space of half an hour.

2 ¶ ^aAnd I saw the seven angels which stood before God; ^band to them were given seven trumpets.

3 And another angel came and stood at the altar, having a golden censer; and there was given unto him much incense, that he should ¹offer it with ^athe prayers of all saints upon ^bthe golden altar which was before the throne.

4 And ^athe smoke of the incense, which came with the prayers of the saints, ascended up before God out of the angel's hand.

5 And the angel took the censer, and filled it with fire of the altar, and cast it ¹into the earth: and ^athere were voices, and thunders, and lightnings, ^band an earthquake.

7:9 ^aRom. 11:25
^bch. 5:9 ^cver. 14;
 ch. 3:5, 18; 4:4;
 6:11
 7:10 ^aPs. 3:8;
 Is. 43:11; Jer.
 3:23; Hos. 13:4;
 ch. 19:1 ^bch.
 5:13
 7:11 ^ach. 4:6
 7:12 ^ach.
 5:13, 14
 7:13 ^aver. 9
 7:14 ^ach. 6:9;
 17:6 ^bIs. 1:18;
 See Zech. 3:3-5
 7:15 ^aIs. 4:5, 6;
 ch. 21:3
 7:16 ^aIs. 49:10
^bPs. 121:6; ch.
 21:4
 7:17 ^aPs. 23:1;
 36:8; John
 10:11, 14 ^bIs.
 25:8; ch. 21:4
 8:1 ^ach. 6:1
 8:2 ^aMat. 18:10;
 Luke 1:9
^b2 Chr. 29:25-28
 8:3 ¹Or, add it
 to the prayers
^ach. 5:8 ^bEx.
 30:1; ch. 6:9
 8:4 ^aPs. 141:2,
 Luke 1:10
 8:5 ¹[Or, upon]
^ach. 16:18
^b2 Sam. 22:8;
 1 Ki. 19:11; Acts
 4:31
 8:7 ^aEzek.
 38:22 ^bch. 16:2
^cIs. 2:13; ch. 9:4
 8:8 ^aJer. 51:25;
 Amos 7:4 ^bch.
 16:3 ^cEzek.
 14:19
 8:9 ^ach. 16:3
 8:10 ^aIs. 14:12;
 ch. 9:1 ^bch. 16:4
 8:11 ^aRuth 1:20
^bEx. 15:23
 8:12 ^aIs. 13:10;
 Amos 8:9
 8:13 ^ach. 14:6;
 19:17 ^bch. 9:12;
 11:14
 9:1 ^aLuke
 10:18; ch. 8:10
^bver. 2, 11; Luke
 8:31; ch. 17:8;
 20:1
 9:3 ^aEx. 10:4;
 Judg. 7:12 ^bver.
 10
 9:4 ^ach. 6:6, 7, 3
^bch. 8:7 ^cSee
 Ex. 12:23; Ezek.
 9:4; ch. 7:3
 9:5 ^aver. 10, ch.
 11:7
 9:6 ^aJob 3:21;
 Is. 2:19; Jer. 8:3;
 ch. 6:16
 9:7 ^aJoel 2:4
^bNah. 3:17
^cDan. 7:8

6 And the seven angels which had the seven trumpets prepared themselves to sound.

7 ¶ The first angel sounded, ^aand there followed hail and fire mingled with blood, and they were cast ^bupon the earth: and the third part ^cof trees was burnt up, and all green grass was burnt up.

8 ¶ And the second angel sounded, ^aand as it were a great mountain burning with fire was cast into the sea: ^band the third part of the sea ^cbecame blood;

9 ^aAnd the third part of the creatures which were in the sea, and had life, died; and the third part of the ships were destroyed.

10 ¶ And the third angel sounded, ^aand there fell a great star from heaven, burning as it were a lamp, ^band it fell upon the third part of the rivers, and upon the fountains of waters;

11 ^aAnd the name of the star is called Wormwood: ^band the third part of the waters became wormwood; and many men died of the waters, because they were made bitter.

12 ¶ And the fourth angel sounded, and the third part of the sun was smitten, and the third part of the moon, and the third part of the stars; so as the third part of them was darkened and the day shone not for a third part of it, and the night likewise.

13 And I beheld, ^aand heard an angel flying through the midst of heaven, saying with a loud voice, ^bWoe, woe, woe, to the inhabitants of the earth by reason of the other voices of the trumpet of the three angels, which are yet to sound.

The plague of locusts

9 And the fifth angel sounded, ^aand I saw a star fall from heaven unto the earth: and to him was given the key of ^bthe bottomless pit.

2 And he opened the bottomless pit; and there arose a smoke out of the pit, as the smoke of a great furnace; and the sun and the air were darkened by reason of the smoke of the pit.

3 And there came out of the smoke ^alocusts upon the earth: and unto them was given power, ^bas the scorpions of the earth have power.

4 And it was commanded them ^athat they should not hurt ^bthe grass of the earth, neither any green thing, neither any tree; but only *those* men which have not ^cthe seal of God in their foreheads.

5 And to them it was given that they should not kill them, ^abut that they should be tormented five months: and their torment was as the torment of a scorpion, when he striketh a man.

6 And in those days ^ashall men seek death, and shall not find it; and shall desire to die, and death shall flee from them.

7 And ^athe shapes of the locusts were like unto horses prepared unto battle; ^band on their heads were as it were crowns like gold, ^cand their faces were as the faces of men.

8 And they had hair as the hair of women, and ^atheir teeth were as *the teeth* of lions.

9 And they had breastplates, as *it were* breastplates of iron; and the sound of their wings *was* ^aas the sound of chariots of many horses running to battle.

10 And they had tails like unto scorpions, and there were stings in their tails: ^aand their power *was* to hurt men five months.

11 ^aAnd they had a king over them, *which is* ^bthe angel of the bottomless *pit*, whose name in the Hebrew tongue *is* Abaddon, but in the Greek tongue hath *his* name ¹Apolylon.

12 ^aOne woe is past; and behold, there come two woes more hereafter.

13 ¶ And the sixth angel sounded, and I heard a voice from the four horns of the golden altar which is before God,

14 Saying to the sixth angel which had the trumpet, Loose the four angels which are bound ^ain the great river Euphrates.

15 And the four angels were loosed, which were prepared ¹for an hour, and a day, and a month, and a year, for to slay the third *part* of men.

16 And ^athe number of the army ^bof the horsemen *were* two hundred thousand thousand: ^cand I heard the number of them.

17 And thus I saw the horses in the vision, and them that sat on them, having breastplates of fire, and of jacinth, and brimstone: ^aand the heads of the horses *were* as the heads of lions; and out of their mouths issued fire and smoke and brimstone.

18 By these three was the third *part* of men killed, by the fire, and by the smoke, and by the brimstone, which issued out of their mouths.

19 For their power is in their mouth, and in their tails: ^afor their tails *were* like unto serpents, and had heads, and with them they do hurt.

20 And the rest of the men which were not killed by these plagues ^ayet repented not of the works of their hands, that they should not worship ^bdevils, ^cand idols of gold, and silver, and brass, and stone, and of wood: which neither can see, nor hear, nor walk:

21 Neither repented they of their murders, ^anor of their sorceries, nor of their fornication, nor of their thefts.

John eats the book

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

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

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

4 And when the seven thunders had ut-

tered their voices, I was about to write: and I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me, ^aSeal up *those things* which the seven thunders uttered, and write them not.

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

6 And swore by him that liveth for ever and ever, ^awho 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, ^bthat there should be time no longer:

7 But ^ain 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.

8 ¶ And ^athe 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.

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

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

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

The two witnesses

11 And there was given me ^aa reed like unto a rod: and the angel stood, saying, ^bRise, and measure the temple of God, and the altar, and them that worship therein.

2 But ^athe court which is without the temple ¹leave out, and measure it not; ^bfor it is given unto the Gentiles: and the holy city shall they ^ctread under foot ^dforty and two months.

3 And ¹I will give *power* unto my two ^awitnesses, ^band they shall prophesy ^ca thousand two hundred *and* threescore days, clothed in sackcloth.

4 These are the ^atwo olive trees, and the two candlesticks standing before the God of the earth.

5 And if any *man* will hurt them, ^afire proceedeth out of their mouth, and devoureth their enemies: ^band if any *man* will hurt them, he must in this manner be killed.

6 These ^ahave power to shut heaven, that it rain not in the days of their prophecy: and have power over waters to turn them to blood, and to smite the earth with all plagues, as often as they will.

7 And when they ^ashall have finished their testimony, ^bthe beast that ascendeth ^cout of the bottomless *pit* ^dshall make war against them, and shall overcome them, and kill them.

9:8 ^aJoel 1:6

9:9 ^aJoel 2:5-7

9:10 ^aver. 5

9:11 ¹That is to say, A destroyer

^aEph. 2:2 ²ver. 1

9:12 ^ach. 8:13

9:14 ^ach. 16:12

9:15 ¹Or, *af*

9:16 ^aPs. 68:17;

Dan. 7:10 ^aEzek.

38:4 ^ach. 7:4

9:17 ^a1 Chr.

12:8; Is. 5:28, 29

9:19 ^aIs. 9:15

9:20 ^aDeut.

31:29 ^aLev. 17:7;

Deut. 32:17; Ps.

106:37; 1 Cor.

10:20 ^aPs.

115:4; 135:15;

Dan. 5:23

9:21 ^ach. 22:15

10:1 ^aEzek.

1:28 ^aMat. 17:2;

ch. 1:16 ^ach.

1:15

10:2 ^aMat.

28:18

10:3 ^ach. 8:5

10:4 ^aDan. 8:26;

12:4, 9

10:5 ^aEx. 6:8;

Dan. 12:7

10:6 ^aNeh. 9:6;

ch. 4:11; 14:7

^aDan. 12:7; ch.

16:17

10:7 ^ach. 11:15

10:8 ^aver. 4

10:9 ^aJer.

15:16; Ezek. 2:8

10:10 ^aEzek.

3:3 ^bEzek. 2:10

11:1 ^aEzek.

40:3; ch. 21:15

^aNum. 23:18

11:2 ¹Gr. *cast*

out ^aEzek. 40:17

^aPs. 79:1; Luke

21:24 ^aDan. 8:10

^ach. 13:5

11:3 ¹Or, *I will*

give unto my two

witnesses that

they may

prophesy ^ach.

20:4 ^ach. 19:10

^ach. 12:6

11:4 ^aPs. 52:8;

Jer. 11:16; Zech.

4:3

11:5 ^a2 Ki. 1:10;

Jer. 1:10; Ezek.

43:3; Hos. 6:5

^aNum. 16:29

11:6 ^a1 Ki. 17:1;

Jas. 5:16

11:7 ^aLuke

13:32 ^ach.

13:1, 11 ^ach. 9:2

^aDan. 7:21; Zech.

14:2

8 And their dead bodies shall lie in the street of ^athe great city, which spiritually is called Sodom and Egypt, ^bwhere also our Lord was crucified.

9 ^aAnd they of the people and kindreds and tongues and nations shall see their dead bodies three days and a half, ^band shall not suffer their dead bodies to be put in graves.

10 ^aAnd they that dwell upon the earth shall rejoice over them, and make merry, ^band shall send gifts one to another; ^cbecause these two prophets tormented them that dwelt on the earth.

11 ^aAnd after three days and a half ^bthe spirit of life from God entered into them, and they stood upon their feet; and great fear fell upon them which saw them.

12 And they heard a great voice from heaven saying unto them, Come up hither. ^aAnd they ascended up to heaven ^bin a cloud; ^cand their enemies beheld them.

13 And the same hour ^awas there a great earthquake, ^band the tenth part of the city fell, and in the earthquake were slain ¹of men seven thousand: and the remnant were affrighted, ^cand gave glory to the God of heaven.

14 ^aThe second woe is past; and behold, the third woe cometh quickly.

The seventh trumpet

15 ¶ And ^athe seventh angel sounded; ^band there were great voices in heaven, saying, ^cThe kingdoms of *this* world are become *the kingdoms* of our Lord, and of his Christ; ^dand he shall reign for ever and ever.

16 And ^athe four and twenty elders, which sat before God on their seats, fell upon their faces, and worshipped God,

17 Saying, We give thee thanks, O Lord God Almighty, ^awhich art, and wast, and art to come; because thou hast taken *to thee* thy great power, ^band hast reigned.

18 ^aAnd the nations were angry, and thy wrath is come, ^band the time of the dead, that they should be judged, and that thou shouldest give reward unto thy servants the prophets, and to the saints, and them that fear thy name, ^csmall and great; ^dand shouldest destroy them which ¹destroy the earth.

The woman and the dragon

19 ¶ And ^athe temple of God was opened in heaven, and there was seen in his temple the ark of his testament: and ^bthere were lightnings, and voices, and thunderings, and an earthquake, ^cand great hail.

12 And there appeared a great ¹wonder in heaven; a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon under her feet, and upon her head a crown of twelve stars:

2 And she being with child cried, ^atravailing in birth, and pained to be delivered.

3 And there appeared another ¹wonder in heaven; and behold ^aa great red dragon,

^bhaving seven heads and ten horns, ^cand seven crowns upon his heads.

4 And ^ahis tail drew the third *part* ^bof the stars of heaven, ^cand did cast them to the earth: and the dragon stood ^dbefore the woman which was ready to be delivered, ^efor to devour her child as soon as it was born.

5 And she brought forth a man child, ^awho was to rule all nations with a rod of iron: and her child was caught up unto God, and to his throne.

6 And ^athe woman fled into the wilderness, where she hath a place prepared of God, that they should feed her there ^ba thousand two hundred *and* threescore days.

7 ¶ And there was war in heaven: ^aMichael and his angels fought ^bagainst the dragon; and the dragon fought and his angels,

8 And prevailed not; neither was their place found any more in heaven.

9 And ^athe great dragon was cast out, ^bthat old serpent, called the devil, and Satan, ^cwhich deceiveth the whole world: ^dhe was cast out into the earth, and his angels were cast out with him.

10 And I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, ^aNow is come salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of his Christ: for the accuser of our brethren is cast down, ^bwhich accused them before our God day and night.

11 And ^athey overcame him by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony; ^band they loved not their lives unto the death.

12 Therefore ^arejoice, ye heavens, and ye that dwell in them. ^bWoe to the inhabitants of the earth and of the sea! for the devil is come down unto you, having great wrath, ^cbecause he knoweth that he hath *but* a short time.

13 ¶ And when the dragon saw that he was cast unto the earth, he persecuted ^athe woman which brought forth the man *child*.

14 ^aAnd to the woman were given two wings of a great eagle, ^bthat she might fly ^cinto the wilderness, into her place, where she is nourished ^dfor a time, and times, and half a time, from the face of the serpent.

15 And the serpent ^acast out of his mouth water as a flood after the woman, that he might cause her to be carried away of the flood.

16 And the earth helped the woman, and the earth opened her mouth, and swallowed up the flood which the dragon cast out of his mouth.

17 And the dragon was wroth with the woman, ^aand went to make war with the remnant of her seed, ^bwhich keep the commandments of God, and have ^cthe testimony of Jesus Christ.

The beast from the sea

13 And I stood upon the sand of the sea, and saw ^aa beast rise up out of the sea, ^bhaving seven heads and ten horns, and

11:8 ^ach. 14:8
^bHeb. 13:12
 11:9 ^ach. 17:15
^bPs. 79:2,3
 11:10 ^ach. 12:12
^bEsth. 9:19 ^cch. 16:10
 11:11 ^aver. 9
^bEzek. 37:5
 11:12 ^aIs. 14:13
^bIs. 60:8; Acts 1:9
^c2 Ki. 2:1
 11:13 ¹Gr. *names of men*
^ach. 6:12 ^bch. 16:19 ^cJosh. 7:19
 11:14 ^ach. 8:13
 11:15 ^ach. 10:7
^bIs. 27:13 ^cch. 12:10
^dDan. 2:44
 11:16 ^ach. 4:4
 11:17 ^ach. 16:5
^bch. 19:6
 11:18 ¹Or, *corrupt* ^aver. 2,9
^bDan. 7:9 ^cch. 19:5 ^dch. 13:10
 11:19 ^ach. 15:8 ^bch. 8:5
^cch. 16:21
 12:1 ¹Or, *sign*
 12:2 ^aIs. 66:7;
 Gal. 4:19
 12:3 ¹Or, *sign*
^ach. 17:3
 12:3 ^bch. 17:9,
 10 ^cch. 13:1
 12:4 ^ach.
 9:10,19 ^bch.
 17:18 ^cDan. 8:10
^dver. 2 ^eEx. 1:16
 12:5 ^aPs. 2:9;
 ch. 19:15
 12:6 ^aver. 4
^bch. 11:3
 12:7 ^aDan.
 10:13 ^bch. 20:2
 12:9 ^aLuke
 10:18; John
 12:31 ^bGen.
 3:1,4; ch. 20:2
^cch. 20:3 ^dch.
 9:1
 12:10 ^ach.
 11:15 ^bJob 1:9;
 Zech. 3:1
 12:11 ^aRom.
 16:20 ^bLuke
 14:26
 12:12 ^aPs.
 96:11; Is. 49:13;
 ch. 18:20 ^bch.
 8:13 ^cch. 10:6
 12:13 ^aver. 5
 12:14 ^aEx. 19:4
^bver. 8 ^cch. 17:3
^dDan. 7:25
 12:15 ^aIs. 59:19
 12:17 ^aGen.
 3:15; ch. 11:7
^bch. 14:12
^c1 Cor. 2:1;
 1 John 5:10
 13:1 ^aDan.
 7:2,7 ^bch. 12:3

upon his horns ten crowns, and upon his heads the ¹name of blasphemy.

2 ^aAnd the beast which I saw was like unto a leopard, ^band his feet were as the feet of a bear, ^cand his mouth as the mouth of a lion: and ^dthe dragon gave him his power, and his seat, ^eand great authority.

3 And I saw one of his heads ^aas it were ¹wounded to death; and his deadly wound was healed: and ^ball the world wondered after the beast.

4 And they worshipped the dragon which gave power unto the beast: and they worshipped the beast, saying, ^aWho is like unto the beast? who is able to make war with him?

5 And there was given unto him ^aa mouth speaking great things and blasphemies; and power was given unto him ¹to continue ^bforty and two months.

6 And he opened his mouth in blasphemy against God, to blaspheme his name, ^aand his tabernacle, and them that dwell in heaven.

7 And it was given unto him ^ato make war with the saints, and to overcome them: ^band power was given him over all kindreds, and tongues, and nations.

8 And all that dwell upon the earth shall worship him, ^awhose names are not written in the book of life of the Lamb slain ^bfrom the foundation of the world.

9 ^aIf any man have an ear, let him hear.

10 ^aHe that leadeth into captivity shall go into captivity; ^bhe that killeth with the sword must be killed with the sword. ^cHere is the patience and the faith of the saints.

The beast from the earth

11 ¶ And I beheld another beast ^acoming up out of the earth; and he had two horns like a lamb, and he spake as a dragon.

12 And he exerciseth all the power of the first beast before him, and causeth the earth and them which dwell therein to worship the first beast, ^awhose deadly wound was healed.

13 And ^ahe doeth great wonders, ^bso that he maketh fire come down from heaven on the earth in the sight of men,

14 ^aAnd deceiveth them that dwell on the earth ^bby the means of those miracles which he had power to do in the sight of the beast; saying to them that dwell on the earth, that they should make an image to the beast, which had the wound by a sword, ^cand did live.

15 And he had power to give ¹life unto the image of the beast, that the image of the beast should both speak, ^aand cause that as many as would not worship the image of the beast should be killed.

16 And he causeth all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, ^ato receive a mark in their right hand, or in their foreheads:

17 And that no man might buy or sell,

13:1 ¹Or, names

13:2 ^aDan. 7:6

^bDan. 7:5 ^cDan.

7:4 ^dch. 12:9

^ech. 12:4

13:3 ¹Gr. *slain*

^aver. 12, 14 ^bch.

17:8

13:4 ^ach. 18:18

13:5 ¹Or, to

make war ^aDan.

7:8 ^cch. 11:2

13:6 ^aJohn

1:14; Col. 2:9

13:7 ^aDan.

7:21; ch. 11:7

^bch. 11:18

13:8 ^aEx. 32:32;

Dan. 12:1; Phil.

4:3; ch. 3:5 ^ach.

17:8

13:9 ^ach. 2:7

13:10 ^aIs. 33:1

^bGen. 9:6; Mat.

26:52 ^cch. 14:12

13:11 ^ach. 11:7

13:12 ^aver. 3

13:13 ^aDeut.

13:1; Mat. 24:24;

2 Thes. 2:9; ch.

16:14 ^a1 Ki.

16:38 2 Ki. 1:10

13:14 ^ach. 12:9

^b2 Thes. 2:9

^c2 Ki. 20:7

13:15 ¹Gr.

breath ^ach. 16:2

13:16 ¹Gr. to

give [mem] ^ach.

14:9

13:17 ^ach.

14:11 ^bch. 15:2

13:18 ^ach. 17:9

^bch. 15:2 ^cch.

21:17

14:1 ^ach. 5:6

^bch. 7:4 ^cch.

13:16

14:2 ^ach. 1:15

^bch. 5:8

14:3 ^ach. 5:9

^aver. 1

14:4 ¹Gr. were

bought ^a2 Cor.

11:2 ^bch. 3:4

^cch. 5:9 ^aJas.

1:18

14:5 ^aPs. 32:2;

Zeph. 3:13 ^bEph.

5:27; Jude 24

14:6 ^ach. 8:13

^bEph. 3:9; Tit. 1:2

^cch. 13:7

14:7 ^ach. 11:18

^bNeh. 9:6; Ps.

33:6; 124:8;

146:5; Acts

14:15 17:24

14:8 ^aIs. 21:9;

ch. 18:2 ^bJer.

51:7; ch. 16:19;

17:2, 5; 18:3, 10

14:9 ^ach. 13:14

14:10 ^aPs. 75:0;

Is. 51:17; Jer.

25:15 ^bch. 18:6

^cch. 16:19 ^ach.

20:10 ^ach. 19:20

14:11 ^aIs. 34:10

14:12 ^ach.

13:10 ^bch. 12:17

save he that had the mark, or ^athe name of the beast, ^bor the number of his name.

18 ^aHere is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count ^bthe number of the beast: ^cfor it is the number of a man; and his number is Six hundred threescore and six.

The Lamb on mount Zion

14 And I looked, and lo, ^aa Lamb stood on the mount Sion, and with him ^ban hundred forty and four thousand, ^chaving his Father's name written in their foreheads.

2 And I heard a voice from heaven, ^aas the voice of many waters, and as the voice of a great thunder: and I heard the voice of ^bharpers harping with their harps:

3 And ^athey sung as it were a new song before the throne, and before the four beasts, and the elders: and no man could learn that song ^bbut the hundred and forty and four thousand, which were redeemed from the earth.

4 These are they which were not defiled with women; ^afor they are virgins. These are they ^bwhich follow the Lamb whithersoever he goeth. These ^cwere redeemed from among men, ^dbeing the firstfruits unto God and to the Lamb.

5 And ^ain their mouth was found no guile: for ^bthey are without fault before the throne of God.

The angelic messages

6 ¶ And I saw another angel ^afly in the midst of heaven, ^bhaving the everlasting gospel to preach unto them that dwell on the earth, ^cand to every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people,

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

8 And there followed another angel, saying, ^aBabylon is fallen, is fallen, ^bthat great city, because she made all nations drink of the wine of the wrath of her fornication.

9 And ^athe third angel followed them, saying with a loud voice, ^aIf any man worship the beast and his image, and receive ^bhis mark in his forehead, or in his hand,

10 The same ^ashall drink of the wine of the wrath of God, which is ^bpoured out without mixture into ^cthe cup of his indignation; and ^dhe shall be tormented with ^efire and brimstone in the presence of the holy angels, and in the presence of the Lamb:

11 And ^athe smoke of their torment ascendeth up for ever and ever: and they have no rest day nor night, who worship the beast and his image, and whosoever receiveth the mark of his name.

12 ^aHere is the patience of the saints: ^bhere are they that keep the commandments of God, and the faith of Jesus.

13 And I heard a voice from heaven saying

unto me, Write, ^aBlessed are the dead ^bwhich die in the Lord ¹from henceforth: Yea, saith the Spirit, ^cthat they may rest from their labours; and their works do follow them.

14 ¶ And I looked, and behold a white cloud, and upon the cloud one sat ^alike unto the Son of man, ^bhaving on his head a golden crown, and in his hand a sharp sickle.

15 And another angel ^acame out of the temple, crying with a loud voice to him that sat on the cloud, ^bThrust in thy sickle, and reap: for the time is come for thee to reap; for the harvest ^cof the earth is ¹ripe.

16 And he that sat on the cloud thrust in his sickle on the earth; and the earth was reaped.

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

18 And another angel came out from the altar, ^awhich had power over fire; and cried with a loud cry to him that had the sharp sickle, saying, ^bThrust in thy sharp sickle, and gather the clusters of the vine of the earth; for her grapes are fully ripe.

19 And the angel thrust in his sickle into the earth, and gathered the vine of the earth, and cast it into ^athe great winepress of the wrath of God.

20 And ^athe winepress was trodden ^bwithout the city, and blood came out of the winepress, ^ceven unto the horse bridles, by the space of a thousand and six hundred furlongs.

The seven plagues

15 And ^aI saw another sign in heaven, great and marvellous, ^bseven angels having the seven last plagues; ^cfor in them is filled up the wrath of God.

2 And I saw as it were ^aa sea of glass ^bmingled with fire: and them that had gotten the victory over the beast, ^cand over his image, and over his mark, and over the number of his name, stand on the sea of glass, ^dhaving the harps of God.

3 And they sing ^athe song of Moses the servant of God, and the song of the Lamb, saying, ^bGreat and marvellous are thy works, Lord God Almighty; ^cjust and true are thy ways, thou King of ¹saints.

4 ^aWho shall not fear thee, O Lord, and glorify thy name? for *thou only art holy*: for ^ball nations shall come and worship before thee; for thy judgments are made manifest.

5 ¶ And after that I looked, and behold, ^athe temple of the tabernacle of the testimony in heaven was opened:

6 ^aAnd the seven angels came out of the temple, having the seven plagues, ^bclothed in pure and white linen, and having their breasts girded with golden girdles.

7 ^aAnd one of the four beasts gave unto the seven angels seven golden vials full of the wrath of God, ^bwho liveth for ever and ever.

14:13 ¹Or, from henceforth saith the Spirit. Yea
^aEcc. 4:1,2
^b1 Cor. 15:18;
 1 Thes. 4:16
^c2 Thes. 1:7;
 Heb. 4:9,10

14:14 ^aEzek. 1:26; Dan. 7:13
^bch. 6:2

14:15 ¹Or, dried ^ach. 16:17
^aJoel 3:13; Mat. 13:39 ^cJer. 51:23; ch. 13:12
 14:18 ^ach. 16:8
^aJoel 3:13

14:19 ^ach. 19:15
 14:20 ^aIs. 63:3; Lam. 1:15 ^aHeb. 13:12 ^cch. 19:14
 15:1 ^ach. 12:1,3
^cch. 21:9 ^cch. 14:10

15:2 ^ach. 4:6
^bMat. 3:11 ^cch. 13:15 ^dch. 5:8

15:3 ¹Or, nations, or, ages
^aEx. 15:1 ^bDeut. 32:4; Ps. 111:2
^cPs. 145:17; Hos. 14:9

15:4 ^aEx. 15:14; Jer. 10:7 ^bIs. 66:23

15:5 ^aNum. 1:50
 15:6 ^aver. 1
^aEx. 28:6; Ezek. 44:17

15:7 ^ach. 4:6
^b1 Thes. 1:9

15:8 ^aEx. 40:34; 2 Chr. 5:14
^b2 Thes. 1:9

16:1 ^ach. 15:1
^bch. 14:10

16:2 ^ach. 8:7
^bEx. 9:9-11 ^cch. 13:16 ^dch. 13:14
 16:3 ^ach. 8:8
^bEx. 7:17 ^cch. 8:9

16:4 ^ach. 8:10
^bEx. 7:20

16:5 ^ach. 15:3
^bch. 14:8

16:6 ^aMat. 23:34; ch. 13:15
^bch. 11:18 ^cIs. 49:26

16:7 ^ach. 15:3
^bch. 13:10

16:8 ^ach. 8:12
^bch. 9:17,18

16:9 ¹Or, burned ^aver. 11:21 ^bDan. 5:22
^cch. 11:13

16:10 ^ach. 13:2
^bch. 9:2 ^cch. 11:10

16:11 ^aver. 9,21
^bver. 2 ^cver. 9

16:12 ^ach. 9:14
^bJer. 50:38 ^cIs. 41:2,25

16:13 ^a1 John 4:1 ^bch. 12:3,9
^cch. 19:20

16:14 ^a1 Tim. 4:1; Jas. 3:15
^b2 Thes. 2:9
^cLuke 2:1 ^dch. 17:14

16:15 ^aMat. 24:43 ^b2 Cor. 5:3
 16:16 ^ach. 19:19

8 And ^athe temple was filled with smoke ^bfrom the glory of God, and from his power; and no *man* was able to enter into the temple, till the seven plagues of the seven angels were fulfilled.

The vials of God's wrath

16 And I heard a great voice out of the temple saying ^ato the seven angels, Go your ways, and pour out the vials ^bof the wrath of God upon the earth.

2 And the first went, and poured out his vial ^aupon the earth; and ^bthere fell a noisome and grievous sore upon the men ^cwhich had the mark of the beast, and ^dupon them ^ewhich worshipped his image.

3 ¶ And the second angel poured out his vial ^aupon the sea; and ^bit became as the blood of a dead *man*: ^cand every living soul died in the sea.

4 ¶ And the third angel poured out his vial ^aupon the rivers and fountains of waters; ^band they became blood.

5 And I heard the angel of the waters say, ^aThou art righteous, O Lord, ^bwhich art, and wast, and shalt be, because thou hast judged thus.

6 For ^athey have shed the blood ^bof saints and prophets, ^cand thou hast given them blood to drink; for they are worthy.

7 And I heard another out of the altar say, Even so, ^aLord God Almighty, ^btrue and righteous are thy judgments.

8 ¶ And the fourth angel poured out his vial ^aupon the sun; ^band ^cpower was given unto him to scorch men with fire.

9 And men were ¹scorched with great heat, and ^ablasphemed the name of God, which hath power over these plagues; ^band they repented not ^cto give him glory.

10 ¶ And the fifth angel poured out his vial ^aupon the seat of the beast; ^band his kingdom was full of darkness; ^cand they gnawed their tongues for pain,

11 And ^ablasphemed the God of heaven because of their pains and ^btheir sores, ^cand repented not of their deeds.

12 ¶ And the sixth angel poured out his vial ^aupon the great river Euphrates; ^band the water thereof was dried up, ^cthat the way of the kings of the east might be prepared.

13 And I saw three unclean ^aspirits like frogs ^bcome out of the mouth of ^bthe dragon, and out of the mouth of the beast, and out of the mouth of ^cthe false prophet.

14 ^aFor they are the spirits of devils, ^bworking miracles, which go forth unto the kings of the earth ^cand of the whole world, to gather them to ^dthe battle of that great day of God Almighty.

15 ^aBehold, I come as a thief. Blessed is he that watcheth, and keepeth his garments, ^blest he walk naked, and they see his shame.

16 ^aAnd he gathered them together into a place called in the Hebrew tongue Armageddon.

17 ¶ And the seventh angel poured out his vial into the air; and there came a great voice out of the temple of heaven, from the throne, saying, ^aIt is done.

18 And ^athere were voices, and thunders, and lightnings; ^band there was a great earthquake, ^csuch as was not since men were upon the earth, so mighty an earthquake, ^dand so great.

19 And ^athe great city was *divided* into three parts, and the cities of the nations fell: and great Babylon ^bcame in remembrance before God, ^cto give unto her the cup of the wine of the fierceness of his wrath.

20 And ^aevery island fled *away*, and the mountains were not found.

21 ^aAnd there fell upon men a great hail out of heaven, *every stone* about the weight of a talent: and ^bmen blasphemed God because of ^cthe plague of the hail; for the plague thereof was exceeding great.

The woman on the beast

17 And there came ^aone of the seven angels which had the seven vials, and talked with me, saying unto me, *Come hither*; ^bI will shew unto thee the judgment of ^cthe great whore ^dthat sitteth upon many waters:

2 ^aWith whom the kings of the earth have committed fornication, and ^bthe inhabitants of the earth have been made drunk with the wine of her fornication.

3 So he carried me away in the spirit ^ainto the wilderness: and I saw a woman sit ^bupon a scarlet coloured beast, full of ^cnames of blasphemy, ^dhaving seven heads and ^eten horns.

4 And the woman ^awas arrayed in purple and scarlet colour, ^band ¹decked with gold and precious stone and pearls, ^chaving a golden cup in her hand ^dfull of abominations and filthiness of her fornication:

5 And upon her forehead *was* a name written, ^aMYSTERY, BABYLON THE GREAT, THE MOTHER OF ¹HARLOTS AND ABOMINATIONS OF THE EARTH.

6 And I saw ^athe woman drunken ^bwith the blood of the saints, and with the blood of ^cthe martyrs of Jesus: and when I saw her, I wondered *with* great admiration.

7 And the angel said unto me, *Wherefore didst thou marvel?* I will tell thee the mystery of the woman, and of the beast that carrieth her, which hath the seven heads and ten horns.

8 The beast that thou sawest was, and is not; and ^ashall ascend out of the bottomless pit, and ^bgo into perdition: and they that dwell on the earth ^cshall wonder, ^dwhose names were not written in the book of life from the foundation of the world, when they behold the beast that was, and is not, and yet is.

9 And ^ahere is the mind which hath wisdom. ^bThe seven heads are seven mountains, on which the woman sitteth.

10 And there are seven kings: five are fallen, and one is, *and* the other is not yet come;

16:17 ^ach. 21:6

16:18 ^ach. 4:5
^bch. 11:13 ^cDan. 12:1

16:19 ^ach. 14:8;
17:18 ^bch. 18:5
^cIs. 51:17; ch. 14:10

16:20 ^ach. 6:14
16:21 ^ach.
11:19 ^bver. 9, 11
^cEx. 9:23

17:1 ^ach. 21:9
^bch. 16:19 ^cNah. 3:4; ch. 19:2
^dJer. 51:13

17:2 ^ach. 18:3
^bJer. 51:7; ch. 18:3

17:3 ^ach.
12:6, 14 ^bch.
12:3 ^cch. 13:1
^dver. 9 ^ever. 12

17:4 ¹Gr. *gilded*
^ach. 18:12 ^bDan. 11:38 ^cJer. 51:7;
ch. 18:6 ^dch. 14:8

17:5 ¹Or, fornications
^a2 Thes. 2:7

17:6 ^ach. 18:24
^bch. 13:15 ^cch. 6:9, 10

17:8 ^ach. 11:7
^bch. 13:10 ^cch. 13:3 ^dch. 13:8

17:9 ^ach. 13:18
^bch. 13:1

17:11 ^aver. 8

17:12 ^aDan. 7:20; Zech. 1:18

17:14 ^ach.
16:14 ^bDeut. 10:17; 1 Tim. 6:15; ch. 19:16
^cJer. 50:44; ch. 14:4

17:15 ^aIs. 8:7
^bch. 13:7

17:16 ^aJer. 50:41; ch. 16:12
^bEzek. 16:37; ch. 18:16 ^cch. 18:8

17:17 ^a2 Thes. 2:11 ^bch. 10:7

17:18 ^ach.
16:19 ^bch. 12:4

18:1 ^ach. 17:1
^bEzek. 43:2

18:2 ^aIs. 13:19;
Jer. 51:8 ^bIs. 13:21; Jer. 50:39
^cIs. 14:23; Mark 5:2

18:3 ¹Or, power
^ach. 14:8 ^bIs. 47:15

18:4 ^aIs. 48:20;
Jer. 50:8; 2 Cor. 6:17

18:5 ^aGen. 18:20; Jer. 51:9;
Jonah 1:2 ^bch. 16:19

18:6 ^aPs. 137:8;
Jer. 50:15 ^bch. 14:10 ^cch. 16:19

18:7 ^aEzek. 28:2 ^bIs. 47:7, 8;
Zeph. 2:15

18:8 ^aver. 10; Is. 47:9

and when he cometh, he must continue a short space.

11 And the beast that was, and is not, even he is the eighth, and is of the seven, ^aand goeth into perdition.

12 And ^athe ten horns which thou sawest are ten kings, which have received no kingdom as yet; but receive power as kings one hour with the beast.

13 These have one mind, and shall give their power and strength unto the beast.

14 ^aThese shall make war with the Lamb, and the Lamb shall overcome them: ^bfor he is Lord of lords, and King of kings: ^cand they that are with him *are* called, and chosen, and faithful.

15 And he saith unto me, ^aThe waters which thou sawest, where the whore sitteth, ^bare peoples, and multitudes, and nations, and tongues.

16 And the ten horns which thou sawest upon the beast, ^athese shall hate the whore, and shall make her desolate ^band naked, and shall eat her flesh, and ^cburn her with fire.

17 ^aFor God hath put in their hearts to fulfil his will, and to agree, and give their kingdom unto the beast, ^buntil the words of God shall be fulfilled.

18 And the woman which thou sawest ^ais that great city, ^bwhich reigneth over the kings of the earth.

The desolation of Babylon

18 And ^aafter these things I saw another angel come down from heaven, having great power; ^band the earth was lightened with his glory.

2 And he cried mightily with a strong voice, saying, ^aBabylon the great is fallen, is fallen, and ^bis become the habitation of devils, and the hold of every foul spirit, and ^ca cage of every unclean and hateful bird.

3 For all nations ^ahave drunk of the wine of the wrath of her fornication, and the kings of the earth have committed fornication with her, ^band the merchants of the earth are waxed rich through the ¹abundance of her delicacies.

4 ¶ And I heard another voice from heaven, saying, ^aCome out of her, my people, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her plagues.

5 ^aFor her sins have reached unto heaven, and ^bGod hath remembered her iniquities.

6 ^aReward her even as she rewarded you, and double unto her double according to her works: ^bin the cup which she hath filled ^cfill to her double.

7 ^aHow much she hath glorified herself, and lived deliciously, so much torment and sorrow give her: for she saith in her heart, I sit a ^bqueen, and am no widow, and shall see no sorrow.

8 Therefore shall her plagues come ^ain one day, death, and mourning, and famine; and

^bshe shall be utterly burnt with fire: ^cfor strong is the Lord God who judgeth her.

9 And ^athe kings of the earth, who have committed fornication and lived deliciously with her, ^bshall bewail her, and lament for her, ^cwhen they shall see the smoke of her burning,

10 Standing afar off for the fear of her torment, saying, ^aAlas, alas, *that great city Babylon, that mighty city!* ^bfor in one hour is thy judgment come.

11 And ^athe merchants of the earth *shall* weep and mourn over her; for no *man* buyeth their merchandise any more:

12 ^aThe merchandise of gold, and silver, and precious stones, and of pearls, and fine linen, and purple, and silk, and scarlet, and all ¹thyine wood, and all *manner* vessels of ivory, and all *manner* vessels of most precious wood, and of brass, and iron, and marble,

13 And cinnamon, and odours, and ointments, and frankincense, and wine, and oil, and fine flour, and wheat, and beasts, and sheep, and horses, and chariots, and ¹slaves, and ^asouls of men.

14 And the fruits that thy soul lusted after are departed from thee, and all *things which were* dainty and goodly are departed from thee, and thou shalt find them no more at all.

15 ^aThe merchants of these *things*, which were made rich by her, shall stand afar off for the fear of her torment, weeping and wailing,

16 And saying, Alas, alas, *that great city*, ^athat was clothed in fine linen, and purple, and scarlet, and decked with gold, and precious stones, and pearls:

17 ^aFor in one hour so great riches is come to nought. And ^bevery shipmaster, and all the company in ships, and sailors, and as many as trade by sea, stood afar off,

18 ^aAnd cried when they saw the smoke of her burning, saying, ^bWhat *city is* like unto *this great city?*

19 And ^athey cast dust on their heads, and cried, weeping and wailing, saying, Alas, alas, *that great city*, wherein were made rich all that had ships in the sea by reason of her costliness: ^bfor in one hour is she made desolate.

20 ^aRejoice over her, *thou heaven*, and ye holy apostles and prophets; for ^bGod hath avenged you on her.

21 ¶ And a mighty angel took up a stone like a great millstone, and cast it into the sea, saying, ^aThus with violence shall *that great city Babylon* be thrown down, and ^bshall be found no more at all.

22 ^aAnd the voice of harpers, and musicians, and of pipers, and trumpeters, shall be heard no more at all in thee; and no craftsman, of whatsoever craft *he be*, shall be found any more in thee; and the sound of a millstone shall be heard no more at all in thee;

18:8 ^ach. 17:16
^cJer. 50:34; ch. 11:17

18:9 ^aEzek. 26:16 ^bJer. 50:46 ^cch. 19:3

18:10 ^aIs. 21:9; ch. 14:8 ^bver. 17,19

18:11 ^aEzek. 27:27

18:12 ¹Or, sweet ^ach. 17:4

18:13 ¹Or, bodies ^aEzek. 27:13

18:15 ^aver. 3,11

18:16 ^ach. 17:4

18:17 ^aver. 10 ^bIs. 23:14; Ezek. 27:29

18:18 ^aEzek. 27:30 ^ach. 13:4

18:19 ^aJosh. 7:6; 1 Sam. 4:12; Job 2:12; Ezek. 27:30 ^bver. 8

18:20 ^aIs. 44:23; 49:13; Jer. 51:48 ^bLuke 11:49; ch. 19:2

18:21 ^aJer. 51:64 ^bch. 12:8; 16:20

18:22 ^aJer. 7:34; 16:9; 25:10; Ezek. 26:13

18:23 ^aJer. 25:10 ^bJer. 7:34; 16:9; 25:10;

33:11 ^aIs. 23:8

^a2 Ki. 9:22; ch. 17:25

18:24 ^ach. 17:6 ^bJer. 51:49

19:1 ^ach. 11:15 ^bch. 4:11; 7:10,12

19:2 ^ach. 15:3 ^bDeut. 32:43

19:3 ^aIs. 34:10; ch. 14:11

19:4 ^ach. 4:4,6 ^b1 Chr. 16:36; Neh. 5:13; 8:6; ch. 5:14

19:5 ^aPs. 134:1 ^bch. 11:16; 20:12

19:6 ^aEzek. 1:24; ch. 14:2 ^bch. 11:15

19:7 ^aMat. 22:2; 25:10; 2 Cor. 11:2; Eph. 5:32; ch. 21:2,9

19:8 ¹Or, bright ^aPs. 45:13; Ezek. 16:10; ch. 3:18 ^bPs. 132:9

19:9 ^aMat. 22:2; Luke 14:15 ^bch. 22:6

19:10 ^ach. 22:8 ^bActs 10:26; ch. 22:9 ^c1 John 5:10; ch. 12:17

19:11 ^ach. 15:5 ^bch. 6:2 ^cch. 3:14 ^aIs. 11:4

19:12 ^ach. 1:14 ^bch. 6:2 ^cch. 2:17

19:13 ^aIs. 63:2,3 ^bJohn 1:1; 1 John 5:7

19:14 ^ach. 14:20 ^bMat. 28:3; ch. 4:4

23 ^aAnd the light of a candle shall shine no more at all in thee; ^band the voice of the bridegroom and of the bride shall be heard no more at all in thee: for ^cthy merchants were the great men of the earth; ^dfor by thy sorceries were all nations deceived.

24 And ^ain her was found the blood of prophets, and of saints, and of all that ^bwere slain upon the earth.

The marriage supper of the Lamb

19 And after these *things* ^aI heard a great voice of much people in heaven, saying, Alleluia; ^bSalvation, and glory, and honour, and power, unto the Lord our God:

2 For ^atrue and righteous *are* his judgments: for he hath judged the great whore, which did corrupt the earth with her fornication, and ^bhath avenged the blood of his servants at her hand.

3 And again they said, Alleluia. And ^aher smoke rose up for ever and ever.

4 And ^athe four and twenty elders and the four beasts fell down and worshipped God that sat on the throne, saying, ^bAmen; Alleluia.

5 And a voice came out of the throne, saying, ^aPraise our God, all ye his servants, and ye that fear him, ^bboth small and great.

6 ^aAnd I heard as *it were* the voice of a great multitude, and as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of mighty thunderings, saying, Alleluia: for ^bthe Lord God Omnipotent reigneth.

7 Let us be glad and rejoice, and give honour to him: for ^athe marriage of the Lamb is come, and his wife hath made herself ready.

8 And ^ato her was granted that she should be arrayed in fine linen, clean and ¹white: ^bfor the fine linen is the righteousness of saints.

9 And he saith unto me, Write, ^aBlessed *are* they which are called unto the marriage supper of the Lamb. And he saith unto me, ^bThese are the true sayings of God.

10 And ^aI fell at his feet to worship him. And he said unto me, ^bSee *thou do it* not: I am thy fellowservant, and of thy brethren ^cthat have the testimony of Jesus: worship God: for the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy.

The beast and false prophet

11 ¶ ^aAnd I saw heaven opened, and behold ^ba white horse; and he that sat upon him *was* called ^cFaithful and True, and ^din righteousness he doth judge and make war.

12 ^aHis eyes *were* as a flame of fire, ^band on his head *were* many crowns; ^cand he had a name written, that no *man* knew, but he himself.

13 ^aAnd he *was* clothed with a vesture dipt in blood: and his name is called ^bThe Word of God.

14 ^aAnd the armies which were in heaven followed him upon white horses, ^bclothed in fine linen, white and clean.

15 And ^aout of his mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the nations: and ^bhe shall rule them with a rod of iron: and ^che treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God.

16 And ^ahe hath on *his* vesture and on his thigh a name written, ^bKING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS.

17 ¶ And I saw an angel standing in the sun; and he cried with a loud voice, saying ^ato all the fowls that fly in the midst of heaven, ^bCome and gather yourselves together unto the supper of the great God;

18 ^aThat ye may eat the flesh of kings, and the flesh of captains, and the flesh of mighty men, and the flesh of horses, and of them that sit on them, and the flesh of all men, both free and bond, both small and great.

19 ^aAnd I saw the beast, and the kings of the earth, and their armies, gathered together to make war against him that sat on the horse, and against his army.

20 ^aAnd the beast was taken, and with him the false prophet that wrought miracles before him, with which he deceived them that had received the mark of the beast, and ^bthem that worshipped his image. ^cThese both were cast alive into a lake of fire ^dburning with brimstone.

21 And the remnant ^awere slain with the sword of him that sat upon the horse, which sword proceeded out of his mouth: ^band all the fowls ^cwere filled with their flesh.

The millennial reign

20 And I saw an angel come down from heaven, ^ahaving the key of the bottomless pit and a great chain in his hand.

2 And he laid hold on ^athe dragon, that old serpent, which is the devil, and Satan, and bound him a thousand years,

3 And cast him into the bottomless pit, and shut him up, and ^aset a seal upon him, ^bthat he should deceive the nations no more, till the thousand years should be fulfilled: and after that he must be loosed a little season.

4 ¶ And I saw ^athrones, and they sat upon them, and ^bjudgment was given unto them: and I saw ^cthe souls of them that were beheaded for the witness of Jesus, and for the word of God, and ^dwhich had not worshipped the beast, ^eneither his image, neither had received *his* mark upon their foreheads, or in their hands; and they lived and ^freigned with Christ a thousand years.

5 But the rest of the dead lived not again until the thousand years were finished. This is the first resurrection.

6 Blessed and holy is he that hath part in the first resurrection: on such ^athe second death hath no power, but they shall be ^bpriests of God and of Christ, ^cand shall reign with him a thousand years.

19:15 ^aIs. 11:4; 2 Thes. 2:8; ch. 1:16 ^bPs. 2:9; ch. 2:27 ^cIs. 63:3; ch. 14:19
19:16 ^aver. 12
^bDan. 2:47;
1 Tim. 6:15; ch. 17:14

19:17 ^aver. 21
^bEzek. 39:17
19:18 ^aEzek. 39:18

19:19 ^ach. 16:16

19:20 ^ach. 16:13 ^bch. 13:12
^cDan. 7:11; ch. 20:10 ^dch. 14:10

19:21 ^aver. 15
^bver. 17, 18 ^cch. 17:16

20:1 ^ach. 1:18
20:2 ^a2 Pet. 2:4;
Jude 6; ch. 12:9

20:3 ^aDan. 6:17
^bch. 12:9

20:4 ^aDan 7:9;
Mat. 19:28; Luke 22:30 ^b1 Cor. 6:2, 3 ^cch. 6:9

^dch. 13:12 ^ech. 13:15 ^fRom. 8:17; 2 Tim. 2:12; ch. 5:10

20:6 ^ach. 2:11
^bIs. 61:6; 1 Pet. 2:9; ch. 1:6
^cver. 4

20:7 ^aver. 2

20:8 ^aver. 3, 10
^bEzek. 38:2, 39:1
^cch. 16:14

20:9 ^aIs. 8:8;
Ezek. 38:9

20:10 ^aver. 8
^bch. 19:20 ^cch. 14:10

20:11 ^a2 Pet. 3:7; ch. 21:1
^bDan. 2:35

20:12 ^ach. 19:5
^bDan. 7:10 ^cPs. 69:28; Dan. 12:1;
Phil. 4:3; ch. 3:5

^dJer. 17:10;
32:19; Mat. 16:27; Rom. 2:6;
ch. 2:23

20:13 ^aOr, the grave ^bch. 6:8
^cver. 12

20:14 ^a1 Cor. 15:26 ^bch. 21:8
20:15 ^ach. 19:20

21:1 ^aIs. 65:17;
2 Pet. 3:13 ^bch. 20:11

21:2 ^aIs. 52:1;
Gal. 4:28; Heb. 11:10; 12:22; ch. 3:12 ^bIs. 54:5;
2 Cor. 11:2

21:3 ^aLev. 26:11; Ezek. 43:7; 2 Cor. 6:16

21:4 ^aIs. 25:8
^b1 Cor. 15:26; ch. 20:14 ^cIs. 35:10;
61:3; 65:19

21:5 ^ach. 4:2, 9;
20:11 ^bIs. 43:19;
2 Cor. 5:17 ^cch. 19:9

21:6 ^ach. 16:17
^bch. 1:8

The loosing of Satan

7 ¶ And when the thousand years are expired, ^aSatan shall be loosed out of his prison,

8 And shall go out ^ato deceive the nations which are in the four quarters of the earth, ^bGog and Magog, ^cto gather them together to battle: the number of whom is as the sand of the sea.

9 ^aAnd they went up on the breadth of the earth, and compassed the camp of the saints about, and the beloved city: and fire came down from God out of heaven, and devoured them.

10 ^aAnd the devil that deceived them was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone, ^bwhere the beast and the false prophet are, and ^cshall be tormented day and night for ever and ever.

The great white throne judgment

11 ¶ And I saw a great white throne, and him that sat on it, from whose face ^athe earth and the heaven fled away; ^band there was found no place for them.

12 And I saw the dead, ^asmall and great, stand before God; ^band the books were opened: and another ^cbook was opened, which is *the book of life*: and the dead were judged out of those *things* which were written in the books, ^daccording to their works.

13 And the sea gave up the dead which were in it; ^aand death and ^bhell delivered up the dead which were in them: ^cand they were judged every man according to their works.

14 And ^adeath and hell were cast into the lake of fire. ^bThis is the second death.

15 And whosoever was not found written in the book of life ^awas cast into the lake of fire.

The new Jerusalem

21 And ^aI saw a new heaven and a new earth: ^bfor the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea.

2 And I John saw ^athe holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared ^bas a bride adorned for her husband.

3 And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, ^athe tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, *and be* their God.

4 ^aAnd God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and ^bthere shall be no more death, ^cneither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former *things* are passed away.

5 And ^ahe that sat upon the throne said, ^bBehold, I make all *things* new. And he said unto me, Write: for ^cthese words are true and faithful.

6 And he said unto me, ^aIt is done. ^bI am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the

end. ^cI will give unto him that is athirst of the fountain of the water of life freely.

7 He that overcometh shall inherit ¹all things; and ^aI will be his God, and he shall be my son.

8 ^aBut the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in ^bthe lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death.

9 ¶ And there came unto me one of ^athe seven angels which had the seven vials full of the seven last plagues, and talked with me, saying, *Come hither, I will shew thee ^bthe bride, the Lamb's wife.*

10 And he carried me away ^ain the spirit to a great and high mountain, and shewed me ^bthat great city, the holy Jerusalem, descending out of heaven from God,

11 ^aHaving the glory of God: and her light was like unto a stone most precious, *even like a jasper stone, clear as crystal;*

12 And had a wall great and high, and had ^atwelve gates, and at the gates twelve angels, and names written *thereon*, which are *the names of the twelve tribes of the children of Israel:*

13 ^aOn the east three gates; on the north three gates; on the south three gates; and on the west three gates.

14 And the wall of the city had twelve foundations, and ^ain them the names of the twelve apostles of the Lamb.

15 And he that talked with me ^ahad a golden reed to measure the city, and the gates thereof, and the wall thereof.

16 And the city lieth foursquare, and the length is as large as the breadth: and he measured the city with the reed, twelve thousand furlongs. The length and the breadth and the height of it are equal.

17 And he measured the wall thereof, an hundred *and forty and four cubits, according to the measure of a man, that is, of the angel.*

18 And the building of the wall of it was of jasper: and the city was pure gold, like unto clear glass.

19 ^aAnd the foundations of the wall of the city were garnished with all *manner of precious stones.* The first foundation was jasper; the second, sapphire; the third, a chalcedony; the fourth, an emerald;

20 The fifth, sardonyx; the sixth, sardius; the seventh, chrysolite; the eighth, beryl; the ninth, a topaz; the tenth, a chrysopterus; the eleventh, a jacinth; the twelfth, an amethyst.

21 And the twelve gates were twelve pearls; every several gate was of one pearl: ^aand the street of the city was pure gold, as it were transparent glass.

22 ^aAnd I saw no temple therein: for the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb are the temple of it.

23 ^aAnd the city had no need of the sun, neither of the moon, to shine in it: for the

glory of God did lighten it, and the Lamb is the light thereof.

24 ^aAnd the nations of them which are saved shall walk in the light of it: and the kings of the earth do bring their glory and honour into it.

25 ^aAnd the gates of it shall not be shut at all by day: for ^bthere shall be no night there.

26 ^aAnd they shall bring the glory and honour of the nations into it.

27 And ^athere shall in no wise enter into it any *thing* that defileth, neither *whatsoever* worketh abomination, or *maketh* a lie: but they which are written in the Lamb's ^bbook of life.

The water and tree of life

22 And he shewed me ^aa pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the Lamb.

2 ^aIn the midst of the street of it, and of either side of the river, was *there ^bthe tree of life, which bare twelve manner of fruits, and yielded her fruit every month: and the leaves of the tree were ^cfor the healing of the nations.*

3 And ^athere shall be no more curse: ^bbut the throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it; and his servants shall serve him:

4 And ^athey shall see his face; and ^bhis name shall be in their foreheads.

5 ^aAnd there shall be no night there; and they need no candle, neither light of the sun; for ^bthe Lord God giveth them light: ^cand they shall reign for ever and ever.

Epilogue

6 ¶ And he said unto me, ^aThese sayings are faithful and true: and the Lord God of the holy prophets ^bsent his angel to shew unto his servants *the things* which must shortly be done.

7 ^aBehold, I come quickly: ^bblessed is he that keepeth the sayings of the prophecy of this book.

8 ¶ And I John saw these *things*, and heard *them.* And when I had heard and seen, ^aI fell down to worship before the feet of the angel which shewed me these *things.*

9 Then saith he unto me, ^aSee *thou do it* not: for I am thy fellowservant, and of thy brethren the prophets, and of them which keep the sayings of this book: worship God.

10 ^aAnd he saith unto me, Seal not the sayings of the prophecy of this book: ^bfor the time is at hand.

11 ^aHe that is unjust, let him be unjust still: and he which is filthy, let him be filthy still: and *he that is righteous*, let him be righteous still: and *he that is holy*, let him be holy still.

12 ^aAnd behold, I come quickly; and ^bmy reward is with me, ^cto give every man according as his work shall be.

13 ^aI am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end, the first and the last.

21:6 ^aIs. 12:3; John 4:10; 7:37
 21:7 ¹[Or, these things] ^aZech. 8:8; Heb. 8:10
 21:8 ^a1 Cor. 6:9; Gal. 5:19; Eph. 5:5; 1 Tim. 1:9; Heb. 12:14 ^ach. 20:14
 21:9 ^ach. 15:1 ^bch. 19:7
 21:10 ^ach. 1:10 ^bEzek. 48
 21:11 ^ach. 22:5
 21:12 ^aEzek. 48:31-34
 21:13 ^aEzek. 48:31-34
 21:14 ^aMat. 16:18; Gal. 2:9; Eph. 2:20
 21:15 ^aEzek. 40:3; Zech. 2:1
 21:19 ^aIs. 54:11
 21:21 ^ach. 22:2
 21:22 ^aJohn 4:23
 21:23 ^aIs. 24:23; 60:19,20
 21:24 ^aIs. 60:3; 66:12
 21:25 ^aIs. 60:11 ^bIs. 60:20; Zech. 14:7; ch. 22:5
 21:26 ^aver. 24
 21:27 ^aIs. 35:8; 52:1; 60:21; Joel 3:17; ch. 22:14
^aPhil. 4:3
 22:1 ^aEzek. 47:1; Zech. 14:8
 22:2 ^aEzek. 47:12; ch. 21:21
^aGen. 2:9; ch. 2:7
^ach. 21:24
 22:3 ^aZech. 14:11 ^bEzek. 48:35
 22:4 ^aMat. 5:8; 1 Cor. 13:12; 1 John 3:2 ^bch. 14:1
 22:5 ^ach. 21:23 ^bPsa. 36:9 ^cDan. 7:27; Rom. 5:17; 2 Tim. 2:12
 22:6 ^ach. 19:9 ^bch. 1:1
 22:7 ^ach. 3:11 ^bch. 1:3
 22:8 ^ach. 19:10
 22:9 ^ach. 19:10
 22:10 ^aDan. 8:26 ^bch. 1:3
 22:11 ^aEzek. 3:27; Dan. 12:10; 2 Tim. 3:13
 22:12 ^aver. 7
^aIs. 40:10 ^bch. 20:12
 22:13 ^aIs. 41:4

14 ^aBlessed are they that do his commandments, that they may have right ^bto the tree of life, ^cand may enter in through the gates into the city.

15 For ^awithout are ^bdogs, and sorcerers, and whoremongers, and murderers, and idolaters, and whosoever loveth and maketh a lie.

16 ¶ ^aI Jesus have sent mine angel to testify unto you these *things* in the churches. ^bI am the root and the offspring of David, *and* ^cthe bright and morning star.

17 And the Spirit and ^athe bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. ^bAnd let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely.

22:14 ^aDan. 12:12; 1 John 3:24 ^bch. 2:7 ^cch. 21:27
22:15 ^a1 Cor. 6:9; Gal. 5:19; Col. 3:6 ^bPhil. 3:2
22:16 ^ach. 1:1 ^bch. 5:5 ^cNum. 24:17; Zech. 6:12; 2 Pet. 1:19
22:17 ^ach. 21:2,9 ^bIs. 55:1; John 7:37

22:18 ^aDeut. 4:2; Prov. 30:6
22:19 ¹[Or, from the tree of life] ^aEx. 32:33; Ps. 69:28 ^bch. 21:2

18 For I testify unto every *man* that heareth the words of the prophecy of this book, ^aIf any *man* shall add unto these *things*, God shall add unto him the plagues that are written in this book:

19 And if any *man* shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, ^aGod shall take away his part ¹out of the book of life, and out of ^bthe holy city, and *from* the *things* which are written in this book.

20 He which testifieth these *things* saith, ^aSurely I come quickly. ^bAmen. ^cEven so, come, Lord Jesus.

21 ^aThe grace of our Lord Jesus Christ *be* with you all. Amen.

22:20 ^aver. 12 ^bJohn 21:25 ^c2 Tim. 4:8 22:21 ^aRom. 16:20