

THE SEVEN SEALS

REVELATION 6

The Fifth Seal - Martyrdom

'When he opened the fifth seal, I saw under the altar the souls of those who had been slain for the word of God and for the witness they had borne. They cried out with a loud voice, "O Sovereign Lord, holy and true, how long before you will judge and avenge our blood on those who dwell on the earth?" Then they were each given a white robe and told to rest a little longer, until the number of their fellow servants and their brothers should be complete, who were to be killed as they themselves had been. ' Revelation 6:9-11

'Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword? As it is written, "For your sake we are being killed all the day long; we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered." No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. ' Romans 8:35-37

' "So when you see the abomination of desolation spoken of by the prophet Daniel, standing in the holy place (let the reader understand), For then there will be great tribulation, such as has not been from the beginning of the world until now, no, and never will be. And if those days had not been cut short, no human being would be saved. But for the sake of the elect those days will be cut short. '

Matthew 24:15,21-22

'Also it was allowed to make war on the saints and to conquer them. And authority was given it over every tribe and people and language and nation, and all who dwell on earth will worship it, everyone whose name has not been written before the foundation of the world in the book of life of the Lamb who was slain. If anyone has an ear, let him hear: If anyone is to be taken captive, to captivity he goes; if anyone is to be slain with the sword, with the sword must he be slain. Here is a call for the endurance and faith of the saints. ' Revelation 13:7-10

The Sixth Seal - Cosmic Disturbances

'I looked when He opened the sixth seal, and behold, there was a great earthquake; and the sun became black as sackcloth of hair, and the moon became like blood. And the stars of heaven fell to the earth, as a fig tree drops its late figs when it is shaken by a mighty wind. Then the sky receded as a scroll when it is rolled up, and every mountain and island was moved out of its place. And the kings of the earth, the great men, the rich men, the commanders, the mighty men, every slave and every free man, hid themselves in the caves and in the rocks of the mountains, and said to the mountains and rocks, "Fall on us and hide us from the face of Him who sits on the throne and from the wrath of the Lamb! **For the great day of His wrath has come**, and who is able to stand?"' Revelation 6:12-17

'And it shall come to pass afterward That I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh; Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, Your old men shall dream dreams, Your young men shall see visions. And also on My menservants and on My maidservants I will pour out My Spirit in those days. And I will show wonders in the heavens and in the earth: Blood and fire and pillars of smoke. *The sun shall be turned into darkness, And the moon into blood, Before the coming of the great and awesome day of the LORD*. And it shall come to pass That whoever calls on the name of the LORD Shall be saved. For in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there shall be deliverance, As the LORD has said, Among the remnant whom the LORD calls.'

Joel 2:28-32

‘And it shall come to pass in the last days, says God, That I will pour out of My Spirit on all flesh; Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, Your young men shall see visions, Your old men shall dream dreams. I will show wonders in heaven above And signs in the earth beneath: Blood and fire and vapor of smoke. The sun shall be turned into darkness, And the moon into blood, **Before** the coming of the great and awesome day of the LORD.’

Acts 2:17,19-20

'For the indignation of the Lord is against all nations, And His fury against all their armies; He has utterly destroyed them, He has given them over to the slaughter. All the host of heaven shall be dissolved, And the heavens shall be rolled up like a scroll; All their host shall fall down As the leaf falls from the vine, And as fruit falling from a fig tree.'

Isaiah 34:2,4

“Immediately after the tribulation of those days the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light; the stars will fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens will be shaken. Then the sign of the Son of Man will appear in heaven, and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. And He will send His angels with a great sound of a trumpet, and they will gather together His elect from the four winds, from one end of heaven to the other.’ Matthew 24:29-31

Behold, the day of the LORD comes, Cruel, with both wrath and fierce anger, To lay the land desolate; And He will destroy its sinners from it. For the stars of heaven and their constellations Will not give their light; The sun will be darkened in its going forth, And the moon will not cause its light to shine. "I will punish the world for its evil, And the wicked for their iniquity; I will halt the arrogance of the proud, And will lay low the haughtiness of the terrible.'

Isaiah 13:9-11

After this... (after 6th seal)

- ◆ After this... the sealing of the 144,000 Revelation 7:1-8
- ◆ 'After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, "Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!" ' Revelation 7:9-10

'Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, "Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?" I said to him, "Sir, you know." And he said to me, "These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.

Revelation 7:1,13-14

“Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple; and he who sits on the throne will shelter them with his presence. They shall hunger no more, neither thirst anymore; the sun shall not strike them, nor any scorching heat. For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water, and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes.”

Revelation 7:15-17

Raptured Saints?

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The 7th Seal - trumpet and bowl judgements

- ◆ 'When the Lamb opened the seventh seal, there was silence in heaven for about half an hour. Then I saw the seven angels who stand before God, and seven trumpets were given to them.

'Revelation 8:1-2

- ◆ 'Then I heard a loud voice from the temple telling the seven angels, "Go and pour out on the earth the seven bowls of the wrath of God." ' Revelation 16:1

The Wrath happens during 7th Seal

➤ **For the great day of His wrath has come**, and who is able to stand?””

Revelation 6:17 This is said at the 6th Seal

➤ 'Then I saw another sign in heaven, great and amazing, seven angels with seven plagues, which are the last, for with them the wrath of God is finished.' Revelation 15:1 This is spoken about the 7 bowl judgments at the end of the 7th seal.

The Day of the Lord in the Book of Revelation

Anti-Christ makes a covenant with many
Dan 9:27

Anti-Christ is revealed
Dan 9:27; 2 Thes 2:4

Every eye sees Jesus
Matt 24:30-31; Rev 1:7

Daniel's 70th Week Fulfilled
Dan 9:24-27

The Battle of Armageddon
Rev 19:1-19



3 1/2 years (1260 days) | 3 1/2 years (1260 days) | 30 days | 45 days

Daniel's Seventieth 'Seven' (7 years)

1260 days is equivalent to:
3 1/2 years
42 months
a time, times, and half a time
Dan 7:25, 9:24-27, 12:7;
Rev 11:2,3, 12:6, 14, 13:5
References to these time periods refer specifically to the final half of the 7 years of Daniel's 70th week.

2300 Days *Dan 8:13-14*

1290 Days *Dan 12:11 (1260 + 30 = 1290)*

1335 Days *Dan 12:12 (1260 + 30 + 45 = 1335)*

