

Title: Press Pause

Text: Revelation 10-11

Target: Understand the reason for the pause between every 6th and 7th judgment in a time of tribulation is only because of the grace of Jesus.

I. **The Focus of our Attention: (10:1)**

A. The Appearance of the Angel: (Vs. 1)

1. **Rainbow of Promise:** (Vs. 1)
2. **Radiant in Splendor:** (Vs. 1)
3. **Ready for Judgement:** (Vs. 1)

B. The Authority of Jesus: (Vs. 2a)

1. **Posture of Dominion:** (Vs. 2b)
2. **Pronouncement of Destruction:** (Vs. 3)
3. **Prophecy is Delivered:** (Vs. 7)

C. The Announcement concerning Jesus: (Vs. 8)

1. **Receive the Word of God:** (Vs. 9)
 - a) **Sweet:** Sweet Spiritual Food for our Soul
 - b) **Sour:** Bitter by Bringing Conviction or Judgement
2. **Reveal the Word of God:** (Vs. 11)

II. **The Faithfulness even in Adversity: (11:1)**

A. Priority of Temple: (Vs. 1-2)

1. **Antichrist makes a Promise:** Rebuilds Temple (1st half of tribulation-false peace)
2. **Antichrist Demands to be Praised:** (2nd half of the Tribulation-2 Thess. 2:4)

B. Preaching of the Two Witnesses: (Vs. 3)

1. **Their Message:**(Vs. 3b)
2. **Their Ministry:** (Vs. 4)
3. **Their Mission:**
 - a) **Protected from evil schemes:** (Vs. 5)
 - b) **Perform Signs and Wonders:** (Vs. 6)
4. **Their Murder:** (Vs. 7-8)
 - a) **People's Refusal:** (Vs. 9)
 - b) **People's Rejoicing:** Vs. 10)
5. **Their Miracle:**
 - a) **Their Resurrection** (Vs. 11)
 - b) **Their Retribution** (Vs. 12-13)

C. Passing of the 2nd Woe: (Vs. 14): "3 Woes, Revelation 8:13"

D. Praise for the 7th Trumpet: (Vs. 15)

1. **Reign of Christ on Earth:** Speaks of what is to come! Millennial Reign & New Heaven/Earth.
2. **Response of the 24 Elders:** Vindication for the Persecution.
3. **Revelation of the Ark of the Covenant:** (Vs. 19)

Take Away: Jesus is either comforting you in the tribulation or convicting you with the tribulation.

