#### KINGDOM CULTURE

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#### I. Kingdom Culture:

- A. <u>Kingdom of Heaven</u> The foundational, principal components of heaven; the system or culture of heaven
  - Kingdom Culture The set of attitudes, values, goals and practices of the Kingdom of Heaven
- II. Rev 13 A look into the future of what is coming on the earth
  - A. <u>Sea</u> Mediterranean Sea John writing from Isle of Patmos off the coast of Turkey
  - B. <u>Beasts</u> <u>Dan 7:2-7</u> Vision in 553 BC of four great beasts from the Great Sea -Revelation written 95 AD
  - C. What do beasts represent? Daniel 7:16-17 Beasts Kings/Kingdoms
    - 1. V18 Good news Saints of the Most High shall receive the kingdom
      - a) Receive qebal To acquire, take over
      - b) Possess chăçan Take possession of, occupy
    - 2. Romans 8:37 (NKJV) More than conquerors through Him
    - 3. 2 Corinthians 2:14 (NKJV) Leads us in triumph in Christ
  - D. **Dan 7** there were 4 beasts that had 7 total heads
    - 1. Daniel 7:24 (NKJV) The ten horns are ten kings
    - Rev 17:9-11 Egyptian, Assyrian, Babylonian, Medo-Persian, Greek, Roman, Ottoman Empire

## E. <u>V2</u> - Dragon gave his power, throne and great authority

- Power dunamis force, miraculous power
- 2. Authority exousia delegated influence
  - a) Luke 10:19 Jesus gives us His power and authority
  - b) Throne thronos A stately seat
  - c) Rev 2:12-13 Satan's throne
- F. V7 Overcome them
  - 1. Overcome nikaō To subdue
  - 2. Rev 12:11 Who overcomes who?
    - a) **James 4:7** Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you.
- G. <u>V8</u> All who dwell on the earth?
  - 1. Dan 11 Presence and influence in every nation but will not dominate every nation

### III. Another beast/False Prophet

- A. V11 Two horns like a lamb and spoke like a dragon
  - a) Lamb Appear to have a peace loving agenda
  - b) **<u>Dragon</u>** Bold and fierce like a dragon

B. V13 - His messages "confirmed" with demonically empowered signs to deceive
C. V14 - Image of the Beast
1. <u>Image</u> - eikon — likeness; statue, copy, resemblance.
D. V16-17 - Cannot buy or sell — tries to control commerce and economy
1. "Or" is in the Greek text meaning one of three representations:
a) Mark of the beast, Name of the beast "or" Number of the beast
2. Mark - charagma - A stamp, imprinted mark, engraved, tattooed or branded; (as a
badge of servitude)
3. Hand - cheir — Figurative extension of the meaning of hand; a state of control
exercised by a person — To be in the control of, in the power of
4. Right - dexios — The right side, arm or shoulder or hand
5. Foreheads - metopes - Front part of the head above the eyes
6. Name - Names in the east always regard the creed, attributes, descriptions and
the titles of the person they signify
E. V17-18 - Number of the Beast - Is it a number?
1. <u>Chi</u> (X) - 600
2. <u><b>Xi</b></u> - (E) <i>ksi</i> - 60
3. <b>Stigma</b> - <i>(Š)</i> 6
F. Mark - charagma - A meaningful mark whether engraved, imprinted or branded