# **Revelation Cliff's Notes**

## Heavenly Throne (4:1-11)

-Almighty Enthroned (Brilliant and Glorious surrounded by an Emerald Rainbow) -24 Elders on Thrones (Choir-like) (Patriarchs + Apostles?) (Divine Counsel?) -Sea of Glass (Seas often represent groups of people) (Redeemed Humanity?) -4 Living Creatures (Lion, Ox, Human, Eagle) (Cherubim from Daniel) (Guardians)

### The Lamb (5:1-14)

-No one found worthy until the Lamb

-The Lion is the Slain Lamb (v.5-6)

#### **Seals** (6:1-17, 8:1-5)

- 1. White Horse (Victorious with a Crown, Carries a Bow)
- 2. Red Horse (Removes peace, Causes War, Carries a Sword)
- 3. Black Horse (Food Shortage causing Inflation, Carries Scales)
- 4. Pale Horse and Death (1/4 of the Earth with famine, disease and animals)
- 5. Martyrs Cry (Cry out from the altar and told to be patient)
- 6. Great Quake, Sun=Black, Moon=Red, Stars Fall, Sky and Earth Shaken
  -Sealing of the 144k (7:1-8) / Praise from around the Throne (7:9-17)
  -Parenthetical scene from before judgement begins and concludes with all the redeemed that died during the great tribulation.
  - -Tribes of Dan and Ephraim replaced with Levi and Joseph
- 7. Silence and Incense (Prayers) thrown to the earth causing an Earthquake

#### Trumpet (8:6-9:21, 11:15-19)

- 1. Hail, Fire, Blood 1/3 of the Land
- 2. Mountain Fell 1/3 of the Sea
- 3. Star Fell 1/3 of the Rivers (Star called Wormwood/Bitterness)
- 4. Darkness 1/3 of the Heavens
- 5. Locusts from the Pit (King Abaddon/Apoyllon Destroyer)
  - -Fallen star w/ key to the Pit, Wormwood?, Destroyer?
  - -Locusts given authority to torture those without the seal but not kill
  - -Locusts look like Battle Horses (common comparison in the prophets)
- 6. Euphrates Angles and their Armies
  - -4 Great Angels bound in the River (Book of Enoch, Jude 6, 2 Peter 2:4) -200 million mounted troops kill 1/3 of the earth but survivors don't repent

-Angel and Scroll + 2 Witnesses

-John eats scroll like in Ezekiel 3

-Witnesses killed by the Beast from the Pit but Resurrected

- -Old/New Testament, Enoch/Elijah, Elijah/Elisha, Law/Prophets?
- 7. Praise erupts in Heaven and The Heavenly Temple opens / Earthquake

## Dragon (Satan) and the Woman (12:1-18)

-Pregnant woman crowned with 12 stars (Israel/Mary)

-Red Dragon with 7 heads 10 horns, Tail swept 1/3 of the Stars to the earth

-Michael casts the Dragon and his angels down to the earth

-Takes up battle stance on the shore against old and new testament saints (v17)

# Beast from the Sea (13:1-10)

-7 heads and 10 horns (Combination of the Beasts of Daniel 7)

-Empowered by the Dragon and channels worship to the Dragon

-One head slain and resurrected

# Beast from the Land (13:11-18)

-2 horns speaks with the voice of the Dragon

-Works miracles and channels worship to the Beast of the Sea

-Animates a statue of the Beast invoking Daniel 2 & 3

-Marks worshipers with the name or number of the beast 666 (Nero?)

-Corruption of those sealed with the name of God (144k)

# 144k with the Lamb - 3 Angels - Harvest - Song of Moses (14:1-15:4)

-Proclamations of the fall of Babylon and destruction of those with the Mark

### **Bowls poured on the**... (15:5-16:21)

- 1. Earth causing Sores
- 2. Sea running with Blood
- 3. Rivers running with Blood
- 4. Sun to Scorch with Fire
- 5. Beast's Throne causing Darkness
- 6. Euphrates preparing for an Army
  - -3 miracle working demonic frog spirits that gather an army to Meggido
- 7. Air Causing Earthquakes and Hail

# **Prostitute (Babylon) Rides the Beast (from the pit)** (17:1-19:10)

-7 heads (7 hills & 7 Kings) and 10 horns (10 Kings) at war with the Lamb

-(Roman Empire, All human Government, Worldwide trade and commerce) -Praise erupts with her fall

# Rider on the white horse (19:11-21)

-Christ consumes the Beasts/Kings/Armies with his word

-All thrown in the lake of fire and the vultures gather for the great Banquet

# Satan Bound then Released then Defeated (20:1-10)

# **Great White Throne Judgement** (20:11-15)

# New Jerusalem comes down as a Bride (21:1-22:6)

-Restoration of Eden a new heaven and new earth (not in exile)

- -Restoration of the Tree of Life and the removal of the Curse
- -And her gates will never be shut (21:25)