

Revelation 13:11-18 - 23 May 2019

Purging of the Purchased Possession:

~~Recognizing the False-Prophet
Satan 's counterfeit Holy Spirit~~

Introduction -

Chapter 10-14 is the parenthesis between the 6th and 7th trumpet judgement.

Remember the parenthesis between 6th & 7th Seal was about people (144,000 & Trib Saints)... same here.

Chapter 10- John and the Word

Chapter 11 - The Two Witnesses and the Temple

Chapter 12 - Israel and the Dragon

Chapter 13-The Anti-Christ & the False Prophet

Chapter 14 - 144,000 and the everlasting gospel

Today, we'll see 3 ways the F-P is a counterfeit!

OPEN IN PRAYER

Read Chapter 13:11

1. Coming out of the earth

- a. "Grass roots effort", "from the bottom up"
- b. A-C is 'out of the sea' or a man of the people. He's a man 'of the multitude'.

2. His Identity: Two horns like a lamb

- a. Dan 8:3 20 - Medo-Persians seen this way.
- b. Shows one w/ authority from two sources.
- c. Rev 17 & 18 speaks of a political AND a religious system.
 - i. Is F-P both or is he 2 religious authorities?
 - ii. Take a bit of faith, b/c we don't see a man like this in the world today.

3. Spoke as, & had power of, the dragon

- a. He spoke to deceive & to devour.
- b. He has the ability to fulfil Satan's mission.
 - i. What is Satan's mission? Convince men to leave God & then fight against God.
 - ii. Rev Rev 16:13-16

4. Identity - Could be Jewish
 - a. Islamic Prophecy believe he's Jewish (Isa).
 - b. John 5:43 - allos, another of the same kind.
 - c. Muslims think it's Jesus, Jews think it's the Messiah. Common-denominator is a Jewish man.

Read 13:12

1. Counterfeit Focus: F-P specific mission is to ~~cause all to worship a 'risen'~~ Anti-Christ.

- a. Read John 15:26 & John 16:13-14
- b. Holy Spirit comes in Acts 2 and then all of Acts is the preaching of resurrection.

Read 13:13-14

1. Miracles deceive people into worshipping the A-C b/c of his 'resurrection'.
 - a. True miracles as the Egyptian Magicians.
2. Their worship takes the form of building an image to the A-C.
3. Deut 13
 - a. Test their teaching and doctrine!
 - b. Should we have physical items in our worship? NO!
 - i. Exo 20:4 -No graven images!

Read 13:15

1. **Counterfeit Life:** F-P gives spirit unto the icon of the A-C.
 - a. Now it can speak and report on those who don't worship it.
 - b. Words translated life
 - i. Psuche==soul, mind

ii. Zoe==Life, lifetime (few there be that find it)



iii. This is pneuma==spirit, breath

1. Used 383 of 385 times as spirit/ghost

2. Wind in John 3:8

2. Could be...

a. A clone

b. Artificial Intelligence (AI) computer

Read 13:16-18

1. **Counterfeit Protection: F-P is the one who causes all to receive this loyalty mark (forbidden by God) that's used as the only financial system.**

2. It will identify you as a baseball jersey, as rank insignia of a soldier or as Nazi armband.

3. His number is 666

a. 1=unity, 2=witness, 3=divine or heavenly,
4==earth, 5==grace, 6==man's best, 7==perfection,
8==new beginnings, 10==completeness,
12==government, 40==testing/trials

- b. 666==man's best trinity
- c. All names of Jesus divisible by 8, all names of Satan divisible by 13.
- d. People have tried picking names (for A-C) and calculating their value. Don't do it!
 - i. If you torture the data long enough, it'll confess to anything!

'4. If take his mark, u can't be saved (Rev 14:9)

Islamic Eschatology

1. Called the Day of Judgement and the Day of Resurrection.
2. The Great Tribulation is described in the Hadith (sayings of the Prophet) and commentaries of the Ulama.
 - a. Hadith describes 12 major signs of the Day of Resurrection.
 - ' b. Mahdi will establish a 7-year rule in Medina.

- c. Gog & Magog will ravage the earth & drink up the water of Lake Tiberias.
 - d. Isa (Jesus) will descend from heaven
 - i. He'll battle the Masih ad-Dajjal (1-eye one)
 - 1. Interesting the Islam sees this person as a separate person.
3. Remember the False Prophet is referred to as the two homed one.
- a. Given authority by Catholic church and Islamic community as

Jesus. Conclusion —

Today, we've seen 3 ways that the F-P is a counterfeit Holy Spirit.

- 1. He offers **Counterfeit Focus** - Jesus is the only One worthy of worship!
- 2. He offers **Counterfeit Life** - It empty of meaning and temporary!
- 3. He offers **Counterfeit Protection** - He is no fool who gives up what he cannot keep, to gain...