> <u>Revelation Chapter Outline Review:</u>



Chapter 1 - Vision of Jesus Christ

Chapters 2 & 3 - The future of the Church (Now history, present, and future.)

Go for God! Chapters 4 & 5 - Church raptured—the heavenly scene Chapters 6 – 19 - The Great Tribulation Period (Seven years of God's

Judgment)

Chapters 20-22 - 1000-year reign of Christ on earth, then a new heavens, new earth, new Jerusalem

<u>The REVELATION of Jesus Christ</u> <u>Chapter 6</u> "<u>The Great Tribulation Begins!</u>"

- Observe four Flashpoints to prophecy:

- <u>Flashpoint #1</u> - Daniel Ch. 9- "The Great Tribulation" is the "<u>70th Week of</u> <u>Daniel</u>" Daniel Ch. 9:24-27 - "Seventy weeks (weeks in Hebrew 7-year period which is 70 x 7 = 490 years) are determined for your people (Jewish people / <u>Israel</u>) and for your holy city (Jerusalem),

(First coming of Christ at the cross) To finish the transgression, To make an end of sins, To make reconciliation for iniquity,

(Second coming of Christ when He sets up His 1000-year reign) To bring in everlasting righteousness, To seal up vision and prophecy, And to anoint the Most Holy.

"Know therefore and understand, that from the going forth of the command to restore and build Jerusalem (March 14, 445BC, Nehemiah Ch. 2 command is given) until Messiah the Prince, There shall be seven weeks and sixty-two weeks (equals 69 weeks or 483 years, or 173,880 days according to their current 360 calendar, Jesus was hailed as Messiah to the day on April 6, 32AD on what we call "Palm Sunday"); the street shall be built again, and the wall, even in troublesome times.

"And after the sixty-two weeks (that is 69 weeks) Messiah shall be cut off (that is crucified on Friday), but not for Himself (for all who believe in Him (John 3:16)); and the people of the prince who is to come shall destroy the city and the sanctuary (<u>Titus the Roman General destroyed the city in 70AD.</u>, Jesus spoke of this future event in Matthew 24:1-2; Luke 5-6; 24) The end of it shall be with a flood (Hebrew - to flow forth), and till the end of the war desolations are determined. (Hebrew translation reads "till the end shall be war, desolations are determined", the Jewish people are dispersed throughout the world and Jerusalem is desolate until the end-times.)

Then he (the Antichrist) shall confirm a covenant with many for one week (the final 7- year period fulfilling the 70th week of Daniel 9:24); but in the middle of the week (three and half years into the seven-year tribulation (Revelation Chapters 6 - 19) he (the Antichrist) shall bring an end to sacrifice and offering (the Jewish Temple has been rebuilt and the Jews in first-half of the tribulation are allowed to perform sacrifices and offerings.).

And on the wing of <u>abominations</u> (In Hebrew this speaks of a <u>detestable thing</u> in the temple, the setting up of an idol, as the Antichrist blasphemes YHWH and His Son JESUS CHRIST; this is the "abomination of desolation" Jesus spoke of in Matthew 24:15; and found in Revelation Ch. 13) shall be one who makes desolate (Jesus refers to this in Matthew 24:15-21 telling the Jews to get out of Jerusalem), even until the consummation (means complete destruction), which is determined, is poured out on the desolate (on the desolator, the Antichrist, this speaks of the wrath of God coming in the tribulation against the Antichrist, all who take the "mark of the beast" and a Christ rejecting world!)."

- <u>Flashpoint #2</u> - Multiple scriptures describe "<u>The Great Tribulation</u>" - Daniel 12:1 - "And there will be a time of distress such as never occurred since there was a nation until that time."

Jeremiah 30:7 - "Alas! for that day is great, so that none is like it; And it is the time of Jacob's trouble, But he shall be saved out of it." The phrase "Jacob's trouble" refers to the nation of <u>Israel</u>, which will experience great persecution.

- <u>Flashpoint #3</u> - Jesus tells the future- "The Great Tribulation"- Matt 24:21-22- <u>For then there will be great tribulation</u>, such as has not been since the <u>beginning of the world until this time, no, nor ever shall be</u>. And unless those days were shortened, no flesh would be saved; but for the elect's <u>(the Jewish</u> <u>people)</u> sake those days will be shortened.

- <u>Flashpoint #4</u> - The Church is raptured before the Great Tribulation-Revelation 3:10 - Because you have kept My command to persevere, <u>I also will</u> <u>keep you from the hour of trial which shall come upon the whole world, to test</u> <u>those who dwell on the earth.</u>

 In REVELATION Chapter 6 - SIX OF THE SEVEN SEALS ARE OPENED:
SEAL #1 - (v1-2) The First Seal: The False Christ – the Antichrist! The rider on the white horse is the Antichrist, the world leader- a *bow* for <u>power</u> and a *crown* for <u>authority</u>! After the rapture the Antichrist will conquer through corruption and deception.

- Remember what Jesus said in John 5:42-44 - But I know you, that you do not have the love of God in you. I have come in My Father's name, and you do not receive Me; if another comes in his own name, him you will receive.

- Paul wrote in 2 Thessalonians 2:9-10 - *The coming of the lawless one is according to the working of Satan*, *with all power*, *signs*, *and lying wonders*, *and with all unrighteous deception among those who perish, because they did not receive the love of the truth, that they might be saved*. (This is after the rapture of the church.)

- Once again Daniel wrote in Ch. 9:27- Then he (the Antichrist) shall confirm a covenant (a false covenant) with many for one week (the 7-year period of the tribulation); but in the middle of the week He shall bring an end to sacrifice and offering. And on the wing of abominations shall be one who makes desolate,

> <u>Insight – Currently a "NEW WORLD ORDER" has been</u> <u>constructed around six goals</u>:

- <u>Goal #1:</u> The establishment of international economic order (a cashless society).

- Goal #2: The establishment of a one-world government.

- Goal #3: The conquest and subjugation of all superpowers.

- <u>Goal #4:</u> The ascension of the United States of Europe as the dominant nation in a Confederated one-world government.

"It is necessary to establish a universal regime and empire over the whole world" Adam Weishaupt founder of the Bavarian Illuminati.

"We shall have World Government, whether or not you like it, by conquest or consent." - James Warburg, founder of the Council on Foreign Relations

"The drive of the Rockefellers and their allies is to create a one-world government combining super capitalism and Communism under the same tent, all under their control.... Do I mean conspiracy? Yes, I do. I am convinced there is such a plot, international in scope, generations old in planning, and incredibly evil in intent." - Congressman Larry P. McDonald, 1976, later he was killed when the Korean Airlines 747 was shot down by the Soviets. "[The New World Order] cannot happen without U.S. participation, as we are the most significant single component. Yes, there will be a New World Order, and it will force the United States to change its perceptions." -- Henry Kissinger, World Affairs Council Press Conference, Regent Beverly Wilshire Hotel, April 19th, 1994

"For more than a century ideological extremists at either end of the political spectrum have seized upon well-publicized incidents such as my encounter with Castro to attack the Rockefeller family for the inordinate influence they claim we wield over American political and economic institutions. Some even believe we are part of a secret cabal working against the best interests of the United States, characterizing my family and me as 'internationalists' and of conspiring with others around the world to build a more integrated global political and economic structure–one world, if you will. If that's the charge, I stand guilty, and I am proud of it." – David Rockefeller's Memoirs (Random House, New York, 2002)

"And I believe it will be said of this age, the first decades of the 21st century, that out of the greatest restructuring of the global economy, perhaps even greater than the industrial revolution, a new world order was created." "For the first time in human history we have the opportunity to come together to create a new global covenant and a true global society." Gordon Brown, Former British Prime Minister

"I think we need a new world order, and that China has to be part of the process of creating it and they have to buy in, they have to own it in the same way as the United States owns...the current order," - Billionaire globalist George Soros.

"The technetronic era involves the gradual appearance of a more controlled society. Such a society would be dominated by an elite, unrestrained by traditional values. Soon it will be possible to assert almost continuous surveillance over every citizen and maintain up-to-date complete files containing even the most personal information about the citizen. These files will be subject to instantaneous retrieval by the authorities." –Zbigniew Brzezinski. founder of The Trilateral Commission

- <u>Goal #5:</u> The ushering in of a supreme world leader to preside over the new unified One-world government.

- <u>Goal #6:</u> The establishment of a one-world religion which will coordinate all the world's religions, cults, faith groups and spiritual beliefs under the guidance of Supreme Pontiff.

- Pope Francis celebrated his inaugural mass among political and religious leaders from around the world. Delegations from 33 Christian Churches and 132 national governments or international organizations, as well as Jewish, Muslim and Buddhist leaders, came to Rome for Pope Francis' inauguration mass. The Patriarch of Constantinople, Bartholomew I, was among them. It was the first time that the top representative of the Orthodox Church had attended a papal inauguration since the split with Rome in 1054AD.

- <u>Goal #7</u> – We are currently going through "The Great Reset," listen to this article from THE HILL publication which summarizes this new world order vision, the article is entitled:

Introducing the 'Great Reset,' world leaders' radical plan to transform the economy BY JUSTIN HASKINS, OPINION CONTRIBUTOR - 06/25/20 11:00 AM ET



Charles III is King of the United Kingdom and the 14 other Commonwealth realms.

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- <u>SEAL #2 - (v3-4) Second Seal: War on Earth!</u>

The rider on the fiery red horse removes peace from the earth and people are killing one another. It appears the Antichrist will move from peacemaker to war-monger, some nations will fight against his authority; we get further insight from Daniel Ch. 11:36-45.

- Remember Jesus said in Matthew 24:12- *And because lawlessness will abound, the love of many will grow cold.* Cold-hearted genocides will take place in the name of global unity, peace, and prosperity.

- SEAL #3 - (v5-6) Third Seal: A Time of Famine!

The rider on a black horse with scales - A day's wage for some wheat & barley.

Wars and world war produces food shortages and famines, just as Jesus said in His prophetic discourse found in Matthew 24:7-8 - <u>And there will be</u> <u>famines</u>, pestilences, and earthquakes in various places. All these are the beginning of sorrows.

Interestingly, no harm to <u>oil and wine</u>, why? That's because oil and wine is for the wealthy, the global elite, whereas the wheat and barley is for the common man, yet it will be very expensive.

- <u>SEAL #4 - (v7-8) Fourth Seal: Death & Hades!</u>

Death is the rider of the pale horse with Hades following. This "pale horse" is ashen in color, it looks like it is dead, yet moving across the world. Currently there are eight billion on earth and God says in Revelation 6:8 that 25% of the world's population will be killed, that means two billion people will <u>die by</u> <u>sword, famine, pestilence, and wild beasts</u>. This is the result of man's rulership without God.

<u>Sword</u> stands for military conflicts; world <u>famine</u>; <u>pestilence</u> due to disease and plagues; chemical and biological warfare; variety of <u>wild beasts</u> highly likely speaks of rats, mosquitoes, flesh eating viruses, etc. <u>Hades</u> is following, death and damnation has come on a global scale (see Luke 16).

"A total world population of 250-300 million people, a 95% decline from present levels, would be ideal." Said Ted Turner, founder of CNN and major UN donor, member of the Club of Rome – 1996.

- SEAL #5 - (v9-11) Fifth Seal: Martyrs in the Tribulation!

These are tribulation saints who are martyrs, the term "<u>under the altar</u>" has an Old Testament reference where the priest presented an animal sacrifice, the victim's blood was poured out at the base of the brazen altar (Lev. 4:7, 18, 25, 30). In Old Testament imagery, blood represents life (Lev. 17:11). The souls of these tribulation saints who are martyrs indicates that their lives were given sacrificially to the <u>glory of God</u>. The martyrs base their appeal for vengeance on two of God's attributes. Because God is <u>holy</u>, He must judge sin (cf. Ps. 5:4-5; Hab. 1:13; Acts 10:42; 17:31; Ro. 2 :16; 3:6: 2 Tim 4:1); because He is <u>true</u>, He must be faithful to His word and keep His promises.

- Isaiah prophesied in Isaiah 34:1-3, 8 - Come near, you nations, to hear; and heed, you people! Let the earth hear, and all that is in it, the world and all things that come forth from it. 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. Also their slain shall be thrown out; their stench shall rise from their corpses, and the mountains shall be melted with their blood. . .. For the Lord has a day of vengeance, a year of recompense for the cause of Zion.

- Paul writes in 2 Thessalonians 1:6-9 - since it is a righteous thing with God to repay with tribulation those who trouble you, and to give you who are troubled rest with us <u>when the Lord Jesus is revealed from heaven with His mighty</u> <u>angels, in flaming fire taking vengeance on those who do not know God, and on</u> <u>those who do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ. These shall be</u> <u>punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord and from</u> <u>the glory of His power</u>

- Also in Acts 17:30-31 - Truly, these times of ignorance God overlooked, but now commands all men everywhere to repent, <u>because He has appointed a day</u> <u>on which He will judge the world in righteousness by the Man whom He has</u> <u>ordained</u>. He has given assurance of this to all by raising Him from the dead."

- These tribulation saints who are martyred will arise and be with Jesus at the Second Coming of Christ, this is found in Revelation 20:4-5 - And I saw thrones, and they sat on them, and judgment was committed to them. Then I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded for their witness to Jesus and for the word of God, who had not worshiped the beast or his image, and had not received his mark on their foreheads or on their hands. <u>And they lived and reigned with Christ for a thousand years</u>.

- <u>SEAL #6 - (v12-17) Sixth Seal: Global & Atmospheric Judgment!</u> In verses 12-14 we see a <u>great earthquake</u> across the entire world with tremendous tectonic plate movement as islands and mountains are moved out their place.

This <u>mega earthquake</u> will cause the eruption of volcanoes throughout the world and the eruption of super volcanoes such as the one currently simmering at Yellowstone National Park. These massive eruptions will send ash and rock into the sky, thus eliminating sunlight. This will produce violent weather systems, tsunamis throughout the world, it will be a time of incredible destruction.

In a statement "Who would die if Yellowstone erupted?" we read, "A massive eruption of the Yellowstone super volcano would spread deadly ash for thousands of miles, killing plant life and affecting humans in its path. Humans that are in its path will surely die, but it will not mean the extinction of the entire human race." The biggest volcano on Earth is Hawaii's Mauna Loa, rising to an elevation of 4,169 above sea level and with an estimated volume of 75,000 cubic kilometers.

Then the *stars from heaven will fall*, most believe this will be fiery meteor showers pummeling planet earth.

<u>The world will recognize that this "*the wrath of the lamb*" that is the Lord Jesus Christ! There is more wrath to come according to Revelation 11:18; 14:10; 16:19; 19:15 which is <u>"the wrath of God</u>."</u>

In Rev 11:18 will read about the "the wrath of the nations" as they oppose God. Warren Wiersbe writes, "If men and women will not yield to the love of God, and be changed by the grace of God, then there is no way for them to escape the wrath of God. God's wrath is the evidence of His holy love for all that is right and His holy hatred for all that is evil." (The Seventh Seal is opened in Ch. 8.)