

Revelation

The in-depth study of revelation

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Rev. 15 : 1- 8

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 - a. fifteen

2. What four things can we learn from the word temple in chapter fifteen?
 - a. It is open
 - b. It is where the angels are dispatched from
 - c. Jesus is the door to heaven
 - d. It represents a type of people

3. To whom is the word temple in chapter fifteen referring to?
 - a. The Jewish people

4. Why does it refer to them?
 - a. Because they have broken the ordinance of God as all have.

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6. John is shown seven more angels departing from the throne room of God.

Revelation 15:6 (NKJV)

⁶ And out of the temple came the seven angels having the seven plagues, clothed in pure bright linen, and having their chests girded with golden bands.

a. They depart from the Holy of Holies –

1. From the throne of God

2. From the presence of God

a. There is no longer a outer court

1. Because there is no longer a veil of separation.

Matt. 27 : 51 - Mark 15 : 38 - Luke 23 : 45

2. There is no longer a outer court or the holy place.

a. Jesus became our.

1. Holy place

a. The light of the world - John 9 : 5 – John 8 : 12

b. The bread of life – John 6 : 12 – John 6 : 35

c. The alter of incense – Heb. 7 : 25

b. Jesus became the opened the door. John 14 : 6

7. Each angel was entrusted with one single Bowl –(or judgment or Plague).

a. All bowls have their pacific target or purpose.

1. The word plague means – strip or strips are wound or blow.

b. Rev. 15 verse one tells us that these are the final or last blows of judgements.

Revelation 15:1 (NKJV)

¹ Then I saw another sign in heaven, great and marvelous: seven angels having the seven last plagues, for in them the wrath of God is complete.

8. These last and final Bowls judgments are the full weight of the wrath of God upon a evil and corrupt world.

a. Its God final punishment.

9. They know the heart of God.

a. David told Salmon to have the heart of God.

1 Chronicles 28:9 (NKJV)

⁹ "As for you, my son Solomon, know the God of your father, and serve Him with a loyal heart and with a willing mind; for the LORD searches all hearts and understands all the intent of the thoughts. If you seek Him, He will be found by you; but if you forsake Him, He will cast you off forever.

10. We also should know the heart of God.

Romans 8:26-27 (NKJV)

²⁶ Likewise the Spirit also helps in our weaknesses. For we do not know what we should pray for as we ought, but the Spirit Himself makes intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered. ²⁷ Now He who searches the hearts knows what the mind of the Spirit *is*, because He makes intercession for the saints according to *the will of God*.

a. The Lord Jesus Christ makes intercessions to God on those things that we ask.

Hebrews 7:25 (NKJV)

²⁵ Therefore He is also able to save to the uttermost those who come to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them.

- b. This is what Jesus meant when he said until now you have asked nothing in my name.

John 16 : 23 : 27

- c. Those things we ask are revealed to us by the Spirit of God

1 Corinthians 2:10 (NKJV)

¹⁰ But God has revealed *them* to us through His Spirit. For the Spirit searches all things, yes, the deep things of God.

11. These angels were given a single Bowl.

- a. They all had a pacific duty to do, but only what they had been given to do.

- 1. That duty was not their's.

- a. But God

- 2. Its not clear if all knew what the others Bowl held.

- a. More than likely not.

12. The understanding of the point and purpose of these six angels is this.

- a. They were the designated appointees for such a time as this.

13. God has given each and every believer a pacific.

- a. Calling

- b. Duty

- c. Gift – or gifting or talent.

- 1. To fulfill - or to carry out for the.

1. Church

2. Kingdom of God

1Cor. 12 : 1 – 31

14. God has.

- a. Called each and every believer at an appointed time.
- b. Placed each and every believer where he needs them at that time to do and fulfill His work.

1 Corinthians 12:18 (NKJV)

¹⁸ But now God has set the members, each one of them, in the body just as He pleased.

- c. Paul told timothy fulfill your ministry in such a time as this.

2 Timothy 4:1-5 (NKJV)

¹ I charge *you* therefore before God and the Lord Jesus Christ, who will judge the living and the dead at His appearing and His kingdom: ² Preach the word! Be ready in season *and* out of season. Convince, rebuke, exhort, with all longsuffering and teaching. ³ For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine, but according to their own desires, *because* they have itching ears, they will heap up for themselves teachers; ⁴ and they will turn *their* ears away from the truth, and be turned aside to fables. ⁵ But you be watchful in all things, endure afflictions, do the work of an evangelist, fulfill your ministry.

15. They were clothed in pure bright linen.

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- a. Pure white line is always symbolic of one's heavenly association.

b. It is an emblem of purity and holiness.

16. They were girded with Golden bands.

a. Is symbolic of their.

1. Rank and commission.

2. Office and their Noble Nature

3. Priestly functions

4. Royalty

Dan. 10 : 5 - Ezek. 9 : 2

17. But they are not ministering the mercy of God as the earthly priest were.

a. But now ministering the wrath of God.

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