



Revelation With Daniel

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Verse 1 - At the time when the three angels' messages of **14:6-12** have been ignored or rejected, the same message will lighten the earth. As early as **Numbers 14:21** the Bible has called for "all the earth [to] be filled with the glory of the LORD." **Ezekiel 43:1-7** shares similar thoughts along with **Revelation 7:2**. The glory from the east, the earth being filled, and a holy people—God's desires.

Verse 2-3 - Babylon falling (failing in the Greek) repeated twice can be partly understood by the physical and spiritual conditions of the characters found in **Daniel 4-5**. Please find presentations on those chapters here: www.RevelationWithDaniel.com/3-angels-in-daniel-1-6-at-secrets-unsealed-studio. Nebuchadnezzar lost his kingly position for a time (becoming a vegan for seven years), then his 'deadly wound was healed' in chapter 4. Belshazzar rejected the straight testimony of the true witness in chapter 5 and was destroyed along with Babylon by the king from the east. **Jeremiah 5:20-31** shows that God's people at a time were similar to this end-time Babylonian condition. Remember, Israel went to Assyria and Judah to Babylon... God is certainly merciful, as we can see from His dealings with His children, but He too has a limit.

Verse 4 - At this end-time scenario, the sinful purposes of falsehood will be fully exposed. God will call His people out of the confusion of faith so prevalent in this world, but to where will He call them? **Deuteronomy 6:21-25** shows that God called the children of Israel *out* of Egypt that He might bring them *in* to the land of Canaan. Just so at the end of time, God calls people *out* of Babylon to call them *in* to His remnant church which keep the Commandments of God and have the testimony of Jesus Christ (**Revelation 12:17**). **Isaiah 48:20-21** shows that God relates the coming out of Babylon with the escape of God's people from Egypt.

See **Isaiah 21:1-10**, **Jeremiah 50-51** regarding the fall of Babylon, and notice also how **Isaiah 23:14-18** and **Ezekiel 26-28:10** show Tyre to be a lot like Babylon in **Revelation 17-18**!

Verse 5 - **Jeremiah 51:9**, **Genesis 18:21**, **Ezra 9:6**, **Jonah 1:2**, and **Psalms 102:19-22** all show that God is interested in what is happening on this earth. Any study will show numerous examples of the Lord beholding us from Heaven. He watches (through His "watchers," see **Daniel 4:13, 17, 23** also referred to as the "eyes of the Lord." See **2 Chronicles 16:9**, **Zechariah 4**) because He loves us, He takes note of those who accept His salvation, truth and love. (See **Malachi 3:16-18**) Also, according to this verse, He watches because He can see both good and evil (**Proverbs 15:3**). Our works will be proof of our eternal desires: **Ecclesiastes 12:13-14**, **2 Corinthians 5:10**.

Verse 6 - The word double is used three times in this verse. It's a solemn mistake to reject God's mercy and to choose our own paths. **Psalms 137:7-9** can be hard to understand, but in the context of God recompensing to Babylon what she has done to others, it makes perfect sense. This will be done in **Revelation 18**. Consider **Isaiah 13** in this context as well.

Verse 7 - In her own glory and kingdom she will receive retribution as she sits a queen. **Isaiah 47:8-11** uses similar wording (consider reading the entire chapter). Remember that both "great cities" in chapters 21 and 17 are queens! (See the list on the first page of the notes for chapter 17.)

Verses 8-19 - (These verses are describing the drying up of the waters of the Euphrates which ran through the midst of Babylon, see **16:12**.) “In one day, death, and morning, and famine...,” “in one hour is thy judgment come...,” “in one hour so great riches is come to nought...,” “in one hour is she made desolate...” verses **8, 11, 17, and 19** say. One day equals a year, and one hour equals 15 days in prophetic time. We would have one year and 45 days on our hands if we used prophetic calculations, but I do not believe these to be time specific, i.e., it would be contrary to **10:6** to put dates on the beginning and ending of these time periods. Perhaps they will be that length of time when they occur, but I cannot see how we could set a date for each beginning and/or ending. Also, would the 45 days come to pass within the year? Would they take place consecutively, or at different times throughout that year? Whenever it happens, it won't take long. The financial breakdown of the world economy is portrayed in this chapter which will occur suddenly.

The word “alas” is the same word for “woe,” a word used 47 times in the New Testament, yet only translated “alas” these six times... ? Perhaps we won't know till Heaven why it was translated differently here.

Verse 20 - This verse calls heaven and earth to rejoice that the time of Christ's coming is at hand, just as **19:1-2** shows heaven rejoicing. **6:9-11** asked the question how long it will be until God avenges His people. Here is the answer. (See also **Deuteronomy 32:43**.)

Verse 21 - There are striking similarities between the destruction of ancient Babylon and spiritual Babylon in the Revelation. One such section is found in **Jeremiah 51:63-64**. Could the double statements saying, “Babylon is fallen, is fallen,” also refer to both the fall of historic and spiritual Babylon? Also, verses in **Matthew 18:6-7** are telling as to why Babylon is cast into the sea.

Verses 22-23 - The arts of music will be destroyed, creativity will be no more, general work for daily needs will be done away with, and marriage will be obsolete (also, the voice of Christ, the ‘bridegroom’ and His church, the ‘bride’ will no longer be heard calling for repentance). Compare these verses with what happened to Israel just before being sent into Babylon: **Jeremiah 25:8-11**. Sorceries and/or witchcraft used in the Revelation is the original word is pharmakeia. We use the word today by saying pharmacy. Could one of the strategies of the enemy be to get as many people addicted to as many things as possible, to prepare them for the time in which men can't buy or sell unless they have the mark, name, or number of the beast? Are people addicted to mixtures containing caffeine? What about nicotine? What about narcotics? What about medicine? The brews, mixtures, concoctions, potions, or whatever you'd like to call them are designed by the enemy to create addicts. And how much harder will it be, when in times of trial and strife, we have to choose between the spiritual and the physical? What will it be for you, spiritual conviction or physical addiction?

“By thy sorceries were all nations deceived...” Study God's health message, “lest satan should get an advantage of us: for we are not ignorant of his devices” (**2 Corinthians 2:11**).

Verse 24 - Babylon, the mother and her daughters, are responsible for the death and deception of countless prophets and saints.

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