



Logos Class

Book of Revelation- Ch 12-13

Sept 21, 2025

Rooms 123/124 New Building

Before we start...

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Preview

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OCT 1 - OCT 29TH

Payment For Materials, if applicable Register

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PRINCIPLES FOR BIBLE STUDY LEADERS
WEDNESDAYS, OCT 1ST – OCT 29TH
6:30PM-7:50PM; ROOM 124
LED BY DR. DAVID JUDD

More

This coming quarter, there is a class being taught by Dr David Judd to try and bring more resources to the church for Bible Study leaders and teachers

- *Men, Women*
- *No commitments, just exploration*
- *5 weeks on Wed in October*
- *First time is Oct 1 at 6:30pm. I am going to speak at the class on teaching*

If you are being tugged by God to step up in this current environment and make a difference for the Kingdom, this is a great way to see what it is all about.

Class Schedule for the next few weeks

- ✓ *Aug 24, 2025.* - *Revelation Ch 8*
- ✓ *Aug 31, 2025* - *Revelation Ch 9*
- ✓ *Sept 5, 2025* - *Ice Cream Social at Steinke's home*
- ✓ *Sept 7, 2025* - *Revelation Ch 10/11*
- ✓ *Sept 14, 2025* - *Revelation Ch 12*
 - ✓ *Manor Lake* *Restarting Program*
- ✓ *Sept 21, 2025* - *Revelation Ch 13*

Quick Update ...ICYMI

Middle East

- *Negotiations to end the Hamas war and return the hostages is not progressing at all. Hamas has threatened to kill all the remaining hostages*
- *Israel is proceeding to demolish and control Gaza. Still fighting and resisting*
- *The World is lining up against Israel*

US/World

- *The Ukraine/Russian war peace negotiations are going nowhere with both resisting, and Russia having little incentive to negotiate.*
- *US is seeing all forms of hate speech, and violence against others playing out. Evil is on the rise. Good being called evil, and evil being called good.*
- ***Earthquakes, Floods, volcanic eruptions, famine, and disease***
- ***Many signs of the Tribulation are appearing with more frequency***
 - *Natural Disasters, Isolation of Israel, Antisemitism, Apostasy in the church, Peace in Israel to presage the Antichrist, Scoffers of Prophecy, and deniers of God. Time of Noah and time of Lot prophecies. Continuation of the Aliyah to Israel*
 - *Remember, Israel is God's timepiece for the End of Time. Israel is the hour hand, Jerusalem is the minute hand, and the Temple Mount is the second hand*

Revelation – How the Book of Revelation Unfolds- 1

The book of Revelation presents Jesus Christ in 3 areas:

His Person, His Power, His Program

*This unfolds in **5 Parts**:*

Part 1: Rev 1-3 - Jesus and His Church

- ✓ *Introductions 1:1-8*
- ✓ *Unexpected Meeting 1:9-20*
- ✓ *Introduction to the Church*
- ✓ *Love Letters to the 7 churches (several lessons) **Finish today***

Part 2: Rev 4-5 – Journey to Heaven

- ✓ *Heaven's Open Door- Ch 4*
- ✓ *Lion and Lamb – Ch 5*

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Part 3 – The Judgments of the Lamb – Rev 6-18

- ✓ *The lamb opens the SIX seals – Ch 6*
- ✓ *First interlude – Ch 7 – 144,000 Jews sealed by the Lord*
- ✓ *The Trumpet Judgments – Chapters 8-9*
- ✓ *Second Interlude – Part 1 - John eats the book – Ch 10*
- ✓ *Second Interlude – Part 2 – Two witnesses - Ch 11 **(Today)***
- ✓ *Third Interlude – Part 1 – The Invisible War – Ch 12 (midpoint in Tribulation)*
- ✓ *Third Interlude – Part 2 – Antichrist comes to power – Ch 13*
- Third Interlude – Part 3 – Preview of things to come – Ch 14*
- A Song for the End – Ch 15*
- The Pouring of the Bowls Judgments– Ch 16*
- The Fall of Babylon – Ch 17-18*

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Part 4 – The Reign of the King – Rev 19-20

The Return of the King – Ch 19

Wrapping Things Up – Ch 20

Part 5: Eternity – Rev 21-22

All things new – Ch 21-22:5

Even So...Come – Ch 22:6-21

Maranatha!!

Revelation Ch 12-14

- *What happens next is a rapid-fire section of events. The midpoint in the Tribulation, and series of bowl or vial judgments are poured out on the earth. These happen over the next 4 chapters.*
- *In Chapters 12-14 there are great actors in this time presented in symbolic way. This is another parenthetical section of Revelation*

A List of Figures and Who they are:

- **The Woman**, representing Israel
- **The Dragon**, representing Satan
- **The child** representing Christ
- **Michael**, the Archangel who represents himself and the "good angels"
- **Israel** representing the remnant of the seed of the woman
- **Beast out of the Sea** – the Antichrist who comes from the Nations (Sea)
- **Beast out of the Earth**- The False Prophet who leads the False Church

Revelation 12:1

A Great Sign

12 A great **sign** appeared in heaven: **a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet and a crown of twelve stars on her head.**

- Here the Woman is Israel with the moon under her feet and 12 stars (patriarchs)
- **Sign** means a pointer to something. So here we see a vision that is complete with figures that point to something else, like a parable.
- Genesis has a verse that may help, regarding Joseph and his dream.

Gen 37:9 ⁹ Then he had another dream, and he told it to his brothers. “Listen,” he said, “I had another dream, and this time **the sun and moon and eleven stars were bowing down to me.**”

- Moon- Rachel, crown of 11 stars – the other brothers (patriarchs). He is standing on the light of Rachel and basking in the light from the sun.

Revelation 12:2-5

² *She was pregnant and cried out in pain as she was about to give birth.*

³ *Then **another sign** appeared in heaven: an enormous **red dragon** with **seven heads and ten horns and seven crowns on its heads.***

⁴ *Its tail swept **a third of the stars out of the sky and flung them to the earth.** The dragon **stood in front of the woman** who was about to give birth, **so that it might devour her child the moment he was born.***

⁵ *She gave birth to a son, a male child, who “will rule all the nations with an **iron scepter.**” **And her child was snatched up to God and to his throne.***

- *This is a very symbolic view of the birth of Christ. The woman here is Israel, and the pain she was undergoing was both the childbirth, and the terrible situation under the Romans in Israel. King Herod was a tyrant.*
- *The Red Dragon here is Satan, and he is poised to destroy Christ right after his birth. Of course, this is the **Murder of the Innocents** when Herod had all the baby boys under 2 years old slaughtered. This was his attempt to kill off any new King of the Jews, but for Satan it was the plan to destroy the Messiah.*
- *As you recall, Joseph was then given a dream of impending doom and told to take Jesus and Mary to Egypt, which he did, where they stayed until Herod was dead.*

Revelation Ch 12:6. Pivot point verse

*⁶ The woman fled into the wilderness to a place prepared for her by God, where she might be taken care of for **1,260 days**.*

In this symbol filled scene several things happen:

- This is a time that we have seen before where Israel has to flee to the wilderness*
- The timeframe is 3 ½ years and the position for timing is midpoint of the tribulation when the Antichrist desecrates the temple and declares Himself to be God, and it begins what is known as the Great Tribulation.*

Some Context

Zec 14:4-5

*⁴ On that day his feet will stand on the Mount of Olives, east of Jerusalem, and the Mount of Olives will be split in two from east to west, forming a great valley, with half of the mountain moving north and half moving south. ⁵ **You will flee by my mountain valley, for it will extend to Azel.** You will flee as you fled from the earthquake in the days of Uzziah king of Judah. **Then the Lord my God will come, and all the holy ones with him.***

Matt 24:15-20 the Trigger Event

*¹⁵ “So, when you **see standing in the holy place ‘the abomination that causes desolation,’** spoken of through the prophet Daniel—let the reader understand— ¹⁶ then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains. ¹⁷ Let no one on the housetop go down to take anything out of the house. ¹⁸ Let no one in the field go back to get their cloak. ¹⁹ How dreadful it will be in those days for pregnant women and nursing mothers! ²⁰ Pray that your flight will not take place in winter or on the Sabbath. ²¹ **For then there will be great distress, unequaled from the beginning of the world until now—and never to be equaled again***

Matt 24:22-25

*²² “If those days had not been cut short, no one would survive, but for the sake of the elect those days will be shortened. ²³ At that time if anyone says to you, ‘Look, here is the Messiah!’ or, ‘There he is!’ do not believe it. ²⁴ **For false messiahs and false prophets will appear and perform great signs and wonders to deceive, if possible, even the elect. ²⁵ See, I have told you ahead of time.***

Path to Safety for the Jews...



- *So, Israel (Jews) will flee for safety from Jerusalem to Bozrah (Petra now) for safety for the remainder of the Tribulation.*
- *So, when the Antichrist (Beast) defiles the temple, ends sacrifices, and proclaims himself to be God...there is an issue in Heaven.*
- *The Jews are angry about the desecration by one they trusted (Antichrist)*
- *Satan is angry they fled to safety*
- *Heaven erupts*

Revelation Ch 12:7-9 War in Heaven

*⁷ Then war broke out in heaven. **Michael and his angels** fought against the dragon, and the **dragon and his angels fought back.***

⁸ But he (Dragon) was not strong enough, and they lost their place in heaven.

*⁹ The **great dragon was hurled down**—that **ancient serpent** called **the devil**, or **Satan**, who leads the whole world astray. **He was hurled to the earth, and his angels with him.***

Does this sound familiar at all?

*Predicted in **Daniel 12:1** ...The End Times*

12** “At that time Michael, the great prince who protects your people, **will arise**. There will be a time of distress such as has not happened from the beginning of nations until then. **But at that time your people—everyone whose name is found written in the book—will be delivered.

Revelation 12:10-12 Devil is cast out

¹⁰ *Then I heard a loud voice in heaven say:*

*“Now have come the salvation and the power
and the kingdom of our God,
and the authority of his Messiah.*

*For the accuser of our brothers and sisters,
who accuses them before our God day and night,
has been hurled down.*

¹¹ *They triumphed over him
by the blood of the Lamb
and by the word of their testimony;
they did not love their lives so much
as to shrink from death.*

¹² *Therefore rejoice, you heavens
and you who dwell in them!
But woe to the earth and the sea,
because the devil has gone down to you!
He is filled with fury,
because he knows that his time is short.”*

Revelation Ch 12: 13-14

*¹³ When the dragon saw that he had been hurled to the earth, **he pursued the woman who had given birth to the male child.***

*¹⁴ The woman was given the two wings of a great eagle, so that she might fly to the place prepared for her in the wilderness, where she would be taken care of for a **time, times and half a time**, out of the serpent's reach.*

- *Satan had been unsuccessful in stopping the plan and will of God, so he turned his anger on those who were precious to Him, the Jews...so, he “pursued” the woman (Israel) and she had to flee. **John saw her given two wings of a great Eagle, metaphorically to fly away quickly**, to the place God has prepared (Petra) to be protected until the final 3 ½ years of the Tribulation are finished.*
- *This is a great scene and **sign** being played out in Heaven for John to watch. The woman is flying away to safety and getting away from Satan's clutches, so...*

Revelation Ch 12:15-17

¹⁵ Then from his mouth the serpent spewed water like a river, to overtake the woman and sweep her away with the torrent.

¹⁶ But the earth helped the woman by opening its mouth and swallowing the river that the dragon had spewed out of his mouth.

*¹⁷ Then the dragon was enraged at the woman and went off to wage war against **the rest of her offspring—those who keep God's commands and hold fast their testimony about Jesus.***

(This is the Christians in the Tribulation period)

Chapter 12 – Deeper look

*What an exciting end to this Chapter. John sees Satan spew water out of his mouth to catch and wash away fleeing Israel, **But God**...using the Earth, opened a crack in the earth to capture the water. I picture a new grand canyon being instantly formed.*

*Satan is furious, and so he turns his anger of those who are the “**rest of her offspring**” (the Christians in the Tribulation period)*

Remember who is there in the Tribulation Period...the Jews, the Tribulation Saints who have been converted, the Messianic Jews who have been converted, and the non-believers.

End of Ch 12—

Revelation Ch 13:1-2 The Beast out of the Sea

*13 The dragon stood on the shore of the sea. And I **saw** a beast coming out of the sea. It had **ten horns and seven heads, with ten crowns on its horns, and on each head a blasphemous name.***

*2 The beast I saw resembled a **leopard** but had **feet like those of a bear** and a **mouth like that of a lion**. The dragon gave the beast his power and his throne and great authority.*

The next scene for John returns back to the Earth. He looks and he sees the Dragon, who we know now is Satan, standing on the seashore. John sees a beast coming out of the sea, and it is frightening. It looks like a leopard but has 7 heads and 10 horns. Each head had a name blaspheming God. Feet like a bear, and mouth like a Lion. **Does any of this symbolism sound familiar at all?**

Beast from the Sea...a clue



- *I used different pictures then, but in **Daniel Ch 7**, we saw the successive Gentile Empires represented by beasts come out of the sea. In the Revived Roman Empire (feet and toes) we saw 10 kingdoms (horns) replaced by 7 Kingdoms and one rising out of the remaining with mouth to speak evil. Horns represent Power (kingdoms) and in Revelation we see Crowns representing Kings or leaders, but one is prominent.*
- *Since they all come out of the Seas it is the great reservoir of Gentile people, Nations, Languages, Ethnos. In Revelation, the beast out of the sea is coming from the Gentiles, not the Jews.*

Reminder

- *This is a **vision, a sign**, not a real thing as John sees it, but it represents the Antichrist, that has remnants of the other 5 gentile powers from the past and stands ready to do the work of the Beast.*
- *In Revelation we see that the Dragon (Satan) gives this beast his **power, throne** (king of the earth), and his **great authority**.*
- *This beast becomes the **representative of Satan on Earth**. We call this beast by various names like Antichrist, the beast, Man of Perdition, etc.*

Revelation Ch 13: 3-5

³ *One of the heads of the beast **seemed to have had a fatal wound, but the fatal wound had been healed.** The whole world was filled with wonder and followed the beast.*

⁴ *People **worshiped the dragon** because he had given authority to the beast, and **they also worshiped the beast** and asked, “**Who is like the beast? Who can wage war against it?**”*

⁵ *The beast was given a mouth to utter proud words and blasphemies and to exercise its authority for **forty-two months.***

More thoughts...

*The people of the earth are in awe of this Beast. They see a wound to the head that should have been fatal, but **it had been healed**. This is a reminder that the Dragon and Beast will **counterfeit the life of Christ** by returning him back to life, thereby making the people follow him. This is amplified by his great power as given by the Dragon (Satan).*

*His mouth proclaimed blasphemies and self-important words and used his power to afflict the earth for **42 months** (3.5 years) which is the final 3.5 years of the tribulation period.*

Revelation Ch 13:6-7

*⁶ It opened its mouth to **blaspheme God**, and to **slander his name and his dwelling place and those who live in heaven.***

*⁷ It was given power to wage war **against God's holy people and to conquer them.** And it was given authority over every tribe, people, language and nation.*

*⁸ All inhabitants of the earth will worship the beast—**all whose names have not been written in the Lamb's book of life**, the Lamb who was slain from the creation of the world.*

Revelation 13:9-10

⁹ *Whoever has ears, let them hear.*

¹⁰ *“If anyone is to go into captivity,
into captivity **they will go.***

*If anyone is to be killed with the sword,
with the sword **they will be killed.”***

*This calls for patient endurance and faithfulness on the part
of God’s people.*

Let me stop at this point

These are sobering verses. God has determined the fate of all His Tribulation children and if it is captivity, then they will go into captivity. If it is death, they will be killed.

Gods people are told to be patient, endure what is to come, and be faithful.

So even with the Beasts determination to kill those who do not worship him, some will survive.

*This first beast also represents the **One World Government**, with all its controls and punishments, headed by the Antichrist. We certainly see signs in the worldwide bodies like the UN or the World Health Organization to push a worldwide governance and control. **Just think about the COVID pandemic and the eagerness to turn all of the control over to the WHO and be forced to do its edicts.***

John sees and knows about the FIRST Beast, the Second comes next week

Next Week

- *Come back as we see the Second Beast and learn about him.*
- *Until then be in prayer for our Nation, State, Israel, and all the leaders and Pastors*
- *Pray for a revival to come and workers for the harvest*
- *Pray for each other, and all our families and friends to need to come to the Lord, ore renew their commitments*
- *Rosh HaShana, and the Feast of Trumpets is this week*