

**The Revelation of**  
**Yeshua The Messiah To Yochanan (John)**

**Study Notes**

**Chapter 12 PT. 2: Good Versus Evil – A New World Order**

**Revelation 12:7-17 (NASB)** – “<sup>7</sup> And there was war in heaven, Michael and his angels waging war with the dragon. The dragon and his angels waged war, <sup>8</sup> and they did not prevail, and there was no longer a place found for them in heaven. <sup>9</sup> And the great dragon was thrown down, the serpent of old who is called the devil and Satan, who deceives the whole world; he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him. <sup>10</sup> Then I heard a loud voice in heaven, saying,

‘Now the salvation, and the power, and the kingdom of our God and the authority of His Christ have come, for the accuser of our brothers *and sisters* has been thrown down, the one who accuses them before our God day and night. <sup>11</sup> And they overcame him because of the blood of the Lamb and because of the word of their testimony, and they did not love their life *even* when faced with death. <sup>12</sup> For this reason, rejoice, you heavens and you who dwell in them. Woe to the earth and the sea, because the devil has come down to you with great wrath, knowing that he has *only* a short time.’

<sup>13</sup> And when the dragon saw that he was thrown down to the earth, he persecuted the woman who gave birth to the male *Child*. <sup>14</sup> But the two wings of the great eagle were given to the woman, so that she could fly into the wilderness to her place, where she was nourished for a time, times, and half a time, away from the presence of the serpent. <sup>15</sup> And the serpent hurled water like a river out of his mouth after the woman, so that he might cause her to be swept away with the flood. <sup>16</sup> But the earth helped the woman, and the earth opened its mouth and drank up the river which the dragon had hurled out of his mouth. <sup>17</sup> So the dragon was enraged with the woman, and went off to make war with the rest of her children, who keep the commandments of God and hold to the testimony of Jesus.”

## **Revelation Mid-Point Review:**

**Understanding:** We are currently at the end of the Church Age (**Laodicea - The Apostate Church Age**). The next event to take place is the snatching away of Believers from the Earth.



**Key:** When this happens, the Earth will be in a state of turmoil, distress, and desperation. People will long for a sense of normalcy to be restored.



- In walks a group of ten men - **World Leaders**.

- They will unite to form The **Revised Roman Empire (the 7<sup>th</sup> Head of the Dragon - Revelation 17)**.
- This world coalition of the Ten Men united is also called The New World Order.
- The New World Order gets formed by the Anit-Christ who comes out of Europe.
- America **will** yield its sovereignty to the New World Order.

### **The Anti-Christ and The Ten Leaders**

**Note:** They will introduce the Peace Treaty according to **Daniel 9**. Israel will let their guard down; they get tricked. It's a false peace. 3½ years after the Peace Treaty is signed, the Anti-Christ will break the Treaty.

- Russia and the Islamic Coalition attacks Israel: this will be the Ezekiel 38 War (Gog and Magog War).
- The Russian Coalition gets destroyed by G-d.

**Understanding:** This is where the Anit-Christ will take this golden opportunity, and he comes into the fullness of his power. He takes charge of the world and becomes its Dictator.



## **The Anti-Christ: The Last Half of the Great Tribulation**

- He organizes a One World Government.
- He organizes a One World Currency.
- He organizes a One World Religion.

## **The Anti-Christ: The Mark of the Beast**



**Note:** It is the Anti-Christ that introduces the Mark of the Beast to have full control over the world. If anyone refuses to take the mark, they are beheaded. It is at this point when the Anti-Christ arises and declares himself god. He will then set himself up in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Temple in Jerusalem and demand the whole world to worship him.

## Verses 7-9

### **The War In Heaven - Michael and Satan**



- There was war in heaven, Michael and his angels waging war with the dragon. The dragon and his angels waged war.
- The Dragon and his angels did not prevail, and there was no longer a place found for them in heaven.
- The great dragon was thrown down, the serpent of old who is called the devil and Satan,
- He deceives the whole world; he was thrown down to the earth with his angels.

## Verse 10

### **A Voice From Heaven Gets Johns Attention:**

**Revelation 12:10 (NASB)** - “Now the salvation, and the power, and the kingdom of our God and the authority of His Christ have come, for the accuser of our brothers *and sisters* has been thrown down, the one who accuses them before our God day and night.”

- The announcement is made that the Dragon and his angels were defeated by Michael and his angels.
- This is where we get introduced to Satan’s role towards Believers.
- He is called the “Accuser of the Brethren”

- We are told he never lets up on making accusations against G-d's children.

### **Verse 11**

#### **Believers are introduced in Scripture As Overcomers:**

**Note:** This single verse enforces the Believers' ability to Overcome; not in their own strength but by the Blood of the Lamb and The Word of Their Testimony! Christ dying destroyed him that had the power over death. The preaching of the Gospel pulled down every stronghold.

- It further enforces their total dedication to the Kingdom of G-d.
- They did not love their life even when faced with death.
- They were willing to die for Jesus just as Jesus had died for them.

### **Verse 12**

#### **Heaven Calls For Rejoicing: "For This Reason"**

**Key:** What other response could you have for all that the Lord has done for those who love Him!

#### **Heaven Sends A Warning: "Woe to the earth and the sea"**

**Note:** Heaven is rejoicing but the earth just inherited the problem.

- The devil has come down to you with great wrath.
- He knows that he has *only* a short time.

### **Verse 13**

**Note:** The Dragons response to his defeat in the Heavens was to persecute the woman who gave birth to male Child! (Gen. 37:9-10). **Anti-Semitism is the spirit of the Dragon.**

- The woman is Israel (**Believing Remnant of Israel**).
- The male Child is Yeshua/Jesus.

## Verse 14

**Revelation 12:14 (NASB)** - “But the two wings of the great eagle were given to the woman, so that she could fly into the wilderness to her place, where she was nourished for a time, times, and half a time, away from the presence of the serpent.”



**Important Note:** Never put a modern nation’s symbols in the Bible when the Bible does not say who or what “**The Two Wings of The Great Eagle**” are.

### **What Do We Know?**

- The Remnant of Israel gets Supernaturally or Naturally transported to safety.
- Most Theologians believe this to be Military aircraft or a supernatural act of G-d.
- For a time and a times and a half of time, or 3 ½ years.

**Understanding:** This is what Jesus was referring to in **Matthew 24:15-16**. Jesus spoke of a coming “abomination of desolation” in the Olivet Discourse. “So, when you see the abomination of desolation, spoken of by the prophet Daniel, standing in the holy place . . . then those in Judea must flee to the mountains”. (**Drop to Verse 21.**)

**Matthew 24:21-22 (NASB)** – “For then there will be a great tribulation, such as has not occurred since the beginning of the world until now, nor ever will *again*.<sup>22</sup> And if those days had not been cut short, no life would have been saved; but for the sake of the elect those days will be cut short.”

### Verse 15

**Revelation 12:15 (NASB)** - “And the serpent hurled water like a river out of his mouth after the woman, so that he might cause her to be swept away with the flood.”



### **The Flood is a Flood of Soldiers – This is Symbolism**

**Note:** In the Old Testament, a "**flood**" was a metaphor for an advancing army. It meant a tsunami of **soldiers** spreading over the land with devastating force! (See **Ezekiel 38:2 & Isaiah 8:8.**)



- Satan sends an army to go after Israel.
- Satan wants Israel to be swept off the earth.

### **Verse 16**

#### **“The Earth Helps The Woman”**



- G-d stops this army by sending an earthquake.
- This is not the first time G-d disposed of evil this way.

**Numbers 16:32 (NASB)** – “and the earth opened its mouth and swallowed them up, and their households, and all the men who belonged to Korah with their possessions.”

**Understanding:** The earth opened up and swallowed Korah, Dathan, and Abiram, who were rebelling against Moses and Aaron; this event happened in the wilderness, while the Israelites were on their journey to the Promised Land.

### **Verse 17**

- The Dragon becomes enraged with the woman.
- So, he went off to make war with the rest of her children: **Gentiles that get saved in the Tribulation, but are martyred.**
- Those who keep the commandments of God and hold to the testimony of Jesus.

**Understanding:** If the enemy cannot get to you, he will go to them closest to you. Do not be surprised when your family is attacked because of the favor of God upon your life.

**FEAR NOT!**

**Key:** The same way Father moves heaven and earth to protect Israel, He will do the same for all His children!

**The End**