

## Outline of Revelation

Chapters 1-3 = Church age

Chapters 4-19 = Tribulation

4-5 – Saints gathered before lamb

6-7 – Seven seals opened from scroll of book of life

8-10 – Trumpet judgments

11 – Two witnesses

12 – woman and dragon

13 – Antichrist

14 – 144,000

15 – Seven plagues

16 – Armageddon (Joel 2:1-11 & 28-32, 19:17-21 / Zech.

44:1)

17 – The great prostitute

18 – Fall of Babylon

19 – Songs of victory in Heaven

Chapter 20 – Satan bound

Chapter 21, 22 – Eternal age

Revelation was not intended to be a \_\_\_\_\_.

***Daniel 12:9 He replied, "Go your way, Daniel, because the words are rolled up and sealed until the time of the end.***

***Revelation 22:10 Then he told me, "Do not seal up the words of the prophecy of this scroll, because the time is near.***

- ***Once Jesus came to earth, he opened the seal!***

***Revelation 1:3 Blessed is the one who reads aloud the words of this prophecy, and blessed are those who hear it and take to heart what is written in it, because the time is near.***

***Revelation 22:7 "Look, I am coming soon! Blessed is the one who keeps the words of the prophecy written in this scroll."***



Revelation is the finish of a divine \_\_\_\_\_.

## **Genesis**

Creation of Heaven and Earth  
Entrance of sin/curse  
Dawn of Satan  
Tree of life taken  
Death enters  
Sorrow begins

## **Revelation**

Consuming of Heaven and earth  
End of sin and curse  
Doom of Satan  
Tree of life given back  
Death exits  
Sorrow vanishes



## Revelation Intro. #2

- 4 times the author is identified as John  
Vs. 1/4/9/2:18

### Why study Revelation?

It's in the Bible – II Tim. 3:16/17

1 in 30 verses deal with end times prophecy

Rev. increases our faith and hope

II Peter 1:16-20, Matthew 24:13

We become less tense and more intense...

II Peter 3:10-16 vs I Thess. 5:1-8

Revelation is difficult for 2 reasons....

- Much of the language is symbolic/figurative  
To interpret it you must have a knowledge of  
Entire Bible.

(See chart on millennial view)

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Chapter 11 – Two witnesses



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28-32/19:17-21/Zech. 14:1  
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Chapter 18 – Fall of Babylon  
Chapter 19 – Songs of victory in Heaven  
Chapter 20 – Satan bound/Christ reigns  
Chapter 21/22 – Eternal age

Sealed book? Daniel 12:9 verses Rev. 22:10  
Rev. 1:3 / 22:7

Revelation is the finish to a divine library

Genesis

Creation

Sin & curse enter

Dawn of Satan

Tree of Life taken

Death enters

Sorrow begins

Revelation

Consuming

Sin & curse exit

Doom of Satan

Tree of life restored

Death exits

Sorrow vanishes

I Corinthians 2:14



## Revelation – chapters 2&3

- Revelation is about Jesus returning in full glory!
- The outline to Revelation is chapter 1:19

### The 7 Churches

Real Churches with prophetic implications.

- Historical Churches in John's day (96AD)
- Types of Churches in all ages
- Types of Christians in all ages
- The history of the Church over 2000 years

#7 is used 735 times in the Bible, 54 times in Revelation.  
This is the number of completion and perfection

### Bible has 7 major divisions

Law, History, Poetry, Prophets, Gospels, Epistles, Revelation ...

II Peter 3:8-10

Adam-----Abraham-----Jesus-----Today (7<sup>th</sup> 1000)  
2K                      2K                      2K

- 1 – Post Apostolic – dust settles/organized/letters
- 2 – 150-312 Persecution (Nero)
- 3 – 312-600 State Church, rise of Pope/Ecclesiastical
- 4 – 600-1500 Dark ages, apostacy, emphasis on works
- 5 – 1500-1750 Roman Catholic Church “dead”, Reform
- 6 – 1750-1900 Evangelistic/Restoration/missionaries
- 7 – 1900 -? Apostacy/lukewarm



**Ephesus – (Post Apostolic) 2:1-7**

**Smyrna – (150-312) 2:8-11**

**Pergamum – (312-600) 2:12-17**

**Thyatira – (600-1500) 2:18-29**

**Sardis – (1500-1750) 3:1-6**

**Philadelphia - (1750-1900) 3:7-13**

**Laodicea - (1900-?) 3:14-27**



***What happens when a follower of Christ and a non-believer die – what then?***

**Hades vs. Heaven**

**Hades vs. Hell**

- 1. We remain in a conscience state**
- 2. We remain in Spirit bodies until rapture**
- 3. At Rapture, we receive our new glorified body and Spirit reunite**
- 4. We remain in Heaven in Heaven and are judged for our rewards**
- 5. Then we participate in the wedding feast with Christ (Lamb)**
- 6. We then return with Jesus to earth to reign with him for a 1000 yrs. (Satan is bound)**
- 7. Satan is release for a time and deceives the nations / Jesus defeats Satan once for all**
- 8. We will witness the Great White Throne judgment of the unrighteous**
- 9. We are then taken to the New Jerusalem**
- 10. God renovates the earth with fire**
- 11. We are lowered to the new earth in New Jerusalem**