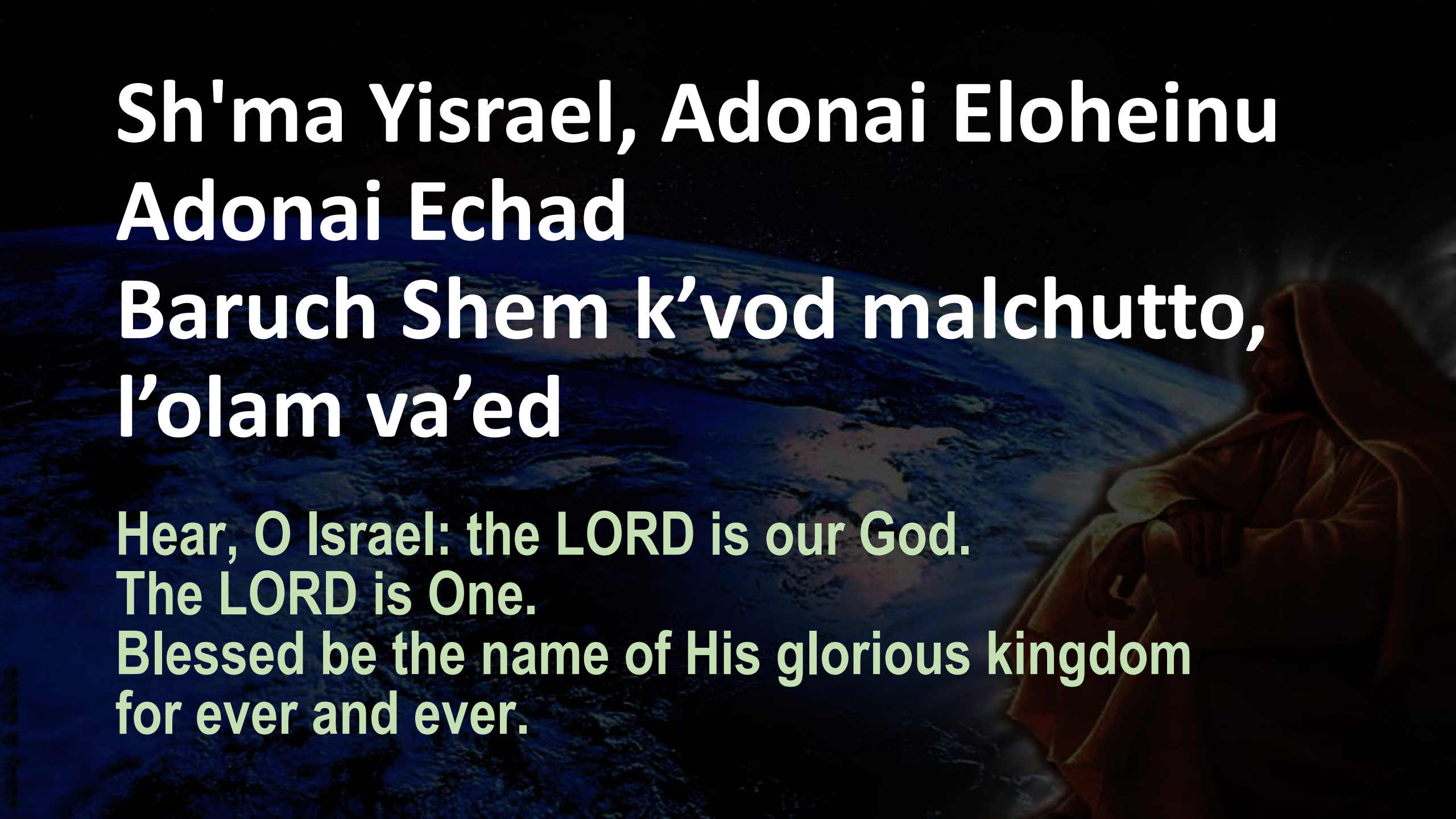
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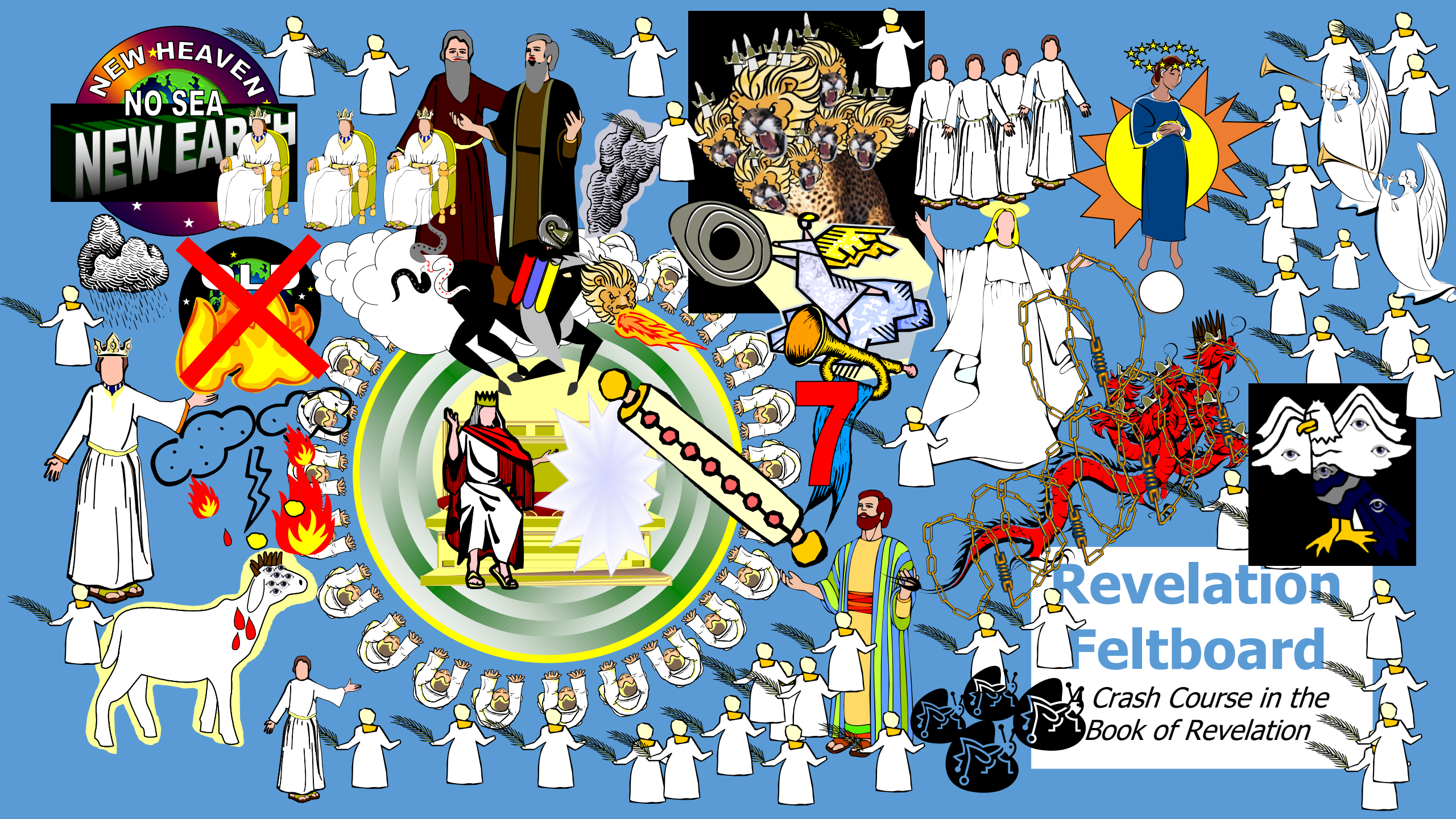
Revelation 6:1

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**Sh'ma Yisrael, Adonai Eloheinu
Adonai Echad
Baruch Shem k'vod malchutto,
l'olam va'ed**

**Hear, O Israel: the LORD is our God.
The LORD is One.
Blessed be the name of His glorious kingdom
for ever and ever.**

NEW HEAVEN
NO SEA
NEW EARTH



Revelation
Feltboard
Crash Course in the
Book of Revelation

A religious painting depicting the scene of Revelation 6. In the center, a figure with a long, flowing red beard and hair, wearing a white robe, sits on a throne. To the right, a figure with long, flowing white hair, wearing a white robe, is shown in profile, holding a scroll. The background is a dramatic, cloudy sky. The scene is framed by a circular border. The text "Revelation 6" is written in a white, stylized font across the middle of the image.

Revelation 6

Judgment Begins...

REVELATION FELTBOARD: Chapter 6

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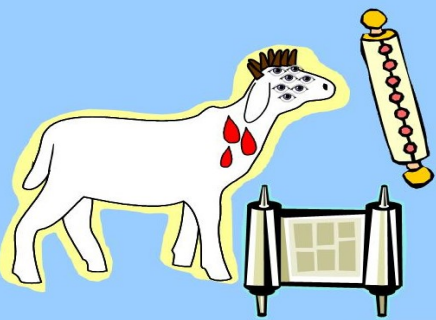
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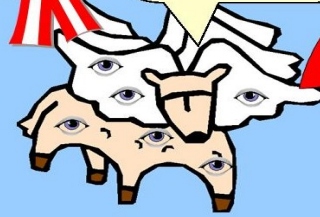
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"Come and see. (GO!)"



"Come and see. (GO!)"



"Come and see. (GO!)"



"Come and see. (GO!)"



"Rest a little while longer..."



"How long, O Lord, holy and true, until You judge and avenge our blood...?!"

Revelation 6



"Fall on us!..."



"For the great day of his wrath has come, and who is able to stand?"



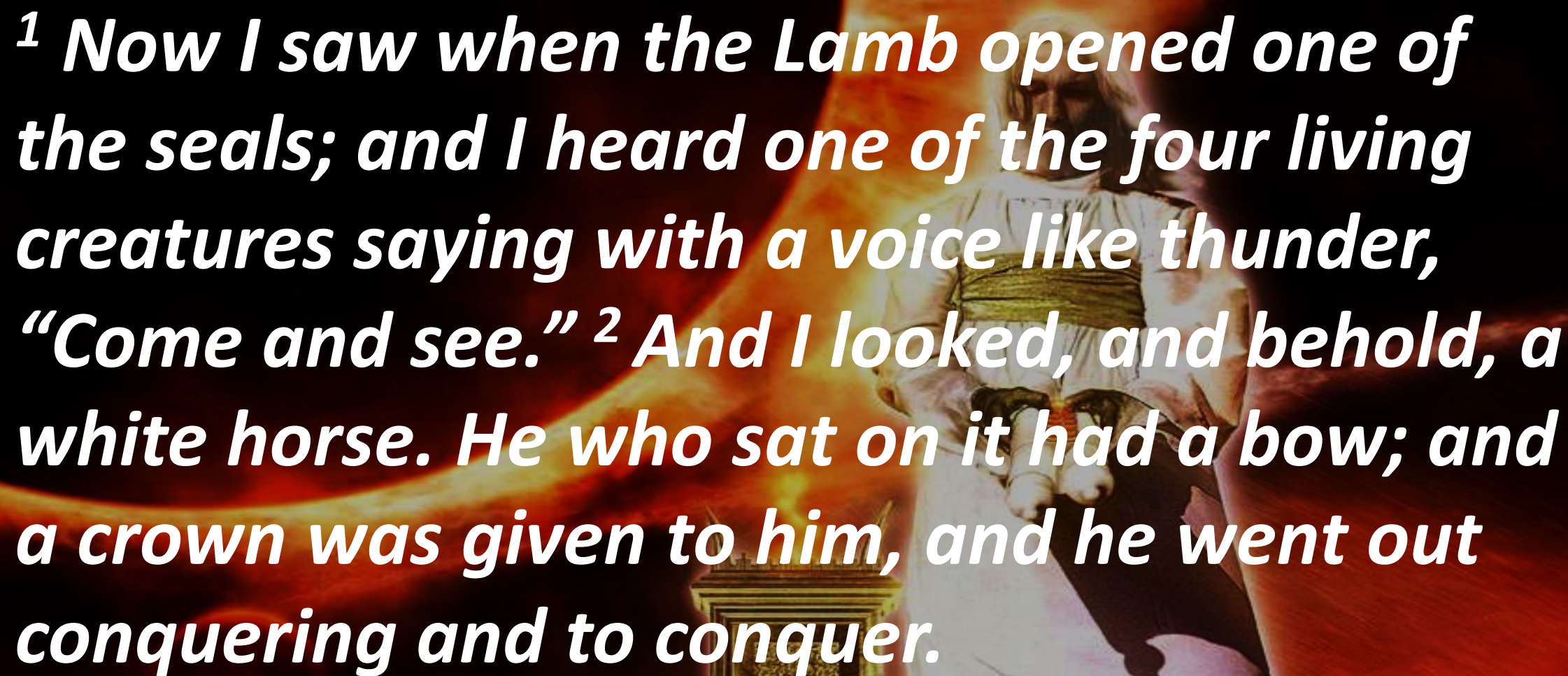
Judgment Begins

First Set (Seals) of Judgments is Opened

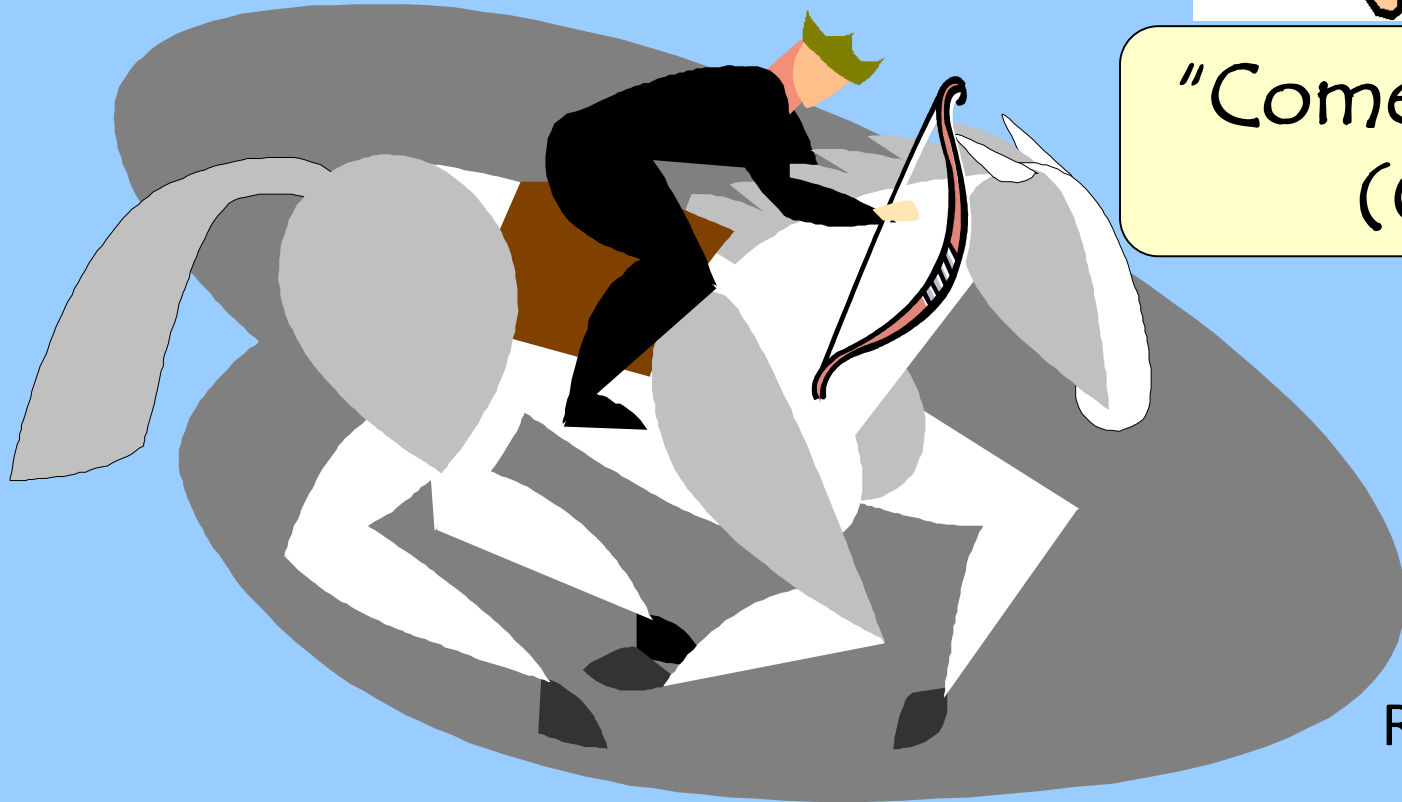
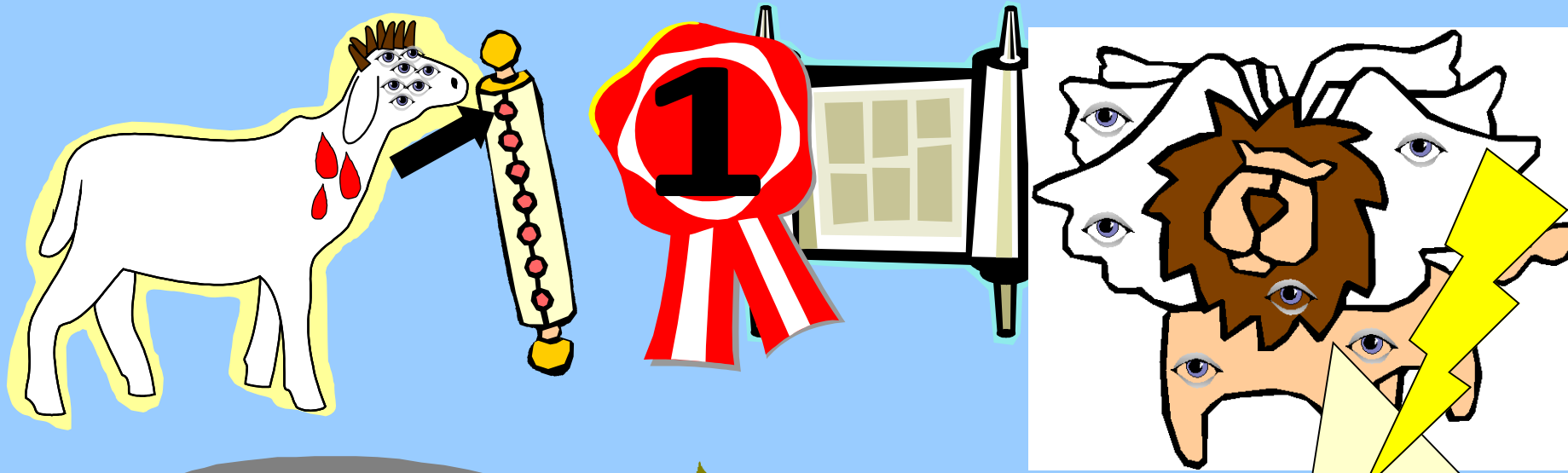
- Ch 4 + 5 throne room, praise/worship, **preparation for revealing “time of Jacob’s trouble.”**
- Reveals **God is justified** in His judgment.
- Chapter 6 **opens first set of judgments (seals)**
- Begins perfectly complete sets of judgments God has pre-planned for earth in last days.
- Judgments continue through chapter 18, part of 19

- Some see ch 6 as “**overview**” of final outcome of judgment, but also individual judgments.
- Important: judgments are “**cumulative**”
- “**Church**” not mentioned again until chapter 19. *Does not seem present* during period of judgment.
- Church, the Bride of Messiah, a **separate entity** from others in scripture, and others in Revelation.
- **4 groups of people**: 1) Old Testament saints, 2) Bride of Messiah (NT saints), 3) Tribulation Saints, and 4) the LOST (“*inhabitants of the earth*”)

- **Bride of Messiah** = believers from Day of Pentecost (*appointed time [feast] of Weeks, Shavuot*) to the time it is “caught up” to be with the Messiah.
- Believers are present in Revelation, but are called “**Tribulation Saints**” and many will be martyred. This true of both Jews and Gentiles. (*not “Bride”*)
- Yes, people will be saved in this time. Greatest “**soul harvest**” of all time during Tribulation.



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"Come and see."
(GO!)

Revelation 6:1-2



1st SEAL Judgment

- When heaven discussed, *elders* speak. When earth discussed, *four living creatures* speak.
- “Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse” common phrase to describe first 4 seals
- “***Come and see***” can also mean “**Go!**” To John, “perceive” or “see”—also command to horseman (*some manuscripts omit “see”*) (“**Go and perceive, understand, take heed**”)
- White horse customary symbol for a victor



1st SEAL Judgment

- 1st seal about a conqueror and conquest
- “*Had a bow...*” Bow sign of (military/war) power. Notice no arrows! *May imply conquering through diplomacy, not actual war.*
- First half of Tribulation may be *somewhat peaceful* during initial acquisition of power. **(2nd half NOT peaceful!)**
- **Crown** sign of authority/power, victor’s crown (“*stephanos*”) not *diadema* (**king’s crown, wears diadema!**)

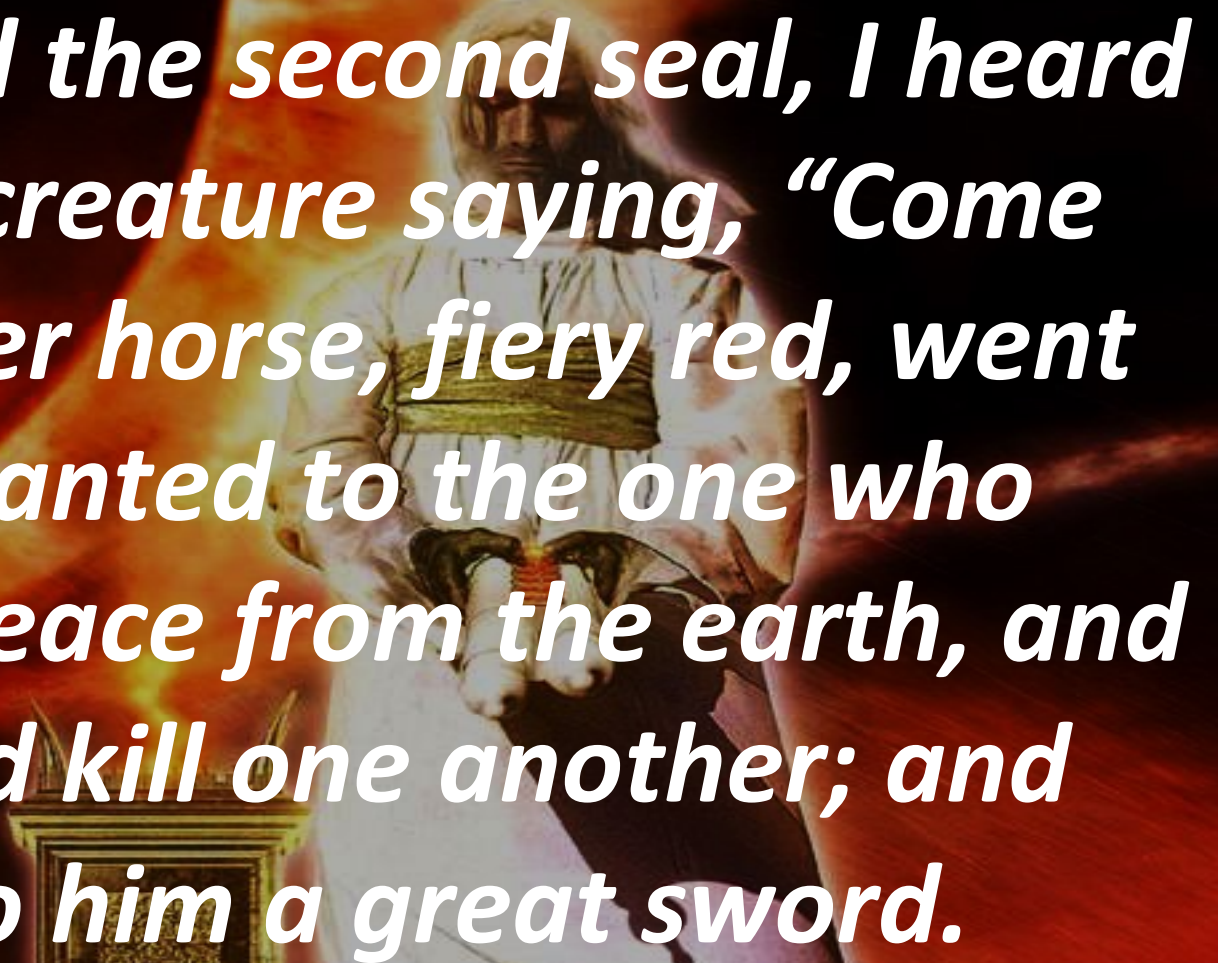
- **Who is on the horse? Don't make mistake here. **NOT JESUS!****
- **Living creatures do not command our King!**
- **Keeps very bad company (*war, famine, economic woes, death*)**
- Goes out to conquer = final world ruler, **we call "Antichrist"**
- **"Antichrist" NOT in Revelation**
- May be seen as "messiah" initially – ***not later!***



1st SEAL Judgment



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A figure in white robes, possibly a prophet or warrior, stands in the center of the image. He is holding a sword with both hands, and his face is partially obscured by shadows. The background is dominated by a large, glowing red orb, likely representing the sun or a celestial body, which creates a dramatic, fiery atmosphere. The overall color palette is dominated by reds, oranges, and yellows, with the white of the figure's robes providing a stark contrast.



2nd SEAL Judgment

- Horse **“fiery red”** = literally *“flame colored, like fire.”* Red = symbol for war and violence.
- **“take peace from the earth”** –global, not merely territorial. Entire earth will be at war.
- **2nd seal = war, bloodshed, violence.** More than local, more than mere war. A warring spirit.
- People will be killing one another. *Hard to imagine but will get even worse than now.*
- **“great sword”** symbol of warfare and bloodshed.

- Involves more than mere war among nations.
- About a warring spirit in hearts of all mankind against one another.
- Warfare everywhere may be result of first rider's actions. *War often accompanies political conquest.*



2nd SEAL Judgment

**WAR, BLOODSHED,
VIOLENCE**

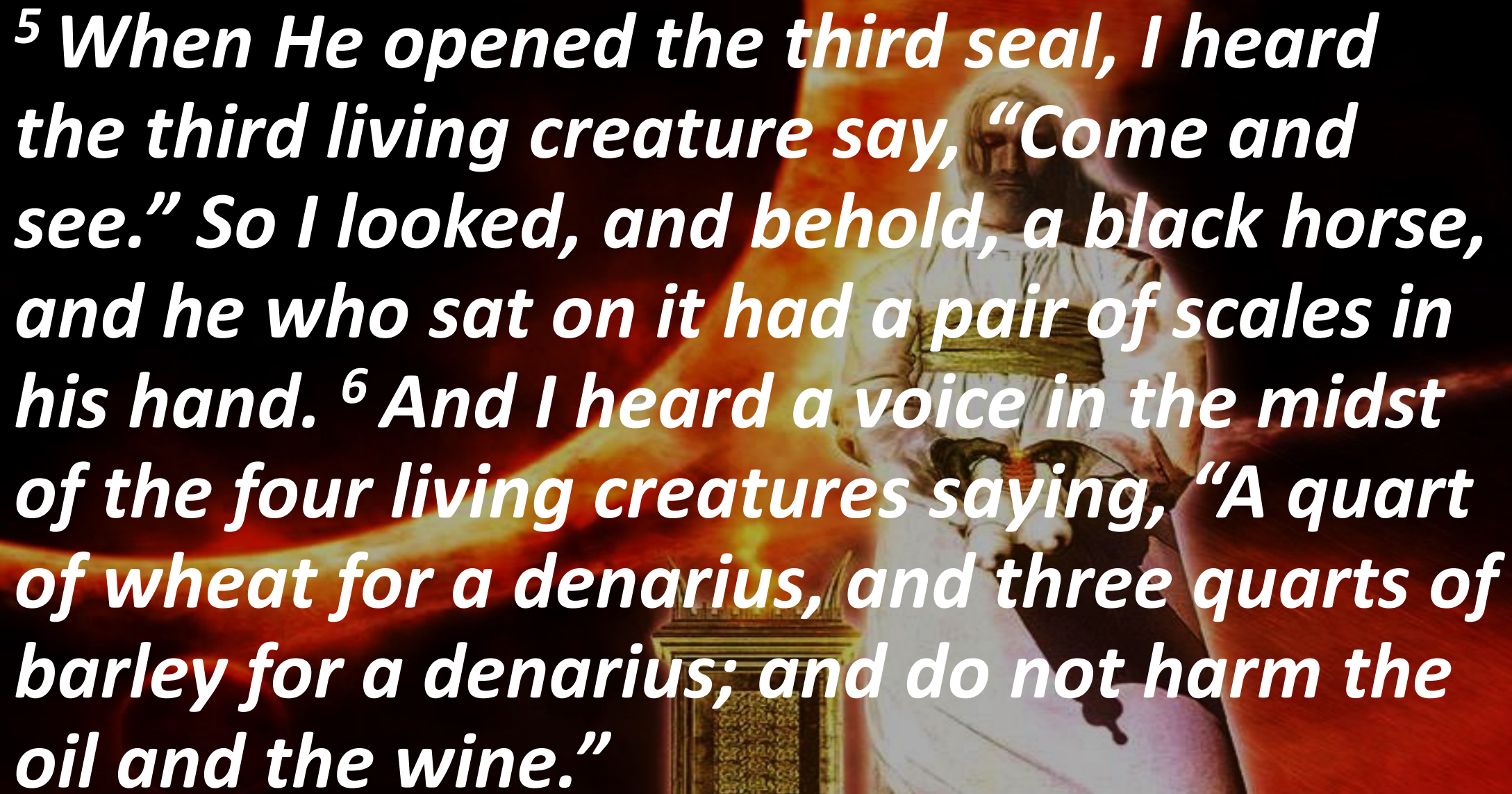


2nd SEAL Judgment



- Final world ruler will not bring real peace.
- Many will think he is a peaceful man, *but all a sham.*
- Keep in mind, **all judgments are cumulative.** One does not go away when another is sent.

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A religious painting depicting a figure in white robes holding a pair of scales, set against a dramatic, fiery background with a large sun or moon and a golden column.



3rd SEAL Judgment

- **3rd seal about scarcity, famine, economic collapse** (*but also great wealth*)
- **Black** often symbol of darkness, dark times, famine.
- **“Pair of scales”** symbol of economy, here = scarcity, difficult times.
- Denarius = a day’s wage.
- About daily sustenance. Work all day merely to eat and survive from day to day.





3rd SEAL Judgment

- Oil and wine = **symbols for luxuries**. Only rich could afford.
- Now famine, *but rich will still get their luxuries, and get richer.*
- May indicate a great **“polarization” of wealth and position**. So-called “middle class” will disappear. *People either scrape to survive, or so rich can still afford “niceties”* (oil and wine).



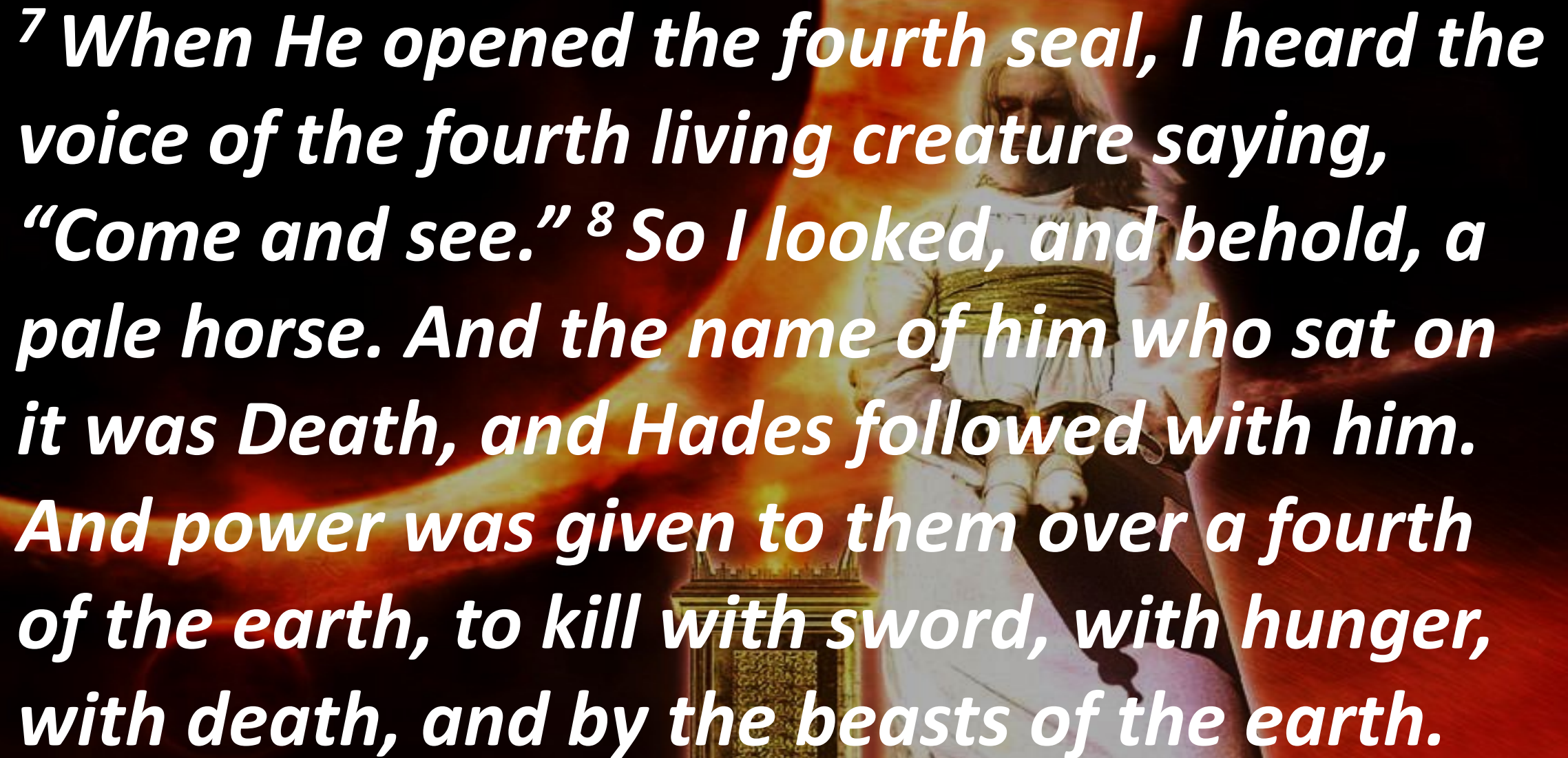
3 3rd SEAL Judgment

- During/following war, economic collapse and/or depression can result.
- Seems progression here.
White rider goes out to conquer, warfare breaks out then economic collapse.
- Already **earth in big trouble**.
Lives will drastically change.
Remember, this is global.



3 3rd SEAL Judgment

**ECONOMIC
COLLAPSE,
SCARCITY**

A figure in white robes, possibly representing Death, stands in a dramatic, fiery setting. The figure is positioned in the center-right of the frame, looking down. The background is dominated by a large, glowing red sun or moon, creating a sense of intense heat and danger. The overall atmosphere is one of apocalyptic horror.

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4th SEAL Judgment

- 4th seal about physical and spiritual **death**, **pestilence**, **plagues**, etc.
- “pale” = *chloros*, sickly pale green color of death.
- In Leviticus = **color of leprosy** (*death of body in bits and pieces*)
- Rider has a name....**Death**. Greek = *thanatos*, = either literal or figurative death.

4th SEAL Judgment

- Also has **co-rider...Hades**. Hades following Death. Two “personages” (*but, one is a place*). Personified.
- Death + Hades **frequently linked** in Revelation.
- Greek **Hades** = Hebrew **Sheol** (*refer to notes for chapter 1 regarding hell, Sheol, Hades, Lake of Fire, etc.*)
- Rider has power “***over a fourth of the earth...***” (to kill). Population currently almost 8 BILLION.
 $\frac{1}{4} = 2,000,000,000$ people!

4 4th SEAL Judgment

- Could be geographic area, or literal # of deaths.
- Killed people by...
 - 1) **sword** (*any kind of violence*)
 - 2) **famine**
 - 3) **plague**
 - 4) **wild beasts** (*could include microscopic “beasts” such as found during plagues*)





4th SEAL Judgment

- **Same “killing forces”** also mentioned in **Ezekiel**:
“For thus says the Lord God: “How much more it shall be when I send My four severe judgments on Jerusalem—the sword and famine and wild beasts and pestilence—to cut off man and beast from it?”
(14:21) **Amazing how Revelation ties everything together!**
- **Reminder:** our God controls all forces of nature, entire universe. All things are created by Him, and ***He has authority and commands all things.***



4th SEAL Judgment

- “Four Horsemen,” first 4 judgments, now unleashed. **Massive change in earthly conditions** (*global, not just regional –no place free of these*):
 - **Political conquests** (*sovereign countries no longer exist – move toward one world government*)
 - **Wars**
 - **Economic disaster, famines**
 - **Widespread violence, death**
- These alone make survival difficult. ***But it gets much, much worse.***

4th SEAL Judgment

- Chronology of ch 6, and how it fits into entire revelation difficult. Seal judgments begin entire set of judgments (*seals, trumpets, bowls*), so logical these come first.
- **But we will see that the 5th and 6th seals are somewhat different.**
- Why many believe is “**overview,**” to preview *conditions on earth throughout this time.*



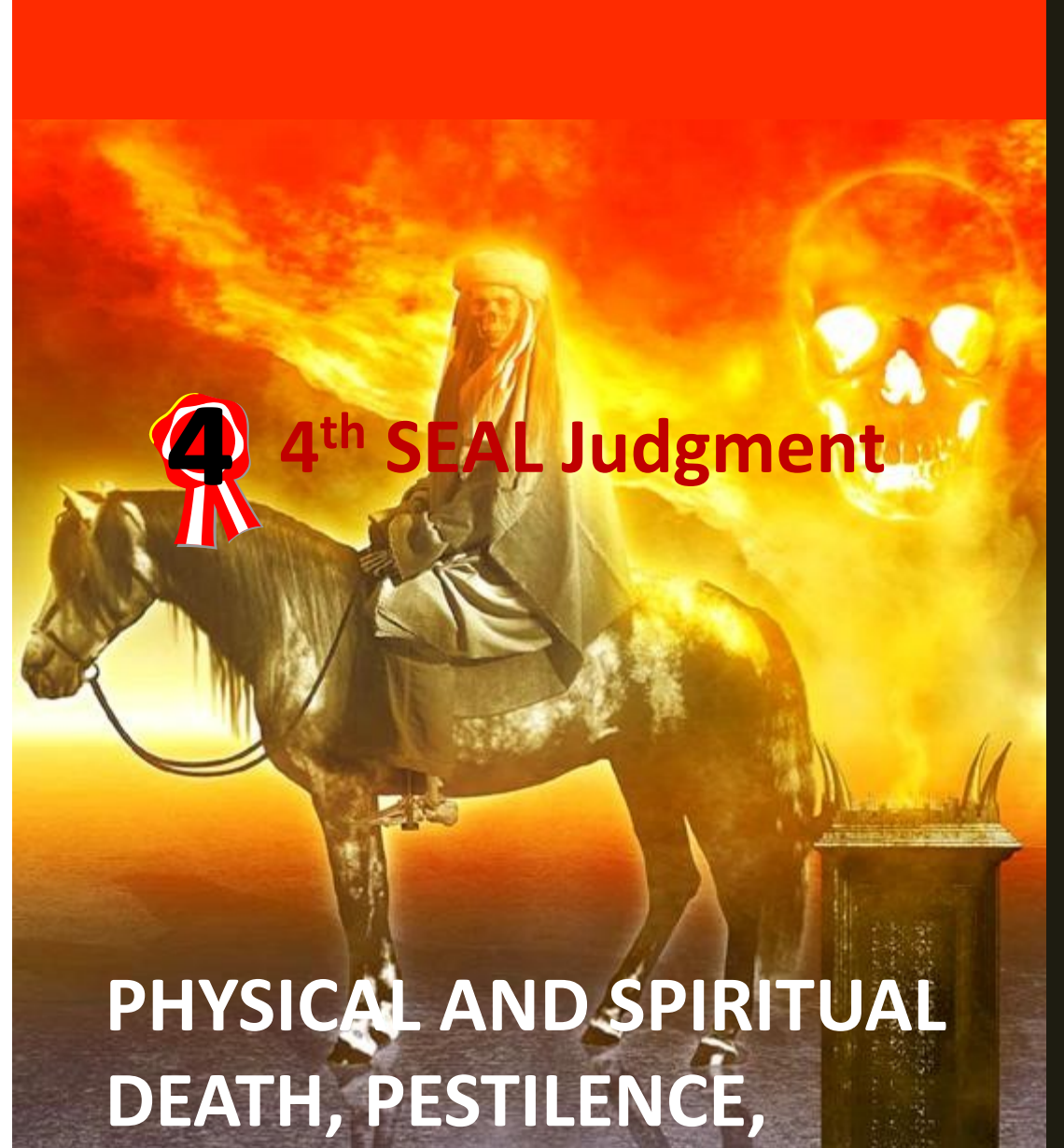


4th SEAL Judgment

- First four seals most likely **beginnings of** **“birthpangs.”** (or “beginning of sorrows”)
- **Great Tribulation** hasn’t even started. Last 3½ years of 7-year Tribulation considered “Great Tribulation.” (*Jesus, Matthew 24*)
- Revelation never mentions 7-year period of time. Only 3½ years (42 months).
- **Assume 7 years** = Daniel’s “70th week,” a “week” or set of 7 years.

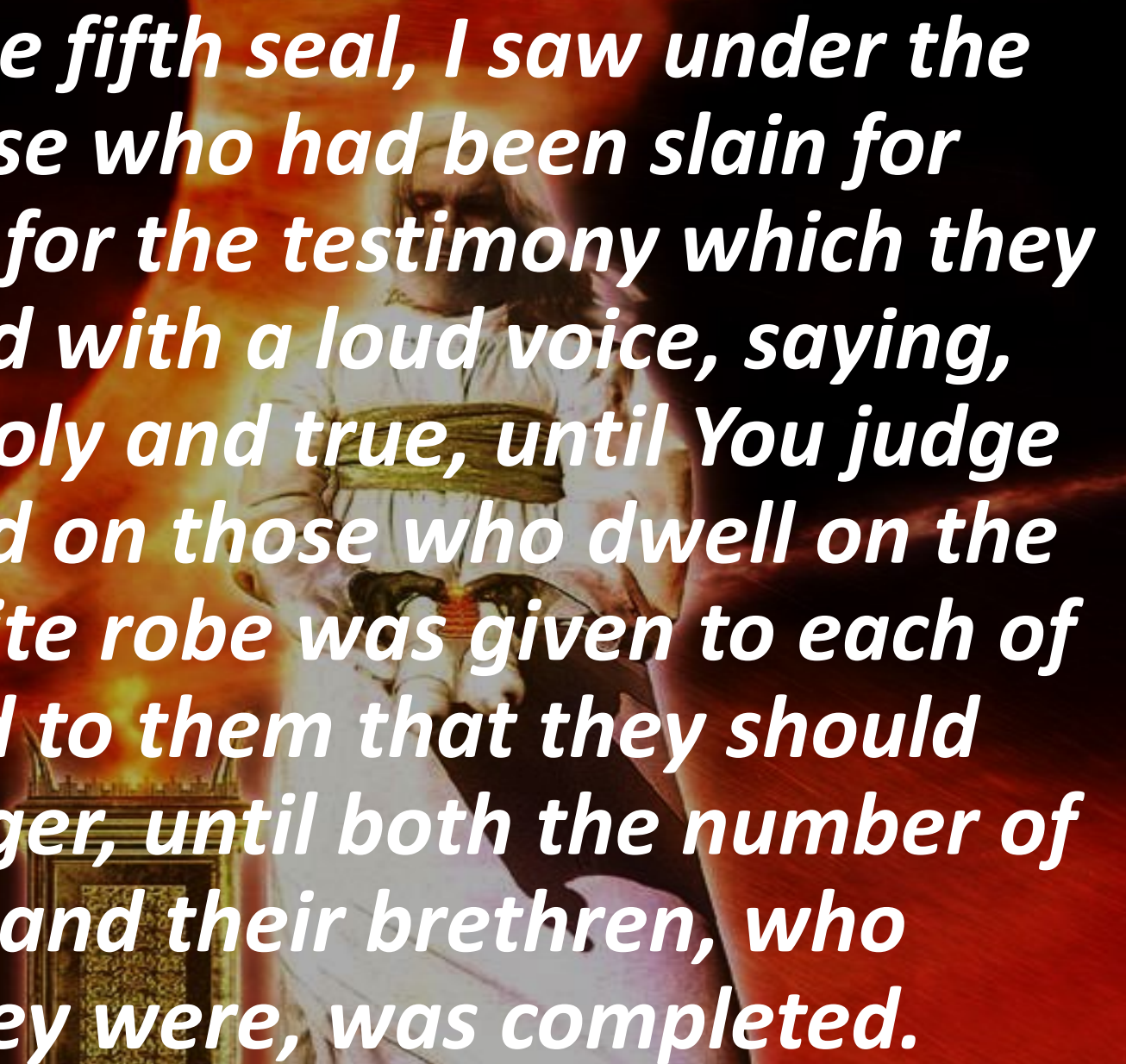
4th SEAL Judgment

- Remember, judgments **cumulative**. They, and consequences, remain even when moving onto next one.
- Earth will become more and more **“unlivable.”**



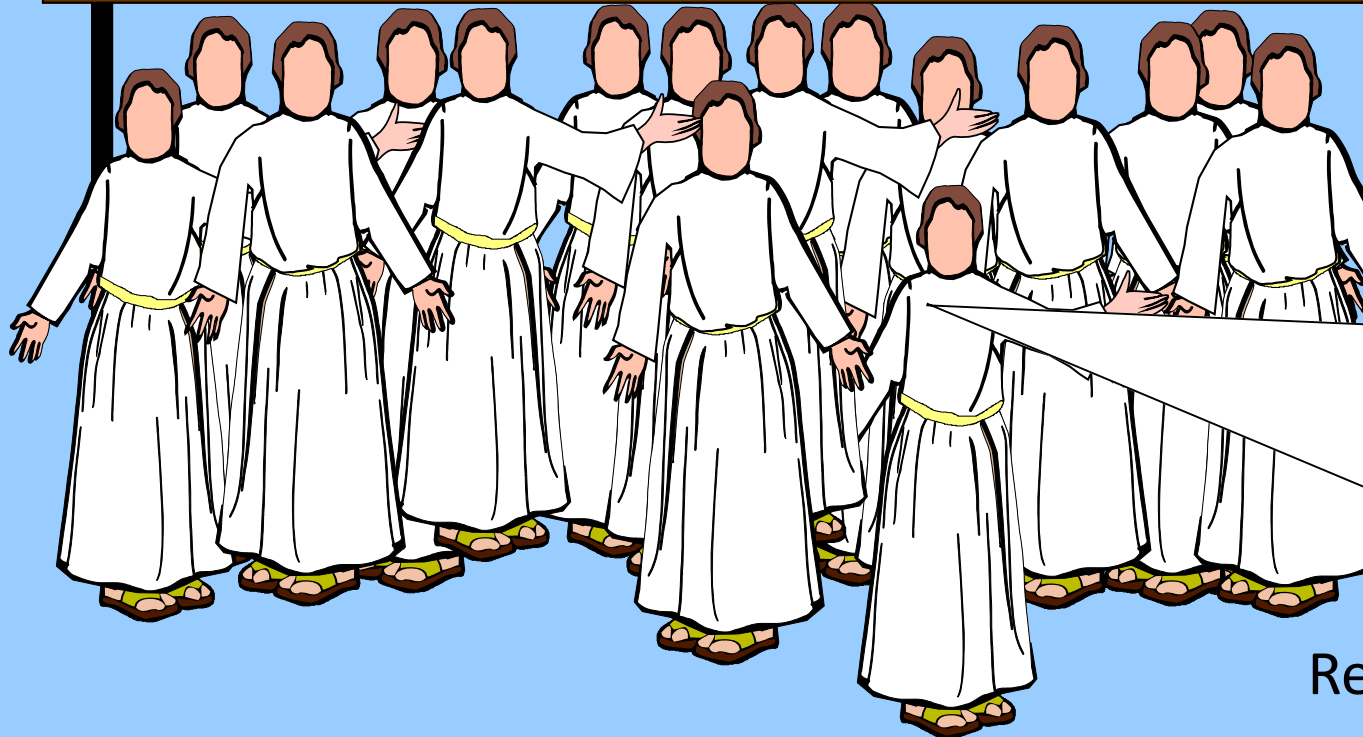
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"Rest a little while longer."



"How long, O Lord, holy and true, until You judge and avenge our blood...?"

Revelation 6:9-11

5th SEAL Judgment

- 5th seal about persecution/massive martyrdom of believers
- Those “*under the altar*” those who have died for their faith during Tribulation. Referred to as **“Tribulation saints.”**
- **Completely separate** “group” of believers from “Body of Messiah.” Notice NOT referenced as the Church in any way.



5th SEAL Judgment

- “**For the word of God**” – *Yeshua is the Word of God!* (John 1:1) Killed because of unwavering faith in Him, and their testimony. *Didn't shy away from openly claiming allegiance to Him.*
- Scene in heaven. Martyred saints quite **conscious, alert and aware**. “***Under altar***” may indicate heavenly protection after their deaths.
- **They want vengeance!** Know God has promised it. *When will He finally do it?*



5th SEAL Judgment

- Don't want personal vengeance/revenge. Calling for God's vindication, completion of His plan.
- Same cry "**How long**" through centuries by other believers. *Most of us today asking the same thing!* [Habakkuk's cry: "*O LORD, how long shall I cry, And You will not hear? Even cry out to You, And You will not save.*" (1:1)]

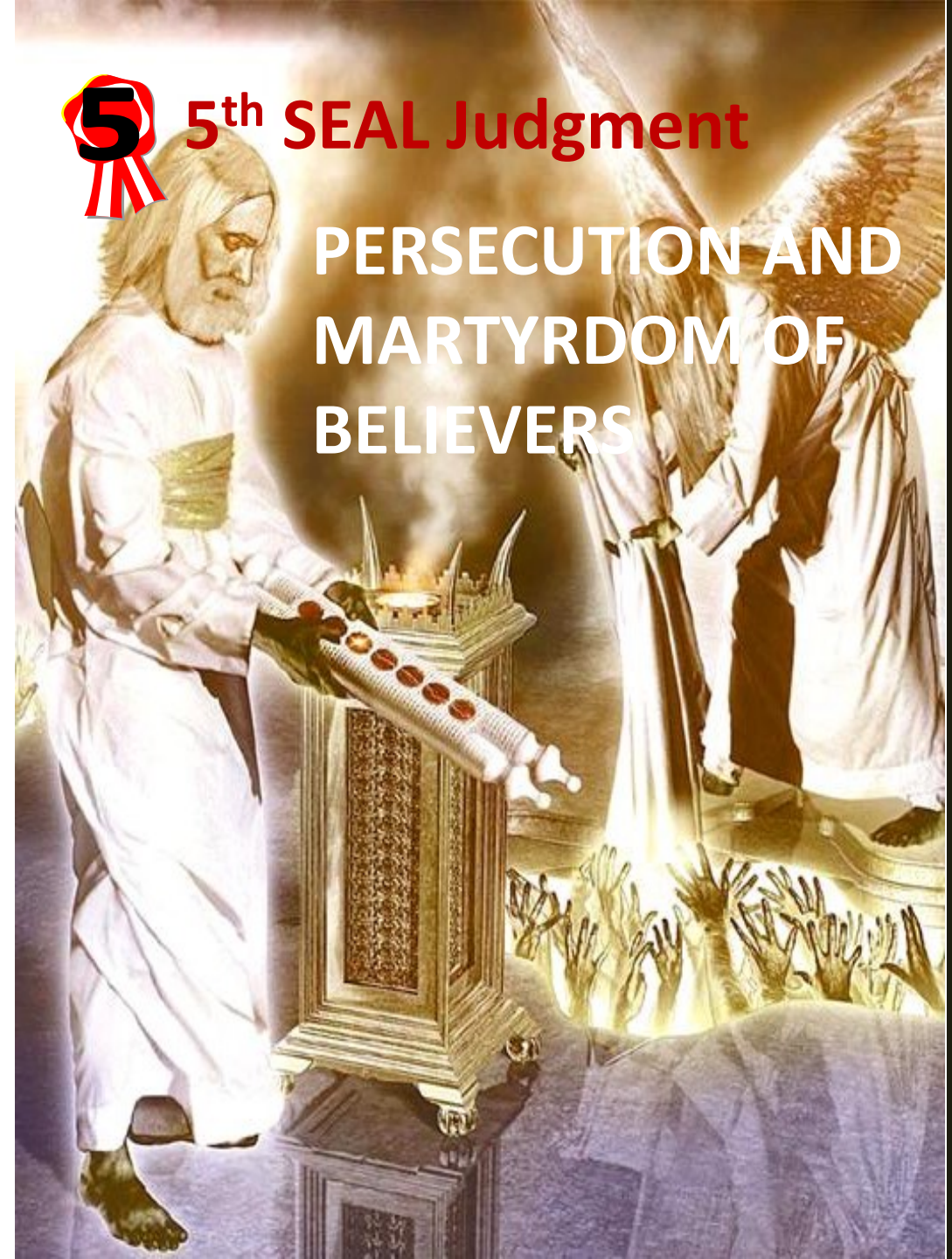
GRACE

JUDGMENT

5th SEAL Judgment

- “those who dwell on the earth” – literally, *“inhabitants of the earth.”* 20X in Revelation.
- Does not refer to those who *live* on earth, but to those who have made earth their final home. They do not hope for heaven. *Have rejected God’s offer of eternity with Him.* **Used only of lost.**
- **Great harvest of souls** during Tribulation. Unfortunately, many, perhaps most, martyred.

- “**white robe**” = symbol of believer’s righteousness (*Messiah’s righteousness covering us*). Given only after belief in Jesus.
- Many more martyrs will join souls under altar.
- Many scriptures in OT support **theme of persecution** in end times.



5

5th SEAL Judgment

PERSECUTION AND
MARTYRDOM OF
BELIEVERS



5th SEAL Judgment

21 “I was watching; and the same horn was making war against the saints, and prevailing against them, ...²⁵ He shall speak pompous words against the Most High, Shall persecute the saints of the Most High,...And shall intend to change times and law. Then the saints shall be given into his hand For a time and times and half a time.” (Daniel 7:21, 25)

It was granted to him to make war with the saints and to overcome them. (Revelation 13:7)



5th SEAL Judgment

*Then I heard a voice from heaven saying to me,
“Write: ‘Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord
from now on.’” (Revelation 14:13)*

*And it shall come to pass in all the land,” Says the
LORD, “That two-thirds in it shall be cut off and die,
But one-third shall be left in it: I will bring the one-
third through the fire, Will refine them as silver is
refined, And test them as gold is tested.*

*They will call on My name, And I will answer them.
I will say, ‘This is My people’; And each one will say,
‘The LORD is my God.’” (Zechariah 13:8-9)*



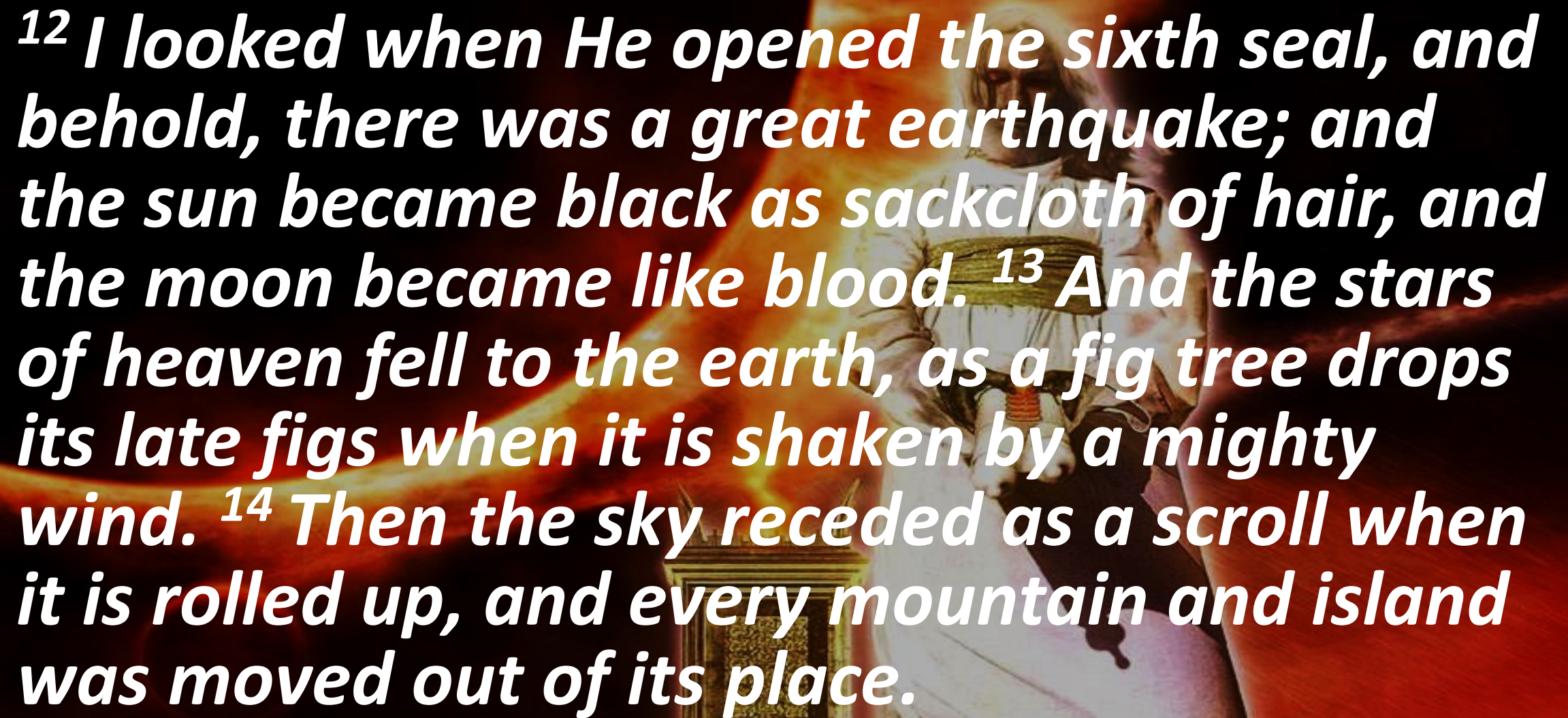
- NOTICE Daniel's reference to "*For a time and times and half a time.*" (7:25)

Time = 1 year

Times = 2 years

Half a time = $\frac{1}{2}$ year

TOTAL? $3 \frac{1}{2}$ years!

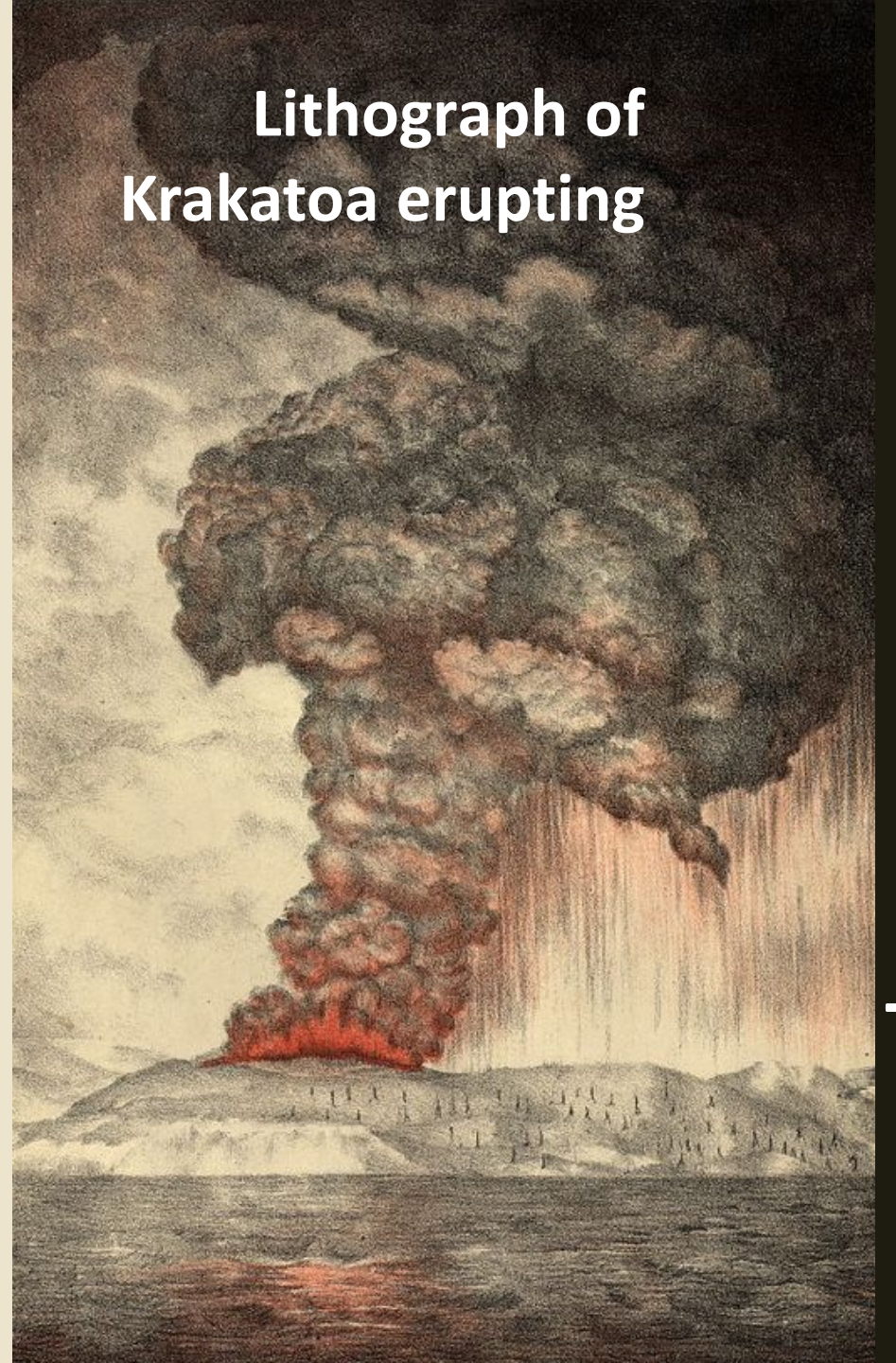
A dramatic scene with a figure in white robes holding a scroll against a fiery, apocalyptic background. The figure is positioned in the center-right, holding a large, rolled-up scroll. The background is a mix of bright orange and red, suggesting a sunset or a fire. The overall mood is intense and catastrophic.

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6 6th SEAL Judgment

- **6th seal about hardness of human hearts, God's subsequent wrath**
- **Great earthquake, sun black, moon like blood – first of 3 earthquakes in Revelation**
- **1883, Krakatoa, killed 36,000, global temps > 5 years, weather chaotic. Sun + moon dark/ash – moon appeared as “blood”**

Lithograph of
Krakatoa erupting



6th SEAL Judgment

- **Stars of heaven fall to earth** – like “late figs” (*untimely, hard as rocks*) reference to **meteors**, other things falling from heavens?
- Planet’s **weather, environment decaying**. More of this in next judgments. Becomes harder to survive.
- “*sky receded as a scroll when it is rolled up*” – **wait a minute!....** *can we survive past this?* Merely 6th judgment, or preview of final one??
- Easy to see why some believe this is **overview.**



6th SEAL Judgment

It is He who sits above the circle of the earth, And its inhabitants are like grasshoppers, Who stretches out the heavens like a curtain, And spreads them out like a tent to dwell in. He brings the princes to nothing; He makes the judges of the earth useless. (Isaiah 40:22-23)

Plenty of evidence that One who “stretched out the heavens” is El Shaddai. *No one more powerful...No one with more authority and strength. **At His will, those same heavens will indeed be “rolled up like a scroll...”***



6th SEAL Judgment

Thus says God the Lord, Who created the heavens and stretched them out, ... (Isaiah 42:5a)

I have made the earth, And created man on it. I—My hands—stretched out the heavens, And all their host I have commanded. (Isaiah 45:12)

And you forget the LORD your Maker, Who stretched out the heavens... (Isaiah 51:13a)

6 6th SEAL Judgment

- But when does this happen? Now, at 6th seal, or at end of judgment period, before earth is rejuvenated?

**WE DON'T KNOW.
But it will surely
happen.**





6th SEAL Judgment

MAJOR catastrophic things happening to earth now (6th seal).

- great earthquake
- sun became black as sackcloth of hair
- moon became like blood
- stars of heaven fell to the earth (like hard figs)
- sky receded as a scroll
- every mountain and island moved



6th SEAL Judgment

Look how people respond...

¹⁵ And the kings of the earth, the great men, the rich men, the commanders, the mighty men, every slave and every free man, hid themselves in the caves and in the rocks of the mountains, ¹⁶ and said to the mountains and rocks, “Fall on us and hide us from the face of Him who sits on the throne and from the wrath of the Lamb! ¹⁷ For the great day of His wrath has come, and who is able to stand?”





6th SEAL Judgment

*The mountains quake before Him, The hills melt,
And the earth heaves at His presence, Yes, the world
and all who dwell in it. Who can stand before His
indignation? And who can endure the fierceness of His
anger? His fury is poured out like fire, And the rocks
are thrown down by Him. (Nahum 1:5-6)*

*All the host of heaven shall be dissolved, And the
heavens shall be rolled up like a scroll; All their host
shall fall down As the leaf falls from the vine, And as
fruit falling from a fig tree. (Isaiah 34:4)*

6th SEAL Judgment

- Sound familiar? Amazing how Revelation ties together everything else in scripture.
- *Inhabitants of the earth* would **rather beg hills and mountains to fall on them** instead of running and falling down before the *only One who can save them*.
- Truly unregenerate heart of mankind. **LAMB they are terrified of would rather save them!**

6th SEAL Judgment

- Mountains often **symbol for nations and governments.**
- *Mountains being moved* here may be a literal reference, or **symbolic** of God wiping away resistance to Him in nations and governments.
- Question remains, **is this the end... or just the beginning of the end?** Prelude perhaps, a “sneak peak?” An overview? Stay tuned...





6th SEAL Judgment

- Either way, dramatic changes on earth and in heavens as judgments continue. **Creation in chaos.**
- *“Kings of the earth, great men, rich men, commanders, mighty men, every slave, every free man...”* **all-inclusive list**...government, powerful, rich, military, influential, and just ordinary folks.
- **Group of 7 types** = entire unsaved population of earth.



6th SEAL Judgment

- Terrified of “Him who sits on the throne, and the wrath of the Lamb” – *any question WHO this is???*
- Note! They **KNOW** who is causing total chaos on earth. Revelation 9:21...*“And they did not repent...”* **Hard hearts!**
- Major differences between 2 groups of people – Chapter 5, **martyrs** crying out to God (“*avenge us!*”), in chapter 6 the **wicked** crying out to the earth, “*Hide us.*” ***Who is listening?***

6 6th SEAL Judgment

- Reveals truly hardened hearts against God.
- ***“What sinners dread most is not death, but the revealed presence of God.”*** (Swete)
- **True paradox:** *“The wrath of the Lamb”* This gentle creature? **Yes!**
- ***“Who is able to stand?”*** **NO ONE!**
Who can hide? **NO ONE!**



6th SEAL Judgment

- Wicked of earth (“**inhabitants of the earth**”) later will blaspheme God and attempt to go to war against Him. Talk about a “vain thing!” (Psalm 2)
- “**the great day of His wrath**” – most likely not a literal day, but a season.
- The period of time in the OT referenced as the “Day of the Lord.” (*not a good day!*) “season” or time of judgment.

What, exactly, is “the Day of the Lord?”

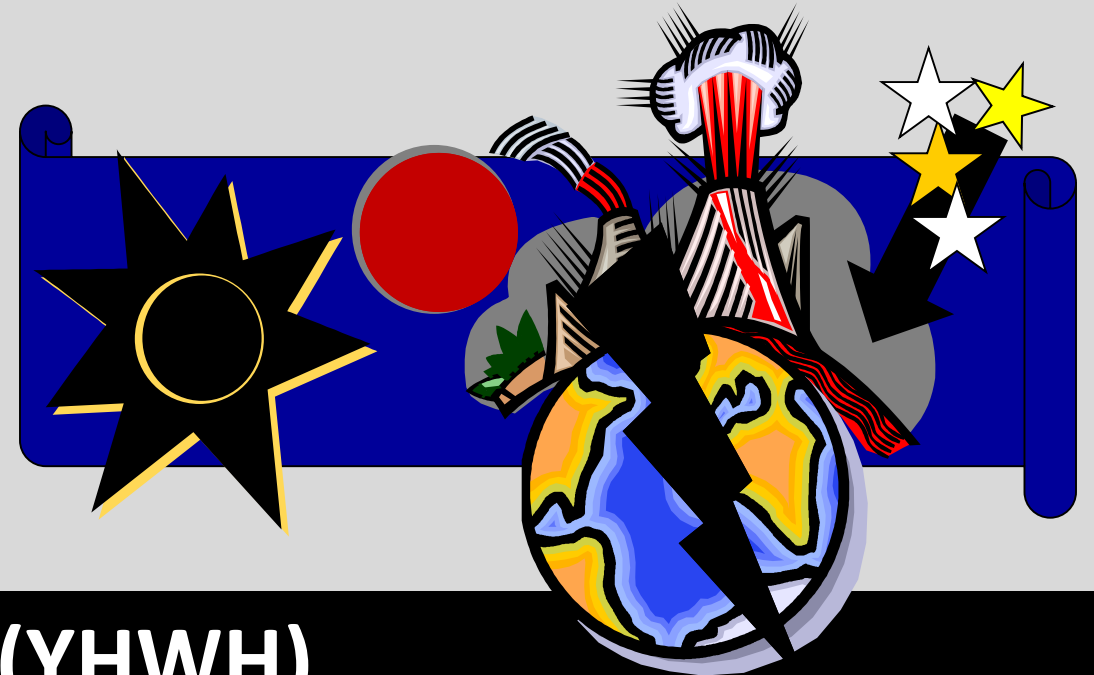
The book of Revelation IS that day... want a good idea of what will happen during Tribulation and return of Messiah? **Read about the “day of the LORD” in scripture.**

Look up Scriptures containing the phrase “the day of the LORD” (literally, Day of YHWH)
[NOTE: It is also referenced in other terms like “that great day” or merely “the Day,” etc.]

The **Day of the LORD (YHWH)**

“The sun shall be turned into darkness, And the moon into blood, Before the coming of the great and awesome day of the LORD.” (Joel 2:31)

“Multitudes, multitudes in the valley of decision! For the day of the LORD is near in the valley of decision.” (Joel 3:14)



The **Day** of the LORD (YHWH)

If you take time to read the dozens of scriptures that address the “**day of YHVH**” you will note, once again, Revelation ties all scripture together. There are other references to “this day” and all of them bear the same descriptions. **Is this a good day? Well, it depends on whose side you are on!**

Want to know what will happen during the Tribulation? *Scriptures use following descriptions...*

The **Day** of the LORD (YHWH)

- Destruction
- Fear
- Pain
- Sorrow
- Cruelty
- Wrath
- Fierce anger
- Desolation
- Vengeance
- Blood, warfare
- Devastation
- Alarm
- Clouds,
darkness
- Sword
- Gloominess
- Thick darkness
- Great, very
terrible
- Awesome
- Battle,
captivity
- Wailing
- No brightness

- Bitter
- Dreadful
- No escape

To name a few....

In general this is what will happen:

- Man will be humbled
- YHWH will be exalted

The **Day** of the LORD (YHWH)

- “Day of the LORD, **God now in charge, not man.**
- Day of the LORD (day of YHWH) no longer the day of man!
- **End of “man’s day”** will be when final world ruler appears, but even that at direction and in control our Almighty God.
- **Eventually the Lamb will reign, forever!**

The **Day** of the LORD (YHWH)

COMMENTARY: *“The “Day of the Lord” is the Biblical term describing the culmination of the last days of world history as we have known it — specifically, it refers to the actual, physical, literal Second Coming of the Lord Jesus Christ. This is the time when Jesus Christ wins the Battle of Armageddon and the Battle of Jerusalem and then His feet literally touch down on the Mount of Olives, splitting the mountain into two, as foretold by the Prophet Zechariah. The Day of the Lord is described throughout the Scriptures as a day of darkness, gloom, distress and judgment for the nations. ...*

The Day of the LORD (YHWH)

The Day of the Lord sets into motion the setting up of the Millennial Kingdom in which Jesus Christ will reign from a new Temple in Jerusalem for a literal 1,000 year period, as described in the Book of Revelation.” (Joel Rosenberg)

The Day of the LORD (YHWH)



6th SEAL Judgment

- Everything in 6th seal = **familiar OT prophecies**. Amos, Ezekiel, Joel, Isaiah, even Psalms, filled with last days prophecies, *some of which happen here*.
- Everything unsaved mankind worshipped, trusted, knew and exalted in this earth is now **dissolving**.
- Remember, we interpret God's word in a **literal sense**. 10 literal plagues in Egypt (Exodus), and events here also literal.



6th SEAL Judgment



**HARDNESS OF HUMAN HEARTS,
GOD'S SUBSEQUENT WRATH**

- Likely all **literal**
- Overview conditions throughout:
 - **Conquest**
 - **Wars, Bloodshed**
 - **Economic disaster**
 - **Pestilences, Disease, Death**
 - **Martyred saints**
- **ENDING** with lost being destroyed, earth and heaven recreated

- Jesus spoke to disciples about end time: *“For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. And there will be famines, pestilences, and earthquakes in various places. All these are the beginning of sorrows.”*
(Matthew 24:7-8 entire chapter)

He predicted:

- **World conquests**
- **Wars**
- **Famines**
- **Pestilences**
- **Earthquakes**
- **Martyrdom**
- **Signs in the heavens**

Precisely what we see in opening of seal judgments.

First part of Tribulation has begun. How much time it covers is not clear.

TRIBULATION *“time, times, and half a time”*

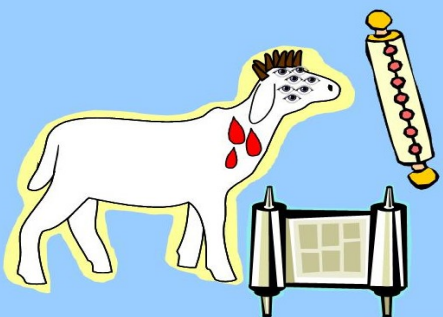


Jesus' words in Matt 24:7-8

- World conquests
- Wars
- Famines
- Pestilences
- Earthquakes
- Martyrdom
- Signs in the heavens

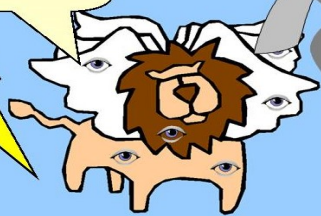
“Therefore when you see the ‘abomination of desolation,’ spoken of by Daniel the prophet, standing in the holy place” (whoever reads, let him understand), “then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains... For then there will be great tribulation, such as has not been since the beginning of the world until this time, no, nor ever shall be. (Matthew 24: 15-16, 21)

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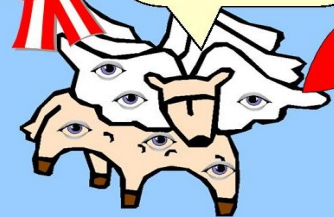
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"Come and see. (GO!)"



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"Come and see. (GO!)"



3

"Come and see. (GO!)"



4

"Come and see. (GO!)"



5

"Rest a little while longer..."



"How long, O Lord, holy and true, until You judge and avenge our blood...?!"

6



"Fall on us!..."



"For the great day of his wrath has come, and who is able to stand?"



Yevarekh-kha Adonai veyishmerekha

May the LORD bless you and keep you

*Ya'er Adonai panav elekha
vihunneka*

May the LORD make His face shine upon you
and be gracious to you

*Yissa Adonai panav elekha viyasem
lekha shalom.*

May the LORD lift up His countenance upon you
and give you peace.