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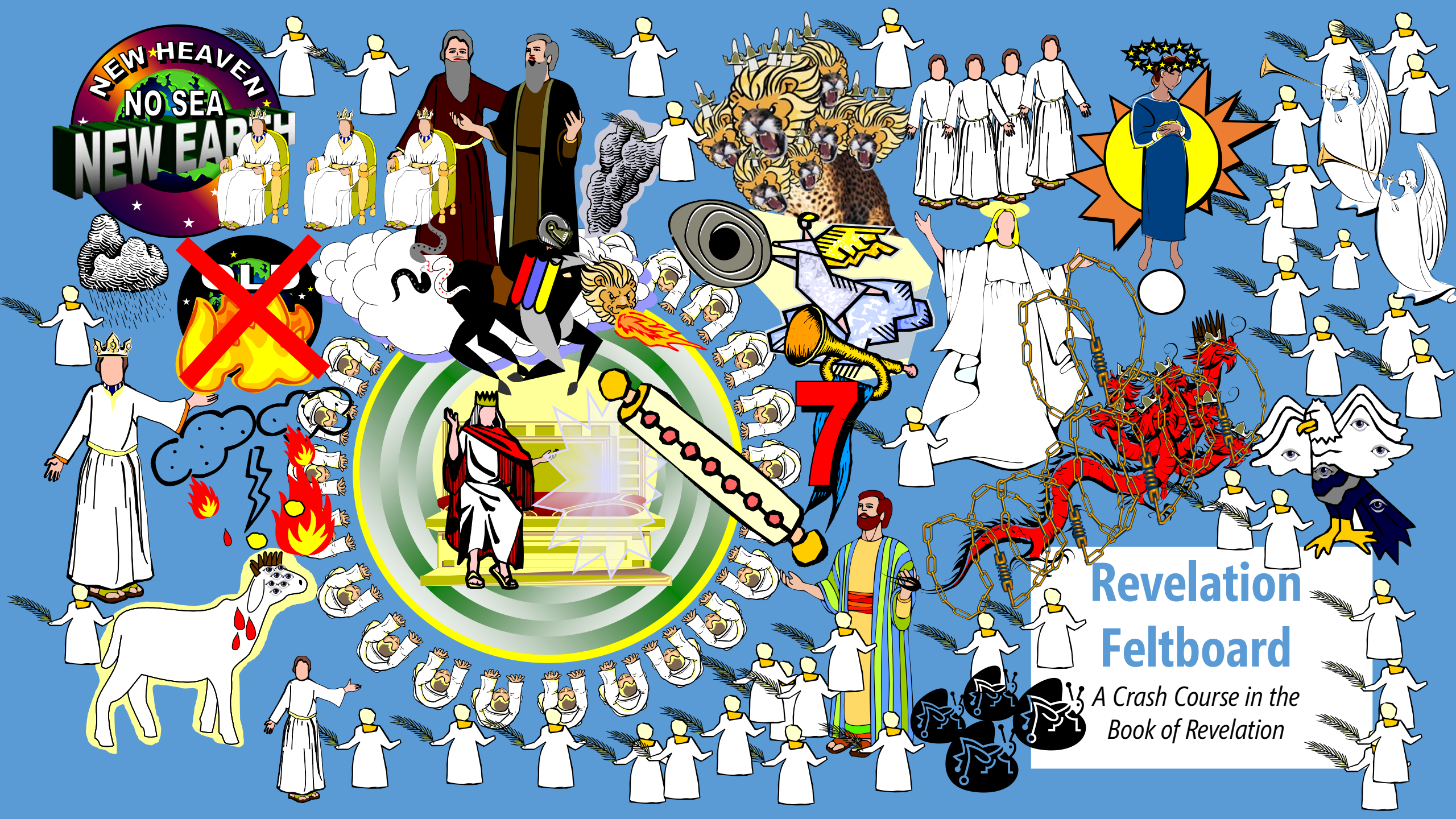
Revelation 5:9



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.





# Revelation Feltboard

*A Crash Course in the  
Book of Revelation*

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2



- **From last week:** Question about “strong” angel, any correlation to other uses? Are “strong” and “mighty” the same? Do words distinguish this angel from anything else?
- **ISCHUROS** (G2478) = forcible, boisterous, mighty, powerful, strong, valiant
- Used 7 X in Revelation (*no surprise!*)

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- 5:2 = strong angel
- 10:1 = mighty angel
- 18:8 = strong is the Lord
- 18:10 = mighty city (*Babylon*)
- 18:21 = mighty angel
- 19:6 = mighty men (*bird feast*)
- 19:18 = mighty angel

All 7 uses are the same word  
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May imply a hierarchy of angels, but generally a descriptive term of any thing or person

## REVELATION FELTBOARD: Chapter 5

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~~No one worthy~~

# Revelation 5

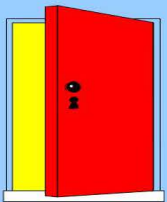
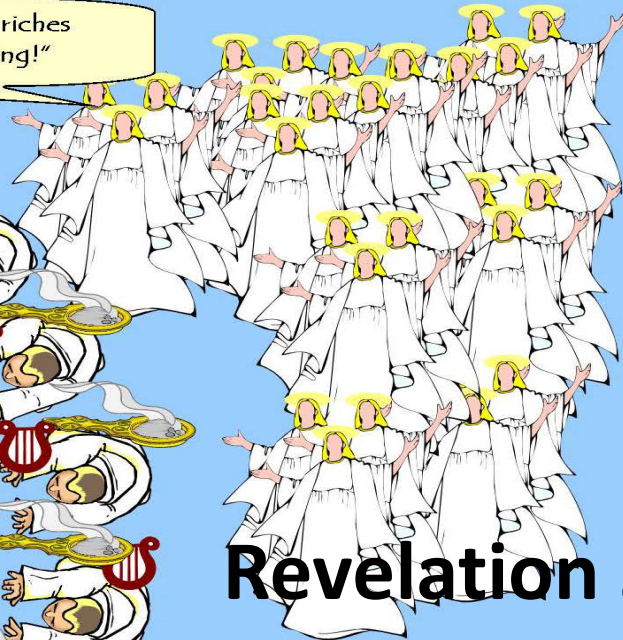
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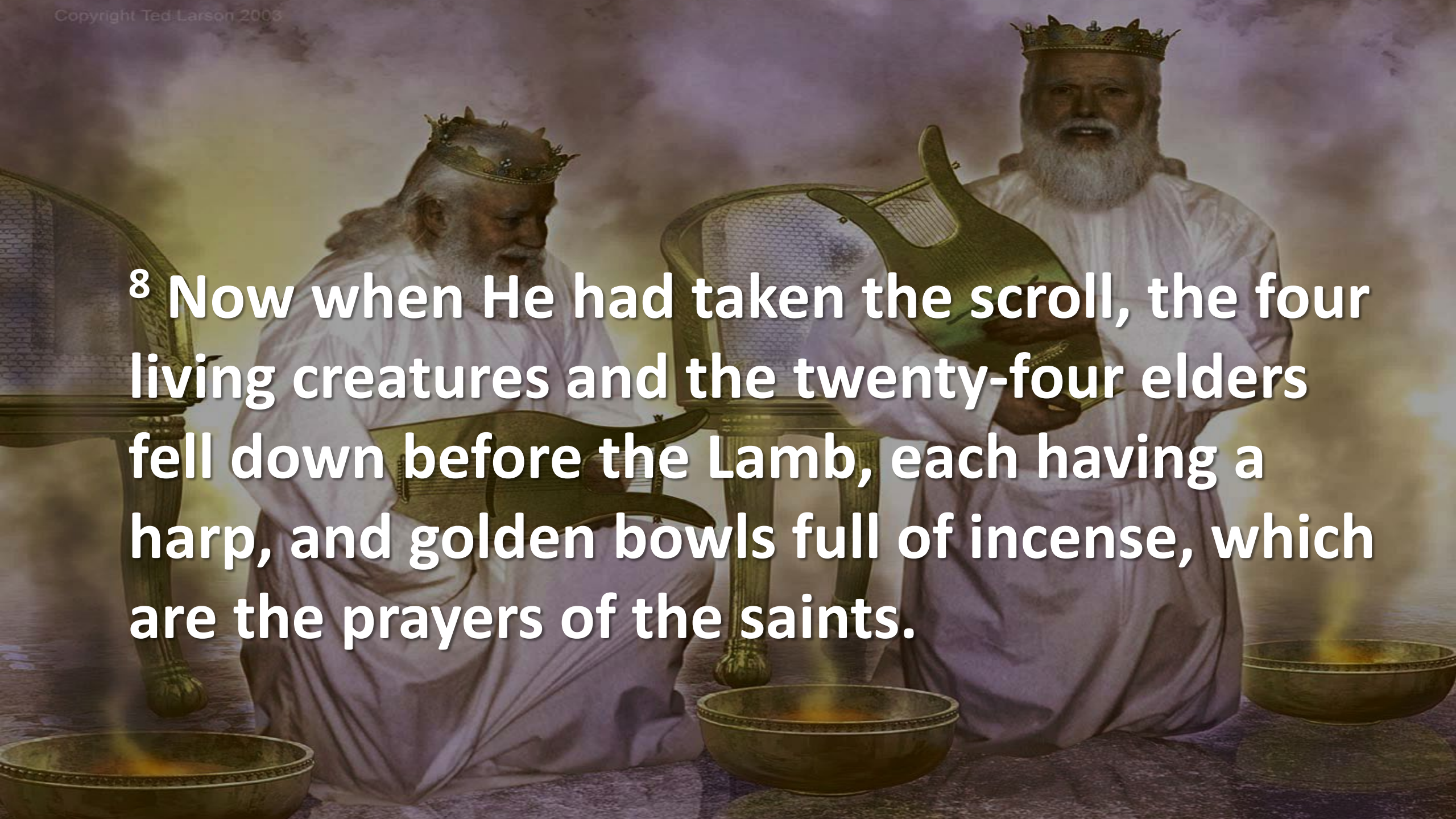
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## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- And praising continues...4 living creatures and 24 elders and everything/one there **“falls down”** before the Throne.
- Literally, *“fall down”* – not bow. **“Who can stand ...?”**
- **WHO CAN STAND? NO ONE!**
- *He gives snow like wool; He scatters the frost like ashes; He casts out His hail like morsels; Who can stand before His cold? He sends out His word and melts them; He causes His wind to blow, and the waters flow.*  
(Psalm 147:16-18)

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- 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 1:6)
- But who can endure the day of His coming? And who can stand when He appears? For He is like a refiner's fire And like launderers' soap. (Malachi 3:2)



## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

Will see this *literally*, next chapter.

For the great day of His wrath has  
come, and **who is able to stand?”**

Revelation 6:17

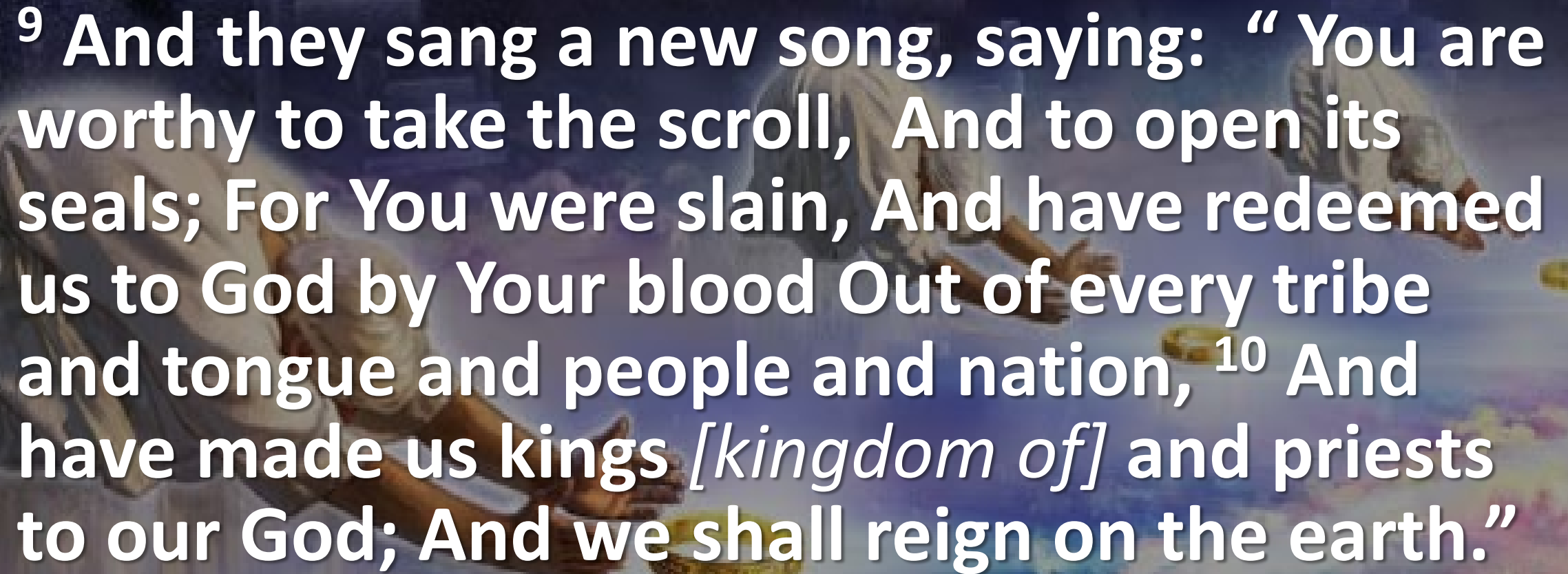
**NO ONE AND NO THING!**

Every knee will bow...

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

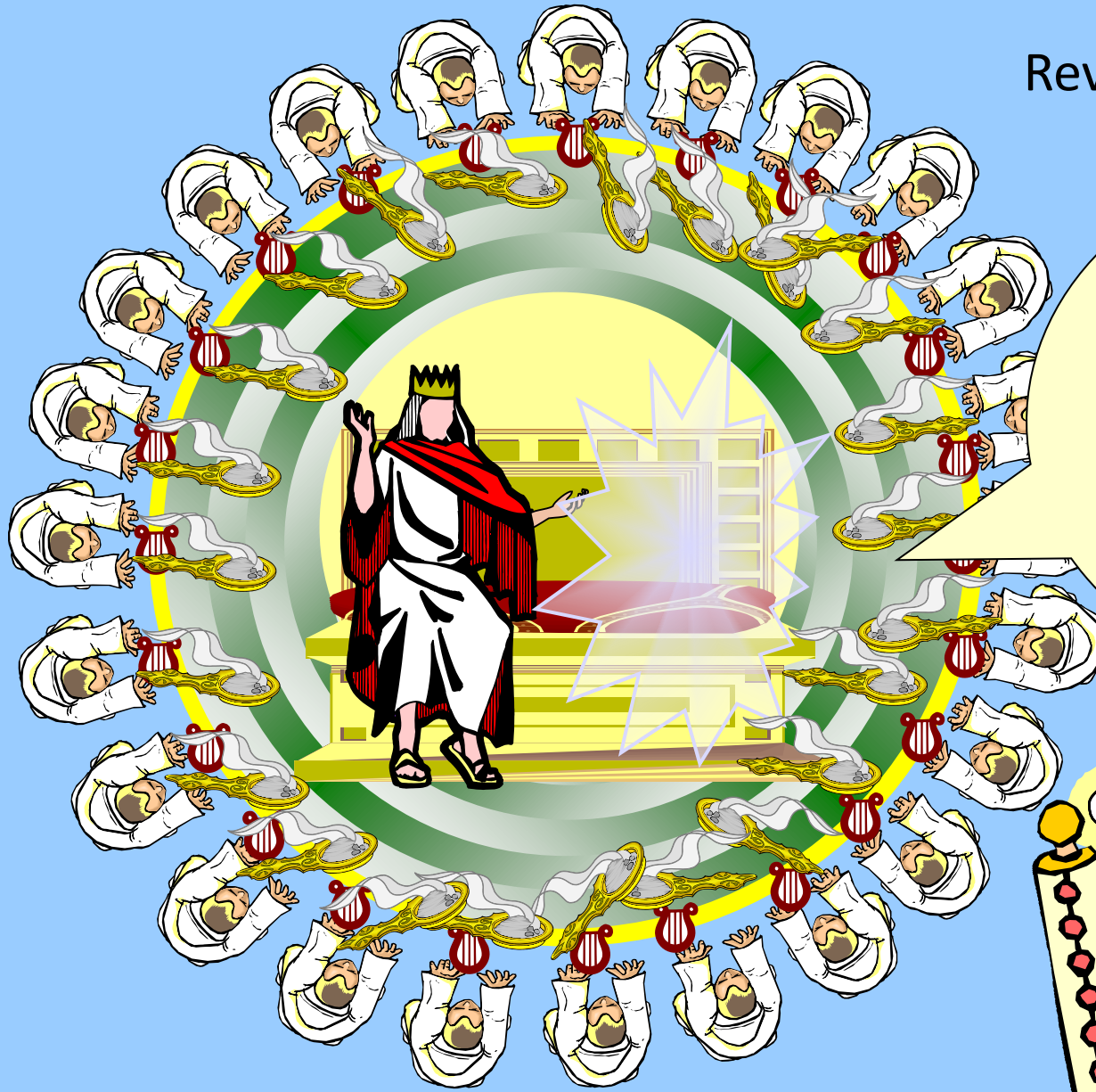


- “*Harps*” – instruments of praise
- “*Golden bowls of incense*” = “prayers of the saints.” – remember, Bible interprets itself!!! (chapter 8 also)
- Will see these bowls/incense again (chapter 8).
- Prayer in His Name and His will is partnering with God to accomplish His plan.
- Ever prayed the Lord’s Prayer... “*Thy will be done...?*” your prayers are included in these bowls.

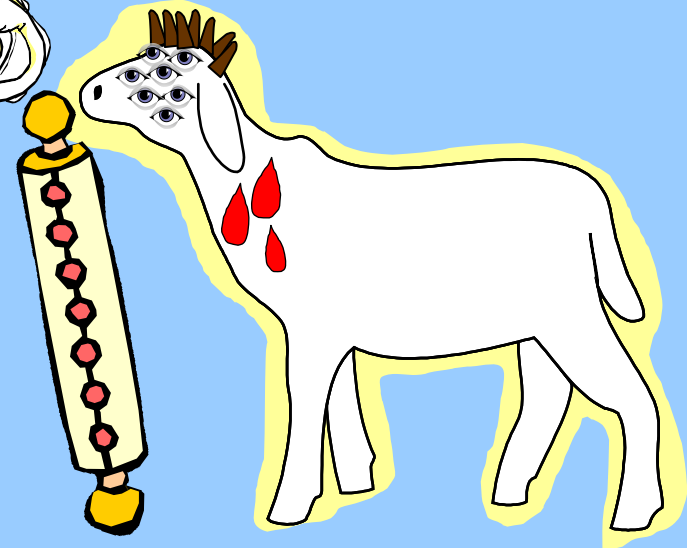


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Revelation 5:8-10



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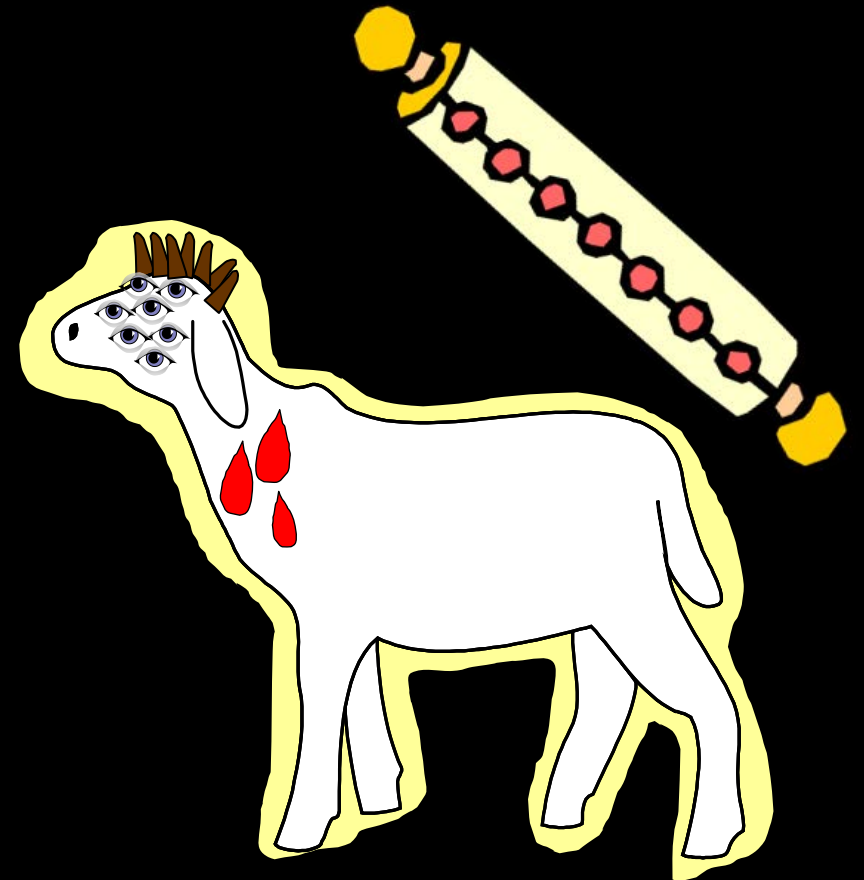


## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- Finally, ONE worthy takes the scroll, rejoicing now
- “**new song**” – common term in Psalms, new song = *new work of God*. (*usually deliverance, rescue of some sort*)
- Here part of New Covenant, song of redemption.
- **New work of redemption** celebrated.
- Note this song for mankind, *not angels*. They are not redeemed. (*Elders are NOT angels!!*)

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- “*You are worthy...for You were slain...*” - credentials for one worthy to open scroll. He was killed to pay penalty for our sins. Blood a required payment.
- “*have redeemed us...*” literally purchased us back
- English, “it is finished” – Greek = *tetelestai* = **PAID IN FULL!**
- Because of this, He is worthy to open the scroll. No one else!



## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- Also, YHVH committed all judgment to Yeshua –scroll contains God’s perfectly complete judgment on mankind.
- Appropriate, Son (*Lamb that was slain*) opens scroll and begins judgment process.
- *“For the Father judges no one, but has committed all judgment to the Son”* (John 5:22)
- *“every tribe and tongue and people and nation...”* –**No one left out.** God redeemed entire world through death of the Lamb, His beloved Son.



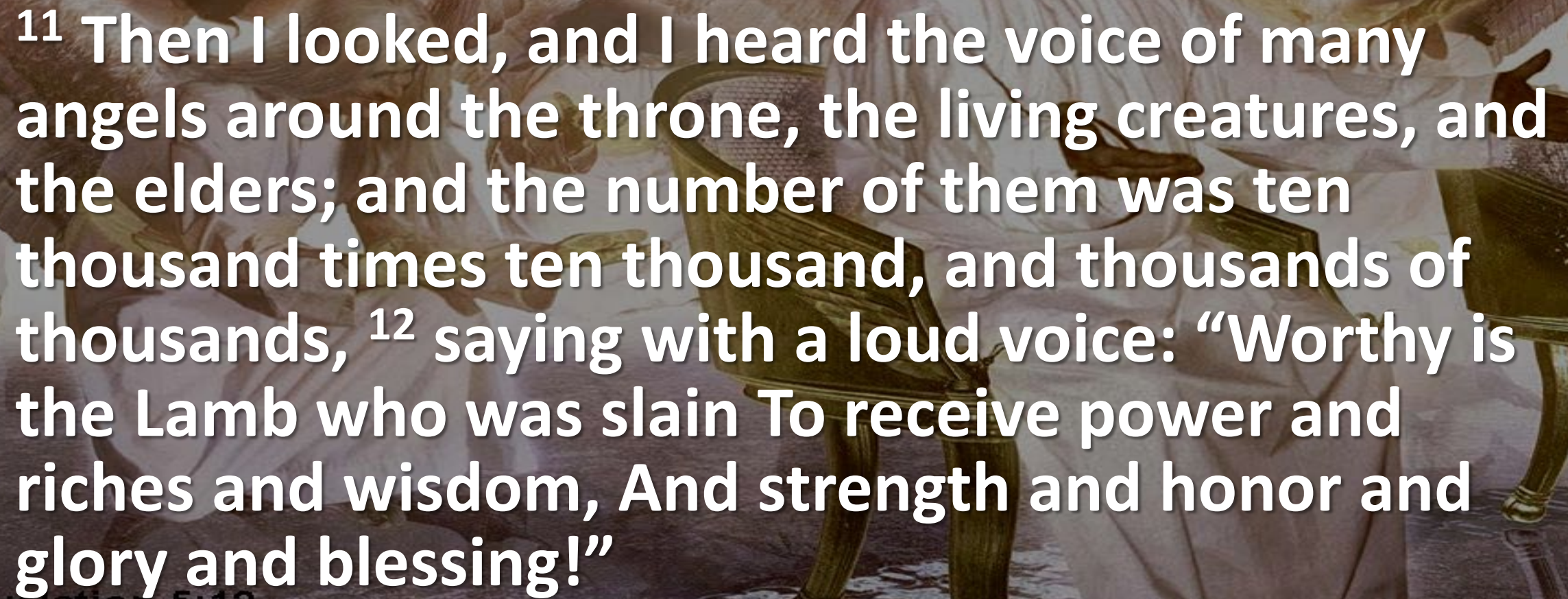
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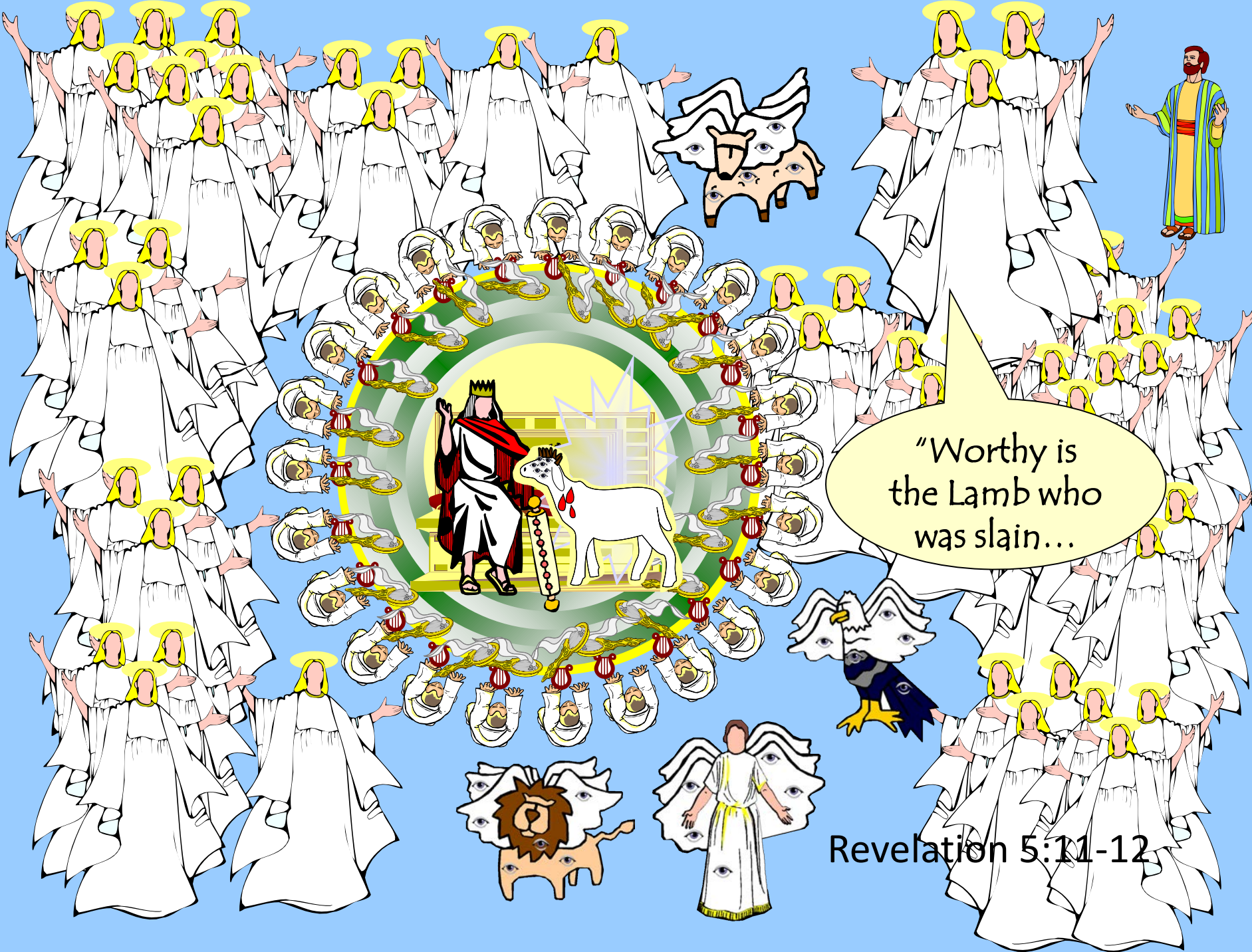
- *“kings and priests”* – Gr. for “kings” same as for “kingdom.” Either “kingdom and priests” or “kingdom of priests.” Both correct, **but NOT “kings.”**
- **ONLY ONE KING** in the Kingdom of God.
- *“we shall reign on the earth”* –to be **co-regents with Him** in Millennial Kingdom
- *“But you are those who have continued with Me in My trials. And I bestow upon you a kingdom, just as My Father bestowed one upon Me,...”* (Luke 22:28)

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- *“If we endure, We shall also reign with Him. If we deny Him, He also will deny us.”*  
(2 Timothy 2:12)
- *“Blessed and holy is he who has part in the first resurrection. Over such the second death has no power, but they shall be priests of God and of Christ, and shall reign with Him a thousand years.”*  
(Revelation 20:6)

A painting depicting a central figure, likely God the Father, seated on a golden throne. He has a long white beard and is wearing a golden crown and white robes. He is surrounded by numerous angels with large, feathered wings, some of whom are holding books or instruments. The scene is set in a heavenly, ethereal environment with soft, golden light. The text is overlaid on the image in a large, white, sans-serif font.

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“Worthy is the Lamb who was slain...”

Revelation 5:11-12



## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- **Bring on the angels!** Now quite a scene in the throne room...angels (*beyond counting*), living creatures, redeemed (elders) Almighty Father and the Lamb. Amazing sight for John to describe!
- *“...and the number of them was ten thousand times ten thousand, and thousands of thousands...”* –doubtful John counted them!
- Greek for “ten thousand” = *urias*, literally **“myriads upon myriads.”** *John means number too huge to count.*
- Uncountable (*except to the Almighty!*) host of heaven.

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- “worthy” = *axios*, “deserving, due reward,” literally “of proper weight.”
- The Lamb (*Yeshua, Jesus*) ONLY one “just right,” (*of proper weight*) to redeem entire earth. *No one else could do it.*
- Handel’s Messiah, “*Worthy is the Lamb*” - Handel said his inspiration was these chapters in the throne room of heaven, Revelation 4 and 5. He said he “*looked into the glory of heaven.*”

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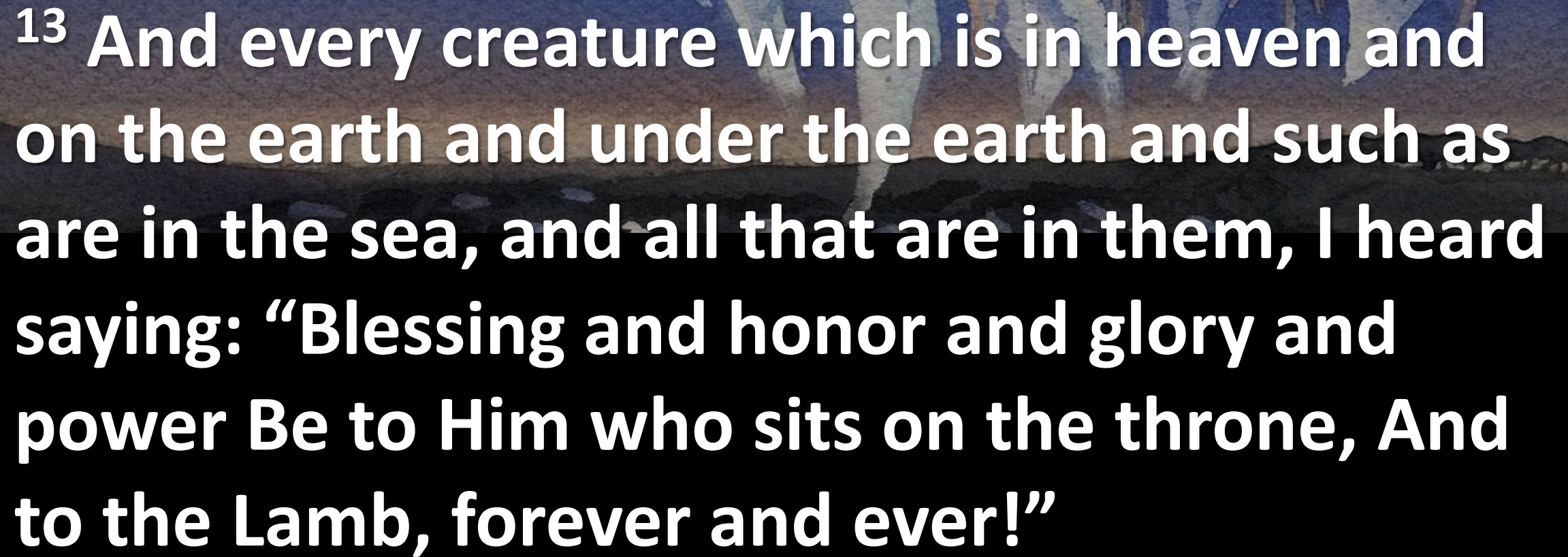


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## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- “...to receive power and riches and wisdom, and strength and honor and glory and blessing!”
- 7 things, perfectly complete list. **ALL belongs to Him.**

**Messiah already owns all of these things.** They are given by the Father. **They are also things that WE give Him.** Is there anything we find powerful, rich, wise, honorable, full of glory and blessing? **Then it should all be given to Him.** None of these things is for us –not things for us to hunger for, only to give to Him.

A painting depicting a vast assembly of angels in a heavenly realm. The angels are shown in various poses, some standing and some kneeling, all rendered in shades of blue and white. The background is a deep, dark blue, suggesting a night sky or a celestial space. The overall composition is dense and detailed, with a central figure in white robes standing out prominently.

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Revelation 5:13

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2



**Growing  
crescendo of  
praise here.**

Keeps growing,  
getting louder,  
more passionate.

This is the throne  
room of the  
Almighty God! It is  
ceaseless praise!

# REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

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	wisdom	<i>sophia</i>	wisdom
	strength	<i>ischus</i>	force, ability, might, strength
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## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

Heaven is filled with praise that includes:

- Power
- Riches
- Wisdom
- Thanks
- Strength
- Honor
- Glory
- Blessing
- Power (Authority, Dominion)


Praise is  
acknowledging it  
ALL belongs to  
Him!

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- This praise is directed at “Him who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb...”
- Very pointed statement: the One on the throne and the Lamb are **equal in status and praise-worthiness**.
- Both are worthy of all this praise, all the glory, honor, power, blessing, riches, wisdom, strength and gratitude. Both are God. They are One.

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- *“every creature...”* Everywhere! No creature (*created thing*) anywhere not included. **ALL PRAISING!**
- Same 3 places listed: In heaven, on earth, under earth. Everything ever created, dead or alive will praise Him...
- *“Therefore God also has highly exalted Him and given Him the name which is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those in heaven, and of those on earth, and of those under the earth, and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.”* (Philippians 2:9-11)



**PRAISE THE LORD**

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## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- Here in this chapter is **what all creation is intended to do –praise Elohim!**
- **PRAISE** = Hebrew halal, to shine; hence to make a show; to boast; and thus to be (clamorously) foolish; to rave; to celebrate; commend, glory, give [light], praise, renowned, shine. *(do we do this???)*
- 3<sup>rd</sup> round of praise in the throne room.



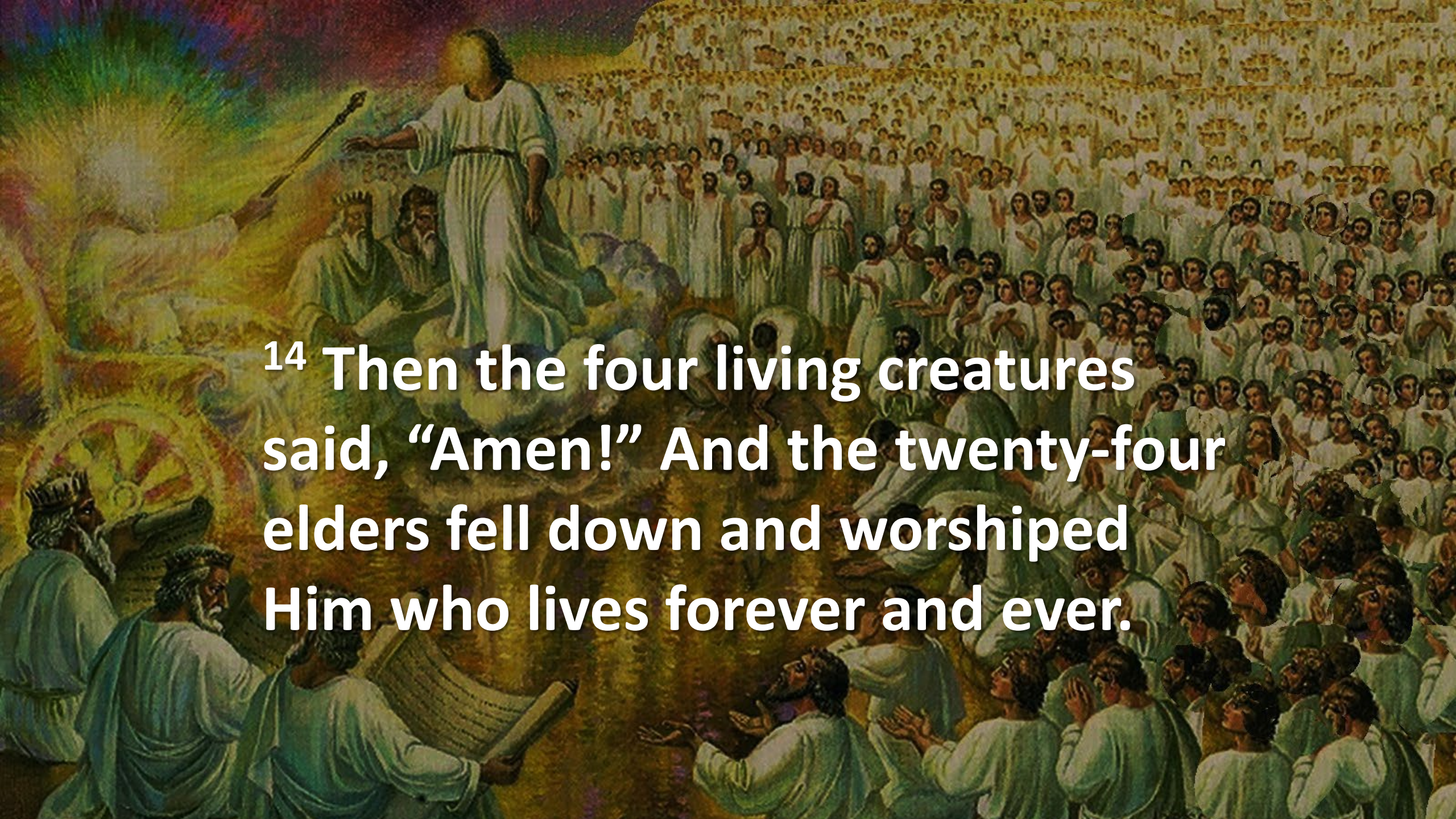
# REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

What does it mean to PRAISE GOD???

- To KNOW ...
- To REFLECT on
- To MAKE A SHOW about
- To BOAST about
- To RAVE about
- To CELEBRATE
- To COMMEND

- And sometimes be “clamorously foolish” in thanks!





**14 Then the four living creatures said, "Amen!" And the twenty-four elders fell down and worshiped Him who lives forever and ever.**



Revelation 5:14

"Amen!"

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- “said” = *continuous action*. Not finished! **This praise continues into eternity.**
- **Final AMEN**– “*So be it!*” (It is determined, it IS...)
- Chapters 4 and 5 increasing crescendo of praise, more and more, louder and louder. Building....
- **“Overture”** of the “movie” of this revelation. Praise builds until the story of the end begins...

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- Now all heaven is in **WORSHIP**. Worship is far different than praise.
- We have seen Hebrew word for praise: HALAL = celebrating, proclaiming and even boasting of the goodness of our God.
- **PRAISE** = Hebrew halal, to shine; hence to make a show; to boast; and thus to be (clamorously) foolish; to rave; to celebrate; commend, glory, give [light], praise, renowned, shine.

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

Clear all creatures in heaven praising God so far, even though word “praise” does not appear here in Greek.

This word (*aineo* [Greek] Praise, Praising) found only ONCE in Revelation *“Then a voice came from the throne, saying, “Praise our God, all you His servants and those who fear Him, both small and great!”* (19:5)

*Aineo* means literally to praise, to laud, but with the sense of “telling the story” of God. **Carries same meaning as Hebrew word for praise.** Tell the story of God! And do it loudly, proclaiming and celebrating Him.

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- *(BTW, many different words in Hebrew translated “praise.” All mean the same, except carry different ideas of HOW praise given – loudly, with hands held high, sung, played on instruments, etc.)*
- **Now in verse 14, something different. All fall down and WORSHIP. Greek = **PROSKUNEO**, *an interesting word.***
- **One of its roots = word for “dog” (kuon). Idea is that a dog will kiss or lick its master’s hand to show submission, to essentially “bow down” to the master.**



## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- Literally means to crouch to, to prostrate oneself in reverence, homeage, and adoration. **Very different from proclamation, celebration of praise.**
- In Hebrew, same meaning is seen in word **shachah** = *to prostrate (reflexively in homage to royalty or God): bow (self) down, crouch, fall down (flat), humbly beseech, do obeisance, do reverence, make to stoop, worship.*
- Whether in Hebrew OT, or Greek NT, words for PRAISE and WORSHIP carry similar meanings, and imply different actions.



## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- The action of PRAISE involves **telling the story of God's goodness and might**, in very active, visual ways.
- The action of WORSHIP is being bowed down before and beneath Him, knowing Him as *Melech HaOlam* – King of the Universe. MY King, and only One worthy of glory.
- **Many will praise but never get to worship.**
- We are to do both. All heaven does. **Praise should lead to worship.**
- **And here in the Throne Room of El Shaddai it does.**

## REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2



- Chapters 4 + 5 firmly **establish authority/worthiness of One who sits on the throne, and the Lamb.**
- Sets tone for what is coming. As future unfolds, **we will not forget sovereignty/authority of the One on the Throne and the Lamb to finish their plan of redemption for the whole earth.**
- ***Elohim is in control. Not man.***

# REVELATION Chapter 5 Part 2

- Shows Messiah's worthiness/authority to:
  - ✓ open the scroll
  - ✓ **commence judgment**
  - ✓ provide final redemption and restoration



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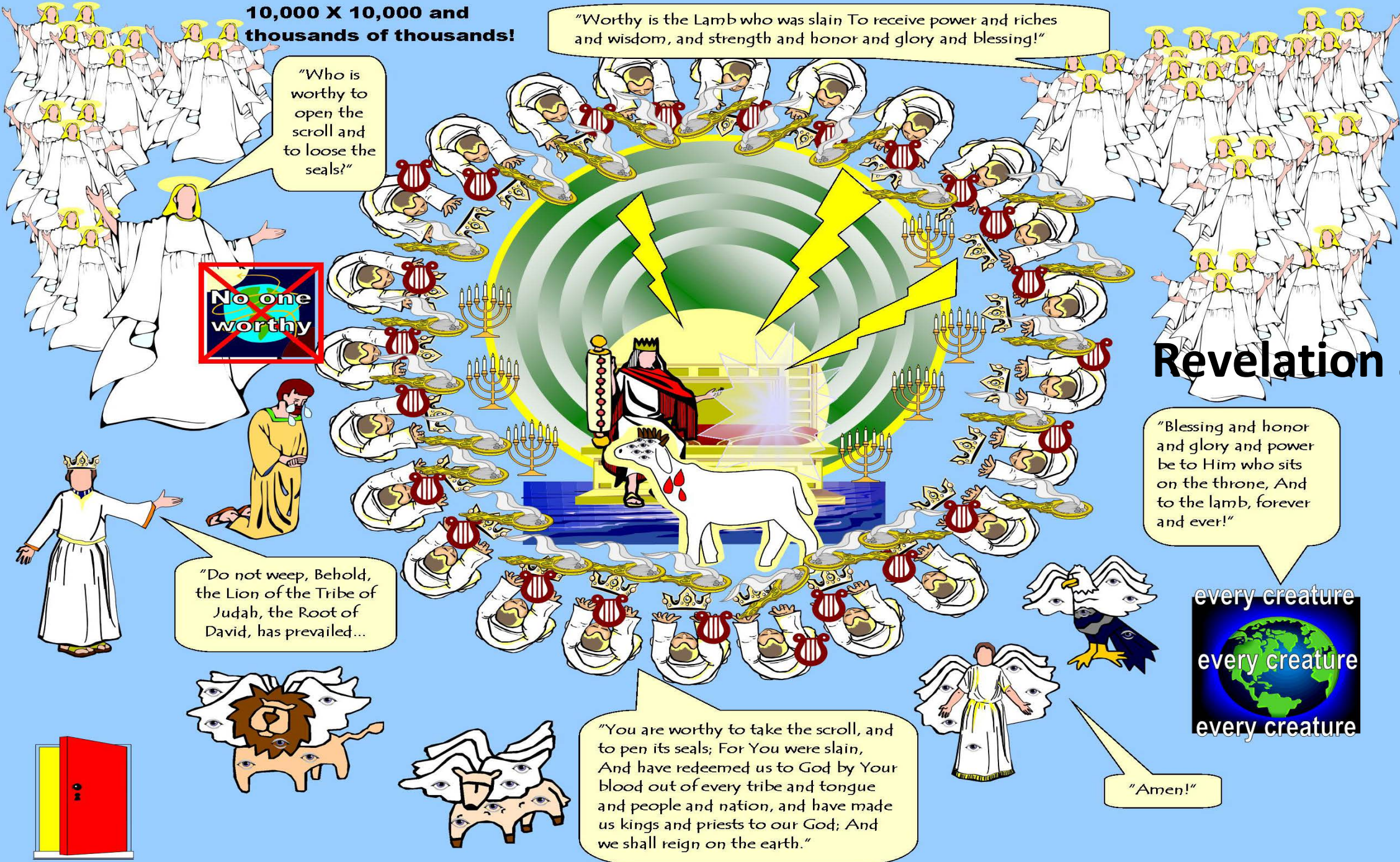
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The scroll is now  
in the hands of  
the only One  
worthy to open it.

Judgment begins  
next...

And the scene  
changes  
dramatically.

***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 viyase  
lekha shalom.***

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

