

The Book of Revelation



Chapter 8

A Life Changing Experience



Revelation 8:1

- **1 And when he had opened the seventh seal, there was silence in heaven about the space of half an hour.
Rev 8:1 (KJV)**
- Why do you think the heavens became silent at the opening of the seventh seal?



Revelation 8:2-5

- **2 And I saw the seven angels which stood before God; and to them were given seven trumpets.**
- 3 And another angel came and stood at the altar, having a golden censer; and there was given unto him much incense, that he should offer *it* with the prayers of all saints upon the golden altar which was before the throne.**



Revelation 8:2-5 cont.

- **4 And the smoke of the incense, *which came* with the prayers of the saints, ascended up before God out of the angel's hand.**
- **5 And the angel took the censer, and filled it with fire of the altar, and cast *it* into the earth: and there were voices, and thunderings, and lightnings, and an earthquake.**

Rev 8:2-5 (KJV)



Revelation

➤ Two altars

- **Brazen altar for animal sacrifices**
- **Golden Altar of incense**
 - ❖ **The priest would take a coal from the brazen altar to the altar of incense, and sprinkle incense on it.**
 - ❖ **The sweet aroma symbolized the prayers of the saints rising to God's nostrils**



2 Thessalonians 1:5-10

- **5** *Which is* a manifest token of the righteous judgment of God, that ye may be counted worthy of the kingdom of God, for which ye also suffer:
- 6** Seeing *it is* a righteous thing with God to recompense tribulation to them that trouble you;



2 Thessalonians 1:5-10

- **7 And to you who are troubled rest with us, when the Lord Jesus shall be revealed from heaven with his mighty angels,**
- 8 In flaming fire taking vengeance on them that know not God, and that obey not the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ:**



2 Thessalonians 1:5-10

- **9 Who shall be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord, and from the glory of his power;**
- 10 When he shall come to be glorified in his saints, and to be admired in all them that believe (because our testimony among you was believed) in that day.**
- **2 Thess 1:5-10 (KJV)**



Romans 8:19-20

➤ **19 Dearly beloved, avenge not yourselves, but *rather* give place unto wrath: for it is written, Vengeance *is* mine; I will repay, saith the Lord.**

20 Therefore if thine enemy hunger, feed him; if he thirst, give him drink: for in so doing thou shalt heap coals of fire on his head.

Romans 12:19-20 (KJV)



Revelation 6

- White Horse – Antichrist
- Red Horse – World War
- Black Horse – Famine
- Pale Horse – Death/Hell
- War → Death → Famine
- **9** And when he had opened the fifth seal, I saw under the altar the souls of them that were slain for the word of God, and for the testimony which they held:
Rev 6:9 (KJV)
- Nuclear Holocaust



Revelation 8:6-13

- **6 And the seven angels which had the seven trumpets prepared themselves to sound.**

- **7 The first angel sounded, and there followed hail and fire mingled with blood, and they were cast upon the earth: and the third part of trees was burnt up, and all green grass was burnt up.**



Revelation 8:6-13

- **8 And the second angel sounded, and as it were a great mountain burning with fire was cast into the sea: and the third part of the sea became blood;**
- **9 And the third part of the creatures which were in the sea, and had life, died; and the third part of the ships were destroyed.**



Revelation 8:6-13

➤ **10 And the third angel sounded, and there fell a great star from heaven, burning as it were a lamp, and it fell upon the third part of the rivers, and upon the fountains of waters;**

11 And the name of the star is called Wormwood: and the third part of the waters became wormwood; and many men died of the waters, because they were made bitter.



Revelation 8:6-13

- **12 And the fourth angel sounded, and the third part of the sun was smitten, and the third part of the moon, and the third part of the stars; so as the third part of them was darkened, and the day shone not for a third part of it, and the night likewise.**



Revelation 8:6-13

- **13 And I beheld, and heard an angel flying through the midst of heaven, saying with a loud voice, Woe, woe, woe, to the inhabitants of the earth by reason of the other voices of the trumpet of the three angels, which are yet to sound! Rev 8:9-13 (KJV)**

