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1 Pet. 4:13
25 *John 3:44
26 *Rev. 1:12-16
27 *Rev. 1:12-16

24 *Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling, and to make you stand in the presence of His glory blameless with great joy,
25 to the only God our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, the Son of the Father, who is seated at the right hand of the Father, and who is now

verse-by-verse thru

THE REVELATION TO JOHN

Revelation

with Dr. Dave Newton

WELCOME

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CHAPTER 2 Message to Ephesus

"To the angel of the church in Ephesus write:

The One who holds the seven stars in His right hand, the One who walks among the seven golden lampstands, says this:
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3 *But I have this against you, that you have left your first love.

4 *Remember therefore, from where you have fallen, and repent, and do the deeds you did at first; or else I am coming to you, and will remove your lampstand from its place — unless you repent.

5 *Yet this you do hate the deeds of the Nicolaitans, which I also hate.

6 *He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes, I will grant to eat of the tree of life, which is in the Paradise of God.

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The first and the last, who was dead, and has come to life, says this:
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The One who has the sharp two-edged sword says this:
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14 *But I have a few things against you, because you have those who hold the teaching of Balaam, who kept teaching Balak to put a stumbling block before the sons of Israel, to eat things sacrificed to idols, and to commit acts of immorality.

15 *Thus you also have some who in the same way have the teaching of the Nicolaitans. Repent therefore, or else I am coming to you, and will remove your lampstand from its place.

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22 And I have mercy on some, who are doubting;

23 and on others, snatching them out of the hand of the devil, so that they may not be lost.

Revelation Chapter 7

THE REVELATION TO JOHN

The Revelation of Jesus Christ

THE Revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave unto John, his bond-servant, to show unto His bond-servants, which must shortly take place; and He sent and communicated it by His angel to His bond-servant John.

2 who bore witness of the things which he saw, and those who hear the words of the prophecy, shall heed the things which are written in it; for the time is near.

Message to the Seven Churches

4 John to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace, from Him who is and who was and who is to come; and from the seven Spirits who are before His throne;

5 and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the first-born of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To Him who loves us, and released us from our sins by His blood, AND HIS WORK

6 and He has made us to be a kingdom, priests to His God and Father; to Him be the glory and the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

7 BEHOLD, HE IS COMING WITH THE CLOUDS, and EVERY EYE WILL SEE HIM, EVEN THOSE WHO PIERCED HIM; AND ALL THE TRIBES OF THE EARTH WILL MOURN OVER HIM. Even so. Amen.

8 I am the Alpha and the Omega, says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

The Patmos Vision

9 I, John, your brother and fellow-partaker in the tribulation and kingdom and perseverance which are in Jesus, was on the island called Patmos, because of the

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24 Zech. 3:3f.
25 Rom. 16:25
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27 1 Pet. 4:13
28 John 3:44
29 1 Tim. 1:17
30 1 Tim. 3:16

24 Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling, and to make you stand in the presence of His glory blameless with great joy, to the only God our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, the Father of majesty, dominion and honor, before all the ages, now and forever. Amen.

1 John 17:8;
Rev. 5:7
22:6 Dan. 2:28f.
Rev. 1:19
17:1 Rev. 1:4, 9;
22:8

2 1 Cor. 1:6;
Rev. 1:9; 6:9
Rev. 12:17
3 Luke 11:28;
Rev. 12:17

5 John 8:14;
18:37
15:20
1:18

8 Rom. 11:36
7 Dan. 7:13;
Matt. 16:27f.
24:30
Zech. 12:10; John 19:37
Luke 23:28

8 Is. 41:4; Rev. 21:6; 22:13
4:8; 11:17; 15:3
Rev. 1:4

9 Rev. 1:1
Acts 1:15
Matt. 20:23

10 Matt. 22:43;
Rev. 4:2; 17:3;
21:10
Acts 20:7
Rev. 4:1

11 Rev. 1:2, 19
Rev. 1:4, 20
12 Ex. 25:37
13 Rev. 2:1
Ezek. 1:26; Dan. 7:13

14 Dan. 7:9
Dan. 7:9; 10:6
15 Ezek. 1:7;
Dan. 10:6; Rev. 2:18
Ezek. 43:2

16 Rev. 1:20;
2:1; 3:1
Is. 49:2; Heb. 4:12
Matt. 17:2; Rev. 10:1

17 Dan. 8:17;
10:9, 10, 15
Dan. 8:18; 10:10, 12
18 Luke 24:5;
Rev. 4:9f.
Rom. 6:9
Job 38:17

19 Rev. 1:11
Rev. 1:12-16
Rev. 4:1

word of God and the testimony of Jesus.

10 I was in the Spirit on the Lord's day, and I heard behind me a loud voice like the sound of a trumpet,

11 saying, "Write in a book what you see, and send it to the seven churches: to Ephesus, and to Smyrna and to Pergamum and to Thyatira and to Sardis and to Philadelphia and to Laodicea."

12 And I turned to see the voice that was speaking with me. And when I turned I saw seven golden lampstands:

13 and in the middle of the lampstands one like a son of man, clothed in a robe reaching to the feet, and girded across His breast with a golden girdle.

14 And His head and His hair were white like white wool, like snow; and His eyes were like a flame of fire;

15 and His feet were like burnished bronze, when it has been caused to glow in a furnace, and His voice was like the sound of many waters.

16 And in His right hand He held seven stars; and out of His mouth came a sharp two-edged sword; and His face was like the sun shining in its strength.

17 And when I saw Him, I fell at His feet as a dead man. And He laid His right hand upon me, saying, "Do not be afraid; I am the first and the last."

18 and the living One; and I was dead, and behold, I am alive forevermore, and I have the keys of death and of Hades.

19 Write therefore the things which you have seen, and the things which are, and the things which shall take place after these things.

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CHAPTER 2

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2 I know your deeds and your toil and perseverance, and that you cannot tolerate the Nicolaitans, who are hating the works which I hate.

3 and you have perseverance and have endured for My name's sake, and have not grown weary.

4 But I have this against you, that you have left your first love.

5 Remember therefore from where you have fallen, and repent, and do the deeds you did at first, and you will come, and you will eat from the tree of life, and you will not go out of your place - unless you repent.

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20 Rom. 11:25
bRev. 1:16; 2:1;
3:1 Ex. 25:37;
37:23; Zech. 4:2;
Rev. 1:12; 2:1
dRev. 14:11
eMatt. 5:14f.
1 Rev. 1:11
bRev. 1:16 Rev.
1:12f.
2 Rev. 2:19;
3:1, 8, 15 bJohn
6:6; 1 John 4:1
2 Cor. 11:13
3 John 15:21
4 Jer. 2:2;
Matt. 24:12
5 Rev. 2:16;
22:3, 19 bHeb.
10:32; Rev. 2:2
cMatt. 5:14ff.
6 Rev. 2:1
7 Matt. 2:15
8 Rev. 2:26;
Prov. 3:16, 11:30;
13:12; 15:4; Rev.
22:2, 14 Ezek.
31:8 Luke 23:43
8 Rev. 1:11
bRev. 1:17 Rev.
1:18
9 Rev. 1:9
b2 Cor. 6:10; 8:9;
James 2:5
cRev. 3:9
dMatt. 4:10
2:13; 12:11; 17:14
e1 Cor. 9:25; Rev.
3:11
11 Matt. 11:15;
12 Rev. 2:2
13 Rev. 1:11
14 Rev. 1:16; 2:16
15 Matt. 4:10
16 Tim. 5:8; Rev.
2:2
17 Rev. 2:20
b2 Pet. 2:15 Acts
15:29
18 Rev. 2:6
19 Rev. 2:7
John 6:49f. 4:14
50:5; 62:2; 65:15
dRev. 14:3; 19:12
18 Rev. 1:11;
2:24 bMatt. 4:3
Rev. 1:14f.
19 Rev. 2:2
20 Rev. 2:14
b1 Kin. 16:31;
21:25; 22 Kin. 9:7
cActs 15:29
21 Rom. 2:4;
2 Pet. 3:9 bRom.
2:5; Rev. 9:20f.
22 Rev. 17:2;
18:9
23 Ps. 7:9; 26:2;
139:1; Jer. 11:20;
17:10

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Message to Thyatira

18 And to the angel of the church in Thyatira write:

These things say God, who has eyes like flames of fire, and His feet are like burnished bronze, says this:

19 I know your deeds, and your love and faith and service and perseverance, and that you were hating the deeds of the late

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PROMISES

Blessing: Read Hear Heed

4 Bases of Apocalyptic literature

Don't over-analyze

Meant to be understood

Give us Hope

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TO ALL CHURCHES
I KNOW YOUR WORKS

ACTIVITY Eccles. 11:28,32; Luke 23:51

Comments on Heaven

- She loved Vegas - now she's her up there seeing a show and eating at the buffet
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 - Many looked to or touched the casket and spoke the deceased
 - Two people said "Now you can rest here"
 - "I was just thinking how my sister has already been in heaven for 5 years"
 - Widower said "I brought some flowers for my wife and had a nice visit with her"
 - Before driving home, brother said, "I want to spend some time with mom + dad"
 - "It's so comforting our mom will have such a nice view of the mountains"
- Celebrities:**
- "I'd rather laugh with the sinners than cry with saints, sinners much more fun" Billy Joel
 - "Would you know my name if I saw you in heaven?" Eric Clapton
 - "They say in heaven love comes first, we'll make heaven a place on earth" Belinda Carlisle
 - "How can one religion be right, another wrong, some to heaven, some to hell?" Cyndi Lauper
 - "I like being Zoroastrian, there's no heaven or hell" Freddy Mercury
 - "It's not our good works that get us through the gates of heaven" Bono

- Thursday at cemetery -

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apocalyptic Revelation 7:9-12 believers from Tribulation

After these things *I looked and behold* - a great multitude which no one could count from every nation and *all* tribes and peoples and tongues

ἔθνος *ethnos* φυλή *phyle* λαός *loas* γλῶσσα *glossa*
 birth-race Jewish live together languages

standing before the throne and before the Lamb - clothed in *white robes* and *palm branches* were in their hands - and they cry out with a loud voice, saying,

"Salvation to our God who sits on the throne and to the Lamb"

And all the *angels were standing around the throne and the elders and the 4 Zoa* and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshiped God, saying,

"Amen, blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might, to our God forever and ever - Amen"

Myriads of people sing of *"Tribulation salvation"* Confirmed: *angels, elders, Zoa say "So Be It"*

The One who has the sharp two-edged sword says this:

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ἀριθμέω *arithmeo*

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16 Repent therefore; or else I will come to you quickly, and I will make war against them with the sword of My mouth.

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TO ALL CHURCHES I KNOW YOUR WORKS

Revelation 7:9-12

O.T. apocalyptic on Revelation 7:9-12

Joel 28:28-32 It will come about that I will pour out My Spirit on ALL mankind and your sons and daughters will prophesy - your old men will dream dreams - young men see visions - I will display wonders in the sky and on the earth - blood, fire, columns of smoke, the sun will be turned to darkness and the moon into blood before the great and awesome day of the LORD – and it will come about that **whoever calls on the name of the LORD will be delivered** - on Mount Zion and in Jerusalem there will be those who escape as the LORD has said even among the survivors whom the LORD calls.
quoted directly by Peter in his Pentecost sermon [Acts 2:16-21]

Isaiah 49:10-12 They will not hunger or thirst nor will the scorching heat or sun strike them down for He who has compassion on them will lead them and will guide them to springs of water.

"I will make all My mountains a road and My highways will be raised up.

Behold, these will come from afar and lo, these will come from the north and from the west"

Isaiah 60:1-3 Arise, shine - for your light has come and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you. for behold, darkness will cover the earth and deep darkness all the peoples, but the LORD will rise upon you and His glory will appear upon you - Nations will come to your light and kings to the brightness of your rising **[global impact of 144,000 witnesses]**

apocalyptic 144,000 Impact

- Consider some 8 billion people alive at **harpazo**
- Remaining 6 billion = 42,000 people per 'bond-servant' witness
 - maybe massive social media, podcasts, texts, peer-to-peer direct
- WHAT IF? Just 2% believe That's 120 million!! 1% is 60 million
 - realistic to assume "several million" come to faith AND refuse the mark
- EVERY: nation tribe people tongue
 - U.N. lists 192 sovereign nations
 - remember the 12 tribes of Israel
 - Harvard study lists 650 unique "people groups" in the world speaking 7,100+ languages and dialects worldwide
 - [consider less than 20 people in Cameroon speak Busuu]
- Tribulation believers:
 - Iranian, Indonesian, Egyptian, Canadian, Australian, Japanese, Chinese, Saudi
 - Nigerian, Colombian, Mauritian, Afghani, Dutch, Svenska, Mexican, Somali.....
- 144,000 sealed-protected Tribulation believers were NOT protected!

apocalyptic Revelation 7:13-17

Then one of the elders answered, saying to me, "These who are *clothed in the white robes, who are they and where have they come from?*" I said to him, "My lord, YOU know" And he said to me, "These are *the ones who come out of the great tribulation, and they have washed their robes and made them white* in the blood of the Lamb. For this reason, they are before the throne of God - and they serve Him day and night in His temple and *He who sits on the throne will spread His tabernacle over them* **John 1:14** **Rev. 21:3** "Behold the tabernacle of God is among men, He will tabernacle with them" They will hunger no longer - nor thirst anymore **[Matt 4:4]** **[John 4:10-14]** nor will the sun beat down on them nor any heat - for the Lamb in the center of the throne **[Rev. 21:23, 25 + 22:5]** **[Psalm 23]** **[Psalm 23 + Rev. 22:1-2]** will be their Shepherd, and will guide them to *springs of the water of life* and God will *wipe every tear from their eyes* **Rev. 21:4** *He will wipe away every tear, no longer any death, mourning, crying, pain*

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apocalyptic Revelation 7:13-17

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Consider how these men and women are **from everywhere across the globe**

Tribulation = Unrelenting evil of men on each other Wars = inflation, monopoly,
Diseases without treatments NO Godly intervention-buffer
One-quarter of Earth's population dies!!

They suffered thru:

- Scorching heat
- Famine-Hunger-Starvation
- Thirst-Fresh water poisoned
- Impacted by Wars
- Experienced ALL

- [Rev. 16:9] others blasphemed God, did not repent
- [Rev. 6:5-6] result of no rain and casualty of wars
- [Rev. 18:8] pestilence [crops], mourning, famine
- [Rev. 8:10-11] wormwood affects one-third sources
- [Rev. 6:5-6 + Matt. 24] affects supply-demand
- armies, invasions, rockets, fire, pain, brimstone
- fall-out? radiation sickness, boils? floods, tsunamis

This ALL jumps around Revelation's narrative given John's extra-temporal perspective
[still future from 90s AD – also still to come in Revelation]

Sequence of Events

1] Believers caught up at *harpazo*

2] Marriage of Lamb [Groom] + Bride [Church]

[dead in Christ 'have been raised first', then we who are alive]

3] Rise of 'man of lawlessness' Covenant with Israel [like a messiah] "Peace"

4] **Abomination** halfway thru the final 7-year Shabua for Israel

5] Tribulation [seals of 4 riders overview, trumpets, bowls]

6] The 144,000 Jewish bond-servants witness to the world

[some believers make it thru Tribulation]

Jesus: "those who endure to the end will be saved" [Matt. 24:13]

7] "Except those days be cut short no flesh would survive" [Matt. 24:22]

Jesus described THESE DAYS before His 2nd Coming [Matt. 24]

The dead go to Sheol [await 2nd resurrection to judgment]

Fallen one-third of angels [held in deepest recesses of Abyss]

8] Second Coming of Jesus to Earth with His believers [Church]

believers from Tribulation + mortal unbelievers await

9] Ten Century Millennium Kingdom [Rev. 20]

Revelation 1 Israel's 70th Shabua שְׁבועָה

Harpazo [snatch away]

Restraint Removed marriage ceremony

Pre Trib

7 years

Church Age winding down

Matt. 24 birth-pangs

[frequency and intensity]

**Man of Lawlessness
and his false prophecy
First 3 ½ years “Peace**

Judgment
Earth's Tribulation
almost 3 ½ years

half way in Abomination of Desolation

(21) 'And I gave her time to repent; and she does not want to repent of her immorality.

TO ALL CHURCHES
"I KNOW YOUR WORKS"

Israel's 70th Shabua שְׁבועָה

22 And I have mercy on some, who are doubting;
23 save others, snatching them out of the fire; and on some have mercy with fear, hating even the garment polluted by the flesh.

1st seal – he's on white horse
Covenant with Israel

3rd Temple in Jerusalem

"Who is like him?"

Economic-Finance innovations

Probably explains away "harpazo"

First 3 1/2 years "Peace"

42 months

1,260 days

6 and He has made us to be a kingdom, priests to His God and Father; to Him be the glory and the dominion forever and ever. Amen.

8 "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, "who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty."

9 "I, John, your brother and fellow-partaker in the tribulation and kingdom and perseverance which are in Jesus, was on the island called Patmos, because of the

21 Titus 2:11-12
22 Or, convulsions
23 Amos 4:1-2
24 Rom. 16:25
25 1 Pet. 4:13
26 1 John 3:4-5
27 1 Tim. 4:1-2
28 1 Rom. 11:36
29 Heb. 13:8

THE REVELATION TO JOHN

The Revelation of Jesus Christ

THE REVELATION OF JESUS CHRIST, which God gave unto John, his bond-servant, the things which must shortly take place; and He sent and signified by His angel unto His servant John,

2 who bore witness to the word of God and the testimony of Jesus Christ, even to all that he saw.
3 Blessed is he who reads and those who hear the words of the prophecy, and which are written in it, for the time

word of God and the testimony of Jesus.

4 I, John, heard these things, and I heard behind me a loud voice like the sound of a trumpet,

11 saying, "Write in a book what you see, and send it to the seven churches: to Ephesus, and to Smyrna, and to Pergamum, and to Thyatira, and to Sardis, and to Philadelphia, and to Laodicea."

12 And I turned to see the voice that spake with me, and having turned I saw seven golden lampstands,

13 and in the middle of the lampstands one like a son of man, clothed in a robe reaching to the feet, and girded across His breast with a golden girdle.

14 And His head and His hair were white like white wool, like snow; and His eyes were like a flame of fire;

15 and His feet were like burnished bronze, when it has been caused to glow in a furnace, and His voice was like the sound of many waters.

16 And in His right hand He held seven stars; and out of His mouth came a sharp two-edged sword; and His face was as the sun, shining in its strength.

17 And when I saw Him, I fell at His feet as a dead man. And He laid His right hand upon me, saying, "Do not be afraid; I am the first and the last."

18 and the living One; and I was dead, and behold, I am alive forevermore, and I have the keys of death and of Hades.

19 "Write therefore the things which you have seen, and the things which are, and the things which shall take place after these things.

Abomination of Desolation

pseudo-Christ Holy of Holies

2:1-7 (a) PASSION ORIGINAL
(b) GOING ONE WAY, STOP AND GO ANOTHER
(c) Get back to it

20 "As for the mystery of the seven stars which you saw in My right hand, and the seven golden lampstands: the seven stars are the angels of the seven churches, and the seven lampstands are the seven churches.

CHAPTER 2 Message to Ephesus

2nd seal red horse [WARS]

3rd seal black horse [FAMINE]

4th seal gangrene horse [DEATH + HADES]

5th seal murtupia = "martyrs"

6th seal huge quakes sun moon stars

Judgment - Wrath

Earth's Tribulation

Almost 3 1/2 years

6 "Yet this you do have, and hate the deeds of the Nicolaites, which I also hate.

7 "He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes, I will grant to eat of the tree of life, which is in the Paradise of God."

8 "And to the angel of the church in Smyrna write:

"The first and the last, who was dead, and has come to life, says this:

9 "I know your tribulation and your poverty (but you are rich), and the blasphemy by those who say they are Jews and are not, but are the synagogue of Satan.

10 "Do not be afraid of what you are about to suffer. Behold, the devil is about to cast some of you into prison, that you may be tempted; and you will be faithful for fifteen days. Be faithful until death, and I will give you the crown of life.

11 "He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. He who overcomes shall not be hurt by the second death."

Message to Pergamum

12 "And to the angel of the church in Pergamum write:

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PERSECUTION!!!

20 *Rom. 11:25
21 *Rev. 1:16, 21;
3:1 *Ex. 25:37;
37:23; Zech. 4:2;
Rev. 1:12, 21
22 *Rev. 1:11
1 *Rev. 1:11
2 *Rev. 1:16 *Rev. 1:12f.
3 *Rev. 2:19;
3:1, 8, 15 *John 6:1, 15 *John 4:1
4 *Matt. 24:12
5 *Matt. 24:16
6 *Rev. 2:15
7 *Matt. 11:11
8 *Gen. 2:9, 3:22;
Prov. 3:18, 11:30,
11:2, 15:4; Rev. 2:10
9 *Rev. 1:11
10 *Rev. 1:17 *Rev. 1:18
11 *Rev. 2:5 *Rev. 2:5
12 *Matt. 4:10
13 *Rev. 3:10;
14 *Rev. 2:13;
12:11; 17:14
15 *Matt. 10:13;
Rev. 2:7, 17, 29
16 *Rev. 2:7, 29
17 *Rev. 2:8
18 *Matt. 16:17
19 *Matt. 4:10
20 *Tim. 5:8; Rev. 1:12, 13
21 *Rev. 2:20
22 *Pet. 2:15 *Acts 15:29
23 *Rev. 2:6
24 *Rev. 2:5
25 *Rev. 2:7, 20
26 *Thess. 2:8
27 *Rev. 2:7
28 *John 6:49f. *Is. 50:5, 62:2; 65:15
29 *Rev. 14:3, 19:12
30 *Rev. 1:11;
2:24 *Matt. 4:3
31 *Rev. 1:14f.
32 *Rev. 2:2
33 *Rev. 2:14
34 *Kin. 16:31;
21:25; 2 *Kin. 9:7
35 *Acts 15:29
36 *Rom. 2:4;
2 *Pet. 3:9 *Rom. 2:5; Rev. 9:20f.
37 *Rev. 17:2;
18:9
38 *Ps. 7:9; 26:2;
139:1; Jer. 11:20;
17:10

The One who has the sharp two-edged sword says this:

13 "I know where you dwell, where Satan's throne is; and you hold fast My name, and did not deny My faith, even in the days of Antipas, My witness, My faithful one, who was killed among you, where Satan dwells.

14 "But I have a few things against you, because you have there some who hold the teaching of Balaam, who kept teaching Balak to put a stumbling block before the sons of Israel, so that they might commit acts of immorality.

15 "Thus you also have some who do not hold the teaching of the apostles, but have received the teaching of the serpent, therefore of false things, and I will come to you quickly, and I will risk war against them with the sword of My mouth.

17 "He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes, I will give him a white stone, and a new name written on the stone which no one knows but he who receives it."

18 "And to the angel of the church in Thyatira write:

"The Son of God, who has eyes like burnished bronze, says this:

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21 "And I gave her time to repent; and she does not want to repent of her immorality."

22 "Behold, I will cast her upon a bed of sickness, and those who commit adultery with her into great tribulation, unless they repent of her deeds.

23 "And I will kill her children with pestilence; and all the churches will know that I am He who searches the minds and hearts; and I will give to each one of you according to your deeds.

24 "But I say to you, the rest who

TO ALL CHURCHES
"I KNOW YOUR WORKS!"
ACTIVITY Eccles. 11:28,32; Luke 23:51

Reign with Jesus for 10 Centuries

4 Groups of Believers:

I] **believers** [in Church bride] caught up at *harpazo*

2] believers who died before *harpazo*

1st Thess. 4:16 *“dead in Christ raised first, THEN those alive”*

3] the 144,000 believers who are sealed - protected *thru the Tribulation*

Rev. 14:1-5 “stand with Christ on Mt. Zion, sing new song”

4] those who become believers after *harpazo* during the Tribulation

Rev. 7:15-17 “*serve the Lord day and night in His Temple,*

Lamb at center of throne is now their Shepherd,

He guides them to living water - river of life,

God wipes away their tears”

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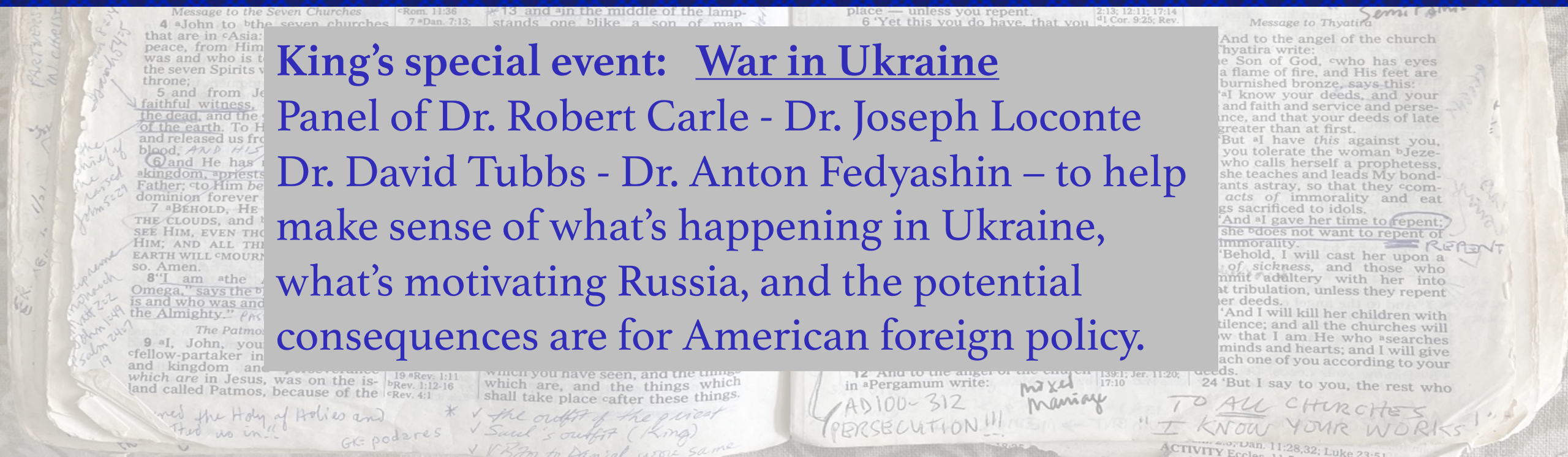
Panel of Dr. Robert Carle - Dr. Joseph Loconte

Dr. David Tubbs - Dr. Anton Fedyashin – to help

make sense of what's happening in Ukraine,

what's motivating Russia, and the potential

consequences are for American foreign policy.



21 keep yourselves in the love of God, waiting anxiously for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ to eternal life.

And have mercy on some who have not known the love of God, that they may be brought to the mercy with fear, blating even the garment polluted by the flesh.

21 *Titus 2:13
22 *Or, convince
23 *Amos 4:11
24 *Rom. 16:25
25 *Cor. 4:14
26 *1 Cor. 13:13
27 *1 Cor. 13:13
28 *1 Cor. 13:13
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24 *Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling, and to make you stand in the presence of His glory blameless with great joy, to the only God our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, the Son of the Father, to whom be the glory and the dominion forever. Amen.

THE REVELATION TO JOHN

Revelation 8

7th Seal and

5 trumpets and Abyss

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the wisdom of the prudent
is to **FIGURE IT OUT**

Proverbs 14:8

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CHAPTER 2

Message to Ephesus

"To the angel of the church in Ephesus write: The One who holds the seven stars in His right hand, the One who walks among the seven golden lampstands, says this:

2 *I know your deeds and your toil and perseverance, and that you cannot endure evil men, and you put to the test those who call themselves apostles, and they are not, and you found them to be false;

3 and you have perseverance and have endured for My name's sake, and have not grown weary.

4 *But I have this against you, that you have left your first love.

5 *Remember therefore, from where you have fallen, and repent, and do the deeds you did at first; or else I am coming to you, and will remove your lampstand out of its place, unless you repent.

6 *If this you do have, that you do the deeds of the Nicolaitans, which I also hate.

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Message to Thyatira

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