

Are You Ready for Rapture?

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Unpacking the **BOOK** of **REVELATION**

This is the sequel to Jehu's earlier book, "The Marriage Supper of the Lamb", but focuses on the Book of Revelation from the Hebraic mindset.



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Thyatira

Laodiceans

Philadelphia

Sardis

Pergamos

Smyrna

Ephesus

Time

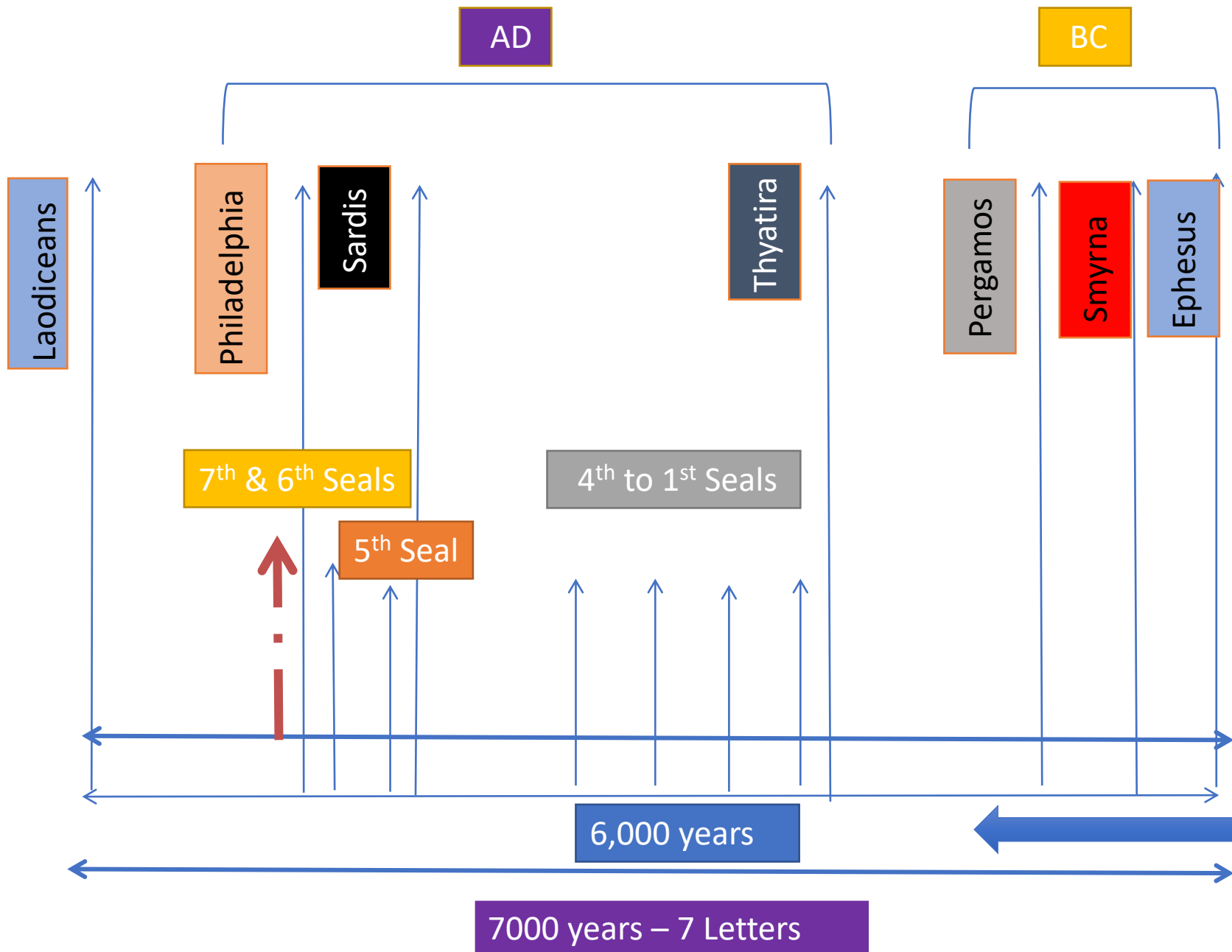


Seven Letters

- 3 separate groupings
 - Before Christ
 - After Christ
 - Millennium Rule and Reign
- Before Christ
 - Ephesus – loveless church
 - Smyrna – persecuted church
 - Pergamos – compromising church
- After Christ
 - Thyatira – corrupt church
 - Sardis – dead church
 - Philadelphia – faithful church
- Millennium Rule and Reign
 - Laodiceans - lukewarm church

Seven Seals

- First Seal
 - Birth of Islam
- Second Seal
 - Psalm 83 War
- Third Seal
 - Famine and Inflation
- Fourth Seal
 - Ezekiel 38/39 War
- Fifth Seal
 - Cries of the Martyrs
- Six Seal & Seventh Seal
 - Harvest of the Bride
 - Return of Yeshua



The Woes

- The four earlier trumpets, God used nature to reflect His anger and bring punishment on the disobedient.
- The remaining three woes, God released Satan and his hordes and allowed satan to play his own end game.
- Satan then began to create his own race of people and corrupting and deceiving the rest of mankind, just as he did in Genesis.
- They will be causing additional pain and suffering.
- The fifth trumpet (first woe) we were introduced to Abaddon who released thousands of Teraphim out from the Abyss.
- The Teraphim will make a covenant with Abaddon to attack God's chosen people.

The Fifth Trumpet (First Woe)

- Rev 9:1-12 Identification of the angel of the abyss as Abaddon (Apollyon)
- Abaddon given the key to the abyss
- Where does this key (Rev 9:1) come from?
- When Jesus died on the cross, HE went down with the key to Gehenna (Hell) to set captives free. Until that moment Abaddon had the key.
- Jesus took the key from Abaddon.
- Abaddon was one of the two angels that rebelled against God and are the fallen angels.
- Abaddon was the angel of life before he felled. He became the angel of death and possessed the key to Hell. He has the power to lock people away after they die because of their sin. He was the angel of death who passed over Egypt and killed all the first born who did not have the blood covering.

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- When Yeshua died on the cross, He defeated satan. In the spiritual realm (heaven) Michael defeated satan and satan lost his place in heaven and fell to earth – Rev 12:7-9
- Before Yeshua's triumph over sin, satan was still able to come before the throne of God as he did back in the book of Job.
- However, post-resurrection world, satan has been able only to function on earth and within its atmosphere.
- Rev 1:17-18 clearly stated that Yeshua after the cross possesses the keys of death and of Hades.
- For reason only known to God, Yeshua gave the key back to Abaddon so that in the future he would be able to unlock the abyss one last time to release the teraphim HE locked up back in Genesis.

Who's in the Abyss?

- Teraphim are the third and lowest form of angels and are able to take on human form.
- In Genesis 6:4, those Teraphim who rebelled against God came to earth and had sex with women who gave birth to the Nephilim
- The book of Enoch explains how these very same former angels were locked away in the abyss as punishment for their wickedness.
- Rev 9:3-11 Abaddon opened and released the locusts from the pit.
- The locusts are devils, not to confused with demons who are the offspring of Teraphim and mankind.
- “Pain” in Hebrew signifies birth or labor pain.
- The five month of pain could refer to the minimum five months for human fetus to be born.
- So this could also mean that the Teraphim could come and again have sex with mankind to breed the Nephilim one more BIG time.
- Daniel 2:43 talks about iron (fallen angels) and clay (mankind) mixing their seeds together.

The Sixth Trumpet (Second woe)

- Second seal Rev 6:4 First War, Attackers are mostly Semitic people (Shem) with the exception of Canaanites (Ham) and Assyrians (Japheth)
 - Ps 83 prophesized this war.
- Sixth Trumpet Rev 9:13-19 Second War
- Ezekiel 38-39
 - Persia – believed to be – descendants of Japheth
 - Genesis 10:2 – through Japheth's son Madai
 - The center of the Persian Empire today is Iran
 - Cush – grandson of Ham who migrated south to the Mt Ararat into Africa (Ethiopia, Sudan and southern Egypt)
 - Phut or Put today represents the people who live in and around Libya, in northern Africa
 - Descendants of Ham

Second War - Ezekiel 38-39

- Gomer – Gen 10:2 one of the sons of Japheth
 - Gomer's descendants became known as Cimmerians
 - Lived in the region of the Caucasus Mts and Black Seas, today known as Ukraine and part of Russia
 - Some scholars identify the Gomerites as the Armenians
- Togarmah – son of Gomer and grandson of Japheth
 - Some scholars identify them as Armenians, Georgians and Turks
- Magog/Gog – Magog is the second son of Japheth. Descendants as living north and northeast of the Black Sea. Today would be Russia
- Meshech – son of Japheth. Josephus equated them as descendants of Tubal with the capital city of Georgia.
- Tubal – son of Japheth. Lived in the area of the Black Sea. Ancestors of modern Georgians.
- These nations come from descendants of Ham and Japheth. There are north and north east nations of Africa, excluding Egypt, Iran and Turkey, Russia.

- The last seven years before the return of Yeshua begin with the appearance of the two witnesses.
- The two witnesses were given authority for 1260 days which is approximately 3½ years
- At the end of 3½ years, they will be killed and then resurrected
- Notice that the beginning of the 42 months (also 3½ years) will be identified by the blowing of the seventh trumpet (1 Cor 15:51-54) the last trumpet
 - The dead in-Christ ...will meet the Lord in the air
 - The harvest (Rapture) of the Bride
- The death of the two witnesses by Abaddon, the False Prophet also coincide with the False Messiah announcing to world that he is “God”

Third War – Armageddon Rev 16:16

Some misinterpretations

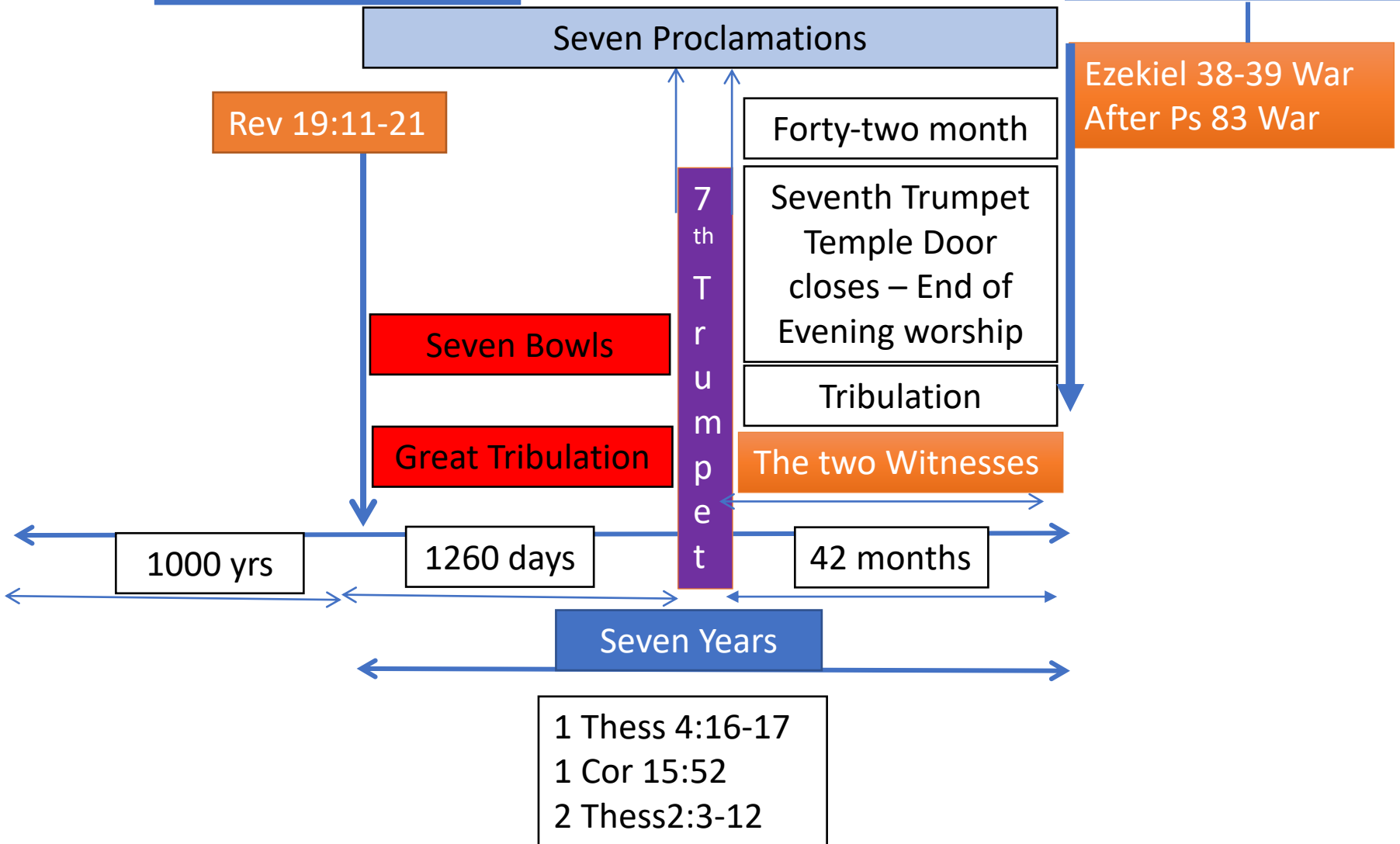
- Ezekiel 39:9 – refers to the destruction of the army of Gog. For seven years the weapons of Gog will be used to fuel fires in the land of Israel.
- But why the time period of seven years?
- When the Messiah returns, there will be no need to make such collections in the land of Israel for the land will be cleansed of such things , when Yeshua sets up His Kingdom.
- Seven years, half where the two witnesses at work the second half where the the false Messiah reigns.
- The last seven years begin at the middle of the sixth trumpet, then include the seventh trumpet and all the seven bowls.
- The sixth trumpet divided into two sections, first Gog n Magog war and second, the two witnesses.
- The 1260 days given to the two witnesses is the same as the 1,260 days given to the woman.

RE-CAP

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7th Trumpet

6th Trumpet



The Entire Timeline



- The 6,000-year time period will be followed immediately by the 1,000 year reign.
- These two periods are separated by the return of our Lord Yeshua (Rev 19:11)

The Real Main Plot

- Two Brides, Two Destinies
- Rev 1 – God described Himself as the First and the Last, the Creator and also the Messiah who died but lives again.
- Chapters 4 & 5, focused on the throne of God and the Messiah
- Chapter 7 – God's groomsmen, the 144,000
- The thunder Chapters itself were one and the same – Chapter 10, 19-22
- At this climax, Yeshua read the ketubah (thundered forth). God reveals to us His principles for holy living also the marriage obligations

The Curses - Sub Plot

- Chapters 2 & 3
- Chapters 6 & 8
- Chapters 8,9, 11
- Chapters 16

- Chapter 13
- Chapter 14:6-20