

-The Great Battle?

Armageddon was supposed to have been the biggest battle of all time, but will it really be? Everyone had heard of the battle of Armageddon, and it had seemed as if it would be the greatest struggle between good and evil, with mass casualties on both sides. But as soon as the battle begins, Jesus Christ kills everyone who had received the mark of the beast with the sword that came from His mouth *Rev 19:15*. He overwhelms them, and they have no chance against Him. They had gathered in the place called Armageddon only to be swiftly and thoroughly destroyed. And if that is not embarrassing enough, they are eaten by the **birds** of the air *Rev 19:17-18 & Mt 24:28*. This occurs because an angel had called upon all the birds of the air to eat the flesh of those who Jesus had killed. God talked about this event in the Old Testament: *Ezk 39:17-18 And you, son of man, So says the Lord Jehovah. Speak to the **bird** of every wing, and to every beast of the field: Gather yourselves and come; gather yourselves from all around to My sacrifice that I sacrifice for you, a great sacrifice on **the mountains of Israel**, so that you may eat flesh and drink blood. You shall eat the flesh of the mighty and drink the blood of the **rulers** of the earth, of rams, lambs, goats, and bulls, all of them fatlings of Bashan.* Notice that they shall all be dead on the mountains of Israel, which is where the armies of the antichrist were gathered. The birds were to eat the rulers of the Earth, who are gathered at Armageddon to try and prevent Jesus from coming to Israel where the prophets had said the Kingdom of Christ would be.

I believe what will really happen is that God will destroy them with a nuclear bomb, due to clues in *Zec 14:12: And this shall be the plague with which Jehovah will strike all the peoples who have fought against Jerusalem. Their **flesh** shall rot while they **stand** on their feet, and their eyes shall rot in their sockets. And their tongue shall rot in their mouth. This is exactly what happens when a nuclear bomb explodes.* And we also see this in, *Is 66:16: For by fire and by His sword Jehovah will execute judgment with all flesh; and the slain of Jehovah will be **many**.* This is describing the result of a large nuclear explosion since it affects people and the animals of the field *Zec 14:15*. It is well known that Israel has a plan that, if attacked, they will unleash the Samson Project that will kill everyone around them with nukes. While

the armies of the antichrist gather at Armageddon, God could use someone to push the nuclear button and kill all of them. So that when we return with Christ, they will be killed, yet we will not be affected, since we will have immortal bodies and Christ will clean up the Earth.

In Ezekiel chapter 38 and 39, we see the battle of Armageddon as the militaries of the antichrist gather in Israel at the end of the 7-year great tribulation, but they will be killed by Christ and eaten by birds.

Rev 19:21 ... And all the birds were filled from their flesh. Ezk 39:4

-The Beast and the False Prophet Punished

As the battle of Armageddon happens, the antichrist and his helper are dealt with: Rev 19:20 And the beast was taken, and with him the false prophet doing signs before it (by which he deceived those who had received the mark of the beast), and those who had worshiped his image. The two were thrown alive into the Lake of Fire burning with brimstone. The beast who is the antichrist, and his helper; the false prophet, are taken alive in battle. God does not wait to judge them in the Great White Throne Judgment; instead, they are thrown alive directly into the Lake of Fire, where everyone who does not have their name written in the Book of Life will be thrown. How humiliating; to be the first ones cast into the Lake of Fire.

In the book of Daniel, we read: Dn 7:11 Then I was looking because of the voice of the great words which the horn spoke. I watched until the beast was slain, and his body was destroyed and given to the burning flame. We read that “the body of the beast was destroyed and given to burning flame”, but John said that the beast along with the false prophet were thrown **alive** into the lake of fire. There are two possibilities for this; one is that although he was alive, he was destroyed by the burning flame which is the lake of fire. The other possibility is that when John says “**The two were thrown alive into the Lake of Fire**” it could be referring to them being dead physically, but alive spiritually, since the Lake of Fire is the second death. In fact, we read this in, 2Th 2:8 And then the lawless one will be revealed, whom the Lord shall consume with the breath of His mouth and shall destroy with the brightness of His coming.

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Is 11:4 And He shall strike the earth with the rod of His mouth, and with the breath of His lips He shall slay the wicked.

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We notice that only the antichrist and the false prophet are thrown into the Lake of Fire – What happened to the **image** of the beast? Well, it was only a statute, and not a real human. It was only able to talk because it had a demon inside of it Rev 13:15.

After ruling the world for 42 months, it is finally over for the antichrist and the false prophet. They are to be tormented in the Lake of Fire for all eternity. This reminds me of what **Jesus Christ said**: Mt 16:26: *For what is a man profited if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul? Or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?* This is exactly what happened to the antichrist and the false prophet: they gained the whole world but lost their souls.

-The Seventh Bowl

The final bowl is poured out: Rev. 16:17 *And the seventh angel poured out his vial into the air. And a great voice came out of the temple of Heaven, from the throne, saying, It is done! (I will gladly remind you what we read in* Rev 15:8 “...*no one was able to enter into the temple until the seven plagues of the seven angels were completed.*” Since the seven plagues are completed, we can now enter into the temple. After they are completed, God says, “**It is done!**”) There are no more bowls to pour out, and no more trumpets to be sounded. In the bowl judgments “*is filled up the wrath of God*” Rev 15:1.

Now we are told of a great earthquake: Rev. 16:18-19 *And there was a great earthquake, such as has not been since men were on the earth, so mighty and so great an earthquake. And the great city came to be into three parts, and the cities of the nations fell.* This is the most powerful earthquake “since men” have lived on Earth. Please notice that: “***the cities of the nations fell***”, this shows us that all the cities along with their huge buildings will all be destroyed, just as we have seen hurricanes flatten cities Ezk 38:20 *every wall shall fall to the ground.* Notice that: “***the great city came to be into three parts***” this will happen when Christ touches the Earth with His feet. Zec 14:4 *And His feet shall stand in that day on the Mount of Olives, which is before Jerusalem on the east, and the Mount of Olives shall divide from its middle, from the east and to the west, a very great valley.*

At this moment, God renovates the Earth: Rev. 16:20 *And every island fled away, and mountains were not found* This is exactly what Jesus showed the souls under the altar when He opened the **sixth** seal Rev 6:9-17, this happens at the end of the 7-year Great Tribulation. All this is done to prepare the Earth for the millennial reign of Christ.

THE 7 BOWLS:

- 1) A bad and grievous sore fell on those who had the mark of the beast.
- 2) The sea became blood, and every living soul died in the sea.
- 3) The rivers and fountains of waters became blood.
- 4) The sun was given power to burn men with fire.
- 5) The throne of the beast, and its kingdom became darkened. And they gnawed their tongues from the pain.
- 6) The great river Euphrates was dried up, so that the way of the kings from the rising of the sun might be prepared.
- 7) Armageddon, great earthquake, the great city came to be into three parts, cities of the nations fell, no more islands and mountains. Now we can enter God's Temple. It is done!

Note: *Zec 14:3 And Jehovah shall go out and fight against those nations, like the day He fought in the day of battle. Zec 14:4 And His feet shall stand in that day on the Mount of Olives, which is before Jerusalem on the east, and the Mount of Olives shall divide from its middle, from the east and to the west, a very great valley. And half of the mountain shall move toward the north, and half of it toward the south.*

I will explain some of the events that are *seen* in the **sixth seal**, but which will *happen* in the **seventh bowl**, in my own words:

The marriage of the Lamb has already happened and Christ tells His angels to gather His army (saints) together. The antichrist has gathered the militaries of his 10 kings in Israel in anticipation of Christ's return to Earth. The sun, moon, and stars become dark, God sends great hail to Earth confusing the militaries of the antichrist, this will cause great panic and the armies of the antichrist will attack each other yet many of them seek the caves for protection from God's wrath. As Jesus is seen coming, a nuclear bomb explodes in Israel killing many of the antichrist's militaries. The result is a nuclear mushroom cloud, which looks like a scroll being rolled up. The army of the Lord is climbing walls going in through windows to kill all of those left alive who have the mark of the beast Joe 2:2-9.

Now Jesus speaks, causing the greatest earthquake that men have ever experienced. This causes all the cities of the nations to collapse. All the mountains are made flat and every island disappears. Christ's feet shall stand in that day on the Mount of Olives, and the Mount of Olives shall divide from its middle, from the east to the west. At this point, there are some dead bodies left in Israel so an angel commands the birds to eat their flesh. And now the Earth will become a peaceful place to live in for 1,000 years.

Isa 34:2 For the anger of Jehovah is on all nations, and His fury on all their armies. He has completely destroyed them, He has delivered them to the slaughter. Isa 34:3 Also their **dead** shall be thrown out, and their stink shall come up out of their dead bodies, and the mountains shall be melted with their blood.

Here are some of the verses where these events are found:

Job 38:22 Have you entered into the storehouses of the snow? Or have you seen the storehouses of the **hail**, Job 38:23 which I have kept for the time of trouble, against the day of battle and war?

Is 13:10 For the stars of the heavens and their constellations shall not give light; the sun shall be darkened in its going forth, and the moon shall not reflect its light.

Ezk 38:22 And I will judge him with a plague and with **blood**. And I will rain on him, and on his bands, and on the many peoples with him, an overflowing shower, and great hailstones, fire and brimstone.

Joel 2:10 The earth shall tremble before them; **the heavens shall shake**. The sun and the moon shall grow dark, and the stars shall gather in their light.

Joel 2:31 The sun shall be turned into darkness, and the moon into **blood**, before the coming of the great and awesome day of Jehovah.

Joel 3:15 The sun and the moon shall be darkened, and the stars shall gather in their light.

Mt 24:29 And immediately after the tribulation of those days, the sun shall be darkened and the moon shall not give her light, and the stars shall fall from the heaven, and the powers of the heavens shall be shaken.

Mark 13:24-25 But in those days, after that tribulation, the sun shall be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light, and the stars of Heaven shall fall, and the powers in the heavens shall be shaken.

Act 2:20 The sun shall be turned into darkness and the moon into **blood**, before that great and glorious Day of the Lord.

Rev 6:12 And when He had opened the sixth seal, I looked, and behold, there was a **great earthquake**. And the **sun** became black as sackcloth of hair, and the **moon** became like **blood**.

Rev 6:13 And the **stars** of heaven **fell** to the earth, even as a fig tree casts her untimely figs when she is shaken by a mighty wind.

Rev 16:21 And a **great hail**, as the size of a talent, came down out of the heaven on men. And men blasphemed God because of the plague of the hail; for the plague of it was exceedingly great.

These events of darkness & hail will cause great panic, and they will attack each other: Ezk 38:21 And I will call for a sword against him on all My mountains, says the Lord Jehovah. Each man's **sword** shall be **against his brother**. & Zec 14:13 And it shall be in that day a great panic of Jehovah shall be among them And they shall each one lay hold of his neighbor, and his hand shall rise up against the hand of his neighbor .

Some Powerful Armageddon events:

Is 24:19 The earth is breaking, breaking! The earth is crashing, crashing! The earth is tottering, tottering! Is 24:20 Like a drunkard the earth is staggering, staggering! And it rocks to and fro like a tree-hut! And its sins heavy on it; and it shall fall and not rise again.

Is 24:21 And it shall be in that day, Jehovah shall **punish** the **host of the high place on high**, and on **the kings of the earth on the earth.**

Is 24:22 And they shall be gathered, as prisoners are gathered in a **dungeon**. And they shall be shut up **in the prison**, and after many days they shall be **judged**.

Isa 24:23 Then the moon shall blush, and the sun shall be ashamed, when **Jehovah of Hosts shall reign** in Mount Zion, in Jerusalem, and gloriously before His elders.

IT SHALL BE IN THAT DAY:

Jehovah will “punish the host of the high” (Satan) “on high” Rev 12:7

Jehovah will punish “the kings of the earth” 10 kings “on the earth”

They are placed in hell “shut up in the prison” for 1,000 years

“After many days” 1,000 years later “they shall be judged” Rev 20:11-15

The earth is breaking! The earth is crashing! The earth is tottering!

This happens when Christ removes the islands & mountains Rev 6:14, 16:20

Jehovah of Hosts shall reign in Mount Zion, in Jerusalem, and gloriously before His elders. (This is the 1,000 year reign of Christ)

Luke 21:22 For these are the days of vengeance, that all things which are written may be fulfilled **All things which are written will be fulfilled.**

THE 7 BIBLICAL FEASTS:

1 Passover – Jesus “The Lamb” crucified

2 Unleavened bread – Sin is removed / paid for (Is 53)

3 Firstfruits – Resurrection of Christ (Mt 27:52-53)

4 Pentecost – Holy Spirit is given to believers

5 Trumpets – The Rapture

6 Day of Atonement – The Great Tribulation

7 Tabernacles – Millennium & eternal earth Zec 14:16

THE 7 RAPTURE TYPES:

1 ENOCH (Gen 5:24) - (The 7th from Adam Jude 1:14)

2 ELIJAH (2 Ki 2:11)

3 CAPTIVITY (PARADISE) (Eph 4:8)

4 JESUS (Acts 1:9)

5 THE GREAT MULTITUDE (Rev 7:9)

6 THE TWO WITNESSES (Rev 11:11-12)

7 THE 144,000 JEWS (Rev 14:1-5)