

“God’s Wrath is Finished: Armageddon”

Rev. 15-16

The Revelation of Jesus Christ

Introduction: In Revelation we see believers facing an ever-increasing tribulation of persecution, seduction and deception. Correspondingly we see escalating judgments upon the World by God. At some point, Satan will deceive the nations into conducting an all-out global assault upon Christ’s Church in a last, desperate attempt to wipe out God’s Kingdom. But Christ will return to bring a final and decisive judgment upon those who have persecuted his Church and blasphemed his name.

1. The End of God’s Wrath (Ch 15)
 - a. Plagues Introduced (v.1)
 - b. A Song of Moses and the Lamb- the second Exodus (v.2-4)
 - c. An Introduction to the End (v.5-8)

2. The Bowls of God’s Wrath (Ch.16)
 - a. First Bowl – On the Earth
 - b. Second Bowl – Into the Sea
 - c. Third Bowl – Into the Rivers and Springs
 - d. Fourth Bowl – On the Sun
 - e. Fifth Bowl – Darkness

3. The Sixth Bowl – Armageddon (v. 12-16)
 - a. Drying of the waters and the “Kings of the East” (v.12)
 - b. The great deception (v.13-14)
 - c. Christ’s Exhortation
 - d. A place called *Har-Magedon*

4. The Seventh Bowl – The Destruction of Babylon

What does this mean and why does it matter?

1. The point of the passage is to illustrate Christ’s ultimate victory over Satan, his followers and all systems opposed to Christ.
2. It’s not about aligning with any Nation or Geo-political entities for a war. Your only hope in the judgments to come is faith in Christ. Be found in Him.
3. Stay Awake, Stay Vigilant. Do not be seduced or deceived.