

*The Book of Revelation*  
***A Study of the End Times!***



# ***Our Journey Continues!***

*The Text:*

*Revelation 16:1-21!*

*The Title:*

***The Coming Final Judgment of God!***

*The Theme:*

*The Revealing of the Things  
Which Must Shortly Come to Pass!*

## ***II Peter 1:20-21!***

***But know this first of all, that no prophecy of Scripture is a matter of ones' own interpretation, for no prophecy was ever made by an act of human will, but men moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.***



## ***II Timothy 3:16-17!***

***All Scripture is inspired by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, for training in righteousness; that the man of God may be adequate, equipped for every good work.***



*The Outline For Chapters 15 and 16*  
*These Two Chapters Stand Together as a Unit!*

**Last Week:**

- I. (15:1-4) The Prelude to the Bowl Judgments.
- II. (15:5-8) The Preparation for the Bowl Judgments.

**This Week:**

- III. (16:1-12) The Pouring Out of the Bowl Judgments.
- IV. (16:13-14) The Purpose of the Bowl Judgments.
- V. (16:15) The Parenthetical Warning Before the Judgments.
- VI. (16:16-21) The Perfecting of the Bowl Judgments.

## ***Speaking About the Final Days Isaiah 13:6-9!***

***Wail, for the day of the Lord is near!  
It will come as destruction from the Almighty.  
Therefore all hands will fall limp,  
And every man's heart will melt.  
They will be terrified,  
Pains and anguish will take hold of them;  
They will writhe like a women in labor;  
They will look at one another in astonishment,  
Their faces aflame.  
Behold, the day of the Lord is coming.  
Cruel, with fury and burning anger,  
To make the land a desolation;  
And He will exterminate its sinners from it.***

## ***Ezekiel 30:3!***

*Describes the Day of the Lord as  
a time of doom for the nations.*

## ***Joel 1:15!***

*Alas for the day! For the Day of the Lord is near, and it will  
come as destruction from the Almighty!*

## ***Amos 4:12!***

*Prepare to meet your God!*

# ***Speaking About the Final Days Zephaniah 1:14-18!***

***Near is the great day of the Lord!  
Near and coming quickly:  
Listen, the day of the Lord!  
In it the warrior cries out bitterly.  
A day of wrath is that day.  
A day of trouble and distress.  
A day of destruction and desolation.  
A day of darkness and gloom.  
A day of clouds and thick darkness.  
A day of trumpet and battle cry  
Against the fortified cities  
And the high corner towers. (continued)***



## ***Speaking About the Final Days Zephaniah 1:14-18!***

***I will bring distress on men  
So that they will walk like the blind,  
Because they have sinned against the Lord:  
And their blood will be poured out like dust  
And their flesh like dung.  
Neither their silver nor their gold  
Will be able to deliver them  
On the day of the Lord's wrath;  
And all the earth will be devoured  
In the fire of His jealousy,  
For He will make a complete end,  
Indeed a terrifying one,  
Of all the inhabitants of the earth.***

## *Last Week's Sermon Outline: Chapter 15!*

- I. (15:1-4) The Prelude to the Bowl Judgments!
  - A. (v.1) The Sign from Heaven.
  - B. (v.2) The Sea of Glass.
  - C. (vs.3-4) The Song of Moses.



## *Last Week's Sermon Outline: Chapter 15!*

II. (15:5-8) The Preparation for the Bowl Judgments!

A. (vs.5-6) The Scene in Heaven.

B. (v.7) The Seven Golden Bowls.

C. (v.8) The Smoke in the Temple.



# Today's Sermon Outline!

III. (16:1-12) The POURING OUT of the Bowl Judgments.

A. (v.1a) The Commission given to the seven angels!

B. (v.1b) The Command given to the seven angels!

C. (vs.2-12) The Commentary on the judgments!



# Today's Sermon Outline!

III. (16:1-12) The POURING OUT of the Bowl Judgments.

C. (vs.2-12) The Commentary on the judgments!

1. (v.2) The First Bowl: Grievous Sores!

2. (v.3) The Second Bowl: Sea Turns to Blood!

3. (vs.4-7) The Third Bowl: Fresh Water to Blood!

4. (vs.8-9) The Fourth Bowl: Sun Smitten by

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III. (16:1-12) The **POURING OUT** of the Bowl Judgments.

IV. (16:13-14) The **PURPOSE** of the Bowl Judgments.

In these verses John is given a comprehensive understanding of the purpose of the judgments by means of symbolism.

## ***The Symbolism:***

1. Three evil spirits that look like frogs (unclean).
2. The three spirits come out of the dragon & two beasts.
3. The words of the dragon and beasts cause the world to gather in the valley of Armageddon to wage war.

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V. (16:15) The **PARENTHETICAL** Warning

Before the Last Bowl Judgment.

Just as believers in the “Church Age” are not to be taken by surprise at the time of the Lord's rapture of His church, so too, the believers who are to go through the time of the Great Tribulation are not to be caught off guard at the time of Christ's second coming. The battle of Armageddon will mark the time of the end of the world and the beginning of a new heaven and earth.

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Last Bowl Judgment.

VI. (16:16-21) The **PERFECTING** of the Bowl Judgments.

(With Verse 17 the Seventh Bowl is



# Three Lessons from Today's Sermon!

1. In this chapter we learn that the Babylon that stands in opposition to God's people today (beheading of Christians and the extermination of Israel) will continue to oppose God's people to the end of time. This is proof that the heart of man is totally corrupt and desperately evil.



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2. It is in chapter 16 that we learn that the same people

who rejected Christ during the time of His grace (the

church age) will also reject Him during the coming

time of His wrath. Because of this God's long-

suffering and mercy will come to an end and His

judgment and wrath will be poured out.



# Three Lessons from Today's Sermon!

3. In this chapter we find believers who remain faithful to God even when it costs them their lives. Their example should encourage and exhort us to be steadfast in our love for God today. Remember we have been called to be salt and light in a world filled with sin and darkness.



# Next Week: Revelation Chapters 16 and 17!

**The Final Interlude in the Book of Revelation!**

