



The **Revelation** of Jesus Christ

Seven Seals Lesson 15: Chapter 6

- **Hast seen** – Chapter 1, Glorified Christ
- **Which Are** – Chapters 2 & 3 – “the church age”
- **Which shall be “meta tauta” – what happens next**
- Beginning with Rapture – 4:1
- Picture of heaven – chapters 4 & 5
 - Document in the Right hand of Him on the Throne
 - Legal Document – seven seals
 - Deed – (Jeremiah 32) – Kinsman Redeemer
 - Must be qualified
 - Must be capable
 - Must be willing
 - Fulfillment of Daniel 7:13-14 **(14)** *And there was given him dominion, and glory, and a kingdom, that all people, nations, and languages, should serve him: his dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and his kingdom that which shall not be destroyed.*
 - Revelation 11:15 *“The kingdoms of this world are become the kingdoms of our Lord and of his Christ; and he shall reign for ever and ever.”*
- **Tribulation – Revelation 6 – 19. The Kinsman Redeemer, the Lamb who had been slain is worthy to take the Scroll and open the seals.**
- Millennium & GWT – Revelation 20
- New Heaven, Earth & Jerusalem – Eternity – Revelation 21 & 22

Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse

1. The Bible is the best commentary on the Bible. We are introduced to types of these horsemen in Zechariah 1 & 7.
2. They are sent out to patrol the earth.
3. God is displeased with the Gentile nations joy at the subjugation of Israel (God's Chosen People).
4. They are dispatched in order to judge the world and appease God's anger.



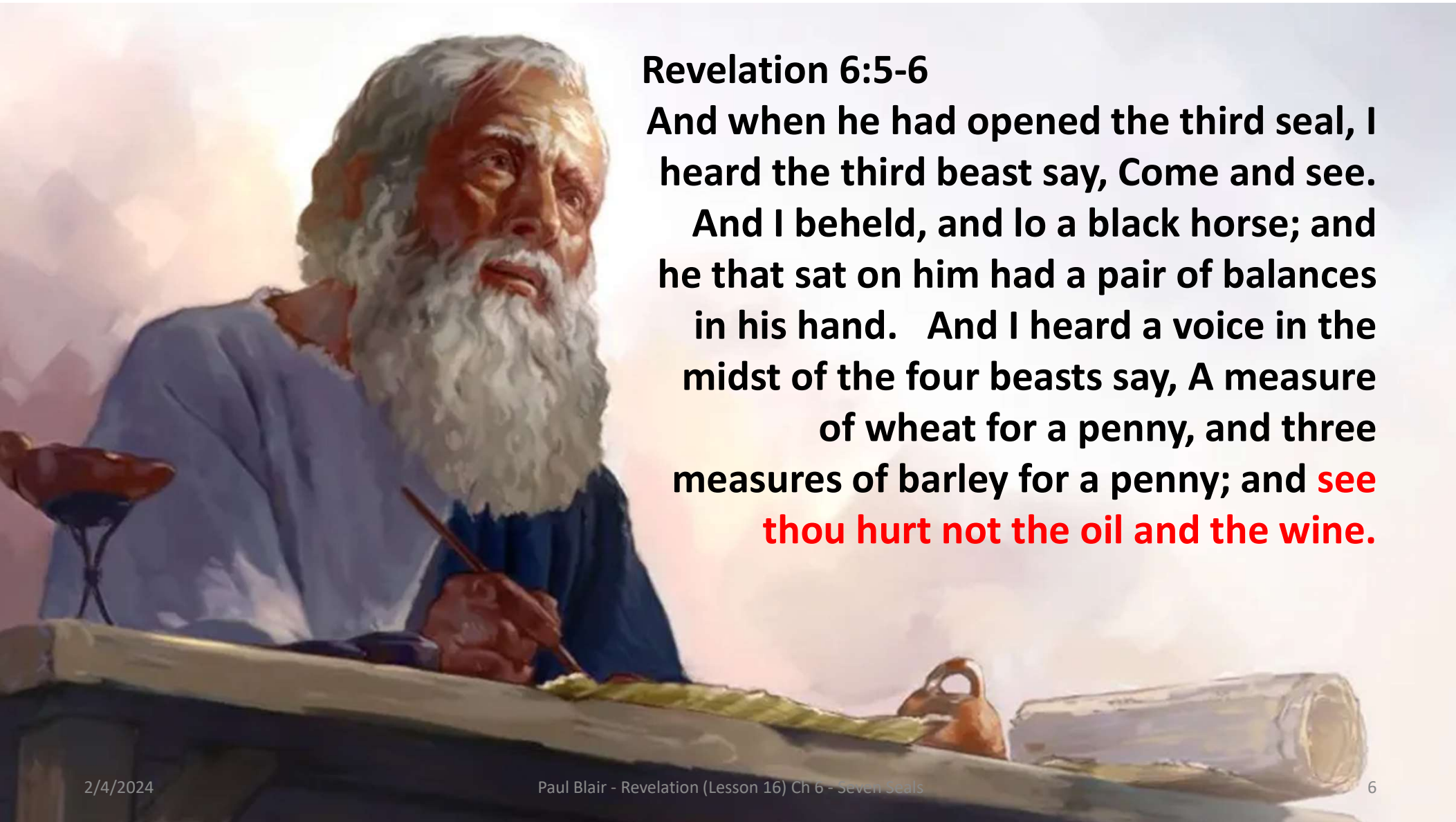
The Sword of Man IS God's Wrath

- **Ezek 29:8** *Therefore thus saith the Lord God; **Behold, I will bring a sword upon thee**, and cut off man and beast out of thee.*
- **Ezek 30:24** *And **I will strengthen the arms of the king of Babylon, and put my sword in his hand: but I will break Pharaoh's arms**, and he shall groan before him with the groanings of a deadly wounded man.*
- **Ezek 33:2** *Son of man, speak to the children of thy people, and say unto them, **When I bring the sword upon a land**, if the people of the land take a man of their coasts, and set him for their watchman:*

Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse

1. Rider on White Horse, with stephanos crown, bow but no arrows – conquered through peace.
2. Rider on Red Horse – absence of peace (civil war).
3. Rider on Black Horse with balances. Famine/slavery.

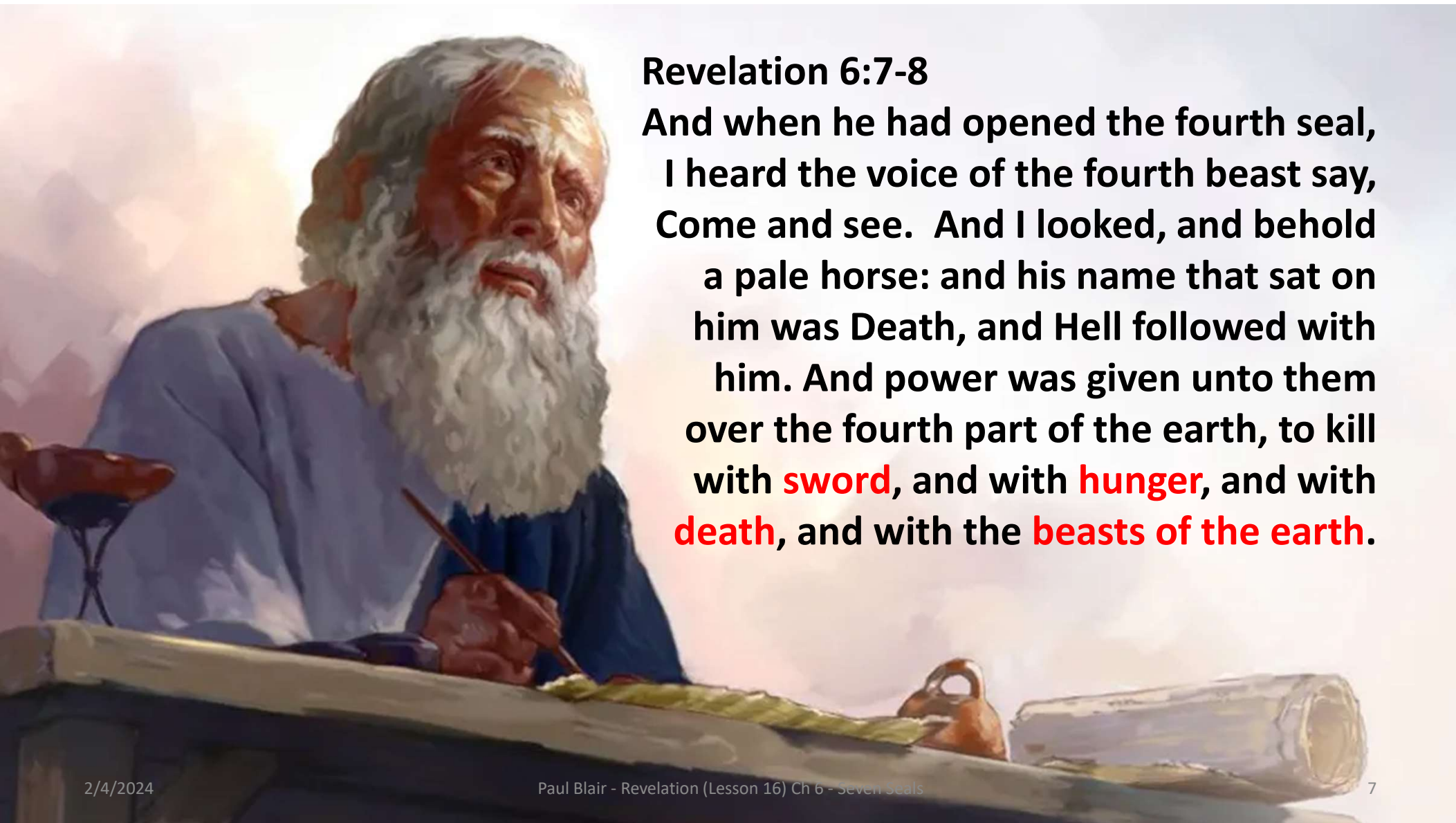




Revelation 6:5-6

And when he had opened the third seal, I heard the third beast say, Come and see.

And I beheld, and lo a black horse; and he that sat on him had a pair of balances in his hand. And I heard a voice in the midst of the four beasts say, A measure of wheat for a penny, and three measures of barley for a penny; and **see thou hurt not the oil and the wine.**




Revelation 6:7-8

**And when he had opened the fourth seal,
I heard the voice of the fourth beast say,
Come and see. And I looked, and behold
a pale horse: and his name that sat on
him was Death, and Hell followed with
him. And power was given unto them
over the fourth part of the earth, to kill
with sword, and with hunger, and with
death, and with the beasts of the earth.**

Lev 26:21-22, 25-28

And if ye walk contrary unto me, and will not hearken unto me; ... ***I will also send wild beasts among you, which shall rob you of your children, and destroy your cattle, and make you few in number; and your highways shall be desolate.***

And ***I*** will bring a sword upon you, that shall avenge the quarrel of my covenant: and when ye are gathered together within your cities, ***I will send the pestilence among you; and ye shall be delivered into the hand of the enemy. And when I have broken the staff of your bread,*** ten women shall bake your bread in one oven, and they shall deliver you your bread again by weight: and ye shall eat, and not be satisfied. And if ye will not for all this hearken unto me, but walk contrary unto me; Then I will walk contrary unto you also in fury; and I, even I, will chastise you seven times for your sins.





Eze 14:21

For thus saith the Lord God; How much more when I send my four sore judgments upon Jerusalem, the **sword, and the **famine**, and the **noisome beast**, and the **pestilence**, to cut off from it man and beast?**



Revelation 6:7-11

And when he had opened the fifth seal, I saw under the altar the souls of them that were slain for the word of God, and for the testimony which they held: And they cried with a loud voice, saying, *“How long, O Lord, holy and true, dost thou not judge and avenge our blood on them that dwell on the earth?”* And white robes were given unto every one of them; and it was said unto them, that they should rest yet for a little season, until their fellowservants also and their brethren, that should be killed as they were, should be fulfilled.



Lev 4:7 (18, 25, 30)

And the priest shall put some of the blood upon the horns of the altar of sweet incense before the Lord, which is in the tabernacle of the congregation: and shall pour all the blood of the bullock at the bottom of the altar of the burnt offering, which is at the door of the tabernacle of the congregation.

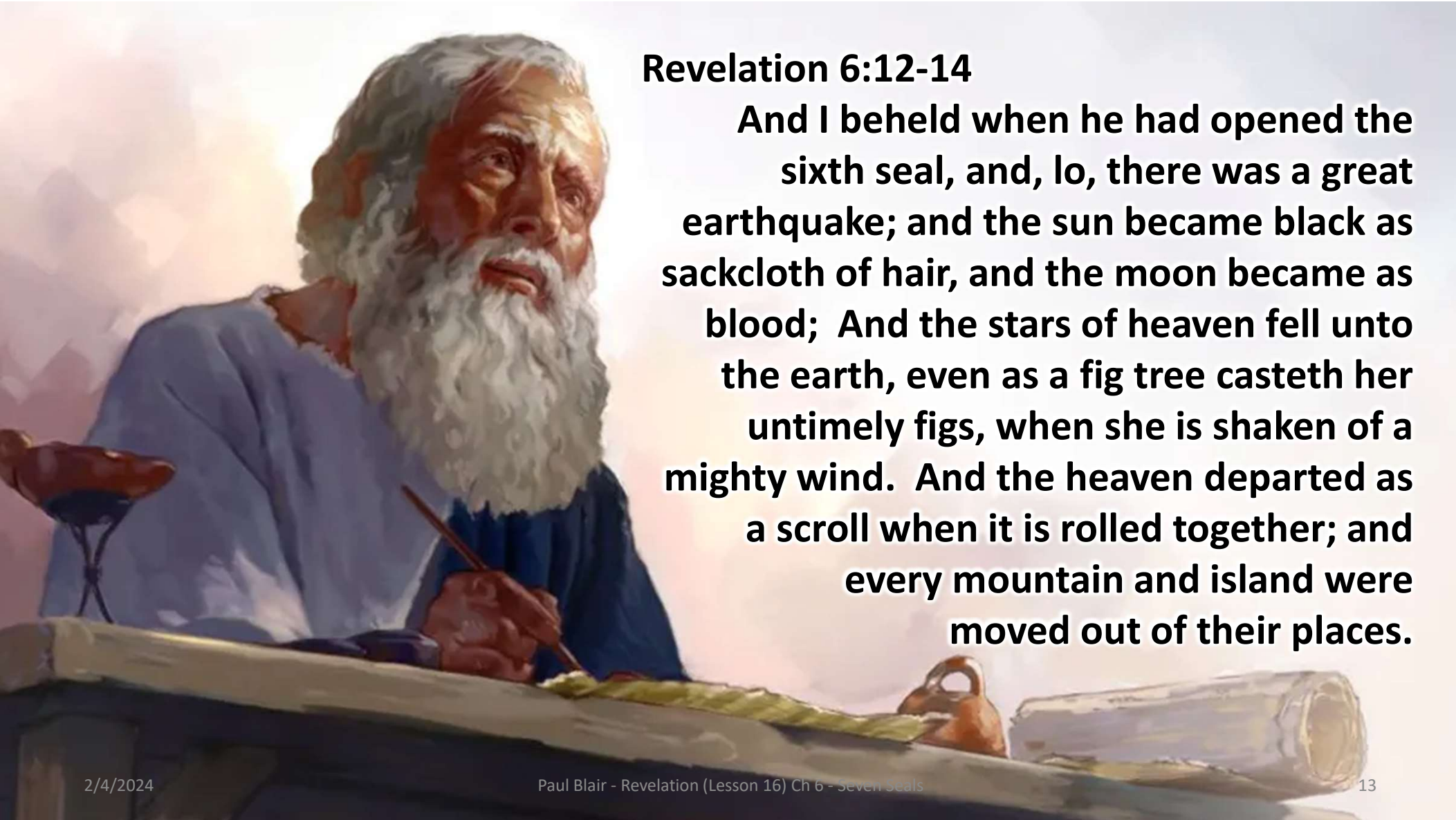


Halacha in Malachim 5:11

And the one buried in it (*the land of Israel*) was atoned for. And as *if the place where it is an altar of atonement.*

Leviticus indicates the blood of the sacrifice of atonement. Jewish tradition seems to indicate that connection between the holy altar of atonement and being found righteous.

Together we see those martyred for their faith in the Tribulation ARE saved from their sins as believers and are in heaven, but they are distinct from the 24 Elders.



Revelation 6:12-14

And I beheld when he had opened the sixth seal, and, lo, there was a great earthquake; and the sun became black as sackcloth of hair, and the moon became as blood; And the stars of heaven fell unto the earth, even as a fig tree casteth her untimely figs, when she is shaken of a mighty wind. And the heaven departed as a scroll when it is rolled together; and every mountain and island were moved out of their places.

Isa 13:9-11

Behold, the day of the Lord cometh, cruel both with wrath and fierce anger, to lay the land desolate: and he shall destroy the sinners thereof out of it. For the stars of heaven and the constellations thereof shall not give their light: the sun shall be darkened in his going forth, and the moon shall not cause her light to shine. And I will punish the world for their evil, and the wicked for their iniquity; and I will cause the arrogancy of the proud to cease, and will lay low the haughtiness of the terrible.

Joel 2:10-11

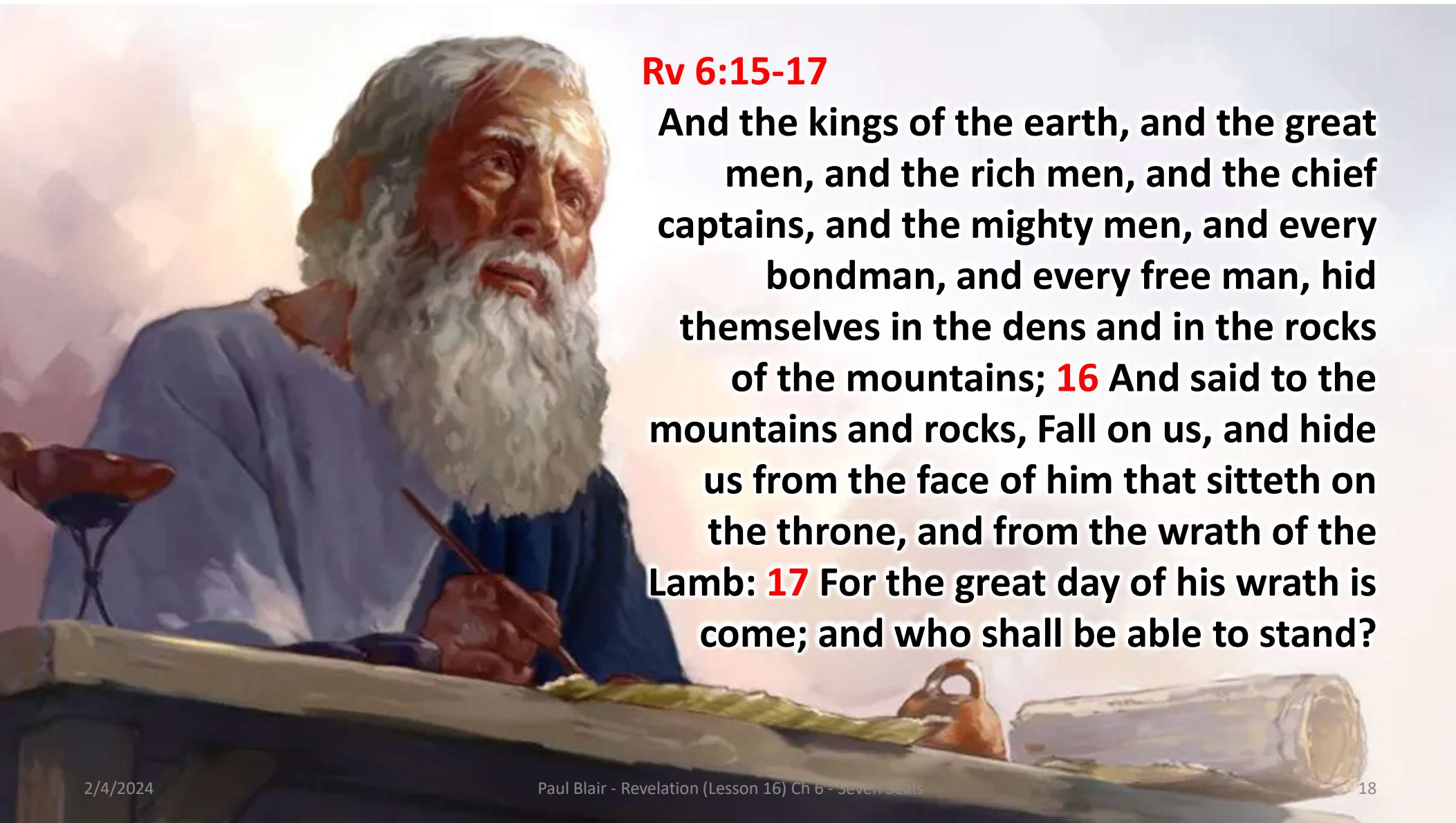
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Joel 2:30-32

And I will shew wonders in the heavens and in the earth, blood, and fire, and pillars of smoke. The sun shall be turned into darkness, and the moon into blood, before the great and the terrible day of the Lord come. And it shall come to pass, that whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be delivered: for in mount Zion and in Jerusalem shall be deliverance, as the Lord hath said, and in the remnant whom the Lord shall call.

Mt 24:29-30

Immediately after the tribulation of those days shall the sun be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light, and the stars shall fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens shall be shaken: And then shall appear the sign of the Son of man in heaven: and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.



Rv 6:15-17

And the kings of the earth, and the great men, and the rich men, and the chief captains, and the mighty men, and every bondman, and every free man, hid themselves in the dens and in the rocks of the mountains; **16 And said to the mountains and rocks, Fall on us, and hide us from the face of him that sitteth on the throne, and from the wrath of the Lamb: **17** For the great day of his wrath is come; and who shall be able to stand?**

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Joel 3:11 Assemble yourselves, and come, all ye heathen, and gather yourselves together round about: thither cause thy mighty ones to come down, O Lord.

Joel 3:15-17 The sun and the moon shall be darkened, and the stars shall withdraw their shining. The Lord also shall roar out of Zion, and utter his voice from Jerusalem; and the heavens and the earth shall shake: **but the Lord will be the hope of his people, and the strength of the children of Israel.** So shall ye know that I am the Lord your God dwelling in Zion, my holy mountain: then shall Jerusalem be holy, and there shall no **strangers** pass through her any more.

Joel 3:20-21 But Judah shall dwell for ever, and Jerusalem from generation to generation. For I will cleanse their blood that I have not cleansed: for the Lord dwelleth in Zion.

Remember

Parenthetical inserts are in Chapter 7, chapters 10-14, and chapter 16. They fall between the 6th and 7th seal, trumpet and bowl.

They add color to the narrative. They don't add more information, just greater details to what has already been spoken.

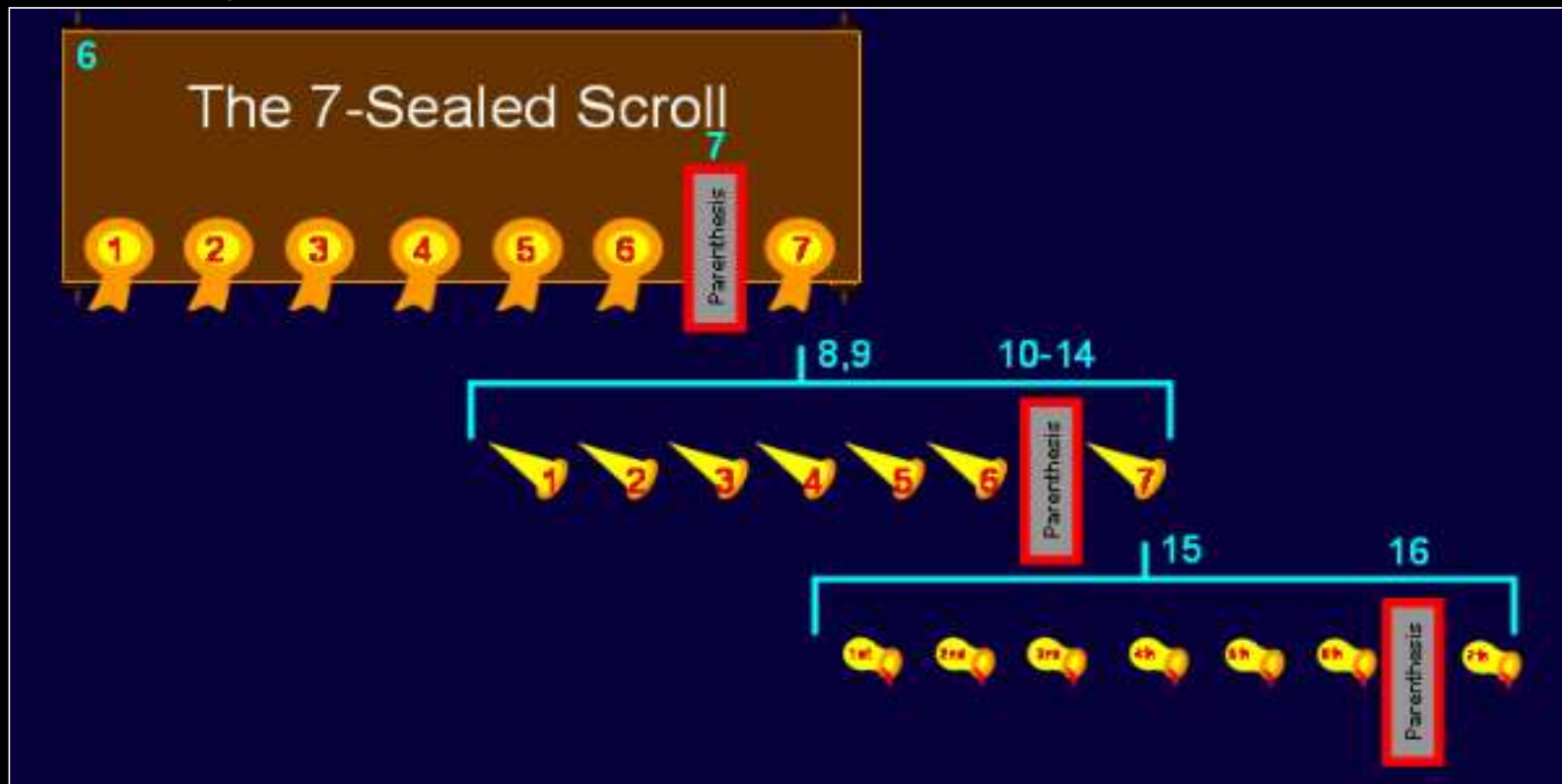
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- 1 – Vision of Jesus
- 2-3 – Church Age
- 4-5 - Rapture/Heaven



- 17-18 – Babylon
- 19 - Armageddon
- 20 - Millennium/GWT
- 21-22 - Eternity



The **Revelation** of Jesus Christ

Who shall survive?
Lesson 16: Chapter 7