

The Study of Revelation, 1 & 2 Thessalonians, and James

Revelation 12:1-13:18; "An Evil Trinity"

DIVISIONS AND PRINCIPLES

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Division 1: John sees a pregnant woman and a great dragon waiting to devour her child.

Revelation 12:1-6

(Additional citations: Genesis 22:18; Genesis 15:6; Genesis 37:9-11; Romans 4:23; Daniel 7:7; Matthew 2:13-16; Matthew 24:15-21)

Principle #1: God credits righteousness only to those who learn and believe God's Words about Jesus and his atoning sacrifice.

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Division 2: John sees the great dragon, Satan, conquered and thrown down to earth.

Revelation 12:7-17

(Additional citations: Daniel 10:13; Matthew 7:13; Isaiah 8:7)

Principle #2: The only way to conquer Satan is to truly believe God's Word that teaches the Lamb of God (Jesus) died for your sins and share it until the end.

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Division 3: John sees the great dragon, Satan, giving his power and authority to the two beasts.

Revelation 13:1-18

(Additional citations: Matthew 7:15; Daniel 8-12; 2 Thessalonians 2; Ephesians 1:13-14; Matthew 12:30)

Principle #3: Neutrality in the cosmic battle between God and Satan, over who we believe, is never an option.

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