



**"Jesus Revealed  
– A Study through Revelation"  
The Beginning of Judgments...Chapter 6/7  
"No Longer Withheld"  
"Salvation belongs to our God,  
who sits on the throne and to the Lamb."  
Revelation 7:10b**

**A. The judgments of God are no longer being withheld ...**

1. Little by little these judgments were revealed throughout Scripture. 25 books of the Old Testament are referred to in over 500 verses of Revelation.
2. There are three sets of judgments poured out on the earth by the angels.
3. There are two schools of thought as to whether these judgments are successive or contemporaneous over the three and a half or seven years, known as "The Great Tribulation."
4. These judgments are seven seals, seven trumpets, and seven bowls!

*"For the great day of their wrath has come and who can stand?" Revelation 6:17*

**B. The seven seals ...**

*"I watched as the Lamb opened the first of the seven seals."*

1. The first seal is the white horse of military conquest with a bow (military power), and a victor's crown.
2. The second seal is the red horse of conflict, setting man against man, and nation against nation, taking peace from the earth.
3. The third seal is the black horse of famine, depicting a very severe time of hardship where a day's wages will be spent in one serving of wheat.
4. The fourth seal is the pale horse of death and pestilence killing over a fourth of the world's population.
5. The fifth seal opens and the voices of those martyred for their faith cry out!
6. The sixth seal opens and a great earthquake comes to the earth, the sun darkens, the moon turns red, stars fall, the sky recedes, and mountains and islands are moved.
7. The seventh seal brings...silence!

**C. The tribulation has begun...**

*"After this I looked and there before me was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, tribe, people and language standing before the throne and in front of the Lamb. They were wearing white robes and were holding palm branches in their hands."*

1. This is a time where all of this pain will be experienced universally.
2. All people, kings, princes, rich, mighty, and every type of man, will be seeking a place to hide.
3. The wrath of the Lamb will be felt and experienced by all mankind.
4. Although the earth is experiencing tribulation, heaven is a scene of worship with great rejoicing to the overcomers.
5. The overcomers will not experience the wrath of the Lamb but the care of a great shepherd.

6. The promises will be theirs....They will serve day and night, His presence will surround them; they will never be hungry or thirsty; they will be protected from harm; Jesus will be their shepherd and care for them; and "God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

**D. So, let our worship on earth, resemble the worship of heaven....**

*"Amen! Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks and honor and power and strength be to our God for ever and ever. Amen!" Revelation 7:12*

1. Let there be praise...to the God of Creation! You deserve all our praise and adoration!
2. Let there be glory...all glory and majesty to the King of Kings and Lord of Lords! You are the only true God and all glory is yours!
3. Let there be wisdom...Omniscience or all knowledge belongs to our God! You know what you are doing in my life and I trust you!
4. Let there be thanks...every good and perfect gift comes down from the Father in Heaven! You are the giver of my salvation and the provider of grace in my life!
5. Let there be honor...only God deserves all honor! You are worthy of all honor and all my worship!
6. Let there be power...Omnipotent or all powerful God! You are working out your purpose in my life and can control all circumstances.
7. Let there be strength...God is mighty in His work among us! You give me strength for each day, for each moment, for each circumstance because your strength is enough for me!

*"He who testifies to these things says, 'Yes, I am coming soon.' Amen. Come, Lord Jesus." Revelation 22:20*