BOOK OF REVELATION – Part 8

The Third Angel of Revelation 14 8/21/24

- Today Opportunity to give a Bible study
- Title "Book of Revelation Part 8"

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Rev. 14:9-11 then a third angel followed them saying with a loud voice - "If anyone worships the beast and his image, and receives his mark on his forehead or on his hand, he himself shall also drink of the wine of the wrath of God (which is poured out full strength into the cup of His indignation. He shall be tormented with fire and brimstone in the presence of the holy angels and in the presence of the Lamb. And the smoke of their torment ascends forever and ever, and they have no rest day or night – who worship the beast and image, and whoever receives the mark of his name."

Let's talk – about the beast

Dan. 7:3-7	Daniel had a dream – 4 great beasts can first – like a lion the	ne up from the sea ird – like a leopard
		urth – dreadful, terrible – 10 horns
17	"these great beasts (which are 4) are for	
18	the saints receive the kingdom	
19-27	the truth about the fourth beast	
	"zoon" – (Strong's #2226) – noun – livi "beasts" – 16 times"beast	•
Rev. 4:7	(King James = "beast" and New King James = like a lion	third – face like a man
	second – like a calf	fourth – like a flying eagle
	"therion" – (Strong's #2342) – noun – animal, beast, snake	
	"beast" – 40 times"beasts –	3 times"wild beasts" – 3 times
Rev. 13:1-2	a first beast – I saw a beast rising out of	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	crowns and a blasphemous name mouth like a lion – the dragon g	<u>*</u> '
	authority	
3	one of the heads – wounded & healed	

they worshipped the dragon – who gave authority to the beast

5	authority for 42 months
6	opened his mouth – blasphemy against God – to blaspheme His name, His tabernacle and those who dwell in heaven
7	it was granted for him to make war with the saints – authority was given over every tribe, tongue and nation
11	a second beast – another beast out of the earth
12	authority like the first beast – causes the earth to worship the first beast
	Let's talk – about the image, the mark and the number of the beast
Rev. 14:9	image and mark image = reflection of the reality mark = forehead (thoughts) or hand (actions)
Rev. 13:15	IMAGE – beast is given power – to breath life to the image of the beast to a person? to a group of people? to a system?
16	MARK – receive a mark on right hand (actions) or on forehead (thoughts)
10	WARK – receive a mark on right hand (actions) of on forenead (thoughts)

An article written by Gregory Beale was posted at faculty.wts.edu (Westminister Seminary) on February 11, 2015. Following is an excerpt from the article.

"Gematria: In the ancient world, letters of the alphabet often substituted for numerals (our numeral system derives from the later Arabic mathematicians). Hence, each letter stood for a number. The problem is that no clear identification can be made linking 666 with any particular ancient historical name. Attempts have been made to alter spellings and incorporate titles to try to make a multitude of names fit, but nothing conclusive has emerged. Most commonly, the number has been identified with Nero, on the basis of a Hebrew transliteration of the title 'Nero Caesar.' However, this option flounders on confusion concerning the exact Hebrew spelling of Caesar, and does not fit that fact that John's readers were largely Greek-speaking, and that Nero had many titles other than Caesar. . . . More than 100 names were proposed in Britain between 1560 and 1830. Last century the names of Kaiser and Hitler, among others, have also been calculated to equal 666."

Rev. 9:11 Rev. 16:16	two possibilities – "in Hebrew" or "in Greek" in this case, specifically mentioned – "in Hebrew"
	Let's talk – about torment "forever"
Rev. 14:10-11	torment – forever and ever
Rev. 20:10	the devil – cast into lake of fire – beast & false prophet – tormented day and night forever
14	then death and Hades were cast into lake of fire – this is the second death