

Visions of Judgment Rev. 12-20

A. Two Signs in Heaven 1) a. The Woman

True Israel: Messianic Church  
(Jewish remnant)

b. Birth ref

b' Birth ref

2) a' The Dragon

Rev. 12:1 And a great sign appeared in **heaven**:

a **woman** clothed with the sun,  
with the moon under her feet,  
and on her head a crown of twelve stars.

Rev. 12:2 She was pregnant  
and was crying out in **birth** pains  
and the agony of giving **birth**.

Rev. 12:3 And another sign appeared in **heaven**:

And behold, a great **red dragon**,  
with seven heads  
and ten horns,  
and on his heads seven diadems.

Rev. 12:4 And his tail swept down a third of the stars of **heaven**  
and **cast** them to the **earth**.

And the **dragon** stood before the **woman**  
who was about to give **birth**,

so that when she bore her child he might devour it.

Rev. 12:5 And she gave **birth** to a male son,  
one who is to rule all the nations with a rod of iron,  
and her child was caught up to God  
and to his throne,

Rev. 12:6 and the **woman** fled into the wilderness,  
where she has a place prepared by God,  
in which she is to be nourished for 1,260 days.

Rev. 12:7 And war arose in the **heaven**,  
Michael and his angels fighting against the **dragon**.

And the **dragon** and his angels fought back,

Rev. 12:8 and he did not prevail,  
nor was a place found for them in the **heaven**.

Rev. 12:9 And **he** was **cast**,  
the great **dragon**  
the ancient serpent,  
who is called the devil and the Satan,

the deceiver of the whole world—  
he was **cast** into the **earth**,  
and his angels were **cast** with him.

Rev. 12:10 And I heard a loud voice in **heaven**, saying,  
“Now the salvation  
and the power

and the kingdom of our God  
and the authority of his Christ have come,  
because the accuser of our brothers has been **cast**,  
who accuses them day and night before our God.  
Rev. 12:11 And they have conquered him  
by the blood of the Lamb  
and by the word of their testimony,  
and they loved not their lives even unto death.

Rev. 12:12 Therefore, rejoice, O **heavens**  
and you who dwell in them!  
Woe to the **earth**  
and the sea,  
because the devil has come down to you having great wrath,  
knowing that little time is remaining!”

Rev. 12:13 And when the **dragon** saw  
that he had been **cast** into the **earth**,  
he pursued the **woman** who had given **birth** to the male **child**.

Rev. 12:14 But the **woman** was given the two wings of the great eagle  
so that she might fly into the wilderness,  
into the place where she is to be nourished  
for a time, and times, and half a time.  
Rev. 12:15 And the serpent poured from his mouth after the **woman**,  
water like a river  
to make her born away by a river.

Rev. 12:16 And the **earth** came to the help of the **woman**,  
and the **earth** opened its mouth  
and swallowed the river  
that the **dragon** had **cast** from his mouth.

Rev. 12:17 And the **dragon** became furious with the **woman**  
and went off to make war on the rest of her offspring,  
on those who keep the commandments of God  
and hold to the testimony of Jesus.

B. a. Third of the Angels Cast to Earth

After original rebellion over Adam  
b. Dragon attempts to ingest woman's  
child with his mouth (Birth ref)

b' Birth Ref (Son = Messiah)

His rule

His ascension to Throne

a' Post-Ascension: Woman flees to  
wilderness for 3.5 yrs (AD 67-70)

A' Cosmic Spiritual Conflict in Heaven a.

Michael and his angels make war  
Dragon and his angels fought back  
Dragon and his angels defeated

b'

No place for them in heaven

a'

B' Dragon with Angels cast to Earth a.

After incarnation, cross, ascension  
Serpent deceived

b. 1.

Serpent deceived

b' 1'

Serpent deceived

2'

cast to Earth a'

A'' Victory Proclaimed in Heaven

a. God & Christ Rule (from heaven) a.

After incarnation, cross, ascension  
a' & b'  
b' & a'

Accuser of bros has been overthrown  
Yet still accuses bros before God

b. Bros (earthly) victory over Dragon via

1. Blood of Lamb (washed from sins)  
2. Word of Testimony (re: Lord Jesus)  
3. Perseverance until martyrdom

a' Rejoicing in Heaven

Bros now dwell in heaven

b' Woe to Earth

B'' Dragon saw he was cast into Earth

a. Pursuit of woman with Birth ref  
Woman flees to wilderness for 3.5 years

b. Dragon attempts to drown the woman  
by vomiting water from his mouth

b' Earth Rescues the Woman using its  
mouth to swallow the Dragon's water  
(Jewish church preserved thru 3.5 years)

a' Dragon makes war on woman's  
offspring on Earth (Gentile Christians)

Rev. 12:1 Και σημειον μέγα ὤφθη ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ,  
γυνὴ περιβεβλημένη τὸν ἥλιον,  
καὶ ἡ σελήνη ὑποκάτω τῶν ποδῶν αὐτῆς  
καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς κεφαλῆς αὐτῆς στέφανος ἀστέρων δώδεκα,  
Rev. 12:2 καὶ ἐν γαστρὶ ἔχουσα,  
καὶ κράζει ὠδίνουσα  
καὶ βασανιζομένη τεκεῖν.

Rev. 12:3 Καὶ ὤφθη ἄλλο σημεῖον ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ,  
καὶ ἰδοὺ δράκον πυρρὸς μέγας  
ἔχων κεφαλὰς ἑπτὰ  
καὶ κέρατα δέκα,

καὶ ἐπὶ τὰς κεφαλὰς αὐτοῦ ἑπτὰ διαδήματα,  
Rev. 12:4 καὶ ἡ οὐρὰ αὐτοῦ σῦρει τὸ τρίτον τῶν ἀστέρων τοῦ οὐρανοῦ  
καὶ ἔβαλεν αὐτοὺς εἰς τὴν γῆν.  
καὶ ὁ δράκον ἐστήκεν ἐνώπιον τῆς γυναίκος  
τῆς μελλούσης τεκεῖν,

ἵνα ὅταν τέκη τὸ τέκνον αὐτῆς καταφάγη.  
Rev. 12:5 καὶ ἔτεκεν υἱὸν ἄρσεν,

ὃς μέλλει ποιμαίνειν πάντα τὰ ἔθνη ἐν ῥάβδῳ σιδήρᾳ.  
καὶ ἠρπάσθη τὸ τέκνον αὐτῆς πρὸς τὸν θεὸν  
καὶ πρὸς τὸν θρόνον αὐτοῦ.

Rev. 12:6 καὶ ἡ γυνὴ ἔφυγεν εἰς τὴν ἔρημον,  
ὃ που ἔχει ἐκεῖ τόπον ἡτοιμασμένον ἀπὸ τοῦ θεοῦ,  
ἵνα ἐκεῖ τρέφουσιν αὐτὴν ἡμέρας χιλίας διακοσίας ἐξήκοντα.

Rev. 12:7 Καὶ ἐγένετο πόλεμος ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ  
ὁ Μιχαὴλ καὶ οἱ ἄγγελοι αὐτοῦ τοῦ πολεμῆσαι μετὰ τοῦ δράκοντος,  
καὶ ὁ δράκον ἐπολέμησεν καὶ οἱ ἄγγελοι αὐτοῦ

Rev. 12:8 καὶ οὐκ ἴσχυσαν,  
οὐδὲ τόπος εὗρέθη αὐτῶν ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ.

Rev. 12:9 καὶ ἐβλήθη  
ὁ δράκον ὁ μέγας,  
ὁ ὄφις ὁ ἀρχαῖος,  
ὁ καλούμενος διάβολος καὶ ὁ σατανᾶς  
ὁ πλανῶν τὴν οἰκουμένην ὅλην,  
ἐβλήθη εἰς τὴν γῆν,

καὶ οἱ ἄγγελοι αὐτοῦ μετ' αὐτοῦ ἐβλήθησαν.  
Rev. 12:10 καὶ ἤκουσα φωνὴν μεγάλην ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ λέγουσαν  
ἄρτι ἐγένετο ἡ σωτηρία  
καὶ ἡ δύναμις

καὶ ἡ βασιλεία τοῦ θεοῦ ἡμῶν,  
καὶ ἡ ἐξουσία τοῦ χριστοῦ αὐτοῦ,  
ὅτι ἐβλήθη ὁ κατηγορὸς τῶν ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν  
ὁ κατηγορῶν αὐτοὺς ἐνώπιον τοῦ θεοῦ ἡμῶν ἡμέρας καὶ νυκτός.

Rev. 12:11 καὶ αὐτοὶ ἐνίκησαν αὐτὸν  
διὰ τὸ αἷμα τοῦ ἀρνίου  
καὶ διὰ τὸν λόγον τῆς μαρτυρίας αὐτῶν  
καὶ οὐκ ἠγάπησαν τὴν ψυχὴν αὐτῶν ἄχρι θανάτου.

Rev. 12:12 διὰ τοῦτο εὐφραίνεσθε οὐρανοὶ  
καὶ οἱ ἐν αὐτοῖς σκηνοῦντες,  
οὐαὶ τὴν γῆν  
καὶ τὴν θάλασσαν,  
ὅτι κατέβη ὁ διάβολος πρὸς ὑμᾶς ἔχων θυμὸν μέγαν  
εἰδὸς ὅτι ὀλίγον καιρὸν ἔχει.

Rev. 12:13 Καὶ ὅτε εἶδεν ὁ δράκων  
ὅτι ἐβλήθη εἰς τὴν γῆν,  
ἐδίωξεν τὴν γυναῖκα ἣτις ἔτεκεν τὸν ἄρσεν.

Rev. 12:14 καὶ ἐδόθησαν τῇ γυναικὶ αἱ δύο πτέρυγες τοῦ ἀετοῦ τοῦ μεγάλου,  
ἵνα πέτηται εἰς τὴν ἔρημον  
εἰς τὸν τόπον αὐτῆς ὅπου τρέφεται ἐκεῖ  
καιρὸν καὶ καιροὺς καὶ ἡμῖς καιροῦ ἀπὸ προσώπου τοῦ ὄφεως.

Rev. 12:15 καὶ ἔβαλεν ὁ ὄφις ἐκ τοῦ στόματος αὐτοῦ ὅπισθ' αὐτῆς τὴν οὐρὰν  
ὡς ποταμὸν,  
ἵνα αὐτὴν ποταμοφόρητον ποιῆσιν.

Rev. 12:16 καὶ ἐβόηθησεν ἡ γῆ τῇ γυναικὶ  
καὶ ἠνοιξεν ἡ γῆ τὸ στόμα αὐτῆς  
καὶ κατέπιεν τὸν ποταμὸν  
ὃν ἔβαλεν ὁ δράκον ἐκ τοῦ στόματος αὐτοῦ.

Rev. 12:17 καὶ ὀργίσθη ὁ δράκον ἐπὶ τῇ γυναικὶ  
καὶ ἀπῆλθεν ποιῆσαι πόλεμον μετὰ τῶν λοιπῶν τοῦ σπέρματος αὐτῆς  
τῶν τηρούντων τὰς ἐντολάς τοῦ θεοῦ  
καὶ ἔχοντων τὴν μαρτυρίαν Ἰησοῦ.