

Revelation 15: 1 - 8

1 And I saw another sign in heaven, great and marvellous, Seven angels having the Seven last plagues; for in them is filled up the wrath of God.

2 And I saw as it were a sea of glass mingled with fire: and them that had gotten the victory over the beast, and over his image, and over his mark, and over the number of his name, stand on the sea of glass, having the harps of God.

3 And they sing the song of Moses the servant of God, and the song of the Lamb, saying, Great and marvellous are thy works, Lord God Almighty; just and true are thy ways, thou King of saints.

4 Who shall not fear thee, O Lord, and glorify thy name? for thou only art holy: for all nations shall come and worship before thee; for thy judgements are made manifest.

5 And after that I looked, and, behold, the temple of the tabernacle of the testimony in heaven was opened:

6 And the seven angels came out of the temple, having
the seven plagues, clothed in pure and white linen, and
having their breasts girded with golden girdles.

7 And one of the four beasts gave unto the seven angels
seven golden vials full of the wrath of God, who
liveth for ever and ever.

8 And the temple was filled with smoke from the
glory of God, and from his power; and no man
was able to enter into the temple, till the seven
plagues of the seven angels were fulfilled.

Seven bowls of wrath:

3. Christians under threat

A church worker is
beheaded in India

Violence and
harassment for Indian
Christians

Christian bookshop is bombed in Holy Land

Central Asia: increased harassment of churches

Kabul residents set to hang for his faith

The image shows the front cover of a book. The title 'BEATEN, HARASSED, TAKEN TO COURT...' is printed in large, bold, yellow letters. Below the title, the subtitle 'millions of Christians for basic religious freedoms denied' is written in smaller white text. At the bottom right, the author's name 'Pakistani Christians' is visible.

ACROSS THE WORLD MILLIONS OF CHRISTIANS ARE DEFENDING THEIR BASIC RIGHT TO RELIGIOUS LIBERTY. THEY ARE LOOKING TO US TO WALK WITH THEM, DURKNEES IN PRAYER AND ON OUR FEET!

THE PERSECUTION OF PALESTINIAN CHRISTIANS

This image shows a vertical strip of aged, yellowish-brown paper with a textured surface. The paper has prominent vertical fibers and some horizontal creases, giving it an antique appearance. It appears to be a piece of bookbinding material or a page from an old book.

Chaos

Seven bowls of wrath:

4. Fire and drought

A collage of various magazine clippings and text fragments. The most prominent text is "FEAR" at the bottom left, "NATURE'S DEADLY WEAPON" running diagonally across the center, and "DEATH" in large red letters at the top right.



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6. War/unrest in the Middle East

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Seven bowls of wrath:

7. Earthquakes and volcanos

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¹ Then I heard a loud voice from the temple telling the seven angels, 'Go and pour out on the earth the seven bowls of the wrath of God.' ² So the first angel went and poured his bowl on the earth, and a foul and painful sore came on those who had the mark of the beast and who worshipped its image.

³ The second angel poured his bowl into the sea, and it became like the blood of a corpse, and every living thing in the sea died. ⁴ The third angel poured his bowl into the rivers and the springs of water, and they became blood. ⁵ And I heard the angel of the waters say, 'You are just, O Holy One, who art and were, for you have judged these things; ⁶ because they shed the blood of saints and prophets, you have given them blood to drink. It is what they deserve!' ⁷ And I heard the altar respond, 'Yes, O Lord God, the Almighty, your judgements are true and just!' ⁸ The fourth angel poured his bowl on the sun, and it was allowed to scorch people with fire, but they cursed the name

of God, who had authority over these plagues, and they did not repent and give him glory.¹⁰ The fifth angel poured his bowl on the throne of the beast and its kingdom was plunged into darkness; people grieved their tongues in agony "and cursed the God of heaven because of their pains and sores, and they did not repent of their deeds.

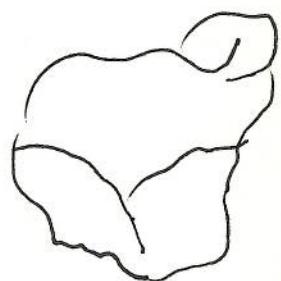
(11) The sixth angel poured his bowl on the great river Euphrates, and its water was dried up in order to prepare the way for the kings from the east.¹³ And I saw three foul spirits like frogs coming from the mouth of the dragon, from the mouth of the beast, and from the mouth of the false prophet.¹⁴ Those are demonic spirits, performing signs, who go abroad to the kings of the whole world, to assemble them for battle on the great day of God the Almighty.¹⁵ ('See, I am coming like a thief! Blessed is the one who stays awake and is clothed, not going about naked and exposed to shame')¹⁶ And they assembled them at the place that in Hebrew is called Harmagedon.

¹⁷ The seventh angel poured his bowl into the air; and a loud voice came out of the temple, from the throne, saying "¹⁸ It is done!" And there came flashes of lightning, rumblings, peals of thunder, and a violent earthquake, such as had not occurred since people were upon the earth, so violent was that earthquake.

¹⁹ The great city was split into three parts, and the cities of the nations fell. God remembered great Babylon and gave her the wine-cup of the fury of his wrath.²⁰ And every island fled away, and no mountains were to be found;²¹ and huge hailstones, each weighing about a hundred pounds, dropped from heaven on people, until they cursed God for the plague of the hail, so fearful was that plague.

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17 Then one of the seven angels who had the seven bowls came and said to me, 'Come, I will show you the judgement of the great whore who is seated on many waters,² with whom the kings of the earth have committed fornication, and with the wine of whose fornication the inhabitants of the earth have become drunk.³ So he carried me away in the spirit into a wilderness, and I saw a woman sitting on a scarlet beast that was full of blasphemous names, and it had seven heads and ten horns.⁴ The woman was clothed in purple and scarlet, and adorned with gold and jewels and pearls, holding in her hand a golden cup full of abominations and the impurities of her fornication;⁵ and on her forehead was written a name, a mystery: 'Babylon the great, mother of whores and of earth's abominations.'⁶ And I saw that the woman was drunk with the blood of the saints and the blood of the witnesses to Jesus.

When I saw her, I was greatly amazed.⁷ But the angel said to me, 'Why are you so amazed? I will tell you the mystery of the woman, and of the beast with seven heads and ten horns that carries her.⁸ The beast that you saw was, and is not, and is about to ascend from the bottomless pit and go to destruction.

And the inhabitants of the earth, whose names have not been written in the book of life from the foundation of the world, will be amazed when they see the beast, because it was and is not and is to come.⁹ This call for a mind that has wisdom: the seven heads are seven mountains on which the woman is seated; also, they are seven kings,¹⁰ of whom five have fallen, one is living, and the other has not yet come; and when he comes, he must remain for only a little while.¹¹ As for the beast that was and is not, it is an eighth but it belongs

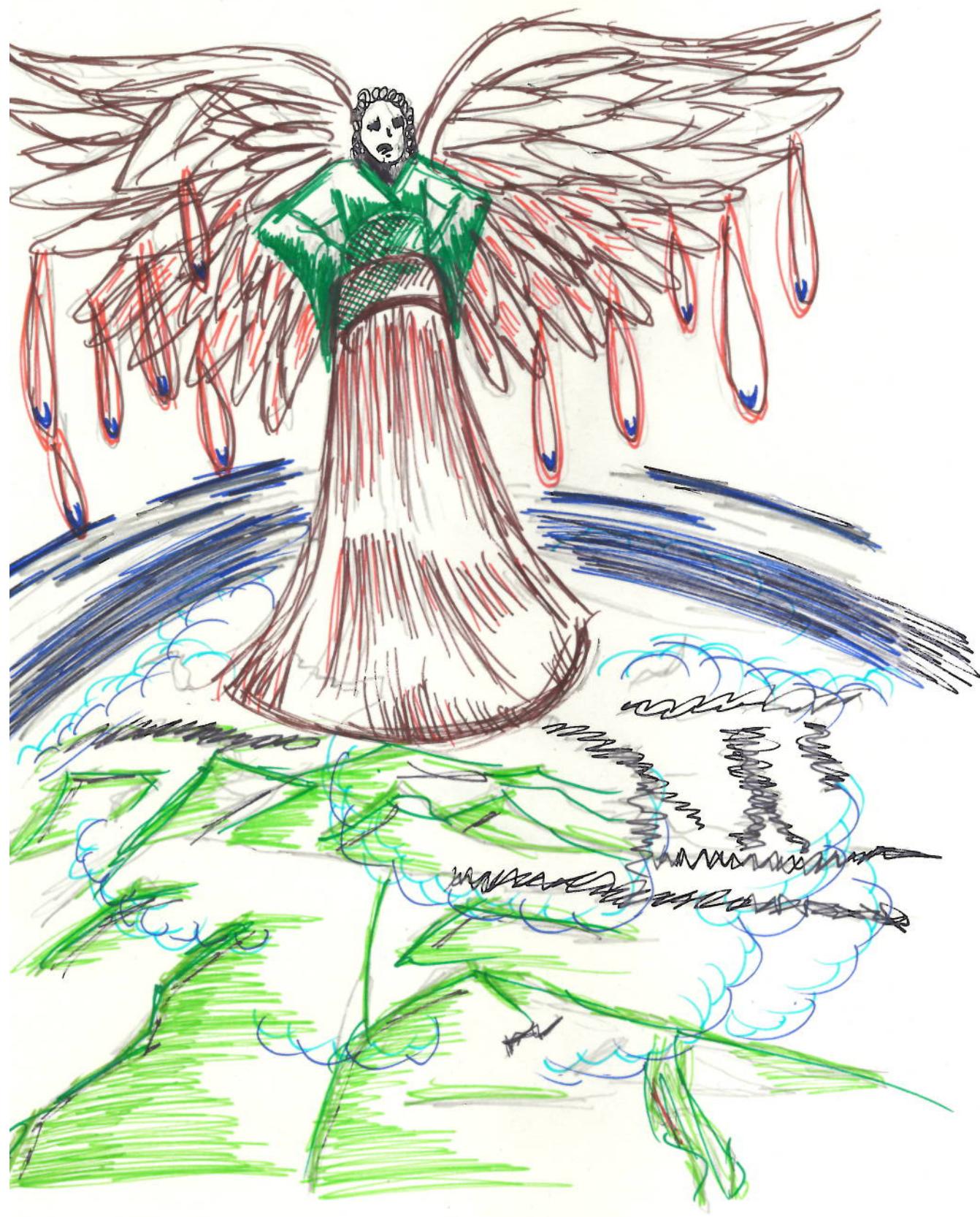
to the seven, and it goes to destruction.¹² And the ten horns that you saw are ten kings who have not yet received a kingdom, but they are to receive authority as kings for one hour, together with the beast.¹³ These are united in yielding their power and authority to the beast;¹⁴ they will make war on the Lamb, and the Lamb will conquer them, for he is Lord of lords and King of kings, and those with him are called and chosen and faithful.'

¹⁵ And he said to me, 'The waters that you saw, where the whore is seated, are peoples and multitudes and nations and languages.' And the ten horns that you saw, they and the beast will hate the whore; they will make her desolate and naked; they will devour her flesh and burn her up with fire.

¹⁶ For God has put it into their hearts to carry out his purpose by agreeing to give their kingdom to the beast, until the words of God will be fulfilled.

¹⁸ The woman you saw is the great city that rules over

the kings of the earth.



Revelation 17.

1. And there came one of the seven angels which had the seven vials, and talked with me, saying unto me "Come hither; I will shew unto thee the judgement of the great whore that sitteth upon many waters:"
2. With whom the kings of the earth have committed fornication, and the inhabitants of the earth have been made drunk with wine of her fornication."
3. So he carried me away in the spirit into the wilderness: and I saw a woman sit upon a scarlet coloured beast, full of names of blasphemy, having ten heads and horns.
4. And the woman was arrayed in purple and scarlet colour, and decked with gold and precious stones and pearls, holding golden cup in her hand in her hand full of abominations and

4 filthiness of her fornication:

5 And upon her forehead was a name written, "Mystery, Babylon the great, the mother of harlots and abominations of the earth."

6. And I saw the woman drunken with the blood of the saints, and with the blood of the martyrs of Jesus: and when I saw her, I wondered with greet admiration.

7. And the angel said unto me, "Wherefore darest thou marvel? I will tell thee the mystery of the woman, and of the beast that carrieth her, which hath the seven heads and ten horns.

8. The beast that thou sawest was, and is not; and shall ascend out of the bottomless pit, and go into perdition: and they that dwell on the earth shall wonder, whose names were not written in the book of life from the foundation of the world, when they beheld the beast th

8) was, and is not, and yet is.

9. And here is the mind which hath wisdom. The seven heads are seven mountains, on which the woman sitteth.

10. And there are seven kings, five are fallen - and one is, and the other is not yet come, and when he cometh, he must continue a short space.

11. And the beast that was, and is not, even he is the eighth, and is of the Seven, and goeth into perdition.

12. And the ten horns which thou sawest are ten kings, which have received no kingdom as yet; but receive power as kings one hour with the beast.

13. These have one mind, and shall give their power and strength unto the beast.

14. These shall make war with the Lamb, and the Lamb shall overcome them: for he is Lord of lords, and King of Kings. And they that are with him are called, and chosen, and faithful."

15 And he saith unto me, The waters which thou sawest, where ever the whore sitteth, are peoples and multitudes, and nations, and tongues.

16 And the ten horns which thou sawest upon the beast, these shall hate the whore, sitteth, are peoples, and multitudes, and nations and tongues.

17 For God hath put in their hearts to fulfil in all, and to agree, and give their kingdom unto the beast, until the words of God shall be fulfilled:

18: And the woman which thou sawest is that great city, which reigneth over the kings of the earth".

The fall of Babylon

'After this I saw another angel coming down from heaven, having great authority; and the earth was made bright with his splendour. ²He called out with a mighty voice, 'Fallen, fallen is Babylon the great!'

It has become a dwelling-place of demons, a haunt of every foul spirit, a haunt of every foul bird, a haunt of every foul and hateful beast. ³For all the nations have drunk of the wine of the wrath of her fornication, and the kings of the earth have committed fornication with her, and the merchants of the earth have grown rich from the power of her luxury.' ⁴Then I heard another voice from heaven saying, 'Come out of her, my people, so that you do not take part in her sins, and so that you do not share in her plagues; for her sins are heaped high as heaven, and God has remembered her iniquities. ⁵Render to her as she herself has rendered, and repay her double for her deeds; mix a double draft for her in the cup She mixed.'

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As She glorified herself and lived luxuriously, So give her a little measure of torment and grief. Sinceⁱⁿ her heart She Says, " I rule as a queen; I am no widow, and I will never see grief"; ⁸ therefore her plagues will come in a single day - pestilence and mourning and famine - and She will be burned with fire; for mighty is the Lord God who judges her.'

⁹ And the kings of the earth, who committed fornication and lived in luxury with her, will weep and wail over her when they see the smoke of her burning; they will stand far off, in fear of her torment, and say, 'Alas, alas, the great city, Babylon, the mighty city!

For in one hour your judgement has come.'

"And the merchants of the earth weep and mourn for her,¹² since no one buys their cargo any more, cargo of gold, silver, jewels and pearls, fine linen, purple, silk and scarlet, all kinds of scented wood, all articles of ivory, all articles of costly wood, bronze, iron, and marble,¹³ cinnamon, spice, incense, myrrh, frankincense, wine, olive oil, choice flour and wheat, cattle and sheep, horses and chariots, slaves - and human lives.¹⁴ The fruit for which your soul longed

has gone from you,

and all your dainties and your splendour
are lost to you,

never to be found again!'

¹⁵ The merchants of these wares, who gained wealth from her, will stand far off, in fear of her

her, will stand far off in fear of her torment, weeping and mourning aloud,

¹⁶ Alas, alas, the great city,
clothed in fine linen,
in purple and scarlet,
adorned with gold,
with jewels, and with pearls!

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'For in one hour all this wealth has been laid waste!'

And all shipmasters and seafarers, sailors and all whose trade is on the sea, stood far off ¹⁸ and cried out as they saw smoke of her burning. 'What city was like the great city?'

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And they threw dust on their heads, as they wept and mourned, crying out,

'Alas, alas, the great city

where all who had ships at sea
grew rich by her wealth!'

For in one hour she has been laid waste'

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Rejoice over her, O heaven, you saints and apostles and prophets! For God has given judgement for you against her.

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Then the mighty angel took up a stone like a great millstone and threw it into the sea, saying,

'With such violence Babylon the great city

will be thrown down,

and will be found no more;

²² and the sound of harpists and minstrels

and of flautists and trumpeters will be
heard in you no more;

and an artisan of any trade

will be found in you no more;

and the sound of the millstone

will be heard in you no more;

²³ and the light of ^a the lamp

will shine in you no more;

and the voice of bridegroom and bride

will be heard in you no more;

for your merchants were the magnates of the

earth, and all nations were deceived by your

sorcery.

²⁴ And in you was found the blood of

prophets and of saints, and of all who

have been slaughtered on earth.