

The Book of Revelation

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Texts: The Book of Revelation
The Book of Daniel (Optional but recommended)

Class Description:

During class we will discuss the organization of the book and study its symbolic images, the “time” issues, the various ways in which the book has historically been interpreted, the incredibly inspirational images of Christ to be found there, and its numerous scenes of heaven.

Assignment

The assignment is to be in print, not handwritten. Please use 1” margins on all sides, 12 point Times New Roman font and double or 1.5 spacing. Please use the internet as well as commentaries in researching these topics.

If you want your graded paper returned, please include a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

In preparation for the class, each student must read the entire Book of Revelation carefully, using a commentary, and also the Book of Daniel Chapters 7 and 10:10-21.

The **homework** assignment, which will be turned in ***when you arrive*** (not post class), is to write one *thoroughly researched* paragraph (based on the passages cited) on **each** of the following “mystical figures” from the Book of Revelation,: The Four Horsemen (Rev. 5:1-8), The 2 Witnesses (Rev. 11), The Woman with Child (Rev. 12:1-6, 13-16), The Beast from the Sea (Rev. 13:1-10, 14:9-11, 17:8-17), The Beast from the Earth (Rev. 13:11-18), and The Babylonian Harlot (Rev. 17-18).