

A dramatic illustration depicting a scene from the Book of Revelation. On the right, a woman in a long, flowing yellow robe with red trim stands on a large, grey, cratered crescent moon. She is looking down towards the left. On the left, a multi-headed dragon with red and green scales is breathing fire. The dragon has several heads, each with a crown and a glowing yellow mouth. The background is a dark, starry sky with a faint red glow emanating from the dragon's fire.

Revelation – Chapter Twelve

Revelation 12

PART ONE: THE BRIDE-GROOM

OUTLINE	#	CONTENT	
Historical Prologue	1	John's Vision of Christ	
	2	Letters to the Seven Churches	
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	Ethical Stipulations : SEVEN SEALS	4	Heavenly Throne Scene
		5	The Scroll; Worthy is the Lamb
		6	Sealed Scroll; First Six Seals
		7	144,000 Sealed; Multitudes in Heaven
	Covenant Sanctions: SEVEN TRUMPETS	8	Seventh Seal: 7 Trumpets; First 4 Trumpets
		9	5 th Trumpet (locusts); 6 th Trumpet (Army)
		10	Angel of the Oath; the Little Book
		11	The Two Witnesses; the 7 th Trumpet

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PART TWO: THE BRIDE	Covenant Sanctions: SEVEN TRUMPETS (Continued)	12	The Woman and Dragon/ Michael and Satan/ Flight of Woman	
		13	Beast from the Sea; Beast from the Land	
	Succession Arrangements : SEVEN CUPS OF WRATH		14	Lamb and 144,00
			15	Song of Victory; Opening of Sanctuary
			16	Seven Bowls of Wrath Poured Out
			17	The Great Harlot; Babylon Identified
			18	Babylon is Fallen
			19	Marriage of the Lamb; Bridegroom Comes; Feast of Scavengers; Destruction of the Beasts
			20	The Millennium: Binding Satan; Defeat of Satan; Great Judgment
			21	New Heaven New Earth; New Jerusalem
			22	The River of Life; Jesus is Coming!

Suggestions for Understanding Bible Prophecy

1. Look for *explicit* explanations
2. Look for *implicit* “clues”
3. Identify the *parties*
4. Then identify their *actions*
5. Extrapolate the meaning



The Male Child

- ... a male Child who was to rule all nations. – Psa 2:7,8; Dan 7:13-14; Matt 28:18
- ... was caught up to God and His throne – Acts 1:9-11;



The Red Dragon

- A great, fiery red dragon - 3
- With Seven heads - 3
- And ten horns - 3
- And seven diadems on his heads - 3
- His tail drew a third of the stars of heaven and threw them to the earth - 4
- The dragon stood before the woman... ready to devour the child - 4
- Fought with Michael - 7
- Did not prevail - 7
- No room in heaven - 8
- Was cast out - 9
- That Serpent of old – 9; 2 Cor 11:3
- *Called Devil and Satan - 9*
- Deceives the whole world – 9; (2 Cor 11:3)
- Was Cast to the earth – 9; John 12:30; John 16:11
- His angels were cast out with him – 9; 2 Peter 2:4; Jude 1:6
- Spewed water out of his mouth - 15
- Was enraged with the woman - 15
- Made war with the rest of her offspring - 17



The Rest of Her Offspring

- He (Satan) went to make war with *the rest of her offspring* - 17
- Who keep the commandments of God - 17
- And have the testimony of Jesus Christ - 17



The Woman Giving Birth

- A woman clothed with the sun - 1
- The moon under her feet - 1
- **A garland of twelve stars -1;**
- Being with child - 2
- Gave birth to male child - 5
 - Who was to rule all nations
 - Was caught up to God and her throne
- Fled into the wilderness - 6
- Fled to a place prepared by God – 6; John 14:6
- They should feed her there 1260 days - 6; Romans 15:27
- Persecuted by dragon - 13
- Given wings of an eagle - 14
- Flew into the wilderness - 14
- Nourished for times, time and half a time - 14
- Earth helped the woman - 16
- Dragon enraged with the woman - 17



The Actions

- **Dragon** tried (and failed) to destroy the **Child**
- The **Dragon** fought (and lost) to **Michael** and his angels
- **Dragon** (and his angels) was **cast from heaven**
- **Dragon then** persecuted the **woman**
- But the **woman** was sheltered by **God**
- The **Dragon** spews a flood at the **woman**
- The **woman** was sheltered by the **earth**
- The **Dragon** persecuted her **other offspring**



The “Cliff Notes”

- Before Jesus, the Messiah was born
- Satan tried to destroy the royal seed
- However, Christ conquered him, ascended to God and received His kingdom
- Satan attacked the righteous Jews
- But God protected them
- He tried again and failed to persecute the Judean saints
- But the earth protected them
- Then he focused his energy on the followers of Christ.

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