



**THE STORY OF REVELATION**

# ***Revelation Review***

1. Chapters 1-3: The message to the churches.
2. Chapters 4-5: The Visions of the Father and the Lamb.
3. Chapter 6: The story of Revelation is told (breaking of the first 6 seals).
4. Chapter 7: The fate of God's people is disclosed.
5. Chapters 8-9: God's warning judgments (the first 6 trumpets).
6. Chapter 10: No more warnings! Judgment is coming!

***Message of the book: Christ Wins (17:14)!***

# REVELATION 8

**Trumpet 1:** hail and fire burn the earth's trees and grass. Vegetation is destroyed.

**Trumpet 2:** a third part of the sea becomes blood.

**Trumpet 3:** a third part of the land waters are used as instruments to bring the wicked to repentance.

**Trumpet 4:** a third part of the sun, moon and stars darkened.



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**External invasion?**



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**Chapter 9 concluded with the sounding of the sixth trumpet. In keeping with the pattern we find in these series of seven, chapters 10-11 follow with an interlude. This break in the action is designed to give comfort and hope to the people of God during these difficult times. We need to keep this in mind as we try to interpret the visions of this interlude.**



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5. Towards the end of chapter 11, the seventh angel will sound!

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# THE REVELATION

The background image is a dramatic illustration of the Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse. They are riding their horses across a landscape that appears to be a giant, unrolled scroll. The sky is filled with dark, swirling clouds. The horses are white, red, black, and pale. The riders are dressed in armor and carry various weapons and symbols. The overall tone is apocalyptic and intense.

**Two kingdoms still compete for the  
hearts of men.  
Which will we choose?**