

The REVELATION of JESUS CHRIST
Chapter 15
“GREAT AND MARVELOUS ARE YOUR WORKS!”

I) A Great and Marvelous SIGN! (v1-2)

(v1) Seven angels with the seven last plagues for in them the wrath of God is complete!

(v2) VICTORY: Over the BEAST – False **CHRIST!** (The antichrist)

Over his IMAGE - False **WORSHIP!**

Over his MARK – False **IDENTIFICATION!**

Over the NUMBER OF HIS NAME (“666” Rev 13:18) – False **ALLEGIANCE!**

> **How can Christians be victorious? Let’s go back to the future: Daniel ch. 3 – “TRUST & OBEY!”**

(Insight: Daniel 3:6 – C.I. Scofield writes, “Here is a case of enforced state religion, involving the worship of a man-made image. This phenomenon, appearing at the beginning of the times of the Gentiles and continuing from time to time through history (e.g. Roman emperor worship, Japanese Shinto shrines, and soviet veneration of Lenin), will reappear at the end of the age when, not only the dragon, but the beast and the image of the beast also will be worshiped under compulsion (Rev. 13:4-15; 14:9-11; 19:20; 20:4; cp. 2Thess. 2:4). There will be increasing stress upon worship at the end of the age, but it will be satanically directed.)

II) A Great and Marvelous SONG! (v3-4)

(v3-4) Great and marvelous are your works! Original “Song of Moses” – Exodus 15:1-21

> *Our God is: Almighty, just and true, holy, He’s the final judge!*

- Jesus is **ALMIGHTY** – Mark 4:35-41 – “**PEACE BE STILL!**”

- Jesus is “**JUST AND TRUE**” – John 8:2-12 – “Neither do I **CONDEMN** YOU; go and **SIN** no more.”

- Jesus is “**HOLY**” – Mark 2:1-12 – “they **GLORIFIED** GOD”

- Jesus is “**THE FINAL JUDGE**” – Matthew 25:31-46 – “And these will go away into everlasting punishment, but the righteous into **ETERNAL LIFE**.”

> *Jesus offers all who come to Him for salvation: Peace, forgiveness of sins, to rise up and walk with Him, and He will give you eternal life!*

III) A Great and Marvelous TESTIMONY! (v5-8)

(v5-8) The temple of the tabernacle of testimony in heaven was opened – This is a testimony of judgment! (Seven angels—seven plagues—seven bowls full of the wrath of God!)

> While there’s still time we must proclaim a testimony of salvation! How? One way is using the “Romans Road to Salvation”: (Homework: Memorize the following verses this week.)

#1 – For all have sinned and fallen short of the glory of God.” (Romans 3:23)

#2 – But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.” (Romans 5:8)

#3 – For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. (Romans 6:23)

#4 – That if you confess with your mouth the Lord Jesus and believe in your heart that God has raised Him from the dead you will be saved. (Romans 10:9-10)

> **Let’s “GO 4 GOD!” - Romans 10:14-17** - *How then shall they call on Him in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher? And how shall they preach unless they are sent? As it is written: "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the gospel of peace, Who bring glad tidings of good things!" But they have not all obeyed the gospel. For Isaiah says, "LORD, who has believed our report?" So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.*