

BEAST AND FALSE PROPHET: PARALLEL SCRIPTURES

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This Bible Study represents an attempt to broadly align relevant Scriptures on the Beast and False Prophet from both Old and New Testaments.

Also included is various other information that throws light on the various Beast systems which inform us of the future and final Beast system.

"modern communications made possible the Fuhrer-state [Albert Speer stated]. If this is really the reason why Hitler was able to do so much more evil than Napoleon--or even only one of the reasons--then technological progress should ensure that the next 'national saviour' on the scene will be infinitely more terrible. Antichrist is yet to come. Perhaps the Emperor and the Fuhrer were merely forerunners." (*Napoleon and Hitler: A Comparative Biography* by Desmond Seward)

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The purpose and desire is to foster Biblical, historical and related studies that strengthen the Church of God's message & mission and provides further support to its traditional doctrinal positions.

Key:

Red – Blasphemies of the Beast; & blasphemies and miracles of the False Prophet and their fate

Blue – Persecution of the true believers

Green – captivity of Israel

Purple – Direction the Beast originates in relation to the Holy Land

I. Beast Chart

| Revelation | Daniel | Other |
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| <p>Rev 13:1 And I stood upon the sand of the sea, and saw a beast rise up out of the sea, having seven heads and ten horns, and upon his horns ten crowns, and upon his heads the name of blasphemy.</p> <p>Rev 13:2 And the beast which I saw was like unto a leopard, and his feet were as <i>the feet</i> of a bear, and his mouth as the mouth of a lion: and the dragon gave him his power, and his seat, and great authority.</p> <p>Rev 13:3 And I saw one of his heads as it were wounded to death; and his deadly wound was healed: and all the world wondered after the beast.</p> <p>Rev 13:4 And they worshipped the dragon which gave power unto the beast: and they worshipped the beast, saying, Who is like unto the beast? <i>who is able to make war with him?</i></p> <p>Rev 13:5 <i>And there was given unto him a mouth speaking great things and blasphemies</i>; and power was given unto him to continue forty <i>and</i> two months.</p> <p>Rev 13:6 And he opened his mouth in blasphemy against God, to blaspheme his name, and his tabernacle, and them that dwell in heaven.</p> <p>Rev 13:7 And it was given <i>unto him to make war with the saints, and to overcome them</i>: and power was given him over all kindreds, and tongues, and nations.</p> <p>Rev 13:8 And all that dwell upon the earth shall worship him, whose names are not written in the book of life of the Lamb</p> | <p>Dan 11:36 And the king shall do according to his will; and he shall exalt himself, and magnify himself above every god, <i>and shall speak marvellous things against the God of gods</i>, and shall prosper till the indignation be accomplished: for that that is determined shall be done.</p> <p>Dan 11:37 Neither shall he regard the God of his fathers, nor the desire of women, nor regard any god: for he shall magnify himself above all.</p> <p>Dan 11:38 But in his estate shall he honour the God of forces: and a god whom his fathers knew not shall he honour with gold, and silver, and with precious stones, and pleasant things.</p> <p>Dan 11:39 Thus shall he do in the most strong holds with a</p> | |

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| <p>slain from the foundation of the world. Rev 13:9 If any man have an ear, let him hear. Rev 13:10 He that leadeth into captivity shall go into captivity: he that killeth with the sword must be killed with the sword. Here is the patience and the faith of the saints.</p> | <p>strange god, whom he shall acknowledge <i>and</i> increase with glory: and he shall cause them to rule over many, and shall divide the land for gain. [cp Amos 7:17; Mic 2:4] Dan 11:40 And at the time of the end shall the king of the south push at him: and the king of the north shall come against him like a whirlwind, with chariots, and with horsemen, and with many ships; and he shall enter into the countries, and shall overflow and pass over. Dan 11:41 He shall enter also into the glorious land, and many <i>countries</i> shall be overthrown: but these shall escape out of his hand, <i>even</i> Edom, and Moab, and the chief of the children of Ammon. Dan 11:42 He shall stretch forth his hand also upon the countries: and the land of Egypt shall not escape. Dan 11:43 But he shall have power over the treasures of gold and of silver, and over all the precious things of Egypt: and the Libyans and the Ethiopians <i>shall be</i> at his steps. Dan 11:44 But tidings out of the east and out of the north shall trouble him: therefore he shall go forth with great fury to destroy, and utterly to make away many. Dan 11:45 And he shall plant the tabernacles of his palace between the seas in the glorious holy mountain; yet he shall come to his end, and none shall help him.</p> | <p>Zep 2:13 And he will stretch out his hand against the north, and destroy Assyria; and will make Nineveh a desolation, <i>and</i> dry like a wilderness.</p> <p>Zec 10:10 I will bring them again also out of the land of Egypt, and gather them out of Assyria; and I will bring them into the land of Gilead and Lebanon; and <i>place</i> shall not be found for them.</p> <p>Zec 10:11 And he shall pass through the sea with affliction, and shall smite the waves in the sea, and all the deeps of the river shall dry up: and the pride of Assyria shall be brought down, and the sceptre of Egypt shall depart away.</p> |
| <p>Rev 19:20 And the beast was taken, and with him the false prophet that wrought miracles before him, with which he deceived them that had received the mark of the beast, and them that worshipped his image. These both were cast alive into a lake of fire burning with brimstone.</p> <p>Rev 20:10 And the devil that deceived them was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone, where the beast and the false prophet are, and shall be tormented day and night for ever and ever.</p> | <p>Dan 7:7 After this I saw in the night visions, and behold a fourth beast, dreadful and terrible, and strong exceedingly; and it had great iron teeth: it devoured and brake in pieces, and stamped the residue with the feet of it: and <i>it was</i> diverse from all the beasts that <i>were</i> before it; and it had ten horns. Dan 7:8 I considered the horns, and, behold, there came up among them another little horn, before whom there were three of the first horns plucked up by the roots: and, behold, in this horn <i>were</i> eyes like the eyes of man, and a mouth speaking great things. Dan 7:9 I beheld till the thrones were cast down, and the Ancient of days did sit, whose garment <i>was</i> white as snow, and the hair of his head like the pure wool: his throne <i>was like</i> the fiery flame, <i>and</i> his wheels <i>as</i> burning fire. Dan 7:10 A fiery stream issued and came forth from before him: thousand thousands ministered unto him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood before him: the judgment was set, and the books were opened.</p> | <p>Isa 11:4 But with righteousness shall he judge the poor, and reprove with equity for the meek of the earth: and he shall smite the earth with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips shall he slay the wicked.</p> <p>Isa 11:10 And in that day there shall be a root of Jesse, which shall stand for an ensign of the people; to it shall the Gentiles seek: and his rest shall be glorious.</p> <p>Isa 11:11 And it shall come to pass in that day, <i>that</i> the Lord shall set his hand again the second time to recover the remnant of his people, which shall be left, from Assyria, and from Egypt, and from Pathros, and from Cush, and from Elam, and from Shinar, and from Hamath, and from the islands of the sea.</p> |

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| | <p>Dan 7:11 I beheld then because of the voice of the great words which the horn spake: I beheld even till the beast was slain, and his body destroyed, and given to the burning flame.</p> <p>Dan 7:12 As concerning the rest of the beasts, they had their dominion taken away: yet their lives were prolonged for a season and time.</p> <p>Dan 7:13 I saw in the night visions, and, behold, <i>one</i> like the Son of man came with the clouds of heaven, and came to the Ancient of days, and they brought him near before him.</p> <p>Dan 7:14 And there was given him dominion, and glory, and a kingdom, that all people, nations, and languages, should serve him: his dominion <i>is</i> an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and his kingdom <i>that</i> which shall not be destroyed.</p> <p>Dan 7:15 I Daniel was grieved in my spirit in the midst of <i>my</i> body, and the visions of my head troubled me.</p> <p>Dan 7:16 I came near unto one of them that stood by, and asked him the truth of all this. So he told me, and made me know the interpretation of the things.</p> <p>Dan 7:17 These great beasts, which are four, <i>are</i> four kings, <i>which</i> shall arise out of the earth.</p> <p>Dan 7:18 But the saints of the most High shall take the kingdom, and possess the kingdom for ever, even for ever and ever.</p> <p>Dan 7:19 Then I would know the truth of the fourth beast, which was diverse from all the others, exceeding dreadful, whose teeth <i>were of</i> iron, and his nails <i>of</i> brass; <i>which devoured, brake in pieces, and stamped the residue with his feet;</i></p> <p>Dan 7:21 I beheld, and the same horn made war with the saints, and prevailed against them;</p> <p>Dan 7:24 And the ten horns out of this kingdom <i>are</i> ten kings <i>that</i> shall arise: and another shall rise after them; and he shall be diverse from the first, and he shall subdue three kings.</p> <p>Dan 7:25 And he shall speak great words against the most High, and shall wear out the saints of the most High, and think to change times and laws: and they shall be given into his hand until a time and times and the dividing of time.</p> <p>Dan 7:26 But the judgment shall sit, and they shall take away his dominion, to consume and to destroy <i>it</i> unto the end.</p> | <p>Deu 28:45 Moreover all these curses shall come upon thee, and shall pursue thee, and overtake thee, till thou be destroyed; because thou hearkenedst not unto the voice of the LORD thy God, to keep his commandments and his statutes which he commanded thee:</p> <p>Deu 28:46 And they shall be upon thee for a sign and for a wonder, and upon thy seed for ever.</p> <p>Deu 28:47 Because thou servedst not the LORD thy God with joyfulness, and with gladness of heart, for the abundance of all <i>things;</i></p> <p>Deu 28:48 Therefore shalt thou serve thine enemies which the LORD shall send against thee, in hunger, and in thirst, and in nakedness, and in want of all <i>things:</i> and he shall put a yoke of iron upon thy neck, until he have destroyed thee.</p> <p>Deu 28:49 The LORD shall bring a nation against thee from far, from the end of the earth, <i>as swift as the eagle flieth;</i> a nation whose tongue thou shalt not understand;</p> <p>Deu 28:50 A nation of fierce countenance, which shall not regard the person of the old, nor shew favour to the young:</p> <p>Deu 28:51 And he shall eat the fruit of thy cattle, and the fruit of thy land, until thou be destroyed: which <i>also</i> shall not leave thee <i>either</i> corn, wine, or oil, <i>or</i> the increase of thy kine, or flocks of thy sheep, until he have destroyed thee.</p> <p>Deu 28:52 And he shall besiege thee in all thy gates, until thy</p> |

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| | | <p>high and fenced walls come down, wherein thou trustedst, throughout all thy land: and he shall besiege thee in all thy gates throughout all thy land, which the LORD thy God hath given thee.</p> <p>Deu 28:53 And thou shalt eat the fruit of thine own body, the flesh of thy sons and of thy daughters, which the LORD thy God hath given thee, in the siege, and in the straitness, wherewith thine enemies shall distress thee: [cp Lev 26]</p> |
| <p>Rev 18:13 And cinnamon, and odours, and ointments, and frankincense, and wine, and oil, and fine flour, and wheat, and beasts, and sheep, and horses, and chariots, and slaves, and souls of men. [Ezek 27:13; Jer 50:11; Is 47:6; Lam 2:21; 5:1-22]</p> | <p>Dan 8:9 And out of one of them came forth a little horn, which waxed exceeding great, toward the south, and toward the east, and toward the pleasant <i>land</i>.</p> <p>Dan 8:10 And it waxed great, <i>even to the host of heaven; and it cast down some of the host and of the stars to the ground, and stamped upon them.</i></p> <p>Dan 8:11 Yea, <i>he magnified himself even to the prince of the host</i>, and by him the daily <i>sacrifice</i> was taken away, and the place of his</p> <p>Dan 8:22 Now that being broken, whereas four stood up for it, four kingdoms shall stand up out of the nation, but not in his power.</p> <p>Dan 8:23 And in the latter time of their kingdom, when the transgressors are come to the full, a king of fierce countenance, and understanding dark sentences, shall stand up.</p> <p>Dan 8:24 <i>And his power shall be mighty, but not by his own power: and he shall destroy wonderfully, and shall prosper, and practise, and shall destroy the mighty and the holy people.</i></p> <p>Dan 8:25 And through his policy also he shall cause craft to prosper in his hand; and <i>he shall magnify himself in his heart, and by peace shall destroy many: he shall also stand up against the Prince of princes; but he shall be broken without hand.</i></p> | <p>Isa 10:5 O Assyrian, the rod of mine anger, and the staff in their hand is mine indignation.</p> <p>Isa 10:6 <i>I will send him against an hypocritical nation, and against the people of my wrath will I give him a charge, to take the spoil, and to take the prey, and to tread them down like the mire of the streets.</i></p> <p>Isa 10:7 Howbeit he meaneth not so, neither doth his heart think so; but <i>it is</i> in his heart to destroy and cut off nations not a few.</p> <p>Isa 10:8 For he saith, <i>Are</i> not my princes altogether kings?</p> <p>Isa 10:9 <i>Is</i> not Calno as Carchemish? <i>is</i> not Hamath as Arpad? <i>is</i> not Samaria as Damascus?</p> <p>Isa 10:10 As my hand hath found the kingdoms of the idols, and whose graven images did excel them of Jerusalem and of Samaria;</p> <p>Isa 10:11 Shall I not, as I have done unto Samaria and her idols, so do to Jerusalem and her idols?</p> <p>Isa 10:12 Wherefore it shall come to pass, <i>that</i> when the Lord hath performed his whole work upon mount Zion and on Jerusalem, <i>I will punish the fruit of the stout heart of the king of Assyria, and the glory of his high looks.</i></p> <p>Isa 10:13 For he saith, By the strength of my hand I have done <i>it</i>, and by my wisdom; for I am prudent: and <i>I have removed the bounds of the people, and have robbed their treasures, and I have put down the inhabitants like a valiant man:</i> [cp Is. 8:7-9; 7:17-20]</p> <p>Isa 10:14 And my hand hath found as a nest the riches of the people: and as one gathereth eggs <i>that are</i> left, have I gathered all the earth; and there was none that moved the wing, or opened the mouth, or peeped.</p> <p>Isa 10:15 Shall the axe <i>boast itself</i> against him that heweth therewith? <i>or</i> shall the saw <i>magnify itself</i> against him that</p> |

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| | | <p>shaketh it? as if the rod should shake <i>itself</i> against them that lift it up, <i>or</i> as if the staff should lift up <i>itself</i>, <i>as if it were</i> no wood.</p> <p>Isa 10:16 Therefore shall the Lord, the Lord of hosts, send among his fat ones leanness; and under his glory he shall kindle a burning like the burning of a fire.</p> <p>Isa 10:17 And the light of Israel shall be for a fire, and his Holy One for a flame: and it shall burn and devour his thorns and his briars in one day;</p> <p>Isa 30:33 For Tophet is ordained of old; yea, for the king it is prepared; he hath made it deep and large: the pile thereof is fire and much wood; the breath of the LORD, like a stream of brimstone, doth kindle it.</p> |
| | <p>Dan 8:9 And out of one of them came forth a little horn, which waxed exceeding great, toward the south, and toward the east, and toward the pleasant <i>land</i>.</p> <p>Dan 8:10 And it waxed great, <i>even</i> to the host of heaven; and it cast down <i>some</i> of the host and of the stars to the ground, and stamped upon them.</p> <p>Dan 8:11 Yea, he magnified himself even to the prince of the host, and by him the daily <i>sacrifice</i> was taken away, and the place of his sanctuary was cast down</p> | <p>Nah 1:9 What do ye imagine against the LORD? he will make an utter end: affliction shall not rise up the second time.</p> <p>Nah 1:10 For while <i>they be</i> folden together <i>as</i> thorns, and while they are drunken <i>as</i> drunkards, they shall be devoured as stubble fully dry.</p> <p>Nah 1:11 There is <i>one</i> come out of thee, that imagineth evil against the LORD, a wicked counsellor.</p> |

II. False Prophet Chart

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| <p>Rev 13:11 And I beheld another beast coming up out of the earth; and he had two horns like a lamb, and he spake as a dragon.</p> <p>Rev 13:12 And he exerciseth all the power of the first beast before him, and causeth the earth and them which dwell therein to worship the first beast, whose deadly wound was healed.</p> | <p>2Th 2:1 Now we beseech you, brethren, by the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, and <i>by</i> our gathering together unto him,</p> <p>2Th 2:2 That ye be not soon shaken in mind, or be troubled, neither by spirit, nor by word, nor by letter as from us, as that the day of Christ is at hand.</p> <p>2Th 2:3 Let no man deceive you by any means: for <i>that day shall not come</i>, except there come a falling away first, and that</p> | |

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| <p>Rev 13:13 And he doeth great wonders, so that he maketh fire come down from heaven on the earth in the sight of men, Rev 13:14 And deceiveth them that dwell on the earth by the means of those miracles which he had power to do in the sight of the beast; saying to them that dwell on the earth, that they should make an image to the beast, which had the wound by a sword, and did live. Rev 13:15 And he had power to give life unto the image of the beast, that the image of the beast should both speak, and cause that as many as would not worship the image of the beast should be killed. Rev 13:16 And he causeth all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, to receive a mark in their right hand, or in their foreheads: Rev 13:17 And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name. Rev 13:18 Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number of the beast: for it is the number of a man; and his number <i>is</i> Six hundred threescore <i>and</i> six.</p> | <p>man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition; 2Th 2:4 Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God. 2Th 2:5 Remember ye not, that, when I was yet with you, I told you these things? 2Th 2:6 And now ye know what withholdeth that he might be revealed in his time. 2Th 2:7 For the mystery of iniquity doth already work: only he who now letteth <i>will let</i>, until he be taken out of the way. 2Th 2:8 And then shall that Wicked be revealed, whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of his mouth, and shall destroy with the brightness of his coming: 2Th 2:9 <i>Even him</i>, whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders, 2Th 2:10 And with all deceivableness of unrighteousness in them that perish; because they received not the love of the truth, that they might be saved. 2Th 2:11 And for this cause God shall send them strong delusion, that they should believe a lie: 2Th 2:12 That they all might be damned who believed not the truth, but had pleasure in unrighteousness.</p> | <p>Compare Daniel 7:8, 25; 8:9-11</p> |
| <p>Rev 19:20 And the beast was taken, and with him the false prophet that wrought miracles before him, with which he deceived them that had received the mark of the beast, and them that worshipped his image. These both were cast alive into a lake of fire burning with brimstone. Rev 20:10 And the devil that deceived them was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone, where the beast and the false prophet are, and shall be tormented day and night for ever and ever.</p> | | |

NB:

The reader should understand that there are apparently overlaps, similarities but also differences between the King of the North, Beast Power, Babylon and Mystery Babylon. These cooperate, have tensions, different views and even fallings out.

They represent several different but cooperating aspects of the enemies of the House of Israel and thus God.

These powers come together in temporary cooperation like a denouement:

- Beast Power – European political/military block
- Babylon – commercial/economic/financial system, especially as it supports the Beast
- Mystery Babylon – a Great False Church and her daughters
- King of the North – ancient roots in Assyria – a system which, as Daniel 11 shows, is the same one as the power that fights the Kings of the East. This aspect of the Beast focusses on conquering the Holy Land and Middle East (eg Assyria, Babylon, Greece, Rome, Holy Roman Empire Crusades, Napoleon, German assistance to the Ottoman Empire during WW1 and Hitler & Mussolini in WW2).