

Series: Prophecy

## “The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse”

(Sunday Morning July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2024)

### Passage: Revelation 6:1-8

*Rev 4:1 “After these things I looked, and behold, a door standing open in heaven, and the first voice which I had heard, like the sound of a trumpet speaking with me, said, “Come up here, and I will show you what must take place after these things.”*

*Rev 4:4 “Around the throne were twenty-four thrones; and upon the thrones I saw twenty-four elders sitting, clothed in white garments, and golden crowns on their heads.”*

God’s wrath will unfold in a t\_\_\_\_\_ w\_\_\_\_\_; the seventh seal judgment will reveal the seven trumpet judgments, and then, the seventh trumpet will reveal the seven bowl judgments.

### I. The White Horse is Galloping Towards Us - vs 1-2

1) This White Horse Represents the A\_\_\_\_\_

*Rev 19 (Reference)*

*2 Thes 2:3 (Reference)*

*2 Thes 2:7 “For the mystery of lawlessness is already at work; only he who now restrains will do so until he is taken out of the way”*

a. The Antichrist Will be H\_\_\_\_\_ and I\_\_\_\_\_

*Dan 7:20 “(His)...appearance will be greater than his fellows”*

*Isa 53:2 “(Jesus had)...no stately form or majesty that we should look upon Him, nor appearance that we should be attracted to Him”*

*Dan 8:23 “(He will have) ...great shrewdness and intelligence” (TLB)*

*Dan 7:8 “(He will)...speak pompous words”*

b. The Antichrist Will be a G\_\_\_\_\_ and a B\_\_\_\_\_

*Dan 2:41-41 (Reference)*

*Rev 13:5 “(He will be given a mouth) ... to speak great things and blasphemes”*

c. The Antichrist Will be a C\_\_\_\_\_ Leader and a P\_\_\_\_\_

*Dan 7:8;25 (Reference)*

2) This Bow Represents a Brief Time of P\_\_\_\_\_

*1 Thes 5:3 “While they are saying, ‘Peace and safety!’ then destruction will come upon them suddenly like labor pains upon a woman with child, and they will not escape”*

*2 Thes 2:11 “...God will send them (a) strong delusion, so that they should believe the lie” (NKJV)*

The Antichrist (s\_\_\_\_\_) will not come until after the rapture of the Church has occurred, but we are told in the Bible that many Antichrists (p\_\_\_\_\_) have already come.

*1 John 2:18 “...it is the last hour; and just as you heard that antichrist is coming, even now many antichrists have appeared; from this we know that it is the last hour”*

*1 John 4:3 “and every spirit that does not confess Jesus is not from God; this is the spirit of the antichrist,...”*

*Matt 24:5 “For many will come in My name, saying, ‘I am the Christ,’ and will mislead many”*

## II. The Red Horse is Galloping Towards Us - vs 3-4

1) This Red Horse Represents W \_\_\_\_\_

*Dan 8:24* “(The Antichrist will)...*destroy to an extraordinary degree...*”

*Dan 11:42* “...*he will stretch out his hand against other countries, ...and the land of Egypt will not escape*”

*Dan 11:44* “...*rumors from the East and from the North will disturb him, and (so) he will go forth with great wrath to destroy and annihilate many*”

2) This Great Sword Represents C \_\_\_\_\_

*Ezek 38:21* “...*every man's sword will be against his brother*”

Before this is all over with, we are told in *verse 8* that o \_\_\_\_\_ - f \_\_\_\_\_ of the human population on this earth will be destroyed.

*Matt 24:6-7* “6 *You will be hearing of wars and rumors of wars...7 For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom,...*”

## III. The Black Horse is Galloping Towards Us - vs 5-6

1) This Black Horse Represents F \_\_\_\_\_

*Lam 4:9* “*Better are those slain with the sword than those slain with hunger; for they pine away, being stricken for lack of the fruits of the field*”

The widespread extent of this worldwide famine is revealed by the fact that a denarius was a d \_\_\_\_\_ w \_\_\_\_\_ in Biblical times.

2) The Oil and Wine Represent L \_\_\_\_\_

*Matt 24:7* “*For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom, and in various places there will be famines and earthquakes*”

## IV. The Pale Horse is Galloping Towards Us - vs 7-8

1) This Pale Horse Represents D \_\_\_\_\_

*Matt 24:22* “*Unless those days had been cut short, no life would have been saved;...*”

2) This Sequence Represents D \_\_\_\_\_

*Jer 14:12* “...*I am going to make an end of them (Israel) by the sword, famine and pestilence.*”

*Ezek 6:11* “*Alas, because of all the evil abominations of the house of Israel,...(IT) will fall by sword, famine and plague!*”

R \_\_\_\_\_ were the cause the bubonic plague that wiped out one third of population of Europe in the fourteenth century.

*Heb 10:31* “*It is a terrifying thing to fall into the hands of the living God*”

*1 Thes 5:9* “*For God has not destined us for wrath, but for obtaining salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ*”