



The Antichrist and Revelation 13:16–18

A Bible Study in Prophetic Scripture — King James Version

REVELATION · DANIEL · 2 THESSALONIANS



Who Is the Antichrist?



The Man of Sin

"...that man of sin be revealed, the son of perdition."

2 THESSALONIANS 2:3



The Little Horn

"...a little horn...in this horn were eyes like the eyes of man, and a mouth speaking great things."

DANIEL 7:8



The Beast from the Sea

"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..."

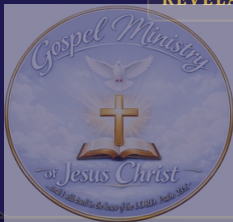
REVELATION 13:1



The Deceiver

"...even him, whose coming is after the working of Satan with all power and signs and lying wonders."

2 THESSALONIANS 2:9



Revelation 13:16-18 — The Core Passage KJV



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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: 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.

*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 is **Six hundred threescore and six.***

— REVELATION 13:16-18, KJV



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⚠ The Mark of the Beast — 666

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The Mark Described

- Received in the right hand or in the forehead (*Rev. 13:16*)
- No man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark (*Rev. 13:17*)
- It is the name or the number of the Beast — a mark of absolute allegiance



The Number 666

- The number of a man — *Six hundred threescore and six* (*Rev. 13:18*)
- A number of imperfection & counterfeit — falling short of God's perfect seven
- Here is wisdom — understanding required to discern it (*Rev. 13:18*)



The Eternal Warning

- Those who receive the mark face the wrath of God (*Rev. 14:9-11*)
- The beast and false prophet shall be cast into the lake of fire (*Rev. 19:20*)
- Victory is certain — overcome by *the blood of the Lamb* (*Rev. 12:11*)



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The Beast's **Global Authority**



Political Power

"And power was given him over all kindreds, and tongues, and nations." — Revelation 13:7, KJV

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Economic Control

"No man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name." — Revelation 13:17, KJV

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Religious Deception

"And all that dwell upon the earth shall worship him, whose names are not written in the book of life of the Lamb..." — Revelation 13:8, KJV

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Blasphemy Against God

"And he opened his mouth in blasphemy against God, to blaspheme his name, and his tabernacle, and them that dwell in heaven." — Revelation 13:6, KJV

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Overcoming the Beast: The Believer's Stand

I

Know the Word

"Study to shew thyself approved unto God... rightly dividing the word of truth."

2 Timothy 2:15

II

Fear God, Not the Beast

"Fear not them which kill the body... but rather fear him which is able to destroy both soul and body in hell."

Matthew 10:28

III

Overcome by the Blood of the Lamb

"And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb, and by the word of their testimony..."

Revelation 12:11

IV

Endure to the End

"Here is the patience and the faith of the saints."

Revelation 13:10





Gospel Ministry of Jesus Christ

Proclaiming the Truth of God's Word — Until He Comes

*"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son,
that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting
life."*

— John 3:16, KJV

"The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all. Amen." — Revelation 22:21, KJV

