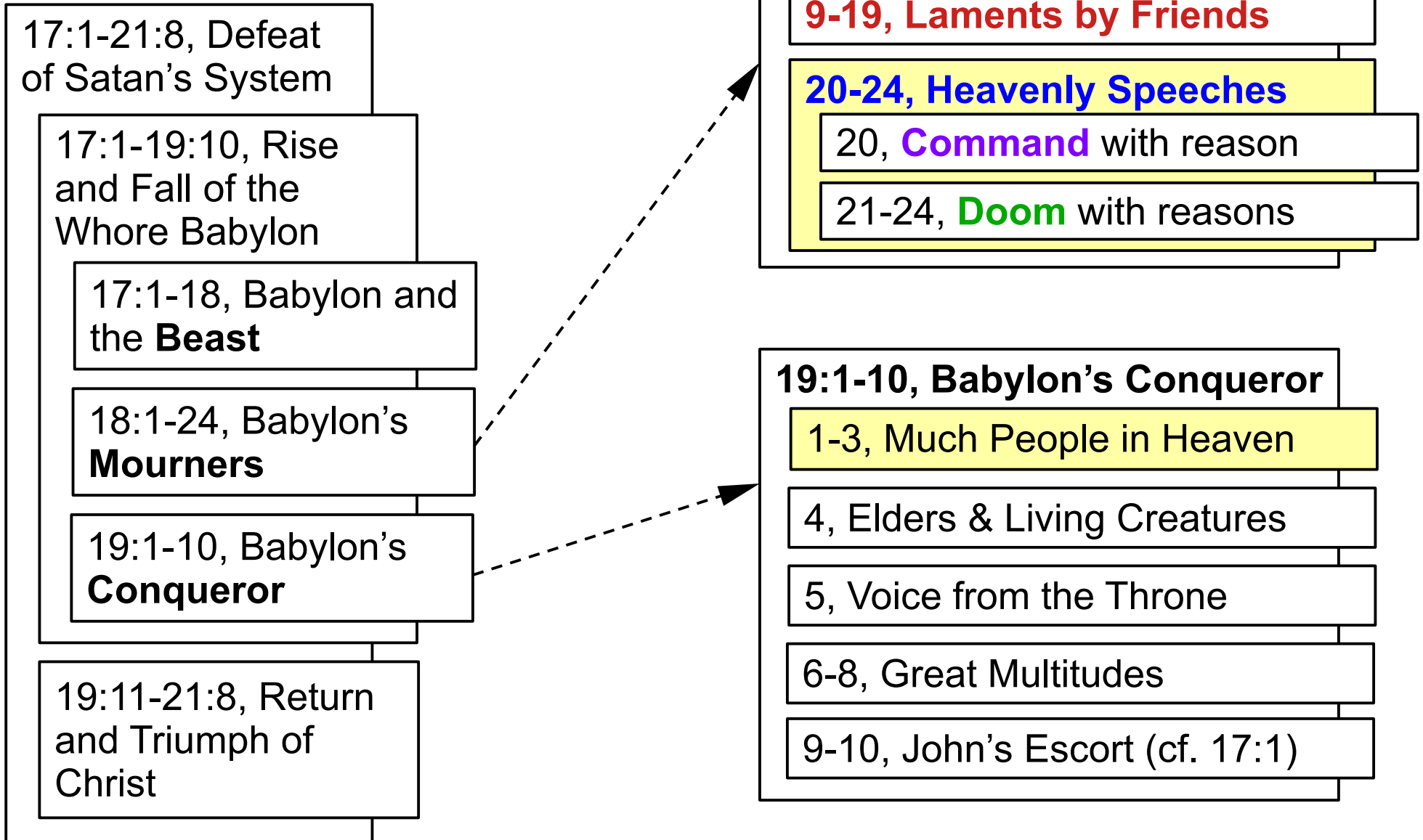


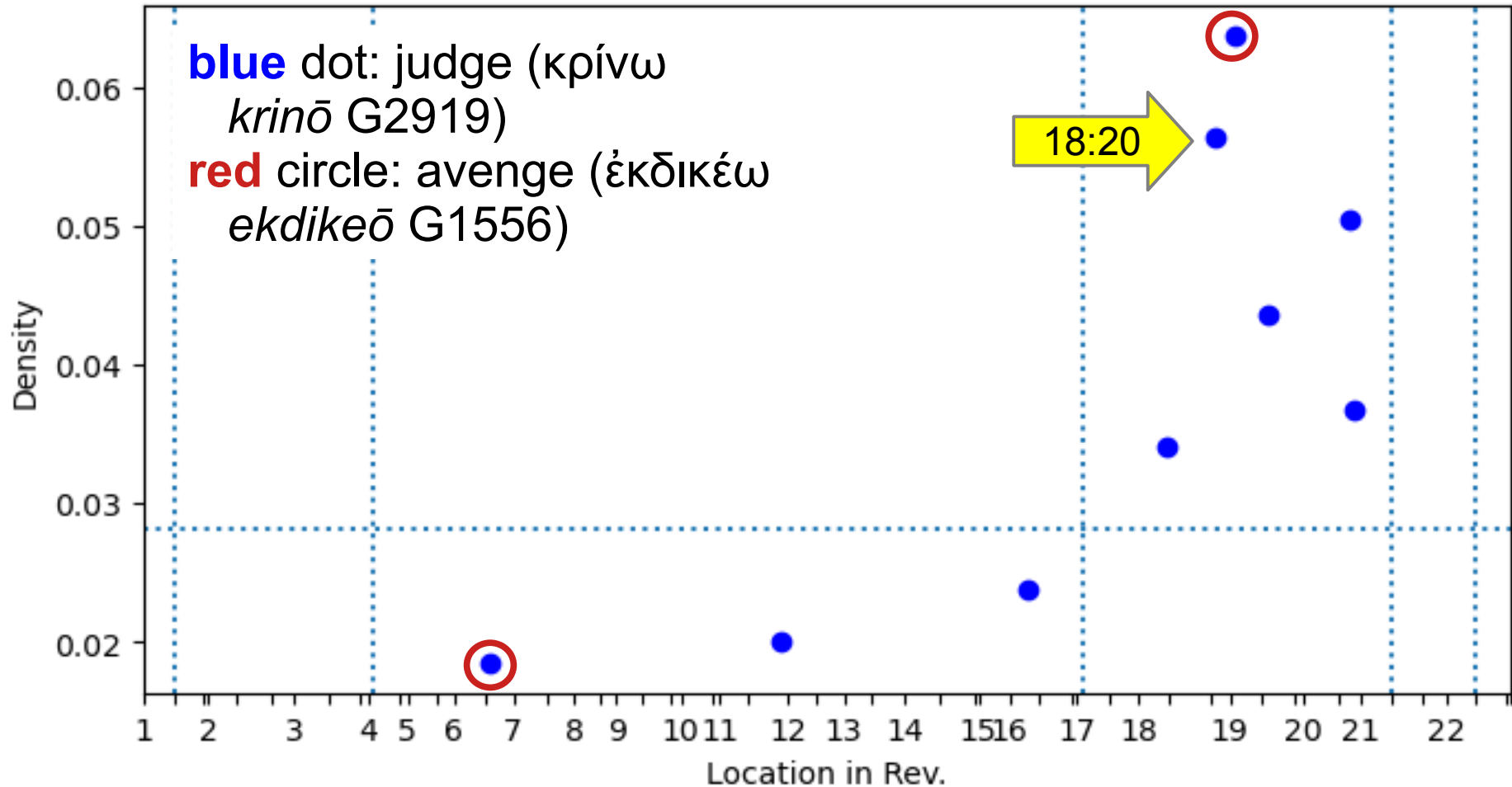
Rev 18:20-19:1

Third Vision “in the Spirit”



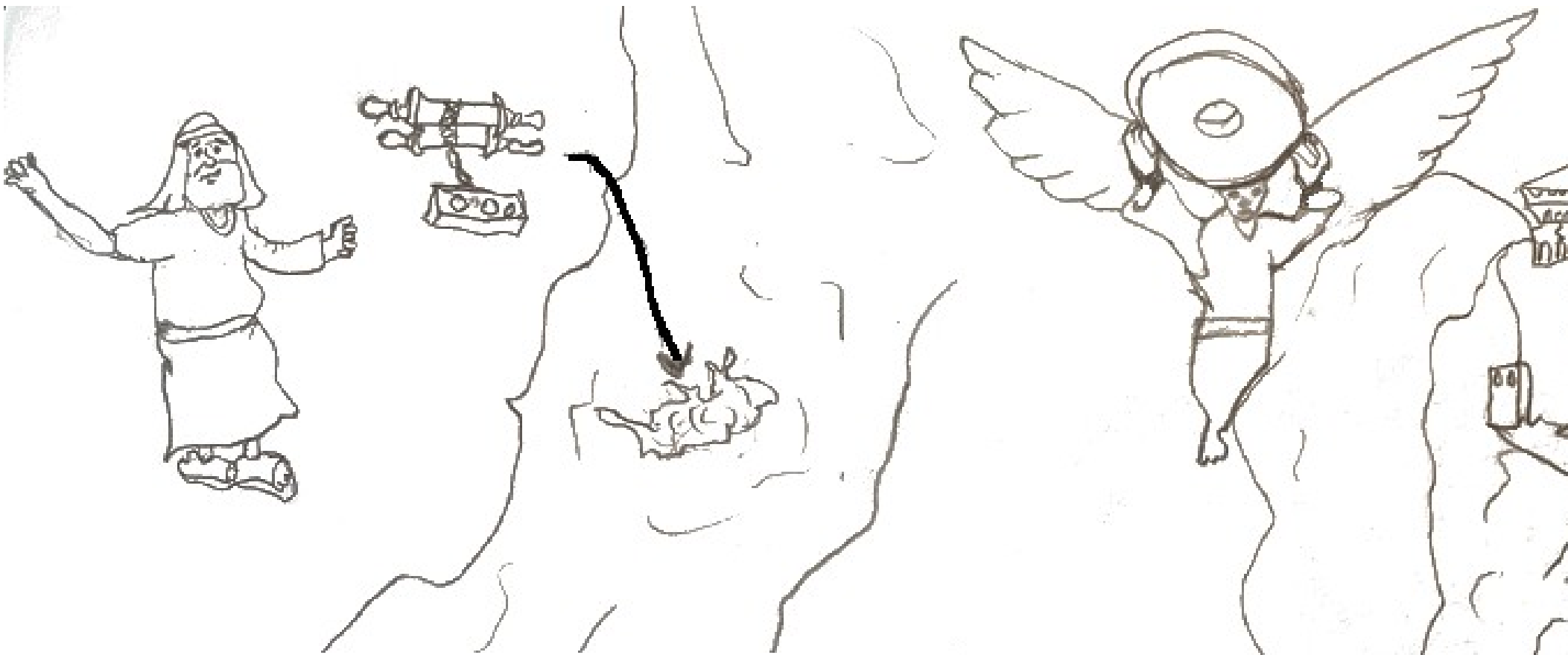
Avenging the Martyrs

Rev 18:20 God hath ~~avenged you on her~~
judged your judgment from her



Rev 6:10 And they cried with a loud voice, saying, How long, O Lord, holy and true, dost thou not **judge** and **avenge** our blood on them that dwell on the earth?

Rev 19:2 For true and righteous are his judgments: for he hath **judged** the great whore, which did corrupt the earth with her fornication, and hath **avenged** the blood of his servants at her hand.



Jer 51:61 And Jeremiah said to Seraiah, ... 63 ... when thou hast made an end of reading this book, that thou shalt **bind a stone to it, and cast it into the midst of Euphrates**: 64 And thou shalt say, Thus shall Babylon sink, and shall not rise from the evil that I will bring upon her:

Rev 18:21 And a mighty angel took up **a stone like a great millstone, and cast it into the sea**, saying, Thus with violence shall that great city Babylon be thrown down, and shall be found no more at all.

Compare what Seraiah did with what the angel will do. *Bilson Peters 2/17/2024*

Echoes of Jeremiah in 18:21-23

18:21, The Millstone

Jer 51:60 So Jeremiah wrote in a book all the evil that should come upon Babylon, even all these words that are written against Babylon. 61 And Jeremiah said to Seraiah, ... 63 ... when thou hast made an end of reading this book, that thou shalt **bind a stone to it, and cast it into the midst of Euphrates:** 64 And thou shalt say, Thus shall Babylon sink, and shall not rise from the evil that I will bring upon her:

18:22, The Silent Society

Jer 25:9 Behold, I will send and take all the families of the north, saith the LORD, and Nebuchadrezzar the king of Babylon, my servant, and will bring them against this land, and against the inhabitants thereof, and against all these nations round about, and will utterly destroy them, and make them an astonishment, and an hissing, and perpetual desolations. 10 Moreover **I will take from them the voice of mirth, and the voice of gladness, the voice of the bridegroom, and the voice of the bride, the sound of the millstones, and the light of the candle.** 11 And this whole land shall be a desolation, and an astonishment; and these nations shall serve the king of Babylon seventy years. 12 And it shall come to pass, when seventy years are accomplished, that **I will punish the king of Babylon,** and that nation, saith the LORD, for their iniquity, and the land of the Chaldeans, and will make it perpetual desolations.

Three Reasons for the Doom of 18:20-23

23b for thy merchants were the great men (μεγιστάν *megistan* G3175) of the earth

Mark 6:21 And when a convenient day was come, that Herod on his birthday made a supper to his **lords**, high captains, and chief estates of Galilee;

Rev. 6:15 And the kings of the earth, and the **great men**, and the rich men, and the chief captains, and the mighty men, and every bondman, and every free man, hid themselves in the dens and in the rocks of the mountains;

for by thy sorceries were all nations deceived

24 And in her was found the blood of prophets, and of saints, and of all that were slain upon the earth

Rev 17:6 And I saw the woman drunken with the blood of the saints, and with the blood of the martyrs of Jesus: and when I saw her, I wondered with great admiration.

19:1-10, Praise to Babylon's Conqueror

19:1-10, Babylon's Conqueror

1-3, Much People in Heaven

4, Elders & Living Creatures

5, Voice from the Throne

6-8, Great Multitudes

9-10, John's Escort (cf. 17:1)

Overheard

- 1, 3 Alleluia = Praise YHWH
- 4 Alleluia
- 5 Praise our God
- 6 Alleluia

Book 1, Pss 1-41: **Confrontation**
between the Messianic king and his
opposition.

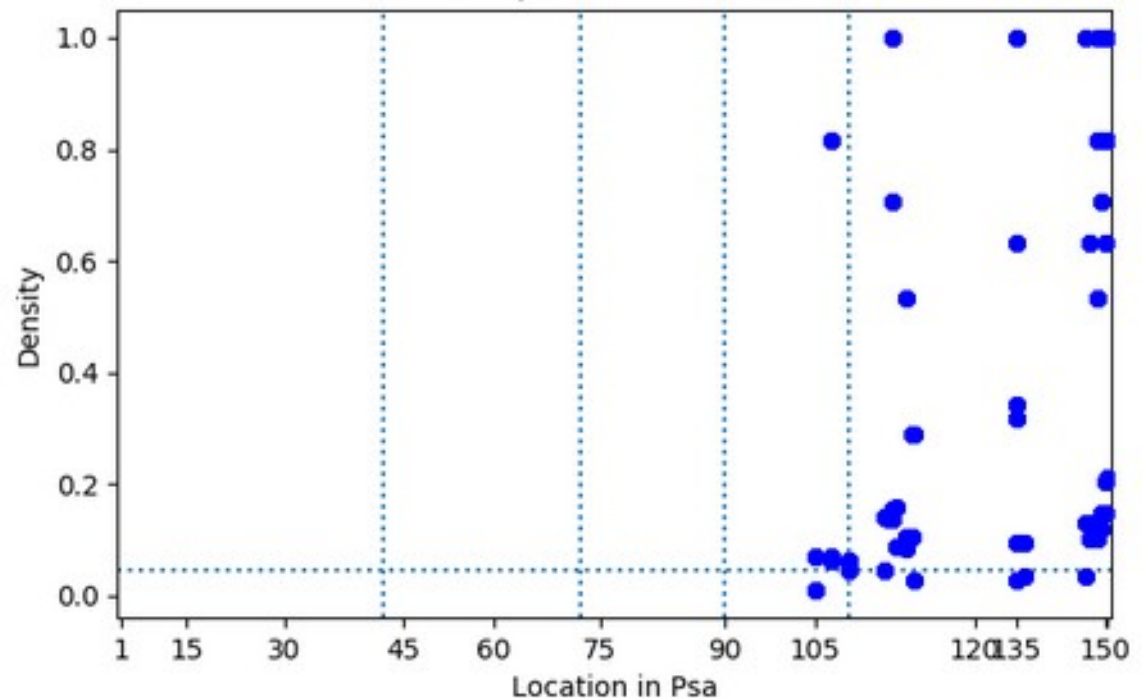
Book 2, Pss 42-72: **Communication**
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Book 3, Pss 73-89: **Devastation** of
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hope in the Lord as king

Book 5, Pss 107-150:
Consummation of the Messianic
kingdom

Hallelu-Jah (Praise ye the Lord) in the Psalms



O. Palmer Robertson, *The Flow of the Psalms*.
Phillipsburg, NJ: P&R Publishing, 2015

Praise in Heaven

Speaker	Revelation 5	Revelation 19
Saints	8 And when he had taken the book, the four beasts and four and twenty elders fell down before the Lamb, having every one of them harps, and golden vials full of odours, which are the prayers of saints.	1 And after these things I heard a great voice of much people in heaven ...
24 Elders	9 And they [the elders] sung a new song , saying, Thou art worthy to take the book, and to open the seals thereof: for thou wast slain, and hast redeemed us to God by thy blood out of every kindred, and tongue, and people, and nation; ...	4 And the four and twenty elders and the four beasts fell down and worshipped God that sat on the throne, saying, Amen; Alleluia.
Angelic Multitude	11 And I beheld, and I heard the voice of many angels round about the throne and the beasts and the elders: and the number of them was ten thousand times ten thousand, and thousands of thousands; 12 Saying with a loud voice, Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honour, and glory, and blessing.	
United Chorus	13 And every creature which is in heaven, and on the earth, and under the earth, and such as are in the sea, and all that are in them, heard I saying, Blessing, and honour, and glory, and power, be unto him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb for ever and ever.	5 And a voice came out of the throne, saying, Praise our God, all ye his servants , ... 6 And I heard as it were the voice of a great multitude , and as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of mighty thunderings, ...

Doxologies in the Revelation

(Speaker)	1:6 John	4:9, Living Creatures	4:10-11, Elders	5:9-10, Elders: The slain Lamb is worthy ...	5:12, Angel Host	5:13, All Creation	7:10, Much People	7:11-12, Angels, Elders, LCs	11:15, Loud Voices in Heaven	12:10 Loud Voice in Heaven	19:1 Much People in Heaven	
(Recipient)	Jesus Christ	God	God		Lamb	God & Lamb	God & Lamb	God	God & his Christ	God & his Christ	Lord our God	
(Form)	to ...	to ...	Worthy		Worthy	to ...	to ...	to ...	Now is come	Now is come	Alleluiah ; to ...	
Glory	1	1	1		6	3		2			2	
Honor		2	2		5	2		5			3	
Thanks		3						4				
Power δύναμις G1411			3		1			6			2	4
Blessing					7	1		1				
Riches					2							
Wisdom					3			3				
Strength, might ἰσχύς G2479					4			7				
Power κράτος G2904	2					4						
Salvation							1				1	1
Kingdom									1		3	
Power ἐξουσία G1849										4		
(Response)	Amen					Amen	Amen →	Amen				