

The Seven Trumpets

Rev 8:8-9:4

Trumpets (Rev. 8–9)	Ten Plagues (Exod. 7–11)
1. Earth hit with hail , fire, and blood, 1/3 of trees and all grass burned (8:7)	6. Boils (9:8–11) 7. Hail (9:13–34)
2. 1/3 of sea turned to blood and 1/3 of sea creatures die (8:8–9)	(Burning mountain, Jer 51:24-25) 1. Blood (7:14–21)
3. 1/3 of fresh waters embittered by Wormwood (8:11)	(Falling star, 6:13) 1. Blood (7:14–21)
4. 1/3 of sun , moon, and stars darkened (8:12)	(Sun & moon, 6:12) 9. Darkness (10:21–23)
5. Locusts released on earth after Abyss is opened (9:1–11)	(Falling star, 6:13; Locusts, Joel) 8. Locusts (10:3–19)
6. 200 million troops at Euphrates River released by 4 angels (9:13–16)	2. Frogs (8:2–14)
7. Heavenly temple opens, accompanied by lightning, earthquake, and hail (11:15, 19)	7. Hail (9:18–34)

The First Plague

Exod 7:19 And the LORD spake unto Moses, Say unto Aaron, Take thy rod, and stretch out thine hand upon the waters of Egypt, upon their **streams**, upon their **rivers**, and upon their **ponds**, and upon all their **pools** of water, that they may become **blood**; and that there may be **blood** throughout all the land of Egypt, both in vessels of wood, and in vessels of stone. 20 And Moses and Aaron did so, as the LORD commanded; and he lifted up the rod, and smote the waters that were in the **river**, in the sight of Pharaoh, and in the sight of his servants; and all the waters that were in the **river** were turned to **blood**. 21 And **the fish** that was in the **river** **died**; and the river stank, and **the Egyptians could not drink** of the water of the **river**; and there was **blood** throughout all the land of Egypt.



Revelation 8-10

10 And the third angel sounded, and there fell a great star from heaven, burning as it were a lamp, and it fell upon the third part of the rivers, and upon the fountains of waters;

What happened when the third Angel sounded the second trumpet judgment?

Trumpets 3 and 4

Third Trumpet and Sixth Seal

Rev 6:12 And I beheld when he had opened the sixth seal, and, lo, there was a great earthquake; and the sun became black as sackcloth of hair, and the moon became as blood; 13 **And the stars of heaven fell unto the earth**, even as a fig tree casteth her untimely figs, when she is shaken of a mighty wind.

11 Wormwood

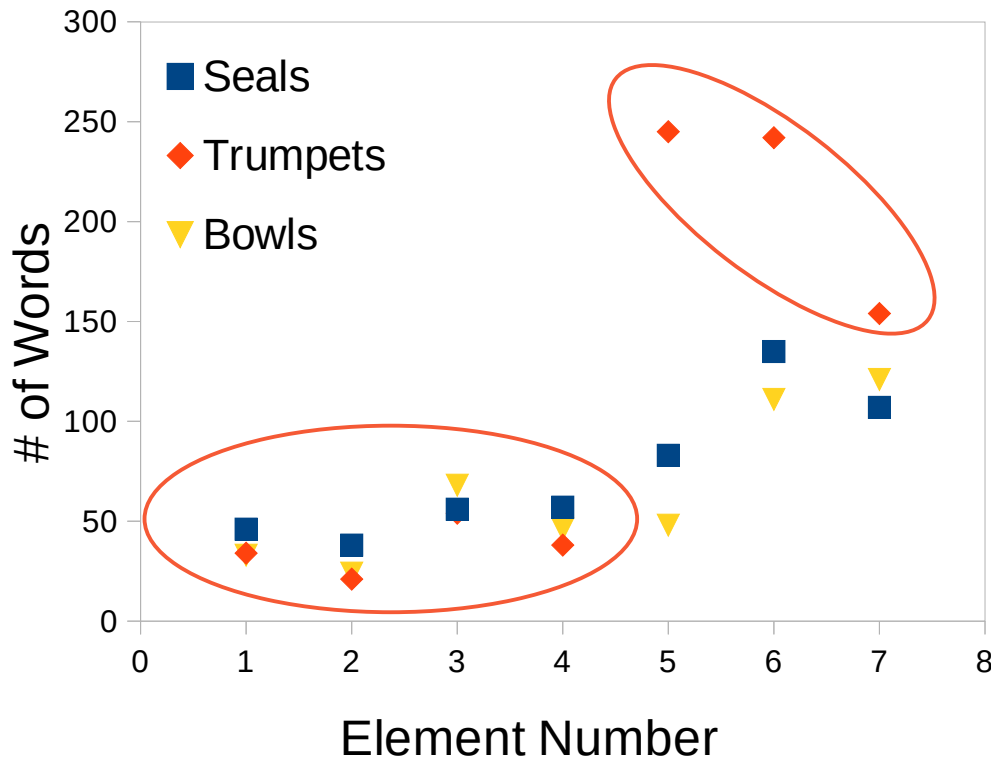
Deut. 29:14 Neither with you only do I make this covenant and this oath; 15 But with him that standeth here with us this day before the LORD our God, and also with him that is not here with us this day: ... 18 Lest there should be among you man, or woman, or family, or tribe, whose heart turneth away this day from the LORD our God, **to go and serve the gods of these nations**; lest there should be among you a root that beareth gall and **wormwood**;

Fourth Trumpet and Ninth Plague

Exo 10:21 And the LORD said unto Moses, Stretch out thine hand toward heaven, that there may be darkness over the land of Egypt, even **darkness** which may be felt. 22 And Moses stretched forth his hand toward heaven; and there was a **thick darkness** in all the land of Egypt three days: 23 They saw not one another, neither rose any from his place for three days: but all the children of Israel had light in their dwellings.

The Three Woes

Lengths of the Elements



Angel → Eagle/Vulture

Lk 17:27 Wheresoever the **body** is, thither will the **eagles** be gathered together.

Rev 19:17 And I saw an angel standing in the sun; and he cried with a loud voice, saying to **all the fowls** that fly in the midst of heaven, Come and gather yourselves together unto the supper of the great God; 18 That ye may **eat the flesh** of kings, and the flesh of captains, and the flesh of mighty men, and the flesh of horses, and of them that sit on them, and the flesh of all men, both free and bond, both small and great.

Woe: Funeral Lamentation

1Kings 13:30 And he laid his carcase in his own grave; and they mourned over him, saying, **Alas**, my brother!

Jer. 22:18 Therefore thus saith the LORD concerning Jehoiakim the son of Josiah king of Judah; They shall not lament for him, saying, **Ah** my brother! or, **Ah** sister! they shall not lament for him, saying, **Ah** lord! or, **Ah** his glory! 19 He shall be buried with the burial of an ass, drawn and cast forth beyond the gates of Jerusalem.

8:13 Inhabitants of the Earth

Rev. 3:10; 6:10; 8:13; 11:10; 13:8, 14; 17:2, 8

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. 11:10 And **they that dwell upon the earth** shall rejoice over them [the two martyrs],

Rev. 17:2 With whom the kings of the earth have committed fornication, and **the inhabitants of the earth** have been made drunk with the wine of her fornication.

They: κατοικέω G2730:
settle down and reside

We: παροικέω G3939,
παροικία G3940
“pilgrimage” and πάροικος
G3941 “stranger, pilgrim”



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9:1 The Bottomless Pit ἄβυσσος G12

A Prison for Demons

Luk 8:31 And they besought him that he would not command them to go out into the **deep**.

Jud 1:6 And the angels which kept not their first estate, but left their own habitation, he hath reserved **in everlasting chains under darkness** unto the judgment of the great day.

Rev 20:1 And I saw an angel come down from heaven, having the key of **the bottomless pit** and a great chain in his hand. 2 And he laid hold on the dragon, **that old serpent, which is the Devil, and Satan**, and bound him a thousand years, 3 And cast him into **the bottomless pit**, and shut him up, and set a seal upon him,

Origin of “the beast”

Rev 11:7 And when they shall have finished their testimony, the **beast** that ascendeth ἀναβαίνω G305 out of **the bottomless pit** shall make war against them, and shall overcome them, and kill them.

Rev 17:8 The **beast** that thou sawest was, and is not; and shall ascend out of **the bottomless pit**, and go into perdition:

Bottomless Pit or Sea?

Rev. 13:1 And I stood upon the sand of the sea, and saw a **beast rise up ἀναβαίνω out of the sea**, having seven heads and ten horns, and upon his horns ten crowns, and upon his heads the name of blasphemy.

Psa 33:7 He gathereth the waters of the **sea** together as an heap: he layeth up the **depth** in storehouses.

Psa 106:9 He rebuked the Red **sea** also, and it was dried up: so he led them through the **depths**, as through the wilderness.

Origin and Destiny of the Sea/Abyss

Gen. 1:2 And the earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the **deep ἄβυσσος**.

Rev 21:1 And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and **there was no more sea**.

9:3, OT Background for Locusts

The Eighth Plague

Ex. 10:12 And the LORD said unto Moses, Stretch out thine hand over the land of Egypt for the **locusts**, that they may come up upon the land of Egypt, and eat every herb of the land, even all that the hail hath left. 13 And Moses stretched forth his rod over the land of Egypt, and the LORD brought an east wind upon the land all that day, and all that night; and when it was morning, the east wind brought the **locusts**. 14 And the **locusts** went up over all the land of Egypt, and rested in all the coasts of Egypt: very grievous were they; before them there were no such **locusts** as they, neither after them shall be such. 15 For they covered the face of the whole earth, so that the land was darkened; and **they did eat every herb** of the land, and all the fruit of the trees which the hail had left: and there remained not any green thing in the trees, or in the herbs of the field, through all the land of Egypt.

The Book of Joel

A locust plague: 1:4 That which the **palmerworm** hath left hath the **locust** eaten; and that which the **locust** hath left hath the **cankerworm** eaten; and that which the **cankerworm** hath left hath the **caterpillar** eaten 6 For a nation is come up upon my land, strong, and without number, whose teeth are the teeth of a lion, and he hath the cheek teeth of a great lion. ... 7 He hath laid my vine waste, and barked my fig tree: he hath made it clean bare, and cast it away; the branches thereof are made white.

The Day of the Lord: 2:1 ... **the day of the LORD cometh**, for it is nigh at hand; 2 A day of darkness and of gloominess, a day of clouds and of thick darkness, ... 3 A fire devoureth before them; and behind them a flame burneth: the land is as the garden of Eden before them, and behind them a desolate wilderness; yea, and nothing shall escape them. 4 **The appearance of them is as the appearance of horses;** and as horsemen, so shall they run.

9:4, The Locusts' Victims

... those men which have not the seal of God

Rev. 7:2 And I saw another angel ascending from the east, having the **seal** of the living God: and he cried with a loud voice to the four angels, to whom it was given to hurt the earth and the sea, 3

Saying, Hurt not the earth, neither the sea, nor the trees, till we have **sealed the servants of our God in their foreheads**. 4 And I heard the number of them which were sealed: and there were **sealed** an hundred and forty and four thousand of all the tribes of the children of Israel.