### The Seven Trumpets

	Trumpets (Rev. 8–9)	Ten Plagues (Exod. 7–11)	
	<ol> <li>Earth hit with hail, fire, and blood,</li> <li>1/3 of trees and all grass burned (8:7)</li> </ol>	6. <mark>Boils</mark> (9:8–11) 7. Hail (9:13–34)	
	2. 1/3 of <b>sea turned to blood</b> and 1/3 of sea creatures die (8:8–9)	(Burning mountain, Jer 51:24-25) 1. <b>Blood</b> (7:14–21)	
	3. 1/3 of <b>fresh waters</b> embittered by Wormwood (8:11)	(Falling star, 6:13) 1. <mark>Blood</mark> (7:14–21)	
	4. 1/3 of sun, moon, and stars darkened (8:12)	(Sun & moon, 6:12) 9. <b>Darkness</b> (10:21–23)	
Three Woes	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 <b>Euphrates</b> 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. <b>Hail</b> (9:18–34)	

Rev 9:1-12

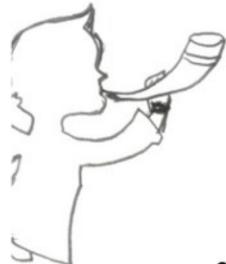
### The Fallen Star

Lk 10:18 And he said unto them, I beheld Satan as lightning fall from heaven. 19 Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

Rev 12:9 ... the great dragon was cast out, that old serpent, called the Devil, and Satan, which deceiveth the whole world: he was **cast out into the earth**, and his angels were cast out with him.

1Pe 5:8 Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, **walketh about**, seeking whom he may devour:

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Revelation 9:3-4

3 And there came out of the smoke locusts upon the earth: and unto them was given power, as the scorpions of the earth have power.

4 And it was commanded them that they should not hurt the grass of the earth, neither any green thing, neither any tree; but only those men which have not the seal of God in their foreheads.

When the bottomless pit was opened, and the smoke came out, what happened then?



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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**  $\dot{\alpha}\nu\alpha\beta\alpha\dot{\nu}\omega$  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**  $å\beta u\sigma\sigma\sigma\varsigma$ .

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**.

### Who Performs the Judgments?

Eph. 6:12 For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.

	Seals, 6:1-8:5	Trumpets, 8:6-11:19	Bowls, 16:1-21
People	1: False Christs 2: War 5: Martyrdom		6: Kings of the east
Nature	3: Famine 4: Pestilence 6: Cosmic signs	<ol> <li>1: Fiery hail → plants</li> <li>2: Sea to blood</li> <li>3: Fresh water</li> <li>poisoned</li> <li>4: Cosmic signs</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Sores</li> <li>Sea to blood</li> <li>Fresh water to blood</li> <li>Cosmic signs</li> <li>Darkness</li> </ol>
Demons		5: Locusts 6: Horses	6: Kings gathered by unclean spirits
Heaven	7: Fire from altar cast to earth	7: God's wrath poured out	7: Fall of Babylon

### 9:3, Locusts in the OT 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; <u>before</u> 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 caterpiller 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, there hath not been ever the like, neither shall be any more after it, ... 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.

### Helpful References on the Locust Demons

### 3, 5, 10, scorpions

Deu 8:15 Who led thee through that great and terrible wilderness, wherein were fiery serpents, and **scorpions**, and drought,

Lk 10:19 Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and **scorpions**,

## ... 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.

### 5, torment

Matt. 8:29 And, behold, they cried out, saying, What have we to do with thee, Jesus, thou Son of God? art thou come hither to **torment** us before the time?

2Pet. 2:8 (For that righteous man dwelling among them, in seeing and hearing, **vexed** his righteous soul from day to day with their unlawful deeds;)

Rev. 11:10 And they that dwell upon the earth shall rejoice over them, and make merry, and shall send gifts one to another; because these two prophets **tormented** them that dwelt on the earth.

**6 shall desire ἐπιθυμέω G1937 to die** Phil. 1:23 For I am in a strait betwixt two, having **a desire ἐπιθυμία G1939 to depart**, and to be with Christ; which is far better: 24 Nevertheless to abide in the flesh is more needful for you. 25 And having this confidence, I know that I shall abide and continue with you all for your furtherance and joy of faith;

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