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LESSON 22

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THE BEASTS: GOVERNMENTS & RULERS OF THE APPOINTED TIMES

Read Revelation 13

- Explore What Nations Likely Comprise The Two Government Beasts
- Search The Power & Deceptive Tactics Of The Beast & False Prophet

We are ready to examine Revelation 13 closely to determine if it is the unsealing (further enlightenment) of Daniel's first vision several hundred years earlier, recorded in Daniel 7. Revelation 13 is divided into two sections. The first ten verses describe the nations of the world combined as a united front, identified as the first "Beast"; and, a great global calamity out of which the newly recognized world leader will emerge to rule for 42 months, or 1,260 days.

The second half, verses 11-18, describes the second "Beast" animal, or governments, that will garner support of the first Beast (Antichrist) through the miracles of the False Prophet—another key figure in final events. This political-religious union will be instrumental in forcing worship of the image, the international icon of false worship, and will create the economic protocol that will ultimately mark individuals and control business transactions around the globe.



FIRST BEAST

Daniel 7 and Revelation 13 locate geographically the two key characters of the appointed times, the Beast and the False Prophet, who will control and

influence the New World Order. We know both chapters cover similar periods, because both passages depict a dreadful Beast with seven heads and ten horns, made up of Lion, Bear and Leopard, which give way to a blasphemous leader who will rule for three and one-half years. And, each chapter foretells of the overcomers' persecution during last prophetic counting days of human history.



SECOND BEAST

Beast From The Sea

1. Revelation 13:1 says the prophet John saw in vision the dragon (Satan) sitting on the shore. A gruesome governmental creature emerges from where? _____
2. Read Daniel 7:3. Where do his visionary creatures rise from? _____
3. What does water represent in prophecy (Revelation 17:15)? _____

The water/sea represents many nations and peoples worldwide, meaning an amalgamation of many Gentile nations.

A natural animal would have just one head with one or two horns; but, this grotesque Beast—representing the nations of the world is malformed with "seven heads and ten horns," which is noted

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several times in prophecy (Revelation 12:3; 13:1; 17:3; Daniel 7:1-7). The symbolism teaches through its size and abnormal characteristics the ugly realities of a diverse and massive world government by which the demonic Man of Sin will be carried along. To add insult to injury, on each prominent head is written a blasphemous name. Blasphemous means profane, sacrilegious, offensive and ungodly. Evidently the action taken by the rulers and governments involve religious edicts and laws against Almighty God and His servant followers.

4. In Revelation 13:2, what three animals are added to the fourth deformed creature to make up this disfigured multi-headed Beast? _____

The Beast is comprised of leopard, with feet of a bear and mouth of a lion. By employing the same leopard, bear and lion creatures of Daniel 7, the prophet John is connecting the two prophetic visions. He is confirming the Revelation 13 vision depicts similar events, as found in the Daniel 7 vision. Satan the Dragon gives the Leviathan sea creature its power, throne and great authority (Revelation 12:9); this will be a time when governments will not be friendly to God's true followers, but rather antagonistic and hateful. Satan will employ the geopolitical union of the New World Order to stamp out the opposition, and to further his plans for global dominion.

The following chart illustrates the connection between Revelation 13 and Daniel 7, where both symbolize the end-time governments of the world.



The New World Order Seven Heads---Ten Horns in Revelation and Daniel

Revelation 13:1-2

One Monstrous Beast Out of the Sea

Beast With Characteristics of Leopard, Feet of a Bear, Mouth of a Lion

Seven Heads and Ten Horns 7 Heads...10 Horns

Total: New World Order.....7 Heads...10 Horns

Daniel 7:1-7

Four Monstrous Beasts Out of the Sea

Lion With Eagle's Wings1 Head.....0 Horns

Bear With Three Ribs1 Head.....0 Horns

Leopard With Four Heads/Four Wings4 Heads.....0 Horns

Terrible Beast With Ten Horns1 Head...10 Horns

Total: New World Order7 Heads...10 Horns

Lion With Eagle's Wings representsGreat Britain/ United States

Bear With Three Ribs representsRussian Federation—Old Soviet Union

Leopard With Four Heads/ 4 WingsChina and Eastern Asia Nations

Terrible Beast With Ten HornsWestern European Union of Nations

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While Daniel describes the four end-time powers as separate and distinct beasts, John now sees them combined and working as one. In Daniel 7, the fourth and most dreadful beast is the European Union sporting ten of the most prominent horn nations; however, in Revelation the sea monster only has just hints of the Lion, Leopard and Bear—again signifying the European Union's overwhelming authority over human affairs as it emerges the dominate power of the final days.

This is the New World Order, or Grand Design, described in the Scriptures. In both Daniel and Revelation, the emergence of the beasts from the sea heralds the world leader who will rise up from Europe out of the global upheaval and the New World Order to rule for a very specific 1,260 counting days.

The United Nations continues to advance global peace and unity; however, Revelation 13:3 introduces a catastrophic calamity. One of the following seven heads (either the head of Great Britain/United States; the head of Russia; one of the four heads of Eastern Asian Nations; or the head of the Western European Union with 10 Prominent Horn Nations) will receive a fatal blow. The attack looks as though it could bring quick demise of the mighty Beast from the sea; nevertheless, the grotesque political creature will recover with even greater power and strength after the attack. We will determine which head is injured next.

5. Revelation 12:3 describes the Dragon sporting seven heads and ten horns; however, John relays something quite unusual. By the time the Red Dragon reaches Heaven, three crowns are lost—from 10 to seven (7). The question must be asked, why are the three crowns missing (Daniel 7:7-8)? _____

The Russian Bear is said to have three ribs in its mouth and is told to devour much human flesh. In this regard, the Bear will attack the Western European Union. Three horns (countries) will be quickly uprooted and destroyed in this World War III event, just as Antichrist (the little horn) rises to power to rule for three and one-half years.

Likewise, in the book of Revelation, a great calamity occurs whereby three crowns (rulers) will be remove just before the three and one-half year rule of the Beast (Revelation 13:3-5). A man from the "little horn" or "little country"—the Holy See of Rome—will rise to supremacy out of Russia's fatal attack on the European head. So, after the great annihilation of three European countries, Antichrist will rise up from the ashes as world leader; however, the astonished masses will unknowingly be worshiping a demonic power. Many will acknowledge, "Who is like the Beast? Who can wage war against it?" Revelation 13:4.

6. What does Luke indicate will propel the world leader to global dominance (21:9-11)? _____

Fearful events and great signs from heaven.

It is written the Man of Lawlessness will rise to power and be held in high regard because of the "work of Satan displayed in all kinds of counterfeit miracles, signs and wonders," 2 Thessalonians 2:9. Revelation 16:14 declares that Satan, the Beast and the False Prophet are instruments of evil—"the spirits of demons performing miraculous signs."

Matthew 24:24 adds that false prophets and messiahs will "perform great signs and miracles" hoping to deceive God's chosen. The human mind cannot comprehend the magnitude of the nearly overwhelming deceptions that are about to take the world captive. Demonic apparitions disguised as much-loved religious figures will speak with flattery to hide their tenacious lies, for Satan himself "masquerades as an

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angel of light," 2 Corinthians 11:14. Through the mouths of false prophets and messiahs, Satan will distort Scriptures and prophecies to further his evil ploy.

It is possible that these deceptions and miraculous signs may be seen in public view in the skies and around the planet, with the sun becoming the circumambient glory of a false Virgin, about to give birth to the child—the Beast—who thinks he is chosen to rule all nations with a scepter of iron. Should we not be surprised that demons would cover themselves with the cloak of one so precious as Mary, the mother of Jesus?

The planet will be embroiled in nuclear holocaust and global upheaval; and, fear will grip mankind thinking WWII will usher in the annihilation of all mankind and the end of the Planet Earth. Then, the multitudes will see a great sign and will hear words of comfort, unity and peace. "Follow the chosen one," it will be heard, "the designated vessel of peace in the midst of calamity, and all will be well." Consciences of men and women, ignorant of Scriptures' warnings, will cry out that this is from God—but they will be wrong, dead wrong.

"Mankind has abandoned God and religion," it will likely be heard, and "God is calling the world to Himself." "Now that God has intervened, the ministry of the Papacy to all men must begin." Masses of people will bow in reverence; sadly, the world be taken captive by Satan's masquerade. Jesus warned, "A wicked and adulterous generation looks for a miraculous sign," Matthew 16:4.



Revelation 13:5 notes the world leader, a demon cloaked in the body of a highly intelligent man gifted in language and of Jewish descent, will articulate the call of all mankind to follow his spiritual counsel. He will boast often, proclaiming to be the prophesied one to save mankind. This, of course, is to commit blasphemy, for Jesus our Messiah is the promised Savior of the world.

7. How does the following passages (Daniel 7:8; 7:25; 8:25; 11:23; 11:32) describe the evil ruler's ability to use his intellect to boast and rise to global fame? _____

Daniel saw in vision a man pontificating boastful words. He will take to himself position, rule and power not given him by God, but by Satan.

8. How long will Antichrist exercise his authority? _____

42 months of 30 days, or 1,260 counting days. See Daniel 7:25; 12:7; Revelation 11:2; 11:3; 12:6; 12:14 for other people and events associated with the same counting period.

In Revelation 13:6-8 the Beast opens his mouth to slander the Holy One of Israel, Heaven and those who live above. He will elevate himself as mediator between God and man, and demand that all spiritual decisions come through him. He will take to himself the glory and honor due God, His Name and His Tabernacle. Furthermore, he and his followers will persecute true believers and put many to death for their witness against him during the appointed time of the end. Believers who reject him to follow the book of Revelation's warnings will be considered law-breakers and criminals. However, committed

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followers of Yeshua will not give up their faith during the course of the conflict, even at the threat of livelihood and even death.

The omnipotent all-knowing Almighty God knows all and foreknew the course of human history before Satan's rebellion. The Holy One also looked through the portals of time to see who by faith would trust in Him and overcome to stand victorious on the other side of the battle—those who would remain faithful throughout the Ages to Come; and, God said it is good, and preordained that those individuals He saw victorious would indeed be called and glorified. Indeed, our salvation is not related to our merits, but only on the calling and grace of God.

"For those God foreknew He also *predestined* to be conformed to the likeness of His Son, that He might be the firstborn among many brothers," Romans 8:29. "And those He *predestined*, He also called; those He called, He also justified; those He justified, He also glorified," Romans 8:30. "He *predestined* us to be adopted as His sons through Jesus Christ, in accordance with His pleasure and will," Ephesians 1:5. "In Him we were also chosen, having been *predestined* according to the plan of Him who works out everything in conformity with the purpose of His will," Ephesians 1:11.

"Salvation is found in no one else, for there is no other name under Heaven given to men by which we must be saved," Acts 4:12. Salvation can be found in no other name at all. His Name is above every name in Heaven and on earth; above rabbi, priest, pastor and pope. A great multitude of all nations—faithful followers around the globe—will continue to trust in His promises and will not deny Messiah and His testimony in the face of persecution and martyrdom.

9. According to Daniel 7:9-10; 13-14; 22; 26, after the Little Horn Ruler comes onto the world scene, what opens up in Heaven? _____

A Court of Judgment will be brought into session for investigation of the books of record. Heaven will deal severely with Satan's malicious rebellion against Heaven, and the Lawless One's persecution of the saints.

10. What two attributes does God ask of overcomers during the final conflict in Revelation 13:9-10? ____

Jeremiah 15:2 says, "Those destined for death, to death; those for the sword, to the sword; those for starvation, to starvation; those for captivity, to captivity." Even the overcomer's destined persecution on earth is in God's hand, but their dreadful experiences will end in eternal reward.

Whether by poverty, imprisonment or death, believers named in the Book of Life must endure with both patience and faithfulness. Do not be surprised if you face great trials at the hands of former acquaintances, friends or relatives. Jesus said, "Remember the words I spoke to you: 'No servant is greater than his master.' If they persecuted Me, they will persecute you also," John 15:20.

The response of committed followers of Messiah in the face of tyranny must be one of nonresistance and no retaliation: first, because armed resistance will be futile; and second—and more importantly—because the Lamb has already guaranteed our victory. The overcomers will conquer this spiritual battle not with the sword, but with "the blood of the Lamb" and "the word of their testimony," Revelation 12:11. Therefore, until the Beast's forty-two months are over (v. 5), those destined for imprisonment will go to prison and those destined for death will be killed. Our sole responsibility is to be faithful and endure the counting days of the storm. The Father and the Lamb will intervene in due time.

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John's point is not unlike Paul's in Romans 12:19-21: Do not take revenge, my friends, but leave room for God's wrath, for it is written, "It is mine to avenge; I will repay," says the LORD. Instead, "If your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him something to drink. In doing this, you will heap burning coals on his head. Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good."

Second Beast From The Earth

Revelation 13:11 introduces a second beast, a nondescript creature that sports two horns—which in prophecy represent nations. This creature rises from the earth. If the sea represents multitudes of nations and diverse languages (Revelation 17:15), the earth likely signifies the emergence of the beast with one common language.

11. How many horns, or countries, protrude from the beast? _____

Two countries are illustrated by the two horns.

12. The counties are known for their gentle lamb-like disposition, but at the appointed time of the end what does the beast begin to sound like? _____

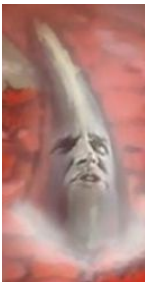
A dragon—a clear reference to satanic cruelty and deceptions (Revelation 12:9). The creature, once well-known for its peaceful freedom-loving governance, will begin to speak in angry intolerance.

13. Daniel 7:4 also describes a two-nation power alliance. What is said of the Lion (Great Britain) with Eagle Wings (United States) that would suggest a key personality emerges from one of these countries?

Once the wings are torn off and America falls from superpower status, the Lion will be lifted up and "it stood on two feet like a man, and a heart of a man was given to it."

The creature takes on human qualities, and prophecy is shouting "watch for a man" who will travel (feet) as an ambassador and give life (heart) to Antichrist's deceptions. Daniel is introducing the powerful end-time personality—the False Prophet—who will merge his efforts with the Man of Sin.

Of course, Daniel uses equivalent symbolism when he introduces the primary personality, the Antichrist. The prophet wrote that he will surface in connection with a little country—the "little horn" Vatican—illustrated by the animal's horn procuring human qualities: "eyes like the **eyes of a man** and a **mouth that spoke** boastfully," (7:8). The ruler visualizes (eyes) world dominion, and because of his miraculous comeback and ascent to power, and his academic credentials and skilled language, all ears will be turned to listen to his counsel (mouth). He is not afraid to speak highly of himself and what he thinks he can accomplish, and the global population will reverence and obey his commands.



The first beast of Revelation 13:1-10 is made up of many nations and led by the Man of Sin. The second beast sports just two horns (two nations) in 13:11, but will produce a personality—the False Prophet who lends support to the first prominent world leader—the Papal Antichrist.

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14. According to Revelation 16:13-14, what three personalities are most instrumental in the worldwide deceptions of the last days? _____

The three are: the Dragon—Satan (Revelation 12:9); the Beast—Man of Lawlessness (Revelation 13:1-10); and, the False Prophet (Revelation 13:11-17); these three comprise the evil triumvirate.

15. How much power is the False Prophet given (Revelation 13:12)? _____

He is given great authority, alongside Antichrist.

This malicious dual, through whom Satan works, materializes when the first global-wide beast—made up of the most powerful United Nations members—emerges unified after the WW III events. The False Prophet from the British-American alliance will clasp hands with Rome. The once peaceful, freedom-loving leaders will begin to speak like the “dragon”. Religious freedom will be suppressed as countries unite in their persecution of God's people—those who follow the testimony of Jesus Christ and keep God's unchangeable commandments.

Antichrist (of European roots) and the False Prophet (from British-American roots) will promise world peace through false religion, and Planet Earth will be taken captive. What makes the wine of delusion so intoxicating is the drink will combine Christian principles with pagan practices and Mother/child idolatry, topped with hints of Judaism, with emphasis on the beloved city—Jerusalem. In this way, Christians, Jews and Muslims will succumb to spiritual drunkenness and stupor.

16. Like the great prophet Elijah, the False Prophet will perform many miracles in order to capture the adoration of the masses (Revelation 13:13). What is his nearly overwhelming miracle? _____

As Jesus calmed the winds that troubled the sea (Mark 4:39), Satan will, through his proxy, use nature's forces to amaze the people and to gather support for demonic delusions.

Whether wind, waves, earthquakes, fires, storms, volcanic activity or other catastrophes, there's nothing beyond Satan's unbridled power he won't use to terrorize the planet into following him and his partners in crime. We are warned not to allow even miracles of nature itself—even the call of lightning from the sky—to sway us away from Revelation's warnings. The great calamities of nuclear war, fears of growing war, famines and earthquakes which begin the sorrows of the end times (Matthew 24:6-8) are used by Satan to deceive and united the nations under his control for the sake of saving the planet.

Miracles are associated with both the Beast and the False Prophet who are Satan's counterfeit to Heaven's two last-day prophets—Moses and Elijah. There's a lesson to be learned. No miracle, great or small, can be a measurement of truth. Voices and the sights and sounds of our senses are emotionally driven, and can be very deceiving. Only God and His Word and the warnings contained within its pages can be trusted.

17. Revelation 13:14 states that the geopolitical beast will receive the fatal blow from the sword and yet the united global beast lived on. What horse is said to hold the "large sword" (Revelation 6:3-4)? _____

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Russia, the Old Soviet Union, corresponds to the "red horse"; Russia will take peace from the earth with its large nuclear sword.

18. The False Prophet can perform great miracles and signs. What does he set up in honor of the great religion, in view of the united nations? _____

Once under his spell, the False Prophet demands the nations to set up an image in honor of the beast.

The statue of honor will be erected. Most religious teachers will join in this commandment-breaking practice. Even some in Judaism, a stronghold against the building and worshipping of idols will break their Covenant with God in worship to this image. Protestants and Catholics, Muslims and other religions the world over will succumb to the prevailing influences of that day and will pay respect to this unholy abomination.

The idolatry in question is also defined as adoration of the state. The state, with the help of religious institutions, will attempt to make itself the object of worship and to claim allegiance that belongs to God alone. As long as the state is simply the state, an institution created by God (as it was for Paul in Romans 13:1-7), or at least tolerated by God (as it was for Peter in 1 Peter 2:13-17), it's possible for believers to be good and loyal citizens. But when the state oversteps its bounds in breaking the Laws of God, compliant citizenship is no longer an option. The battle lines will be drawn, if forced to go against the Law of God—we must obey God rather than man. "Hear the words of this Covenant, and speak to the men of Judah and to the inhabitants of Jerusalem; and say to them, 'Thus says the LORD God of Israel: "Cursed is the man who does not obey the words of this Covenant which I commanded your fathers in the day I brought them out of the land of Egypt, from the iron furnace, saying, 'Obey My voice, and do according to all that I command you; so shall you be My people, and I will be your God,"' Jeremiah 11:2-4. However, our role in the battle is a passive one governed by the counsel of verse 10: "if anyone is to go into captivity, into captivity he will go," and "if anyone is to be killed with the sword, with the sword he will be killed."

19. Which commandment of God is broken when images are worshiped (Exodus 20:1-17)? _____

20. Once the idol is erected, what is the False Prophet empowered by Satan going to do (Revelation 13:15)? _____

The manmade image will seemingly come to life.

One Catholic author, Michael H. Brown, in his book, The Final Hour, extols the many visions of the Virgin Mary enshrined around the world. On page 276 he writes about a supernatural event in 1985 concerning a statue of Mary erected in Ireland: "The statue movements were pronounced, continuous, and at times nearly violent. Even disbelievers saw the statue quaking... This time it wasn't movements or superimpositions. This time it was a full-fledged, speaking apparition... The Virgin was suddenly a moving, breathing person—not a stone monument... The Virgin identified herself as the "Queen of Peace" and requested families to pray the Rosary together... [She said] I want your prayers continuously."

God warns about end-time events through His prophet Habakkuk: "Write down the revelation and make it plain on tablets so that a herald may run with it. For the revelation awaits an appointed time; it speaks of the end and will not prove false. Though it lingers, wait for it; it will certainly come and will not delay... Of what value is an idol, since a man has carved it? Or an image that teaches lies? For he who makes it trusts

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in his own creation; he makes idols that cannot speak. *Woe to him who says to wood, 'Come to life!' Or to lifeless stone, 'Wake up!'* Can it give guidance? It is covered with gold and silver; there is no breath in it," (Habakkuk 2:2-3, 18-19).



"All who make *idols are nothing*, and the things they treasure are worthless. *Those who would speak up for them are blind; they are ignorant*, to their own shame," Isaiah 44:9. "Like a scarecrow in a melon patch, their idols cannot speak; they must be carried because they cannot walk. Do not fear them; they can do no harm nor can they do any good," Jeremiah 10:5. "The *idols speak deceit*, diviners see visions that lie; they tell dreams that are false, they give comfort in vain. Therefore, the people wander like sheep oppressed for lack of a shepherd," Zechariah 10:2.

In reality, those who bow will be worshipping the demons who make the idols speak: "The rest of mankind that were not killed by these plagues still did not repent of the work of their hands; they did not stop *worshipping demons*, and idols of gold, silver, bronze, stone and wood—idols that cannot see or hear or walk," Revelation 9:20.

21. What will the corrupt statue announce (Revelation 13:15)? _____

All who do not worship the image should be killed, no exceptions.

Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego once faced a similar test. The demand was given to bow down before the golden image, but they said "we will not serve your gods or worship the image of gold you have set up," Daniel 3:18. The faithful three were put to a fiery test but were ultimately saved. May this be a lesson to those of us who face the test of the appointed times and seasons. In unwavering faith, we may live or die; but if death, we will be ultimately saved, and raised to life eternal.

22. The False Prophet forces everyone, from the lowest to the highest social status, to receive a mark on their right hand or forehead. This mark sets up the system for what? _____

The identification allows for control over the populace. Food and shelter will be given only upon acceptance of the false religion, and society's system of buying and selling tied to the identifying mark needed in order to obtain the necessities of survival. By so doing, Satan will force worship of himself and a false religion, even if it means death for his opponents. The mark and how it will be put into operation has not been spelled out in prophecy; however, the details will become very apparent at the unrolling of the scroll.

The Beast & His Number 666

The Beast has a mysterious number associated with him (Revelation 13:18). The Living Bible paraphrases the verse: "Here is a puzzle that calls for careful thought to solve it. Let those who are able, interpret this code: the numerical values of the letters of his name add to 666!"

If there has been one mysterious verse in the prophecies that has captured the minds and imaginations of thousands of Bible students, scholars and teachers throughout the centuries, it is Revelation 13:18—the prediction of Antichrist and his number 666! When God hides the meaning no man can know it, but when His hand is removed all men can see it, if they desire.

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God has revealed a dire warning through His prophet John for these last days, for God knows the future and is "declaring the end from the beginning, and from ancient times the things that are not yet done," Isaiah 46:10. When Antichrist is revealed, the wise will be able to count the letter values of his name, and thereby know that he is the Evil One foretold in the prophecies. There will be no mistaking; the overcomers will know he is the prophesied one by his numbered name, words and actions.

23. How do we know that individuals having wisdom will “understand” foretold rulers and events, while the wicked are deceived (Daniel 12:4, 10)? _____

The wise will understand the unsealed book of Daniel and the unfolding of his predictions in the book of Revelation. Solomon wrote, "Better a poor but wise youth than an old but foolish king who no longer knows how to take warning," Ecclesiastes 4:13.

Wisdom is not bestowed to the lazy or neglectful. "The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and discipline. If you call out for insight and cry aloud for understanding, and if you look for it as for silver and search for it as for hidden treasure, then you will understand the fear of the LORD and find the knowledge of God. For the LORD gives wisdom, and from His mouth come knowledge and understanding," Proverbs 1:7; 2:3-6. Having the Spirit's wisdom, you can know God's will and way. You will be able to stand; to even stand alone if need be, during the appointed time counting periods of the end.

Today, the English language is one of the most widely used tongues around the globe. However, at the writing of Revelation the English dialect and its alphabetic symbols were yet to be created. God could look through the portals of time to the 21st century, knowing full details including the Beast's name and the letter values that would add to 666. By God's design, more Scriptures have been printed and distributed in English than any other language, and by this tongue His prophetic warnings in the book of Revelation—"the testimony of Jesus Christ," Revelation 1:1-2—and the gospel of the kingdom have and will continue to reach around the globe, then the end would come (Matthew 24:14).

The cryptogram seems to be skillfully woven into the verse itself, and the mysterious code is found in the final number: 666. What do we find? The repeating multiples of 6 offer the clue to the alphabetical values, which can be used to decipher this ancient code. We assign to the 26 letters in the English alphabet accumulative values in multiples of 6 starting with A: 1X6, then B: 2X6, then C: 3X6, etc.). Here's how the values are designated:

1	A = 6	14	N = 84
2	B = 12	15	O = 90
3	C = 18	16	P = 96
4	D = 24	17	Q = 102
5	E = 30	18	R = 108
6	F = 36	19	S = 114
7	G = 42	20	T = 120
8	H = 48	21	U = 126
9	I = 54	22	V = 132
10	J = 60	23	W = 138
11	K = 66	24	X = 144
12	L = 72	25	Y = 150
13	M = 78	26	Z = 156

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The following name LUSTIGER is given as an example. The letters of this last name add up to 666.

L	72
U	126
S	114
T	120
I	54
G	42
E	30
R	<u>108</u>
	666



The Papal Antichrist must also fulfill the ethnic, political and religious criteria found in the prophecies, along with the numerical value of the letters of his name. Antichrist (meaning, "opposing-messiah") has not yet taken his role. When this man/demon rises from the ashes of war by miraculous displays of Satanic power, clothed in human form and religious robes, we must point out his evil role and practices that will threaten the lives of countless individuals like the Jewish holocaust and pogroms of centuries past. Nonetheless, we must highlight his evil ways in humility and love. Paul wrote, "And though I have the gift of prophecy, and understand all mysteries, and all knowledge; and though I have all faith... and have not love, I am nothing," 1 Corinthians 13:2. Love for others must be the motivation for sharing insights into prophecy; to build up the body of Christ, not to destroy. The Ancient of Days will judge the demonic Beast clothed in human flesh. Vengeance is God's alone. "Do not take revenge, my dear friends, but leave room for God's wrath, for it is written: "It is mine to avenge; I will repay," says the LORD," Romans 12:19.

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