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A REVELATION OF JESUS CHRIST

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Revelation 19:11-21

Now I saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse. And He who sat on him *was* called Faithful and True, and in righteousness He judges and makes war. **:12** His eyes *were* like a flame of fire, and on His head *were* many crowns. He had a name written that no one knew except Himself. **:13** He *was* clothed with a robe dipped in blood, and His name is called The Word of God. **:14** And the armies in heaven, clothed in fine linen, white and clean, followed Him on white horses. **:15** Now out of His mouth goes a sharp sword, that with it He should strike the nations. And He Himself will rule them with a rod of iron. He Himself treads the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. **:16** And He has on *His* robe and on His thigh a name written: KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS. **:17** Then I saw an angel standing in the sun; and he cried with a loud voice, saying to all the birds that fly in the midst of heaven, "Come and gather together for the supper of the great God, **:18** that you may eat the flesh of kings, the flesh of captains, the flesh of mighty men, the flesh of horses and of those who sit on them, and the flesh of all *people*, free and slave, both small and great." **:19** And I saw the beast, the kings of the earth, and their armies, gathered together to make war against Him who sat on the horse and against His army. **:20** Then the beast was captured, and with him the false prophet who worked signs in his presence, by which he deceived those who received the mark of the beast and those who worshiped his image. These two were cast alive into the lake of fire burning with brimstone. **:21** And the rest were killed with the sword which proceeded from the mouth of Him who sat on the horse. And all the birds were filled with their flesh.

THESE ARE THE EVENTS SURROUNDING THE
SECOND COMING OF JESUS CHRIST

THE SECOND COMING OF JESUS CHRIST

- Taught in 17 of the Old Testament Books of the Bible.
 - Jesus Christ Himself Spoke of The Events of the Second Coming nearly 200 times
- The Event Itself Appears 1,845 Times in the Bible,
 - 318 Times in the New Testament
- Dr. John Walvoord Points Out that the Events of The Second Coming of Jesus Christ Appear in 7 out of every 10 chapters of the New Testament

Acts 1:8-11

But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.” :9 Now when He had spoken these things, while they watched, He was taken up, and a cloud received Him out of their sight. :10 And while they looked steadfastly toward heaven as He went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel, :11 who also said, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing up into heaven? This *same* Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will so come in like manner as you saw Him go into heaven.”

Detailed Events and Explanations are Given by Jesus
in All Four Gospels

***In Old and New Testament Alike,
The Event is Truly Awesome!***

Zechariah 14:1,4

Behold, the day of the LORD is coming, :4 And in that day His feet will stand on the Mount of Olives, Which faces Jerusalem on the east.

Joel 3:14-16

Multitudes, multitudes in the valley of decision: for the day of the LORD *is* near in the valley of decision. :15 The sun and the moon shall be darkened, and the stars shall withdraw their shining. :16 The LORD also shall roar out of Zion, and utter his voice from Jerusalem; and the heavens and the earth shall shake: but the LORD *will be* the hope of his people, and the strength of the children of Israel.

Zechariah 12:8-10

In that day the LORD will defend the inhabitants of Jerusalem; the one who is feeble among them in that day shall be like David, and the house of David *shall be* like God, like the Angel of the LORD before them. :9 It shall be in that day *that* I will seek to destroy all the nations that come against Jerusalem. :10 “And I will pour on the house of David and on the inhabitants of Jerusalem the Spirit of grace and supplication; then they will look on Me whom they pierced. Yes, they will mourn for Him as one mourns for *his* only son, and grieve for Him as one grieves for a firstborn.

Matthew 24:27-30

For as the lightning comes from the east and flashes to the west, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. :28 For wherever the carcass is, there the eagles will be gathered together. :29 “Immediately after the tribulation of those days the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light; the stars will fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens will be shaken. :30 Then the sign of the Son of Man will appear in heaven, and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.

THE SECOND COMING OF JESUS CHRIST

I.) The Awesomeness of Jesus Christ

v.11

Now I saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse. And He who sat on him was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness He judges and makes war.

a.) Awesome in His Place

v.11

"Now I saw heaven opened"

The Last Time John Had Said That, Was When He Was Let-In-To Heaven in the Vision

Revelation 4:1

After these things I looked, and behold, a door ***standing open in heaven***. And the first voice which I heard was like a trumpet speaking with me, saying, “Come up here, and I will show you things which must take place after this.”

From That Point On, The Church was Never Again Seen on Earth!

In Revelation 4 you have the church going up
In Revelation 19 you have the church coming down
In Between Revelation 4 and Revelation 19 is the 7-year tribulation period
Heaven Opens, Church Raptured Upward

Heaven Opens Again, The Church Returns Downward

John, who is in The Church, is a Type of the Church!

The Second Coming
is when Christ returns *with* the church

The Rapture
is when Christ comes *for* the church

You Might Be Tempted to Write This Off Like a
Bad Western Movie or a Fairy Tale"

2 Peter 3:3-4

knowing this first: that scoffers will come **in the last days**, walking according to their own lusts, :4 and saying, "Where is the promise of His coming?"

The Awesomeness of Jesus Christ

b.) Awesome in His Position

v.11

and behold, a white horse.
And He who sat on him was called Faithful and True,

In John's Day, Rome Ruled the World,
And Victorious Roman Generals Were Always Careful to Ride Upon White Horses.

It was the White Horse that Stood Out
It was the White Horse that spoke of Authority
It was the White Horse that the Conqueror Rode Upon.

Verse 11

And He who sat on him was called **Faithful and True**,

Revelation 3:14

"And to the angel of the church of the Laodiceans write, 'These things says the Amen, the Faithful and True Witness, the Beginning of the creation of God:

The Awesomeness of Jesus Christ

When we speak of the Word;
Awesome or Awesomeness
we are agreeing with Noah Webster who defines awesome as;

Joel 2:31 & (Acts 2:20)

The sun shall be turned into darkness, And the moon into blood, Before the coming of the great and awesome day of the LORD.

The Awesomeness of Jesus Christ

c.) Awesome in His Power

v.11

and in **righteousness** He judges
and makes **war**.

"righteousness" & "war" together seems odd

this word for "war" = literal war. physical warfare, military engagement.
Jesus Christ physically and literally will involve Himself in the Conclusion
of the Battle of Armageddon

When Jesus Christ Returns in the Second Coming, He Returns in Awesome Power

THE SECOND COMING OF JESUS CHRIST

II.) The Avenging of Jesus Christ

v.12-13

a.) Avenging with perfect knowledge

v. 12

His eyes were like a flame of fire, and on **His head** were many crowns.
He had a name written that no one knew except Himself.

His Eyes - His All Seeing Eyes = perfect knowledge

Revelation 1:14

His head and hair were white like wool, as white as snow,
and His eyes like a flame of fire;

His Head - Upon His Head = His Kingdom(s)

***and on His head were "many" crowns
>>> the all knowing God of the nations <<<***

His Name - His Royal Name

***He had a name written that no one knew except Himself
the name or names of God***

Isaiah 9:6

For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Judges 13:17-18

Then Manoah said to the Angel of the LORD, "What *is* Your name, that when Your words come *to pass* we may honor You?" :18 And the Angel of the LORD said to him, "Why do you ask My name, seeing it *is* wonderful?"

Genesis 32:24-30

Then Jacob was left alone; and a Man wrestled with him until the breaking of day. :25 Now when He saw that He did not prevail against him, He touched the socket of his hip; and the socket of Jacob's hip was out of joint as He wrestled with him. :26 And He said, "Let Me go, for the day breaks." But he said, "I will not let You go unless You bless me!" :27 So He said to him, "What *is* your name?" He said, "Jacob." :28 And He said, "Your name shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel; for you have struggled with God and with men, and have prevailed." :29 Then Jacob asked, saying, "Tell *me* Your name, I pray." And He said, "Why *is* it *that* you ask about My name?" And He blessed him there. :30 So Jacob called the name of the place Peniel: "For I have seen God face to face, and my life is preserved."

Revelation 3:12

He who overcomes, I will make him a pillar in the temple of My God, and he shall go out no more. I will write on him the name of My God and the name of the city of My God, the New Jerusalem, which comes down out of heaven from My God. And *I will write on him* My new name.

Whatever This Name Is, It Will be Jesus' Exclusive Name!

Proverbs 30:4

Who has ascended into heaven, or descended? Who has gathered the wind in His fists? Who has bound the waters in a garment? Who has established all the ends of the earth? What *is* His name, and what *is* His Son's name, If you know?

Acts 4:12

Nor is there salvation in any other, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.”

Philippians 2:7-11

He made Himself of no reputation, taking on the form of a bondservant, *and* coming in the likeness of a human being. :8 And was found in the appearance of a man, He humbled Himself (stooped down) and became obedient to *the point of* death, even the death of the cross. :9 Therefore God also has highly exalted Him and given Him **the name which is above every name**, :10 that at **the name of Jesus** every knee should bow, of those in heaven, and of those on earth, and of those under the earth, :11 and *that* every tongue should confess that **Jesus Christ is Lord**, to the glory of God the Father.

The Avenging of Jesus Christ

b.) Avenging with perfect vengeance

v.12

He was clothed with a robe dipped in blood,

Verse 11

and in righteousness He judges and makes war...

Perhaps there is no Better Scripture That Clearly Places The Rapture of the Church and the Second Coming in Their Proper Order Than in...

Isaiah 26:19

Your dead shall live again; the bodies of our dead shall rise. You who dwell in the dust, awake and sing for joy! For you are as the dew; and the earth shall cast forth the dead, back to life again; for on the land of the shades of the dead You will let Your dew fall :20 Come, my people, enter your chambers and shut your doors behind you; hide yourselves for a little while..... until the wrath of the Lord is past. :21 For behold, the Lord is coming out of His place in heaven to punish the inhabitants of the earth for their iniquity; the earth also will disclose the blood shed upon her and will no longer cover her slain *and* conceal the guilt.

Revelation 1:7

Behold, He is coming with clouds, and **every eye** will see Him, even they who pierced Him. And **all the nations of the earth will mourn** because of Him. Even so, Amen.

Again Isaiah 26:20-21

Come, my people, enter your chambers and shut your doors behind you; hide yourselves for a little while..... until the wrath of the Lord is past. :21 For behold, the

Lord is coming out of His place in heaven to punish the inhabitants of the earth for their iniquity; the earth also will disclose the blood shed upon her and will no longer cover her slain *and* conceal the guilt.

Isaiah 63:1-4

(Q) Who *is* this who comes from Edom, With dyed garments from Bozrah, This *One who is* glorious in His apparel, Traveling in the greatness of His strength?— **(A)** “I who speak in righteousness, mighty to save.” **:2 (Q)** Why *is* Your apparel red, And Your garments like one who treads in the winepress? **:3 (A)** “I have trodden the winepress alone, And from the nations no one *was* with Me. For I have trodden them in My anger, And trampled them in My fury; Their blood is sprinkled upon My garments, And I have stained all My robes. **:4** For the day of vengeance *is* in My heart, And the year of My redeemed (Israel) has come.

The Avenging of Jesus Christ

c.) Avenging with perfect righteousness

v.13

and His name is called The Word of God.
the power of the revealed or spoken word
holds an all important place in the lives of those in Jesus' day

Hebrews 4:12

For the word of God *is* living and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the division of soul and spirit, and of joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

Isaiah 55:11

So shall My word be that goes forth from My mouth; It shall not return to Me void, But it shall accomplish what I please, And it shall prosper *in the thing* for which I sent it.

**IT'S NOT - "WHAT IS THIS WORD?"
BUT RATHER, - "WHO IS THIS WORD?"**

John 1:1,14

In the beginning was **the Word**, and **the Word** was with God, and **the Word** was God.
:14 And **the Word** became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld **His** glory, the glory as of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.

1 Timothy 3:16

And without controversy great is the mystery of godliness: God was manifested in the flesh, Justified in the Spirit, Seen by angels, Preached among the Gentiles, Believed on in the world, Received up in glory.

1 John 1:1

That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked upon, and our hands have handled, concerning **the Word** of life—

Revelation 1:8-18

“I am **the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End,**” says the Lord, “who **is** and who **was** and who **is to come**, the **Almighty.**” :9 I, John, both your brother and companion in the tribulation and kingdom and patience of Jesus Christ, was on the island that is called Patmos for the word of God and for the testimony of Jesus Christ. :10 I was in the Spirit on the Lord’s Day, and I heard behind me a loud voice, as of a trumpet, :11 saying, “**I am the Alpha and the Omega, the First and the Last,**” and, “What you see, write in a book and send *it* to the seven churches which are in Asia: to Ephesus, to Smyrna, to Pergamos, to Thyatira, to Sardis, to Philadelphia, and to Laodicea.” :12 Then I turned to see the voice that spoke with me. And having turned I saw seven golden lampstands, :13 and in the midst of the seven lampstands *One* like the Son of Man, clothed with a garment down to the feet and girded about the chest with a golden band. :14 His head and hair *were* white like wool, as white as snow, and His eyes like a flame of fire; :15 His feet *were* like fine brass, as if refined in a furnace, and His voice as the sound of many waters; :16 He had in His right hand seven stars, out of His mouth went a sharp two-edged sword, and His countenance *was* like the sun shining in its strength. :17 And when I saw Him, I fell at His feet as dead. But He laid His right hand on me, saying to me, “Do not be afraid; I am **the First and the Last.** :18 I *am* He **who lives**, and **was dead**, and behold, **I am alive forevermore.** Amen. And I have the keys of Hades and of Death.

THE SECOND COMING JESUS CHRIST

III.) ***The Armies of Jesus Christ***

v.14

And the armie(s) in heaven, clothed in fine linen, white and clean, followed Him on white horses.

a.) ***Armies of those who have believed***

v.14

And the armie(s) in heaven,

The context is the second coming of Christ.

1. It is the end of human governments
2. The end of the tyrannical reign of the man, the antichrist
3. The end of the 7-year tribulation period
4. It puts an end to Armageddon

The Awesomeness and Avenging
of the 2nd Coming of Christ!

And the armies in (or from) heaven,

Who Are These Armies (Plural)?

THERE IS THE ANGELIC HOSTS = ANGELS

Matthew 25:31

“When the Son of Man comes in His glory,
and ***all the holy angels*** with Him, then He will sit on the throne of His glory.

When Jesus Interacts with Earth
There Has Always Been a Contingent of Angels.

The Angels will Accompany Jesus Christ at Both
The Rapture of the Church and His Second Coming

At The Rapture...

1 Thessalonians 4:16-17

For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God. And those who have died in Christ will rise first. :17 Then we who are alive *and* remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And thus we shall always be with the Lord.

At The Second Coming...

Matthew 24:30-31

When the sign of the Son of Man will appear in heaven, then ***all the tribes of the earth will mourn***, and ***they will see*** the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. :31 And He will send His angels with a great sound of a trumpet, and they will gather together His elect (Israel) from the four corners, from one end of the earth to the other.

**THOSE TRIBULATION SAINTS THAT WERE MARTYRED
AT THE COMMAND OF THE ANTICHRIST**

**THERE IS OF COURSE THE CHURCH
THE CHURCH, THE BRIDE OF CHRIST**

The Armies of Jesus Christ

b.) Armies of those who have been forgiven

v.14

And the armie(s) in heaven, ***clothed in fine linen, white and clean,***

c.) Armies of those who have united to Christ

v.14

And the armie(s) in heaven, clothed in fine linen, white and clean,
followed Him on white horses.

THE SECOND COMING JESUS OF CHRIST

IV.) The Authority of Jesus Christ

v.15-16

15 Now out of His mouth goes a sharp sword, that with it He should strike the nations. And He Himself will rule them with a rod of iron. He Himself treads the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. **:16** And He has on *His* robe and on His thigh a name written: **KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS.**

Zechariah 14:9

And the LORD shall be King over all the earth. In that day it shall be—

The Authority of Jesus Christ

a.) The authority to rule the nations

v.15

Now out of His mouth goes a sharp sword, that with it He should **strike** the nations. And He Himself will **rule them with a rod of iron**. He Himself treads the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God.

Verse 15 is a combination of two Old Testament scriptures

Isaiah 11:4

But with righteousness He shall judge the poor, And decide with equity for the meek of the earth; He shall strike the earth with the rod of His mouth, And with the breath of His lips He shall slay the wicked.

Psalms 2:10

Now therefore, be wise, O kings; Be instructed, you judges of the earth. **:11** Serve the LORD with fear, And rejoice with trembling. **:12** Kiss the Son, lest He be angry,

Taking The Nations...

Matthew 5:5

Blessed *are* the meek, For they shall inherit the earth.
But Who Would Want It? = you will after Jesus takes control!

Isaiah 9:6-7

For unto us a Child is born, Unto us a Son is given; And the government will be upon His shoulder. And His name will be called Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. :7 Of the increase of *His* government and peace *There will be no end, Upon the throne of David* and over His kingdom, To order it and establish it with judgment and justice From that time forward, even forever. The zeal of the Lord of hosts will perform this.

Psalms 125:1-3

Those who trust in the LORD *Are* like Mount Zion, *Which* cannot be moved, *but* abides forever. :2 As the mountains surround Jerusalem, So the LORD surrounds His people From this time forth and forever. :3 For the scepter of wickedness shall not rest On the land allotted to the righteous,

Micah 4:6-7

“In that day,” says the LORD, “I will assemble the lame, I will gather the outcast And those whom I have afflicted; :7 I will make the lame a remnant, And the outcast a strong nation; So the LORD will reign over them in Mount Zion From now on, even forever.

Zechariah 14:1-3

Behold, the day of the LORD is coming, :2 For I will gather all the nations to battle against Jerusalem; The city shall be taken, The houses rifled, And the women ravished. Half of the city shall go into captivity, But the remnant of the people shall not be cut off from the city. :3 Then the LORD will go forth And fight against those nations, As He fights in the day of battle.

Revelation 6:16

those who dwell on the earth says "hide us from the face of Him who sits on the throne and from **the wrath of the Lamb!** :17 For the great day of His wrath has come, and **who is able to stand?"**

This is an Important Point in The Revelation.

Here The Lamb is Mentioned, not in a Salvation Sense,
or in a Marriage Sense...

But In A Judgment Sense, an Angry, and Wrathful Sense

When Will The Lamb Reveal Himself to the World in Total and Righteous Anger?
In The Second Coming of Christ - Not in the Rapture!

Which leads us to another very important point
In the book of Revelation, When Jesus is Revealed as the Lamb,
His Bride, the Church is in the Context of Scripture

The Authority of Jesus Christ

b.) The authority to rule the rulers

v.16

And He has (1st) on *His* robe **and** (2nd.) on His thigh a name written:
KING OF KINGS...

At Jesus' first coming
He was rejected as King and was Mocked

**"RATHER THAN A CROWN OF GOLD,
HE WAS GIVEN A CROWN OF THORNS"**

"KING OF KINGS"

The Authority of Jesus Christ

c.) *The authority to rule the peoples*

v.16

And He has (1st) on *His* robe **and** (2nd) on His thigh a name written:
LORD OF LORDS.

The Hebrew Prophet of Old - Daniel said...

Daniel 7:9-14

"I watched till thrones were put in place, And the Ancient of Days was seated; His garment was white as snow, And the hair of His head was like pure wool. His throne was a fiery flame, Its wheels a burning fire; **:10** A fiery stream issued And came forth from before Him. A thousand thousands ministered to Him; Ten thousand times ten thousand stood before Him. The court was seated, And the books were opened. **:13** "I was watching in the night visions, And behold, *One* like **the Son of Man**, Coming with the clouds of heaven! He came to the Ancient of Days, And they brought Him near before Him. **:14** Then to Him was given dominion and glory and a kingdom, That all peoples, nations, and languages should serve Him. His dominion *is* an everlasting dominion, Which shall not pass away, And His kingdom *the one* Which shall not be destroyed.

The Hebrew Prophet of Old and New, He Who is More Than a Prophet - Jesus said...

Matthew 24:29-30

"Immediately after the tribulation of those days the sun will be darkened, and the moon will not give its light; the stars will fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens will be shaken. **:30** Then the sign of **the Son of Man** will appear in heaven, and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.

Matthew 18:11

For the Son of Man has come to save that which was lost.

Matthew 24:44

Therefore you also be ready,
for the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.

End of Study
