

REVELATION 6: Who can stand?

“Believers in the Great Tribulation” Revelation 7

“The events of this chapter, like those in other chapters to follow, do not advance the narrative but are a pause in the description of the events to spotlight a concentrated revelation on a special feature, in this case the answer to the question of 6:7, “Who can stand?”

“The Bible Knowledge Commentary” Walvoord & Zuck p. 950

AFTER THIS

What does John see? v.1

4 _____ standing at 4 _____

What are they doing? Why?

Holding Back _____

To prevent _____

Then what does John see? v.2

Another _____

What does he have?

_____ of the _____

What does he call out? v.3

Do not _____

What are they going to do?

Put a _____

How do we know these are believers?

_____ of _____

How many would be sealed? v.4

Who are they? v.5

_____ of _____

_____ from each _____

Why were these sealed?

Revelation 6:17 _____

What had Jesus promised?

Matthew 24:14 _____

“In Scripture, a seal indicates ownership and protection. . .The 144,000 Jews will receive the Father’s name as their seal, in contrast to “ the mark of the beast” that the Antichrist will give those who follow him. This seal will protect these chosen Jews from the judgments that will “hurt the earth and the sea” and occur when the angels blow their trumpets. . . .protected from these awesome judgments the 144,000 will be able to do their work and glorify the Lord.

“Be Victorious” Warren Wiersbe p.85

Why would the Gospel of the Kingdom be preached?

What did Gabriel tell Mary?

Luke 1:32-33 _____

“God entered into an eternal, unconditional covenant with David (II Sam. 7:16) in which God guaranteed that the Davidic kingdom should come to full realization as one from David’s line reigned forever.

“Things To Come” J. Dwight Pentecost p.441

What did Jesus begin to preach after His temptation?

Matthew 4:17 _____

What did Jesus teach His disciples to pray?

Matthew 6:10 _____

What did He send out His disciples to preach?

Matthew 10:5 _____

After Jesus’ resurrection, what did His disciples ask?

Acts 1:8 _____

What did Peter preach?

Acts 3:17-21 _____

“...after the rejection of Israel, because of the rejection of the offered kingdom, God brought the Gentiles into the place of blessing, which

program continues throughout the present age. When that program is ended, God will inaugurate the kingdom at the return of the Messiah and fulfill all the covenanted blessing. Thus, throughout the New Testament the kingdom is not preached as having been established but is still anticipated. In Acts 1:6 the Lord did not rebuke the disciples because their expectation of a yet future kingdom was in error, but only stated that the time of that kingdom, although future, was not to be known by them.”

“Things To Come” J. Dwight Pentecost p.468

AFTER THIS.

What does John see? v.9

Where do they come from? _____

Every _____

How are they described?

Standing _____

Wearing _____

Holding _____

What do they cry out? v.10

Salvation belongs to _____

And to the _____

What do all the angels do? v.11

_____ and _____

What do they say? v.12

Amen! _____

What does an elder ask John? v.13

Who _____

Where _____

Who does he say they are? v.14

Come out of the _____

Washed their _____ made them _____

In the _____ of the _____

Where are they now? v.15

Before _____

What are they doing?

_____ day & night in His _____

What will the One on the throne do for them?

Spread His _____

How are they comforted, what is their assurance? v.16

Never again _____

God will _____

What will the Lamb do for them? v.17

Be _____

Lead them _____

“The opening of the seventh seal will introduce the “seven trumpet judgments”. Despite the wrath of God and the terror inspired by Satan and his helpers, multitudes will be saved through the blood of Jesus Christ.”

“Be Victorious” Warren Wiersbe p.88

“...the majority of saints in the tribulation will die as martyrs....They will be hounded to death much as the Jews were in World War II. Because they will not worship the beast, they will be under a death sentence. Those who accept Christ in that time may be faced with the solemn alternative of renouncing their faith in Christ and worshiping the beast or being slain. The result will be multiplied thousands of martyrs.....During the Tribulation, countless people of all nations will come to know Christ. It will be a time of salvation for them in spite of persecution and martyrdom.

In verse 14 the significant detail is given that the martyrs have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.....Even their own sacrificial death could not atone for their sins. They, like all others, must rest alone in that sacrifice which Christ provided for them. What is true for them is, true for the saints of all ages; only the blood of Christ avails to wash away sin.”

“The Revelation of Jesus Christ” John F. Walvoord p.146