



An
Introduction
to Revelation -
Part Two

Revelation 1:9-20



Introduction

1. A Layered Approach to a Deep Study
2. The Type of Literature
3. The Divisions of the Literature – the outline (the easy part)
4. The Meaning of the Literature – Interpretation (the hard part)

Basic Outline of the Book of Ezekiel

Part One: The Commission of Ezekiel 1:1 – 3:27

Part Two: Judgment on Judah 4:1 - 24:27

Part Three: Judgment on Gentiles 25:1 – 32:32

Part Four: Restoration of Israel 33:1 – 48:35



Part one: The Commission of Ezekiel

- I. **Ezekiel Sees the Glory of God** 1:1-28
 - A. **Time of the Vision** 1:1-3
 - B. **The Four Living Creatures** 1:4-14
 - C. **The Four Wheels** 1:15-21
 - D. **The Firmament** 1:22-25
 - E. **The Appearance of a Man** 1:26-28

- II. **Ezekiel is Commissioned to the Word of God** 2:1-3:27
 - A. **Ezekiel is Sent to Israel** 2:1-3:3
 - B. **Ezekiel is Instructed About His Ministry** 3:4-27



The *Structure* of the Book

1. This is the hard part of the study!
2. PART ONE: The Bridegroom; (1-11) PART TWO: The Bride (12-22)
3. Revelation is a “Covenantal Lawsuit”



A COVENANTAL LAWSUIT

I. A Preamble

II. A Historical Prologue

III. Ethical Stipulations

IV. Sanctions

 V. Covenantal Succession

David Chilton's Outline

- PART ONE: THE BRIDEGROOM (1-11)

- A. PREAMBLE: JOHN'S VISION OF THE SON OF MAN (1:1-20)

- B. HISTORICAL PROLOGUE: LETTERS TO THE SEVEN CHURCHES (2:1-3:22)

- C. STIPULATIONS: THE SEVEN SEALS (4:1-7:17)

- D. SANCTIONS: THE SEVEN TRUMPETS (8:1-11:19)

- PART TWO: THE BRIDE (12-22)

- D. SANCTIONS: THE SEVEN TRUMPETS, CONTINUED (12:1-14:20)

- E. SUCCESSION ARRANGEMENTS: THE SEVEN CHALICES (15:1-22:21)

**PART ONE:
THE
BRIDE-
GROOM**

OUTLINE		#	CONTENT
	Historical Prologue	1	John's Vision of Christ
		2	Letters to the Seven Churches
		3	Letters to the Seven Churches
	Ethical Stipulations: SEVEN SEALS	4	Heavenly Throne Scene
		5	The Scroll; Worthy is the Lamb
		6	Sealed Scroll; First Six Seals
		7	144,000 Sealed; Multitudes in Heaven
		8	Seventh Seal: 7 Trumpets; First 4 Trumpets
	Covenant Sanctions: SEVEN TRUMPETS	9	5 th Trumpet (locusts); 6 th Trumpet (Army)
		10	Angel of the Oath; the Little Book
		11	The Two Witnesses; the 7 th Trumpet

**PART
TWO:
THE
BRIDE**

OUTLINE

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CONTENT

Covenant
Sanctions: SEVEN
TRUMPETS
(Continued)

12

The Woman and Dragon/ Michael and Satan/ Flight of Woman

13

Beast from the Sea; Beast from the Land

14

Lamb and 144,000

15

Song of Victory; Opening of Sanctuary

16

Seven Bowls of Wrath Poured Out

17

The Great Harlot; Babylon Identified

Succession
Arrangements:
SEVEN CUPS
OF WRATH

18

Babylon is Fallen

19

Marriage of the Lamb; Bridegroom Comes; Feast of Scavengers;
Destruction of the Beasts

20

The Millennium: Binding Satan; Defeat of Satan; Great Judgment

21

New Heaven New Earth; New Jerusalem

22

The River of Life; Jesus is Coming!

Conclusion

1. Greatest agreement is on the general theme of the book: VICTORY!
2. “You can’t see the forest for the trees.”
3. Yet, someone must venture among the trees, to understand the forest.