Who shall not fear You, O Lord, and glorify Your name? For You alone are holy. For all nations shall come and worship before You, for Your judgments have been manifested" (Revelation 15:4, NKJV)

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Chapter Fifteen prepares the saints for the final outpouring of His wrath against their persecutors.



# *Preparation* for the Bowls of Wrath – vs. 1

- Another sign
  - Great and Wondrous
- Seven Angels
  - Seven last plagues
  - In them the wrath of God is **complete**



# The Song of Moses and the Lamb

- *"something* like a sea of glass *mingled with fire* (cf. Rev. 4:6)
- "And those who have victory



### "and those who have victory" (NKJV)

"... those who had conquered" (NET, ESV)

### • The Beast

- Over his image
- Over the number of his name

- Rome
- Imperial Idol
- Nero

# The Song of Moses and the Lamb

- The Sea of Glass
- Those who had Conquered
- They sang:
  - The Song of Moses and the Lamb



# The Song of Moses and the Lamb

- They sing the song of Moses, the servant of God, and the song of the Lamb, saying:
- "Great and marvelous are Your works, Lord God Almighty!
- Just and true are Your ways, O King of the saints!
- Who shall not fear You, O Lord, and glorify Your name? For *You* alone *are* holy.
- For all nations shall come and worship before You, For Your judgments have been manifested."
- (Rev 15:3-4 NKJV)



## Philippians 2:5-11(NET)

(5) You should have the same attitude toward one another that Christ Jesus had,

(6) who though he existed in the form of God

did not regard equality with God

as something to be grasped,

(7) but emptied himself

by taking on the form of a slave,

by looking like other men,

and by sharing in human nature.

(8) He humbled himself,

by becoming obedient to

the point of death

- even death on a cross!

(9) As a result God highly exalted him

and gave him the name

that is above every name,

(10) so that at the name of Jesus

every knee will bow

in heaven and on earth and under the earth -

(11) and every tongue confess

that Jesus Christ is Lord

to the glory of God the Father.

## After These Things... Behold

- The temple of the tabernacle of the testimony in heaven was opened
- Out of the temple came the seven angels having the seven plagues
- Clothed in bright linen (represents righteousness; 2 Thessalonians 1:3-10)
- Having their chests girded with golden bands (Revelation 1:13)



Revelation 15:1 Then I saw another sign in heaven, great and marvellous: seven angels having the seven last plagues, for in them the wrath of

### The Angels are Given the Bowls of God's Wrath

- Then one of the four living creatures gave to the seven angels
- seven golden bowls full of the wrath of God who lives forever and ever.

(Revelation 15:7 NKJV)

# The Smoke from the Glory of God

• The temple was filled with smoke from the glory of God and from His power,

## The Cloud of the Glory of God

- Exodus 16:10 Appeared to Israel in the wilderness
- Exodus 24:16 Rested on Mount Sinai six days
- Exodus 40:34-35 Filled the Tabernacle
- Numbers 16:42 Defended Moses and Aaron
- 1 Kings 8:11 Filled the Temple of Solomon
- Ezekiel 10:4 Departed the Temple before the Babylonian exile



# The Smoke from the Glory of God

- The temple was filled with smoke from the glory of God and from His power,
- and no one was able to enter the temple till the seven plagues of the seven angels were completed.

(Revelation 15:8 NKJV)

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