

God's Judgment: 3rd Trumpet
Revelation 8:10-11

I. PERSPECTIVE: "all judgment (given) to the Son" (John 5:22)

A. Sixth Seal: Turmoil on Earth (Revelation 6:12-17)

1. Realization: "immediately after the tribulation" (Matthew 24:29)
2. Reaction: "men fainting from fear" (Luke 21:25-26)
3. Requirement: "before the...day of the Lord comes" (Joel 2:30-31)

B. Seventh Seal: Silence in Heaven (Revelation 8:1)

1. Rapture: "the sign of the Son of Man" (Matthew 24:30-31)
2. Redemption: "the Son of Man coming" (Luke 21:27-28)

C. 1st Three Trumpets: Judgment on Earth (Revelation 8:6-11)

1. 1st Trumpet: "hail and fire, mixed with blood" (vv.6-7)
2. 2nd Trumpet: "like a great mountain burning with fire" (vv.8-9)
3. 3rd Trumpet: "a great star fell from heaven, burning" (vv.10-11)

II. PUNISHMENT: "third angel sounded" (vv.10-11)

A. Description: "a great star" (v.10a)

1. Source: "from heaven"
2. Scene: "burning like a torch"

B. Destination: "the rivers and...the springs" (v.10b)

1. Descended: "fell from heaven"
2. Directed: "the rivers and on the springs"

C. Devastation: "many men died" (v.11)

1. Identity: "the star is called Wormwood"
2. Impact: "a third of the waters became wormwood"
3. Infliction: "many men died from the waters...bitter"

*Next week: **Read Revelation 8** (especially vv.12-13)*