

15. The Mark of the Beast and The Seal of God

In the Book of Revelation there are two signs of authority. The Beast demands the allegiance of a fallen world. Christ only accepts the allegiance of renewed hearts. This warning message will identify these two signs and point us to the safety of His truth.

1. Worship is the central issue of the Last Crisis. How does God want us to worship Him? "...those who worship Him must worship Him in _____ and _____." Jn 4:23-24 (1028)
2. Specifically, Whom does the Book of Revelation call us to worship? "Worship Him Who _____ heaven and earth". Rev 14:7 (1183)
3. And who are we warned NOT to worship? "If anyone worships the _____ and _____,.... the same shall drink the wine of the wrath of God." Rev 14:9 (1184)
4. Who is the beast?
 - a. _____ power Rev 13:1-2 (1183)
cf Rev 12:1-4 (1182)
 - b. _____ power Rev 13:8
 - c. _____ power Rev 13:6
 - d. _____ power Rev 13:7
 - e. _____ power Rev 13:5
 - f. _____ and _____ power Rev 13:10, 3
 - g. _____ power Rev 13:18
5. What is the mark of the beast received? "On their _____ or on their _____." Rev 13:16 (1183)
6. What earthly benefits does this identification with the beast bring? The privilege to "buy or _____" Rev 13:17 (1183). Note: Once again self-gratification in disobedience to the command of God results in ruin. Rev 14:9-11 (1184)

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7. What is the alternative set forth in Revelation? “I saw another angel ascending from the east, having the _____ of the _____ _____...and he cried with a loud voice...‘Do not harm the earth, the sea, _____ or the trees till we have _____ the _____ of our God on their foreheads.” Rev 7:1-3 (1179)

8. The Seal of the living God is related to what three things?

God's _____ power.	Jer 10:10, 12 (739)
God's _____	Isa 8:16 (661)
God's _____ _____	Eph 4:30 (1127)

9. A seal is equivalent to a sign [Rom 4:11 (1088)]; a seal validates [1 Kings 21:8 (346)]; and a seal, like its modern counterpart of a notary public, must contain:

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10. What is the Seal of the living God? “Surely My _____ you shall keep for it is a _____ between Me and you throughout your generations...It is a _____ between Me and the children of Israel _____ for in six days the _____ _____ the _____ and _____ _____ and on the seventh day He rested and was refreshed.” Ex 31:13, 17 (82)

11. What does Rome claim as their sign of authority? “_____ is our _____ of authority...The church is above the Bible, and this transference of Sabbath observance is proof of that fact.” *Catholic Record, Sept 1, 1923*

12. Jesus says: “If you _____ _____ keep My commandments.” Jn 14:15 (1043)

My Decision: _____ By God’s grace I choose to be loyal to Jesus and keep His commandments.

Scriptures

Jn 4:23-24
Rev 14:7, 9-10
Rev 13:1-2
Rev 12:1-4
Rev 13:8
Rev 13:6
Jn 10:33
Mk 2:7

1 Tim 2:5
Rev 13:7
Rev 13:5
Ezk 4:6
Rev 13:10
Rev 13:3
Rev 13:18
1 Kings 10:14

1 Kings 10:16, 18;
11:1, 5
Rev 13:16-17
Rev 7:1-3
Jer 10:10, 12
1 Kings 21:8
Isa 8:16
Eph 4:30

Rom 4:11
Ex 20:8-11
Heb 8:10
Ex 31:13
Dan 7:25
Jn 14:15