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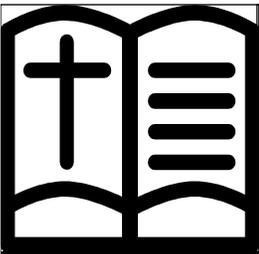
REVELATION 17:1-6; SUPPORT SCRIPTURE

**I. THE LAST JUDGMENT BEFORE THE SECOND
COMING OF CHRIST Rev 16—17**

- A. *The condition of the world under God’s wrath - the bowls*
- B. *An important history of the why of God’s judgment*

II. HOW IT STARTED

- A. *Female - fellowship, fruitfulness, synergy, and union; image the Godhead; covenant relationship*
- B. *Wisdom - completes the human; seen as female to reflect human creation and for human creation to reflect it; God’s intended covenant relationship; an unseen but real gift of revelation*
- C. *Harlotry, adultery, prostitution - a break in the covenant relationship of creation; perverting the natural use; a creation of the lusts of the darkened imagination; lust personified; imaged in real time in human behavior and creation - the deeds of the flesh (Gal 5:19-21)*
- D. *The two “women” are pictured in Proverbs*
- E. *Babylon is the “mother” of every perversion of breaking the original covenant relationship with God and reflected in its actions*
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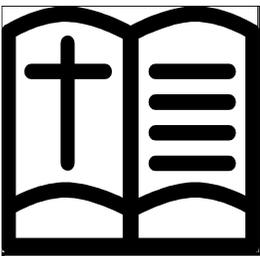


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III. THE DESCRIPTION OF BABYLON

- A. She sits on many waters 17:15*
- B. Kings were seduced by her and the people got drunk off the wine of her adultery*
- C. She has an intimate relationship to the beast, the seed of satan; scarlet with 7 heads and ten horns*
- D. She is dressed in the wealthiest of finery, gold and jewelry to attract even more kings*
- E. She holds a golden cup of her abominations and filthiness; she is proud of them*
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“BEING A RESTORED HUMAN”



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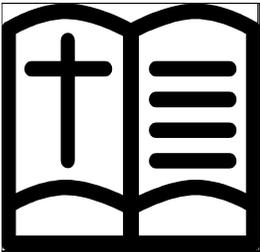
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