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MYSTERY SECRETS OF THE SEVEN THUNDERS OF REVELATION

Recently I felt led to find the secret messages of the SEVEN THUNDERS of Revelation.

That surely is a great MYSTERY. The Holy Bible introduced the subject of the SEVEN THUNDERS and their SEVEN messages and then said to shut up. Don't tell. How tantalizing. We can only conclude that the revelation of the secrets should come forth at the right time. If not, why tell that there are seven more secrets?

Over 30 years ago God showed the pattern of the 7 seals, the 7 trumpets, the 7 angels, and the 7 vials to me. That revelation took me from electronic engineering to full time Bible study and teaching. In April of 1998 something new happened. I studied the MYSTERY OF GOD as it appears throughout the Bible. I felt led to believe that the MYSTERY OF GOD study was the answer to the questions about the SEVEN SECRET MESSAGES of the SEVEN THUNDERS of Revelation. I had the answer from the Godhead but I did not yet have the pattern of how to present the answer to other people. Starting with the answer in my mind I re-read chapter 10 of Revelation.

Revelation 10:1-7, And I saw another mighty angel come down from heaven, clothed with a cloud: and a rainbow was upon his head, and his face was as it were the sun, and his feet as pillars of fire:

- 2 And he had in his hand a little book open: and he set his right foot upon the sea, and his left foot on the earth,
- 3 And cried with a loud voice, as when a lion roareth: and when he had cried, seven thunders uttered their voices.
- 4 And when the seven thunders had uttered their voices, I was about to write: and I heard a voice from heaven saying unto me,-Seal up those things
- which the seven thunders uttered, and write them not.
- 5 And the angel which I saw stand upon the sea and upon the earth lifted up his hand to heaven,
- 6 And sware by him that liveth for ever and ever, who created heaven, and the things that therein are, and the earth, and the things that therein are, and the sea, and the things which are therein, that there should be time no longer (the holding back of the time for action shall cease.)



7 But in the days of the voice of the seventh angel, when he shall begin to sound, the <u>MYSTERY of God</u> should be finished, as he hath declared to his servants the prophets.

DEDUCTIVE AND INDUCTIVE BIBLE STUDY.

You can never know these following facts from study of only the Old Testament. These MYSTERIES must first be revealed by the Holy Spirit and then confirmed by your study of the New Testament.

Here is the answer in Revelation 1.0:7, But in the days of the voice of the seventh angel, when he shall begin to sound, the MYSTERY of God should be finished, as he hath declared to his servants the prophets.

There it was. I had memorized it at one time and quoted it to over 100,000 people over the years. But I still had not noticed a detail of what it said.

THE MYSTERY OF GOD SHOULD BE FINISHED AT THE BEGINNING OF THE SOUND OF THE SEVENTH TRUMPET.

I had already noticed that the mighty angel sealed up the messages of the 7 thunders. The new revelation shows us that sealing the seven thunder messages turned them into the SECRE [MYSTERY OF GOD. The 7th verse said that the secret MYSTERY OF GOD will be finished when the 7th trumpet begins to sound.

So I went back to the text of the N.T. and found every reference to the MYSTERIES. That's when I found that there are SEVEN fully described MYSTERIES in the N.T. For the record, there are 27 references to the

Spiritual MYSTERIES. Twenty references refer to Spiritual MYSTERIES rather generically -- not in specific detail. But only 7 references offer a definitive description of a certain specific MYSTERY. I do not believe that it is possible to take note of that fact unless you are already on the lookout for it. There are times when you need to start with the answer. That's called deductive reasoning.

I deductively started with the spiritual answer and studied to show myself approved unto God - rightly dividing the word of truth.

2 Timothy 2:15, Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly <u>dividing</u> the word of truth.

I believe that it is impossible to inductively study the 27 references to MYSTERY that the Bible cites and form a conclusion. But deductive dividing causes us to see that the MYSTERY OF GOD (v7) is the result of sealing up the messages of the SEVEN THUNDERS (v3, 4). Inductive analysis of SEVEN specifically detailed MYSTERIES in other N.T. books completes the pattern.

THE SEVEN SECRET MYSTERY MESSAGES OF THE SEVEN THUNDERS ARE THE SAME AS THE SEVEN MYSTERY MESSAGES OF THE N.T.

SEVEN MYSTERIES OF GOD.

1. MYSTERY OF CHRIST

The Gentiles will be fellowheirs with Jews and Israel and receive the same promises as the Jews and Israel in the same fellowship.

Ephesians 3:3-9, How that by <u>**REVELATION**</u> he made known unto me the **MYSTERY**; (as I wrote afore in few words,

- 4 Whereby, when ye read, ye may understand my knowledge in the **MYSTERY of Christ**)
- 5 Which in other ages was not made known unto the sons of men, as it is now revealed unto his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit;
- 6 That the Gentiles should be fellowheirs, and of the same body, and partakers of his promise in Christ by the gospel:
- 7 Whereof I was made a minister, according to the gift of the grace of God given unto me by the effectual working of his power.
- 8 Unto me, who am less than the least of all saints, is this grace given, that I should preach among the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ;

- 9 And to make all men see what is the <u>fellowship of</u> the MYSTERY, which from the beginning of the world hath been hid in God, who created all thing; by Jesus Christ:
 - a. The old sons of men did not know that.
- b. This knowledge comes by **REVELATION**, not study of the O.T.

Ephesians 3:3-6, How that by <u>REVELATION</u> he made known unto me the MYSTERY.

- c. The Gentiles shall make known to the sons of men (O.T. prophets) and the Holy Apostles what is the fellowship of the hidden MYSTERY.
- d. The O.T. Prophets will join with the N.T. Apostles in a MYSTERY FELLOWSHIP.
 - e. All things were created by Jesus Christ.

2. MYSTERY OF HIS WILL --

God's purpose is to eventually gather together all things in Christ.

Ephesians 1:9-11, Having made known unto us the MYSTERY of his will, according to his good pleasure which he hath purposed in himself:

10 That in the dispensation of the fulness of times <u>he</u> <u>might gather together in one all things in Christ</u>, both which are in heaven, and which are on earth even in him:

- 11 In whom also we have obtained an inheritance, being predestinated according to the purpose of him who worketh all things after the counsel of his own will:
- a. We are predestined to work out His purpose (not ours).
- b. Our job is to help place all things under the Lordship of Christ.

3. MYSTERY OF GOD

The MYSTERY OF GOD is CHRIST IN YOU, which is the hope of glory.

Colossians 1:26-27, Even the <u>MYSTERY which</u> hath been hid from ages and from generations, but now is made manifest to his saints:

27 To whom God would make known what is the riches of the glory of this <u>MYSTERY</u> among the Gentiles; which is Christ in you, the hope of glory:

a. The Hope Of Glory is conceived in our minds when Christ (the anointin 3) enters

4. MYSTERY BLINDNESS

All Israel shall be saved.

Rom. 11:25-31, For I would not, brethren, that ye should be ignorant of this <u>MYSTERY</u>, lest ye should be wise in your own conceits; that blindness in part is happened to Israel, until the fulness of the Gentiles be come in, as it is written, There shall come out of Sion the Deliverer, and shall turn away ungodliness from Jacob:

26 And so all Israel shall be saved

- 27 For this is my covenant unto them, when I shall take away their sins.
- 28 As concerning the gospel, they are enemies for your sakes: but as touching the election, they are beloved for the fathers' sakes.
- 29 For the gifts and calling of God are without repentance.
- 30 For as ye in times past have not believed God, yet have now obtained <u>mercy</u> through their unbelief:
- 31 Even so have these also now not believed, that through your <u>mercy</u> they also may obtain <u>mercy</u>.
- a. Israel will be blind until the fullness of the Gentiles has come to pass.
 - b. And so all Israel shall be saved.
- c. Israel is the enemy of the gospel for our sake.
 - d. Israel is loved for the fathers' sakes.
- e. Israel shall obtain <u>mercy</u> through your <u>mercy</u> (that's <u>your</u> mercy).

5. MYSTERY CHANGE

Some people will not die.

- 1 Corinthians 15:51-56, Behold, I shew you a MYSTERY; We shall not all sleep, but we shall all be changed,
- 52 In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the <u>last</u> trump: for the trumpet shall sound, and the dead shall be raised incorruptible, and we shall be <u>changed</u>.
- 53 For this corruptible must put on <u>incorruption</u>, and this mortal must put on <u>immortality</u>.
- 54 So when this corruptible shall have put on <u>incorruption</u>, and this mortal shall have put on <u>immortality</u>, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, <u>Death is swallowed up in victory</u>.
- 55 O $\underline{\text{death}}$, where is thy sting? O $\underline{\text{grave}}$, where is thy victory?
- 56 The sting of <u>death</u> is sin; and the strength of sin is the law.
- a. Some will overcome <u>death</u> at the time of the <u>last (seventh)</u> trumpet.
 - b. The law brings sin and sin brings death.
- c. The law of YAHWEH is being replaced by the grace and mercy of EL ELYON.

6. MÝSTERY OF GODLINESS

And without controversy great is the MYSTERY of godliness:

- 1 Timothy 3:16, a. God was manifest in the flesh,
 - b. justified in the Spirit,
 - c. seen of angels,
 - d. preached unto the Gentiles,
 - e. believed on in the world,
 - f. received up into glory.

7. MYSTERY OF INIQUITY

Our Lord Jesus Christ shall (10t) come to gather us until after these two events come to pass:

- 1. A falling away, first. (Dark Ages?).
- a. Men will try to deceive you about this MYSTERY.

2. The revelation of the Son Of Perdition comes second.

- 2 Thessalonians 2:1-8, Be not soon shaken in mind, or be troubled, neither by spirit, nor by word, nor by letter as from us, as that the day of Christ is at hand.
- 3 <u>Let no man deceive you</u> by any means: for that day shall <u>not</u> come, except there come a <u>falling away first</u>, and that man of sin be revealed, the <u>SON OF PERDITION</u>;
- 4 Who opposeth and exalteth himself above all that is called God, or that is worshipped; so that he as God sitteth in the temple of God, shewing himself that he is God.
- 5 Remember ye not, that, when I was yet with you, I told you these things?
- 6 And now ye know what with holdeth that he might be revealed in his time.
- 7 For the <u>MYSTERY of iniquity</u> doth already work: only he who now letteth (holds the possession) will let (continue to hold the possession), until he be taken out of the way.
- 8 And then shall that Wicke I be revealed, whom the Lord shall consume with the spirit of his mouth, and shall destroy with the brightness of his coming:

a. Judas Iscariot was the Son Of Perdition (destruction).

John 17:12, While I was with them in the world, I kept them in thy name: those that thou gavest me I have kept, and none of them is lost, but the **Son Of Perdition**, that the scripture might be fulfilled.

- b. Driven by the love of money, Judas sold his place in God for money.
- c. Likewise Esau <u>sold</u> his place in God (birthright).

Hebrews 12:16-17, Lest there be any fornicator, or profane person, as Esau, who for one morsel of meat sold his birthright.

- d. 1 Timothy 6:10, For the love of money is the root of all evil: which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows.
- e. The coming Spirit of he Son Of Perdition will offer money or possessions in exchange for our position in God. The manifestation may be literal.
- f. "Withholdeth" in v6 and "letteth" and "let" in v7 are the same word (H2722). It means to hold or possess not to let go.
- g. Christ shall <u>not</u> return until <u>after</u> the manifestation of the Anti-christ. Christ will return at the time of the ressurection not the "rapture."
- h. Be careful that no preacher of a soon coming "rapture" deceives you in this matter.

I. When Satan entered Judas and turned him into the Son Of Perdition he placed the demonic idea that a spiritual position can (should, may) be exchanged (sold) for mammon.

Luke 22:3-5, Then entered Satan into Judas surnamed Iscariot, being of the number of the twelve. And he went his way, and communed with the chief priests and captains, how he might betray him unto them. And they were glad, and covenanted to give him money.

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WHEN A LION ROARS

Revelation 10:3, (The mighty angel) cried with a loud voice, as when a lion roareth: and when he had cried, seven thunders uttered their voices.

The shout of the mighty angel and the sound of the voices of the SEVEN THUNDERS sounded like a lion roar. Do you know of any recent move of God that has the sound of the roar of a lion? I do.

The TORONTO BLESSING.

Nearly every account of the TORONTO BLESSING published last year included a mention of some men who roared like lions. No one knew why.

Here's a thought. What if the lion's roar is a spiritual sign that we are very near the time when the seventh angel shall begin to sound? Remember?

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What if the TORONTO BLESSING is a sign from God that the MYSTERY OF GOD is soon to be finished?

The lion's roar surely has been an embarasment to some in Toronto. All of the articles that attempt to "bad mouth" the TORONTO BLESSING call disparaging attention to the lion's roar. If Toronto shuts the mouth of the men who roar like lions -- will the very ROCKS ROAR OUT? I hope they don't try to shut up the ROARING LIONS. I don't want to hear the ROCKS ROAR!

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