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**Revelation 12:1-2**

***Who is this Woman***

1. **She can’t be** the church because she is pregnant. The Bride (Church) referred to as the 5 wise virgins. (Matthew 25)
2. **Genesis 37:9** Then he had another dream, and he told it to his brothers. "Listen," he said, "I had another dream, and this time the sun and moon and eleven stars were bowing down to me.” (Joseph’s dream)
3. **Isaiah 66:7-8** Zion gives birth to her children in a single day.
4. **Genesis 3:15** The Seed of the Woman will crush the seed of the serpent (KJV)
5. **Replacement Theology** will not accept this Woman as Israel and calls her the Church. It deletes the covenants of God made to Israel.

***Israel***

1. **Leaving Israel out** of the Christian systematic theology keeps the Church blind.
2. **God’s covenants** to Israel is a key to the future millennial reign of Jesus.
3. **Understanding the hate,** the devil/beast has towards Israel is crucial to understanding the book of Revelation.

**Revelation 12:3-6**

***The Woman & The Dragon***

1. **V:5** The Church didn’t give birth to Jesus.
2. **The Church isn’t fleeing** into the wilderness Matthew 24:15-16
3. **1260 days** is the 3 ½ year period that the Anti-Christ is out to destroy the Jew.
4. **The Dragon:** His origins are in Ezekiel 28:2-15, and Isaiah 14:12-17
5. **He is the father of lies**: Genesis. 3:1-5, John 8:42-45
6. **He’s blinded the minds** of unbelievers. 2Cor. 4:4

**Revelation 12:7-13**

***The War***

1. **V:7-8 The war:** It started with Michael in heaven and it will end with Jesus on earth.
2. **V:9 The process:** The world is blinded, deceived, and led astray.
3. **V:11 Those in the tribulation**, can overcome by the blood of Jesus and their testimony. This will guarantee eternal life, if they don’t shrink from mortal death.
4. **V:12 Woe to the earth**, and to the sea. Earth is physical planet, the land is Israel, and the sea is humanity. Because of the Devil’s fury.

**Revelation 12:14-17**

***The GREAT Tribulation***

1. **V:6 & 14** Are references to the last 3 ½ year of the 7 years of tribulation.
2. **V:14** & Exodus 19:4 God reminds Moses that He carried Israel out of Egypt on the wings of eagle.
3. The most documented period of humanity. ~ Chuck Missler
4. **V:16**  When Satan comes in like a flood. Isaiah 59:19
5. **V:17** Satan wants to destroy her offspring the Jews, and yes, the Church. But in this time period He will be focused on the Jews.

*Will you be the triumphed, because you’ve trust in*

*the blood of the lamb?*

*Revelation 12:11*

**Supplemental notes:** Chuck Missler

**Revelation 12:5** She gave birth to a son, a male child, who "will rule all the nations with **an iron scepter**." And her child was snatched up to God and to his throne.

**Iron Scepter**

**Psalm 2:9 Messianic Destiny** accord to David.

**Revelation 2:27 To the Church in Thyatira-** you too will rule with the one who will rule with the iron scepter (Jesus)

**Revelation 19:15-16** The second coming of Jesus. He will bring the iron scepter with him.