

# **Fire on the Altar Releasing Fire on the Earth**



## **First Four Trumpet Judgments: Judgment for the Idolatry of Climate Change and Radical Environmentalism**

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## Revelation 8:1-12

When He opened the seventh seal, there was silence in heaven for about half an hour. <sup>6</sup> So the 7 angels who had the 7 trumpets prepared themselves to sound.

### First Trumpet: Vegetation Struck

<sup>7</sup> The first angel sounded: And hail and fire followed, mingled with blood, and they were thrown to the earth. And a third of the trees were burned up, and all green grass was burned up.

### Second Trumpet: The Seas Struck

<sup>8</sup> Then the second angel sounded: And something like a great mountain burning with fire was thrown into the sea, and a third of the sea became blood. <sup>9</sup> And a third of the living creatures in the sea died, and a third of the ships were destroyed.

### Third Trumpet: The Waters Struck

<sup>10</sup> Then the third angel sounded: And a great star fell from heaven, burning like a torch, and it fell on a third of the rivers and on the springs of water. <sup>11</sup> The name of the star is Wormwood. A third of the waters became wormwood, and many men died from the water, because it was made bitter.

### Fourth Trumpet: The Heavens Struck

<sup>12</sup> Then the fourth angel sounded: And a third of the sun was struck, a third of the moon, and a third of the stars, so that a third of them were darkened. A third of the day did not shine, and likewise the night.

### Class Viewpoint

- A. The 4 Trumpets are God's response to the idolatry of Climate Change
- B. The 4 Trumpets come as God's response to Prayer
- C. The 4 Trumpets bring the Destruction of Earth's Ecology

### I. Climate Change - Falsely So-Called Science - 1 Timothy 6:20

*<sup>20</sup> O Timothy... Avoid profane chatter and absurdities of so-called science.*

Modern doomsayers have been predicting climate and environmental disaster since the 1960s. They continue to do so today. No predictions with due dates have ever come true. While enthusiastically reported by the media, the failed predictions never get reported!

#### A. Wrong Again: 50 Years of Failed Eco-apocalyptic Predictions

- 1967 – Stanford University expert Paul Erlich predicted great famine by 1975
- 1971 – Top NASA expert predicted “ice age” by 2021
- 1988 – It was predicted that the Maldives would be under water by 2019
- 2008 – Al Gore said polar bears and the Arctic ice would disappear by 2013
- 2009 – Prince Charles said there was just 96 months to save the world (2017)
- 2019 – Green New Deal: “earth won’t be able to support life in 12 years”

#### B. Lying/Deception: Prevalent in the Last Days - 1 Timothy 4:1-2

*The Spirit says in the last days some will depart from the faith, giving heed to deceiving spirits and **doctrines of demons**, speaking lies in hypocrisy, having their conscience seared with a hot iron*

1. Climate Change, like evolution, rejects God and the Genesis account of creation! Evangelicals need to come to grips that the religion of environmentalism contradicts the Word of God.
2. Both evolution and Climate Change attack the veracity of the biblical creation account in God’s Word - Gen. 3:1 “*Hath God said?*”
3. Climate Change is another demonic deception that will result in America pouring trillions of dollars down the drain. The wiser choice and what’s best for our country is to reject both the Paris Climate Agreement and the Green Climate Fund

## II. The Bible vs Global Warming

### Top 3 Concerns of Climate Change

#### A. Changes in Seasonal Weather Patterns - Genesis 8:22

*While the earth remains, seedtime and harvest, and cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease.*

1. Earth's seasons are fixed, contrary to what climate-alarmists say
2. There'll be no change to the planetary distribution of heat and cold

#### B. Rising Oceans - Job 38:8-11; Ps. 104:5-9; Jer. 5:22

God is the One who “*shuts in the sea with doors*” (Job 38:8), “*prescribes limits for it*” (Job 38:10), and says to it, “*Thus far you shall you come, and no farther*” (Job 38:11).

*Should you not fear me?” declares the LORD. I made the sand a boundary for the sea, an everlasting barrier it cannot cross. The waves may roll, but they cannot prevail; they may roar, but they cannot cross it.*

#### C. Melting Polar Ice Caps - Job 38:22-23; Rev. 16:21

Climate Alarmists say the polar ice caps will shrink and polar bears will soon become extinct

*Have you entered the storehouses of snow or observed the storehouses of hail, which I hold in reserve for times of trouble, for days of war and battle?*

### III. God is Sovereign and Preserves the Universe - Rev. 4:11

*You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive glory, honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they were created and have their being.*

A. The Earth was created exclusively as the theatre for God's plan of Redemption to play out for Israel and mankind - Eph. 1:4; Rev. 13:8

*Jesus is the Lamb who was slain before the foundations of the world*

B. The Earth is "held together" by our Creator, Jesus - Col. 1:17

*<sup>16</sup> For in Christ all things have been created through him and for him. <sup>17</sup> He is before all things, and in him all things hold together.*

*<sup>6</sup> You alone are the LORD; You have made heaven, The heaven of heavens, with all their host, The earth and everything on it, The seas and all that is in them, And You preserve them all. (Neh. 9:6)*

C. God, not man, controls the Sun - Psalms 104:19

1. God controls the movement of the sun - Joshua 10:13

*The sun stopped in the middle of the sky and delayed going down about a full day.*

2. God controls the temperature of the sun - Ps. 19:4-6; Rev. 16:8-9

*<sup>8</sup> The fourth angel poured out his bowl on the sun, and the sun was allowed to scorch people with fire.*

D. Earth was never meant to be permanent - Earth is a disposable planet with a divine expiration date (Isa. 51:6; Heb. 1:10-11; Isa. 34:4; Mt. 24:35)

1. 7- Year Tribulation

} 1,007 more years (minimum)

2. 1000-year Millennial Kingdom

3. "Heaven and earth will pass away" - Rev. 21:1

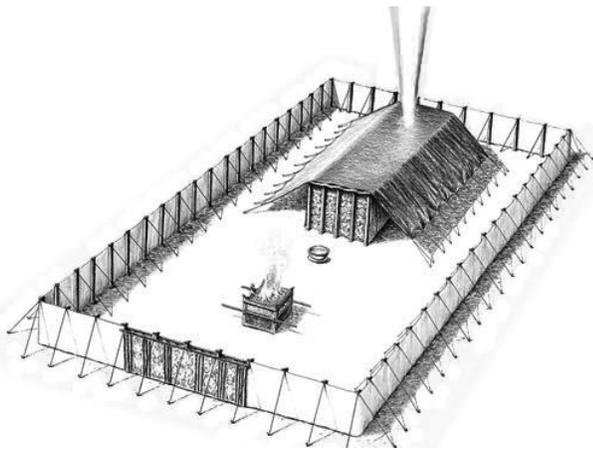
#### IV. Fire on the Altar - Rev. 8:2-5

<sup>2</sup> And I saw the seven angels who stand before God, and seven trumpets were given to them. <sup>3</sup> Another angel, who had a golden censer, came and stood at the altar (Altar of Incense). **He was given much incense to offer, with the prayers of all God's people, on the golden altar in front of the throne.** <sup>4</sup> The smoke of the incense, together with the prayers of God's people, went up before God from the angel's hand. <sup>5</sup> Then the angel took the censer, filled it with fire from the altar, and threw it to the earth. And there were noises, thunderings, lightnings, and an earthquake.

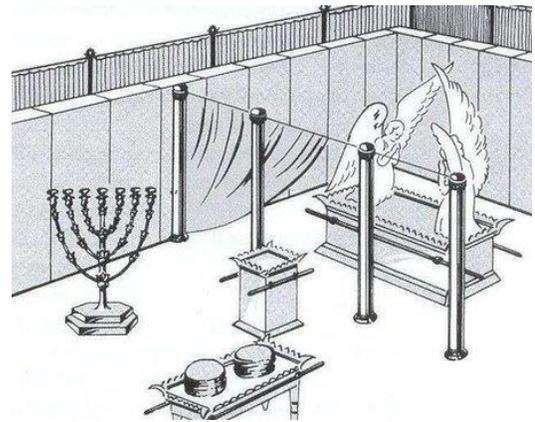
##### A. Moses' Tabernacle - A Model of Heaven - Heb. 8:5

*They serve at a sanctuary that is a copy and shadow of what is in heaven.*

##### Outside View - Moses' Tabernacle



##### Inside View - Holy Furniture



##### B. The Location of the Golden Altar - "before the throne" - Rev. 8:3

##### C. The Incense Represents our Prayers - Ps. 141:2; Rev. 5:8

##### D. Start Your Prayer Ministry

##### 3 Steps



1. Choose a **TIME** (Ps. 5:3)

2. Pick a **LOCATION** (Daniel 6:10) Serves as Prayer Closet/War Room

3. Make a **LIST** - (1) Cards (2) Word doc (3) Collect Info on ministries

## I. First Trumpet - Rev. 8:7 - Earth's Vegetation and Trees Struck

*The first angel sounded his trumpet, and there came hail and fire mixed with blood, and it was hurled to earth. A third of the earth was burned up, a third of the trees were burned up, and all the green grass was burned up.*

### A. The First Four Trumpets disrupt One-Third of Earth's Natural Resources

#### B. Massive amounts of white-hot rocks will rain down on Earth

God used fire from the sky to destroy Sodom and Gomorrah - Gen. 19:24

**1/3 Earth**

#### C. Hail and Fire mixed with Blood **1/3 Trees** Burned up

#### D. Fire burns the earth and scorches **100% of earth's grasses**

1. Increases famine for both man and the animals
2. This is similar to the 7<sup>th</sup> plague on Egypt - Hail and fire destroyed Egypt's crops - Ex. 9:22-35

#### E. Fires ignite and destroy 1/3 of the Trees = Estimated **1 Trillion Trees** would be burned

#### F. Al Gore claimed the Polar Ice Caps would melt?

During the Tribulation, there is no shortage of hail indicated in Revelation - **Rev. 16:21**

*From the sky huge hailstones, weighing 100 pounds, fell on people. And they cursed God because the plague of hail was so terrible.*

### Climate Warning

Climate Lesson about Polar Ice Caps - Job 38:22-23; Rev. 16:21  
Man would be wise to worry less about the melting of the polar ice caps and more about melting his heart to face God. God will need to use His storage of polar ice for the 100 lb. hail-balls coming to earth on unrepentant mankind.

## II. Second Trumpet - Rev. 8:8-9 - Earth's Oceans, Sea Life and Ships Struck

<sup>8</sup> *The second angel sounded his trumpet, and something like a **huge mountain**, all ablaze, was thrown into the sea. A third of the sea turned into blood, <sup>9</sup> a third of the living creatures in the sea died, and a third of the ships were destroyed.*

A. A Mountain sized Asteroid Slams into the Sea

- 1/3 Sea turned to blood
- 1/3 Sea life died
- 1/3 Ships destroyed

1. The term "**huge mountain**" is an accurate term for a large asteroid.
2. "**all ablaze**" - Ignites from friction as it enters earth's atmosphere

### B. Causing the Mother of all Tidal Waves/Tsunamis

<sup>25</sup> *There will be signs in the sun, moon and stars. On the earth, nations will be in anguish and **perplexity at the roaring and tossing of the sea.** - Lk. 21:25*

2. **1/3 Ships destroyed** - 50K merchant ships on the oceans = 16,600 Ships destroyed

1. **1/3 of the Sea Turns to Blood** - Billions of dead sea life

### C. The Blazing Hot Asteroid boils the Sea Water and 1/3 of Sea Life dies

### D. God's Reason for turning the Waters to Blood - Rev. 16:5-7

*You are just in these judgments, O Holy One for they have shed the blood of your people and prophets, and you have given them blood to drink as they deserve.*

**Climate  
Warning**

#### Climate Lesson about Sea Life - Rev. 16:3

Man would be wise to worry more about saving himself than saving the whales. God will soon destroy all sea life including all the whales in the sea, leaving man to face God alone!

### III. Third Trumpet - Rev. 8:10-11 - Earth's Fresh Waters Struck

*<sup>10</sup> The third angel sounded his trumpet, and a great star, **blazing like a torch**, fell from the sky on a third of the rivers and on the springs of water—*

*<sup>11</sup> the name of the star is **Wormwood**. A third of the waters turned bitter, and many people died from the waters that had become bitter.*

#### A. Fear will grip men's hearts watching another incoming Asteroid - Lk. 21:11

*<sup>11</sup> There will be great earthquakes, famines and pestilences in various places, and **fearful events** and great signs from heaven.*

#### B. The 3<sup>rd</sup> Trumpet moves inland to target earth's Fresh Water Supply

C. **This deadly asteroid** has a fiery trail that disintegrates over earth's atmosphere dropping invisible, poisonous gas across 1/3 earth's fresh waters

**Wormwood** = A bitter & poisonous herb - Jer. 9:15; 23:15

D. **The Invisible Gas** seems undetectable by taste or smell and secretly poisons 1/3 of earth's rivers, lakes, springs and wells without anyone knowing it

Whoever drinks the poisoned water will die (vs. 8) "**Many people die**"

**Fear of the unknown:** Now man faces the gripping problem of not knowing where the line of contaminated water is located

Meanwhile, the UN will hold scientific seminars like, "**How to cope with the damage to earth's ecosystems by Climate Change**"

**Climate  
Warning**

Climate Lesson about Clean Water - Jn. 7:38

Man would be wise to worry more about the cleanliness of his spiritual heart than the purity of earth's water. <sup>38</sup> *Whoever believes in me, as Scripture has said, rivers of living water will flow from within them.*

**APOPHIS**

## 'God of Chaos' Asteroid To Pass Near Earth In 2029



And you won't need a telescope to see it!

### Is Apophis, Biblical Wormwood?

*a great star, blazing like a torch, fell from the sky and the name of the star is Wormwood*

### Facts About Apophis

- Discovered 2004, Apophis is a large asteroid named the “god of chaos” by NASA
- Named after the Egyptian spirit of darkness noted for causing natural disasters
- Apophis is traveling 28,000 MPH on a similar orbit as earth (7.77 MPSecond)
- Weighing an estimated 20 million tons, it will pack an enormous punch
- Scheduled to arrive on **Friday the 13th**, in April of 2029 ... **9 short years way!**
- Apophis is the length of the Empire State building in NY City
- The blast upon impact to earth would equal 1 billion tons of TNT
- Apophis is being monitored by NASA's Jet Propulsion Lab in California
- NASA currently monitors over 100,000 asteroids called Near Earth Objects (NEO)
- Apophis is likely the reason why President Trump announced the Space Force

### Is Satan Attempting To Prevent the Fulfillment of the Book of Revelation?

#### NASA Will Try, for the First Time, To Smash an Asteroid Out of its Orbit in 2022



NASA's Double Asteroid Redirection Test (DART) will attempt to impact the asteroid Didymos with a projectile called “kinetic impactor.” The impactor will smack Didymos at 13,400 mph to alter its course! Why now? Why so suddenly? Congress approved the budget and the equipment is being designed and built by John Hopkins APL. The contract for launching the mission was awarded to SpaceX in April 2019 and the mission is scheduled for 2021-22. According to Revelation 8, we know that Satan and NASA's attempts to prevent the Second and Third Trumpet Judgments will fail.

## Conceivable Timeline

This timeline is presented to show an example of how end-time events could unfold if Apophis is Wormwood and to show how close we could be to the Rapture and Tribulation.

Although it could happen, this chart is not intended as a prediction.

2020 - COVID Arrives - Weakens America/World

2021 - In comes a weak, Democratic POTUS

2021 - In comes a weak Israeli Government

2023/24 - Revived Ottoman Caliphate

2024 - Antichrist takes controls of the Caliphate

Note: Rapture comes BEFORE the arrival of Antichrist

2025 - Antichrist/Israel sign peace treaty, Tribulation Begins

**3 ½ Years**

2029 - Wormwood Asteroid (Apophis) Mid-Point Tribulation

**3 ½ Years**

2032 - Second Coming - End of Tribulation

2033 - Millennium Begins

#### IV. Fourth Trumpet - Rev. 8:12 - Earth's Atmosphere Struck

*<sup>12</sup> The fourth angel sounded, and a third of the sun and a third of the moon and a third of the stars were struck ("Plesso" = Plague), so that a third of them would be darkened and the day would not shine for a third of it, and the night would not shine for a third of it.*

A. A partial eclipse like the ninth Egyptian plague - Ex. 10:21-22

B. Signs announcing the end is near, God dims the luminaries - Gen. 1:14

*<sup>14</sup> God said, "Let there be lights in the heavens to separate the day from the night, and let them be for signs and for seasons*

*Jesus, "There will be signs in the sun and moon and stars" - Lk. 21:25*

*The day of the LORD is coming <sup>10</sup> The stars of heaven and their constellations will not show their light. The rising sun will be darkened and the moon will not give its light. <sup>11</sup> I will punish the world for its evil the wicked for their sins. - Isaiah 13:9-13*

*It will come about in that day says the Lord that I will make the sun go down at noon and make the earth dark in broad daylight. - Amos 8:9*

C. Forget Global Warming... This is Global Dimming (Ezek. 32:7-8; Joel 2:10, 31; 3:15)

**God's grace to the saints! Slowing up the Enemy!**

God's grace comes as this judgment will hinder and frustrate the Caliphate armies of Antichrist.

With the trees burned up, God has taken away their source of firewood to keep the military warm on the road. Now God lowers the temperature to freezing and stretches out the darkness to further hamper the enemy military activities.

#### D. The light of the Sun, Moon and Stars is decreased by one-third

This brings 1/3 less light at night and 1/3 less light during the day

**33% Less Light and 33% Less Energy from the Sun** - This phenomenon will drastically affect all forms of life and plants on earth including weather patterns, temperature, sea tides, energy, wind, agriculture, navigation, health, human emotions, destruction of crops and further loss of animal and human lives.

#### E. Climate Change Has Finally Arrived - Freezing Temperatures

This judgment brings the opposite effect of Global Warming - **Global Cooling!** Temperatures will plunge over the world. God is stripping away the comforts man refused to recognize, making life uncomfortable

#### F. “The Blackened Sky Plague” - Sinful men favor Darkness

1. God increases darkness throughout Revelation - Rev. 9:2; 16:10
2. Time is up for earth’s Light-rejectors - Jn. 3:19-20

*<sup>19</sup> And this is the condemnation, that the light has come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil.*

*<sup>20</sup> For everyone practicing evil hates the light and does not come to the light, lest his deeds should be exposed.*

#### Climate Warning

Climate Lesson about Warming and Darkness - Mt. 8:12; Mk. 9:48  
Man would be wise to worry less about “Global Warming” and more about his eternal destiny. Long after earth passes away, Jesus warned of hell as a place of “outer darkness” and “unquenchable flames.”