

# *Decrypting the Book of Revelation Season 4*

## *Mercy and Justice*



### **Scripture**

- **Exodus 34:6 (Modern English Version-MEV)**

And the Lord passed by before him, and proclaimed, “The LORD, The LORD God, merciful and gracious; slow to anger, and abounding in goodness and truth, keeping mercy for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin, but who will by no means clear the guilty visiting the iniquity of fathers on the children and on the children’s children, to the third and the fourth generation.”

### **Other Scriptures**

- 2 Peter 3:9
- Exodus 33:11
- Numbers 12:3
- Exodus 34
- Romans 6:23
- Romans 1-3
- James 2:13
- John 4:14
- Matthew 24:24
- Matthew 1:21
- Galatians 1:8
- 2 Corinthians 5:21

### **Main Points**

- 21 Judgements-7 seals, 7 trumpets, 7 bowls of wrath
- God is not just loving, He is just.
- El Shaddai in Hebrew means God Almighty in English
- God’s Personal Name: Yahweh/YHWH
- God’s nature is merciful.
- Because God loves us and is merciful, He is calling us to come to Jesus and be saved.
- Jesus died on the cross for our sins.
- In Jesus we God’s mercy and justice.
- Because Jesus died in our place, God can extend His mercy, kindness, grace, and favor to you.

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### **Questions for Discussion**

1. Why is the justice poured out by God in the end understandable? What has God done up to this point to show mercy and forgiveness to man? Why is it imperative that we continue to share the Gospel today?
  
2. How is the true Gospel different than much of what is being preached today? Why is balance in preaching between God's mercy and His justice important for all to hear? What are the elements of the true Gospel according to Scripture and what Scriptures can you use to demonstrate them? Where does modern preaching err in preaching the Gospel?
  
3. Rabbi pointed out that Scripture says that false teaching is a sign of the end times. Why is the false gospel deadly for those who are blind to the real truth that God's justice and mercy meet and are fulfilled in Jesus? (The price Jesus paid fulfilled the price needed for sin, and demonstrates God great love and mercy in that He, the innocent, took our punishment on the cross and offers us forgiveness.).
  
4. Have you acknowledged your need to be forgiven and received Jesus' gift of forgiveness? Your eternal future depends on it. Do it today if you have not. Then please let us know at Discovering The Jewish Jesus:  
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