

Decrypting the Book of Revelation Season 2

The Gospel of Me



Scripture

- **Isaiah 14:12-14**

“How you have fallen from heaven, O star of the morning, son of the dawn! You have been cut down to the earth, you who have weakened the nations! But you said in your heart, ‘I will ascend to heaven; I will raise my throne above the stars of God, and I will sit on the mount of assembly in the recesses of the north. I will ascend above the heights of the clouds; I will make myself like the Most High.’”

- **Revelation 13:16-17**

And he causes all, the small and the great, and the rich and the poor, and the free men and the slaves, to be given a mark on their right hand or on their forehead, and he provides that no one will be able to buy or to sell, except the one who has the mark, either the name of the beast or the number of his name.

- **Revelation 14:9-11**

Then another angel, a third one, followed them, saying with a loud voice, “If anyone worships the beast and his image, and receives a mark on his forehead or on his hand, He also will drink of the wine of the wrath of God, which is mixed in full strength in the cup of His anger; and he will be tormented with fire and brimstone in the presence of the holy angels and in the presence of the Lamb. And the smoke of their torment goes up forever and ever; they have no rest day and night, those who worship the beast and his image, and whoever receives the mark of his name.”

Other Scriptures

- Luke 10:18
- Matthew 10:39
- Isaiah 14:12
- Matthew 24:5
- Matthew 16:24
- John 7:38
- Revelation 13:18

Main Points

- Both the Old and New Testaments teach about End Times.
- Most of humanity is focused on the “god of me.”
- God wants to be the center, not ourselves.
- The “gospel of me” is a man centered gospel rather than a Christ centered Gospel.

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Questions for Discussion

1. What is the gospel of me? Who is the author of this gospel? How does this compare to the true Gospel which calls us to die to ourselves and our selfish desires? How is this sign of the end times?
2. The Rabbi talked about the rebellion of the human heart that to a degree lives in each of us. Can you identify particular areas of life or thinking that you need to confess to Yeshua? Spend some time right now confessing and seeking cleansing from any “me centered” thinking that you might be warring against. Write about it and the commitment you want to make to Father today.
3. What is the mark of the beast spoken of in Revelation 13? What will the mark allow people to do? What do the Scriptures declare about those who receive this mark?
4. Rabbi said that he is sharing not to scare but to prepare us. Write some of your thoughts as you look at current attitudes by people and current technology. How does this provoke you to seek God in greater ways? Ask God’s help in leading you closer to His heart. (And don’t miss next week’s episode as Rabbi shares more on the mark of the beast.)