

Revelation 13:11-18 (NKJV)

The Beast from the Earth

¶ 11 Then I saw another beast coming up out of the earth, and he had two horns like a lamb and spoke like a dragon.

12 And he exercises all the authority of the first beast in his presence, and causes the earth and those who dwell in it to worship the first beast, whose deadly wound was healed.

13 He performs great signs, so that he even makes fire come down from heaven on the earth in the sight of men.

14 And he deceives ^[a] those who dwell on the earth by those signs which he was granted to do in the sight of the beast, telling those who dwell on the earth to make an image to the beast who was wounded by the sword and lived.

15 He was granted power to give breath to the image of the beast, that the image of the beast should both speak and cause as many as would not worship the image of the beast to be killed.

16 He causes all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and slave, to receive a mark on their right hand or on their foreheads,

17 and that no one may buy or sell except one who has ^[b] the mark or the name of the beast, or the number of his name.

¶ 18 Here is wisdom. Let him who has understanding calculate the number of the beast, for it is the number of a man: His number is 666.



Footnotes

[a] 13:14 M my own people

[b] 13:17 NU, M the mark, the name

The Two Beasts

Revelation 13

- Beast out of the Sea
 - 7 Heads, 10 Horns
 - Heads with the name of blasphemy
 - One of heads: deadly wound healed
 - Powered by the Dragon for 42 months
 - Overcomes the Saints
 - Earth-Dwellers worship
 - All those not written in the Book of Life

The Two Beasts

Revelation 13

- Beast out of the Earth ("False Prophet")
 - Two horns like Lamb
 - Speaks as the Dragon
 - Causes Earth to worship the 1st Beast
 - Deceives the Earth with miracles
 - Forces worship of an image of 1st Beast
 - All receive mark in right hands or foreheads
 - No man may buy or sell without the name or number of the 1st Beast: 666

Notes from the Message

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- **Rev. 12:9** So the great dragon was cast out, that serpent of old, called the Devil and Satan, who deceives the whole world; he was cast to the earth, and his angels were cast out with him.

- **The First Beast:** = Anti-Christ.
- **Another (The Second) Beast:** False Prophet, (Anti-Holy Spirit).
- **Two:** the Number of Testimony.
- **Lamb:** translated from the Greek “little lamb
- **Dragon:** The Unholy Trinity: = Serpent, Satan

John 15:26 "But when the Helper comes, (*the Holy Spirit*) whom I shall send to you from the Father, the Spirit of truth who proceeds from the Father, He will testify of Me.

Revelation 12:9 So the great dragon was cast out, that serpent of old, called the Devil and Satan, who deceives the whole world; he was cast to the earth, and his angels were cast out with him.

Revelation 12:14 But the woman was given two wings of a great eagle, that she might fly into the wilderness to her place, where she is nourished for a time and times and half a time, from the presence of the serpent.

Revelation 12:15 So the serpent spewed water out of his mouth like a flood after the woman, that he might cause her to be carried away by the flood.

Matthew 7:13, 14 (The Narrow Way)

13 "Enter by the narrow gate; for wide is the gate and broad is the way that leads to destruction, and there are many who go in by it. 14 Because narrow is the gate and difficult is the way which leads to life, and there are few who find it.

Ecclesiastes 3:11 He has made everything beautiful in its time. Also He has put eternity in their hearts, except that no one can find out the work that God does from beginning to end.

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- Romans 6: 23** For the wages of sin is death, but the [*free*] gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.
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