Αποκάλυψις Ίωάννου

Αποκάλυψις¹ Ἰησοῦ χριστοῦ, ἢν ἔδωκεν αὐτῷ ὁ θεὸς 1 δεῖξαι τοῖς δούλοις αὐτοῦ, ἃ δεῖ γενέσθαι ἐν τάχει,² καὶ ἐσήμανεν³ ἀποστείλας διὰ τοῦ ἀγγέλου αὐτοῦ τῷ δούλῳ αὐτοῦ Ἰωάννῃ, δς ἐμαρτύρησεν τὸν λόγον τοῦ 2 θεοῦ καὶ τὴν μαρτυρίαν Ἰησοῦ χριστοῦ, ὅσα είδεν. 3 Μακάριος ὁ ἀναγινώσκων, καὶ οἱ ἀκούοντες τοὺς λόγους τῆς προφητείας⁴ καὶ τηροῦντες τὰ ἐν αὐτῆ γεγραμμένα: ὁ γὰρ καιρὸς ἐγγύς.

Ίωάννης ταῖς ἐπτὰ ἐκκλησίαις ταῖς ἐν τῆ Ἀσίᾳ: ⁵ χάρις 4 ὑμῖν καὶ εἰρήνη ἀπὸ θεοῦ ὁ ὢν καὶ ὁ ἦν καὶ ὁ ἐρχόμενος: καὶ ἀπὸ τῶν ἑπτὰ πνευμάτων ἃ ἐνώπιον τοῦ θρόνου αὐτοῦ: καὶ ἀπὸ Ἰησοῦ χριστοῦ, ὁ μάρτυς ὁ 5 πιστός, ὁ πρωτότοκος ⁶ τῶν νεκρῶν, καὶ ὁ ἄρχων τῶν βασιλέων τῆς γῆς. Τῷ ἀγαπῶντι ἡμᾶς, καὶ λούσαντι ⁷

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 $^{^1}$ ἀποκάλυψις, εως, ή, revelation, unveiling. 2 τάχος, ους, τό, speed, quickness. 3 σημαίνω, indicate, signify. 4 προφητεία, ας, ή, prophecy. 5 Άσία, ας, ή, Asia. 6 πρωτότοκος, first-born. 7 λούω, bathe, wash.

ήμᾶς ἀπὸ τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν ἡμῶν ἐν τῷ αἴματι αὐτοῦ: 6 καὶ ἐποίησεν ἡμᾶς βασιλείαν, ἱερεῖς τῷ θεῷ καὶ πατρὶ αὐτοῦ: αὐτῷ ἡ δόξα καὶ τὸ κράτος¹ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν. Ἰδού, ἔρχεται μετὰ τῶν νεφελῶν,² καὶ ὄψεται αὐτὸν πᾶς ὀφθαλμός, καὶ οἵτινες αὐτὸν ἑξεκέντησαν:³ καὶ κόψονται⁴ ἐπ' αὐτὸν πᾶσαι αἱ φυλαὶ τῆς γῆς. Ναί, ἀμήν.

Έγώ εἰμι τὸ Ἅλφα 5 καὶ τὸ $^5\Omega$, 6 λέγει κύριος ὁ θεός, ὁ ὢν 8 καὶ ὁ ἦν καὶ ὁ ἐρχόμενος, ὁ παντοκράτωρ. 7

Έγὼ Ἰωάννης, ὁ ἀδελφὸς ὑμῶν καὶ κοινωνὸς ἐν τῆ 9 θλίψει καὶ βασιλεία καὶ ὑπομονῆ ἐν χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ, ἐγενόμην ἐν τῆ νήσῳ τῆ καλουμένη Πάτμῳ, ο διὰ τὸν λόγον τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ διὰ τὴν μαρτυρίαν Ἰησοῦ χριστοῦ. Ἐγενόμην ἐν πνεύματι ἐν τῆ κυριακῆ 10 ἡμέρα: καὶ ἤκουσα φωνὴν ὀπίσω μου μεγάλην ὡς

 $^{^1}$ κράτος, ους, τό, power, dominion. 2 νεφέλη, ης, ή, cloud. 3 ἐκκεντέω, pierce, pierce through. 4 κόπτω, strike, smite. 5 ἄλφα, τό, Alpha. 6 ἄ, Oh! omega. 7 παντοκράτωρ, ορος, ό, ruler of all, Almighty. 8 κοινωνός, οῦ, ό, partner, sharer. 9 νῆσος, ου, ή, island. 10 Πάτμος, ου, ό, Patmos. 11 κυριακός, Lord's, of the Lord.

σάλπιγγος, λεγούσης, Ὁ βλέπεις γράψον εἰς βιβλίον, 11 καὶ πέμψον ταῖς ἑπτὰ ἐκκλησίαις, εἰς Ἔφεσον, 2 καὶ εἰς Σμύρναν, καὶ εἰς Πέργαμον, καὶ εἰς Θυάτειρα, καὶ εἰς Σάρδεις, καὶ εἰς Φιλαδέλφειαν, καὶ εἰς Λαοδίκειαν. Καὶ ἐκεῖ ἐπέστρεψα βλέπειν τὴν φωνὴν 12 ήτις έλάλει μετ' έμοῦ. Καὶ ἐπιστρέψας εἶδον ἑπτὰ λυχνίας° χρυσᾶς, 10 καὶ ἐν μέσω τῶν ἑπτὰ λυχνιῶν° 13 ὅμοιον υίῷ ἀνθρώπου, ἐνδεδυμένον 11 ποδήρη, 12 καὶ περιεζωσμένον 13 πρὸς τοῖς μαστοῖς 14 ζώνην 15 χρυσῆν. 10 17 Η δὲ κεφαλὴ αὐτοῦ καὶ αἱ τρίχες $^{^{16}}$ λευκαὶ $^{^{17}}$ ώς ἔριον $^{^{18}}$ λευκόν, 17 ώς γιών: 19 καὶ οἱ ὀΦθαλμοὶ αὐτοῦ ώς Φλὸξ 20 πυρός: καὶ οἱ πόδες αὐτοῦ ὅμοιοι χαλκολιβάνω, 21 ώς 15 έν καμίν φ^{22} πεπυρωμένοι: φ^{23} καὶ ή φωνή αὐτοῦ ώς φωνή ύδάτων πολλών. Καὶ ἔχων ἐν τῆ δεξιᾳ αὐτοῦ 16 γειρὶ ἀστέρας 24 ἑπτά: καὶ ἐκ τοῦ στόματος αὐτοῦ

 $^{^1}$ σάλπιγξ, ιγγος, ή, trumpet. 2 Έφεσος, ου, ή, Ephesus. 3 σμύρνα, ης, ή, myrrh (a costly perfume), Smyrna. 4 Πέργαμος, ου, ή, Pergamum. 5 Θυάτειρα, τό, Thyatira. 6 Σάρδεις, εων, ή, Sardis. 7 Φιλαδέλφεια, ας, ή, Philadelphia. 8 Λαοδικεία, ας, ή, Laodicea. 9 λυχνία, ας, ή, lampstand. 10 χρυσούς, golden. 11 ἐνδύω, put on, clothe. 12 ποδήρης, ους, ό, long robe. 13 περιζώννυμι, gird, gird round. 14 μαστός, οῦ, ό, breast, nipple. 15 ζώνη, ης, ή, belt, girdle. 16 θρίξ, τριχός, ή, hair. 17 λευκός, white, bright. 18 ἔριον, ου, τό, wool. 19 χιών, όνος, ή, snow. 20 φλόξ, φλογός, ή, flame. 21 χαλκολίβανον, ου, τό, burnished bronze, orichalcum. 22 κάμινος, ου, ή, furnace. 23 πυρόω, burn, am purified by fire. 24 ἀστήρ, ος, ό, star.

ρομφαία δίστομος δξεῖα έκπορευομένη: καὶ ἡ ὄ ψ ις αὐτοῦ, ὡς ὁ ἥλιος φαίνει ἐν τῇ δυνάμει αὐτοῦ. Καὶ ὅτε 17 είδον αὐτόν, ἔπεσα πρὸς τοὺς πόδας αὐτοῦ ὡς νεκρός: καὶ ἔθηκεν τὴν δεξιὰν αὐτοῦ ἐπ' ἐμέ, λέγων, Μὴ φοβοῦ: ἐγώ εἰμι ὁ πρῶτος καὶ ὁ ἔσχατος, καὶ ὁ ζῶν, 18 καὶ ἐγενόμην νεκρός, καὶ ἰδού, ζῶν εἰμὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων, ἀμήν: καὶ ἔχω τὰς κλεῖς⁵ τοῦ θανάτου καὶ τοῦ Ἅδου. Γράψον οὖν ἃ εἶδες, καὶ ἅ 19 είσιν, καὶ ἃ μέλλει γίνεσθαι μετὰ ταῦτα: τὸ μυστήριον 20 τῶν ἑπτὰ ἀστέρων δον εἶδες ἐπὶ τῆς δεξιᾶς μου, καὶ τὰς ἑπτὰ λυχνίας τὰς χρυσᾶς. 10 Οἱ ἑπτὰ ἀστέρες 8 ἄγγελοι τῶν ἐπτὰ ἐκκλησιῶν εἰσίν: καὶ αἱ λυχνίαι αἱ έπτὰ έπτὰ ἐκκλησίαι εἰσίν.

Τῷ ἀγγέλῳ τῆς ἐν Ἐφέσῳ ἐκκλησίας γράψον,

 $^{^1}$ ρομφαία, ας, ή, sword, piercing grief. 2 δίστομος, two-edged. 3 δξύς, sharp, swift. 4 δψις, εως, ή, outward appearance, face. 5 κλείς, κλειδός, ή, key. 6 Άδης, ου, ό, Hades. 7 μυστήριον, ου, τό, secret, mystery. 8 ἀστήρ, ος, ό, star. 9 λυχνία, ας, ή, lampstand. 10 χρυσοῦς, golden. 11 Έφεσος, ου, ή, Ephesus.

 $Tάδε^1$ λέγει ὁ κρατῶν τοὺς ἑπτὰ ἀστέρας 2 ἐν τῆ δεξιᾶ αὐτοῦ, ὁ περιπατῶν ἐν μέσω τῶν ἑπτὰ λυχνιῶν³ τῶν χρυσῶν: ⁴ Οίδα τὰ ἔργα σου, καὶ τὸν κόπον ⁵ σου, καὶ 2 τὴν ὑπομονήν σου, καὶ ὅτι οὐ δύνη βαστάσαι κακούς, καὶ ἐπείρασας τοὺς λέγοντας ἑαυτοὺς ἀποστόλους είναι καὶ οὐκ εἰσίν, καὶ εὕρες αὐτοὺς ψευδεῖς, 7 καὶ 3 ύπομονὴν ἔχεις καὶ ἐβάστασας διὰ τὸ ὄνομά μου καὶ οὐκ ἐκοπίασας.⁸ Ἀλλὰ ἔχω κατὰ σοῦ, ὅτι τὴν ἀγάπην 4 σου τὴν πρώτην ἀφῆκας. Μνημόνευε 2 οὖν πόθεν 10 5 πέπτωκας, καὶ μετανόησον, καὶ τὰ πρῶτα ἔργα ποίησον: εἰ δὲ μή, ἔρχομαί σοι ταχύ, $^{^{11}}$ καὶ κινήσω $^{^{12}}$ τὴν λυγνίαν³ σου ἐκ τοῦ τόπου αὐτῆς, ἐὰν μὴ μετανοήσης. Άλλὰ τοῦτο ἔχεις, ὅτι μισεῖς τὰ ἔργα τῶν 6 Νικολαϊτών, 13 α κάγω μισω. Ὁ ἔχων οὖς ἀκουσάτω 7 τί τὸ πνεῦμα λέγει ταῖς ἐκκλησίαις. Τῷ νικῶντι $^{^{14}}$ δώσω αὐτῷ φαγεῖν ἐκ τοῦ ξύλου 15 τῆς ζωῆς, ὅ ἐστιν ἐν

¹ ὅδε, this (here), this here. ² ἀστήρ, ος, ὁ, star. ³ λυχνία, ας, ἡ, lampstand. ⁴ χρυσοῦς, golden. ⁵ κόπος, ου, ὁ, labor, trouble. ⁶ βαστάζω, bear, carry. ⁷ ψευδής, false, lying. ⁸ κοπιάω, toil, labor. ⁹ μνημονεύω, remember, make mention of. ¹⁰ πόθεν, from where? whence. ¹¹ ταχύ, quickly, speedily. ¹² κινέω, move, stir. ¹³ Νικολαΐτης, ου, ὁ, Nicolaitan. ¹⁴ νικάω, overcome, conquer. ¹⁵ ξύλον, ου, τό, wood, tree.

τῶ παραδείσω τοῦ θεοῦ μου.

Καὶ τῷ ἀγγέλῳ τῆς ἐν Σμύρνῃ² ἐκκλησίας γράψον,

Τάδε³ λέγει ὁ πρῶτος καὶ ὁ ἔσχατος, ὃς ἐγένετο νεκρὸς καὶ ἔζησεν: Οἶδά σου τὰ ἔργα καὶ τὴν θλίψιν καὶ τὴν 9 πτωχείαν,⁴ ἀλλὰ πλούσιος⁵ εἶ: καὶ τὴν βλασφημίαν⁶ ἐκ τῶν λεγόντων Ἰουδαίους εἶναι ἑαυτούς, καὶ οὐκ εἰσίν, ἀλλὰ συναγωγὴ τοῦ Σατανᾶ. Μηδὲν φοβοῦ ἃ 10 μέλλεις παθεῖν: ἰδοὺ δή,⁻ μέλλει βαλεῖν ὁ διάβολος ἐξ ὑμῶν εἰς φυλακήν, ἵνα πειρασθῆτε: καὶ ἕξετε θλίψιν ἡμερῶν δέκα.⁵ Γίνου πιστὸς ἄχρι θανάτου, καὶ δώσω σοι τὸν στέφανον⁰ τῆς ζωῆς. Ὁ ἔχων οὖς ἀκουσάτω τί 11 τὸ πνεῦμα λέγει ταῖς ἐκκλησίαις. Ὁ νικῶν¹ο οὐ μὴ ἀδικηθῆ¹¹ ἐκ τοῦ θανάτου τοῦ δευτέρου.

¹ παράδεισος, ου, ὁ, paradise, Paradise. ² σμύρνα, ης, ἡ, myrrh (a costly perfume), Smyrna. ³ ὅδε, this (here), this here. ⁴ πτωχεία, ας, ἡ, poverty, beggary. ⁵ πλούσιος, rich. ⁶ βλασφημία, ας, ἡ, blasphemy, reproach. ⁷ δἡ, also, indeed. ⁸ δέκα, ten, 10. ⁹ στέφανος, ου, ὁ, crown, garland. ¹⁰ νικάω, overcome, conquer. ¹¹ ἀδικέω, do wrong, harm.

Καὶ τῷ ἀγγέλῳ τῆς ἐν Περγάμῳ¹ ἐκκλησίας γράψον,

12.

Τάδε² λέγει ὁ ἔχων τὴν ῥομφαίαν³ τὴν δίστομον⁴ τὴν όξεῖαν: Οἶδα τὰ ἔργα σου καὶ ποῦ κατοικεῖς, ὅπου ὁ 13 θρόνος τοῦ Σατανᾶ: καὶ κρατεῖς τὸ ὄνομά μου, καὶ οὐκ ἠρνήσω τὴν πίστιν μου ἐν ταῖς ἡμέραις ἐν αἷς Άντίπας δ μάρτυς μου, δ πιστός, δς ἀπεκτάνθη παρ' ύμῖν, ὅπου ὁ Σατανᾶς κατοικεῖ. Άλλ' ἔγω κατὰ σοῦ 14 ολίγα, ὅτι ἔχεις ἐκεῖ κρατοῦντας τὴν διδαχὴν Βαλαάμ,⁷ ος ἐδίδαξεν τὸν Βαλὰκ⁸ βαλεῖν σκάνδαλον⁹ ἐνώπιον τῶν υἱῶν Ἰσραήλ, καὶ φαγεῖν εἰδωλόθυτα 10 καὶ πορνεῦσαι. 11 Οὕτως ἔχεις καὶ σὰ κρατοῦντας τὴν 15 διδαγὴν τῶν Νικολαϊτῶν 12 ὁμοίως. Μετανόησον οὖν: 16 εἰ δὲ μή, ἔργομαί σοι ταχύ, 13 καὶ πολεμήσω 14 μετ' αὐτῶν ἐν τῆ ῥομφαία 3 τοῦ στόματός μου. $^{\circ}$ Ο ἔχων οὖς 17 άκουσάτω τί τὸ πνεῦμα λέγει ταῖς ἐκκλησίαις. Τῷ

¹ Πέργαμος, ου, ή, Pergamum. ² δδε, this (here), this here. ³ ρομφαία, ας, ή, sword, piercing grief. ⁴ δίστομος, two-edged. ⁵ δξύς, sharp, swift. ⁶ Άντιπᾶς, ᾶ, ό, Antipas. ⁷ Βαλαάμ, ό, Balaam. ⁸ Βαλάκ, ό, Balak. ⁹ σκάνδαλον, ου, τό, cause of stumbling, snare. ¹⁰ είδωλόθυτος, sacrificed to idols. ¹¹ πορνεύω, commit fornication, fornicate. ¹² Νικολαΐτης, ου, ό, Nicolaitan. ¹³ ταχύ, quickly, speedily. ¹⁴ πολεμέω, wage war, make war.

νικώντι¹ δώσω αὐτῷ τοῦ μάννα² τοῦ κεκρυμμένου,³ καὶ δώσω αὐτῷ ψῆφον⁴ λευκήν,⁵ καὶ ἐπὶ τὴν ψῆφον⁴ ὄνομα καινὸν γεγραμμένον, ὅ οὐδεὶς οἶδεν εἰ μὴ ὁ λαμβάνων.

Καὶ τῷ ἀγγέλῳ τῆς ἐν Θυατείροις ἐκκλησίας γράψον, 1

Τάδε⁷ λέγει ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ θεοῦ, ὁ ἔχων τοὺς ὀφθαλμοὺς αὐτοῦ ὡς φλόγα⁸ πυρός, καὶ οἱ πόδες αὐτοῦ ὅμοιοι χαλκολιβάνῳ: ⁹ Οἶδά σου τὰ ἔργα, καὶ τὴν ἀγάπην καὶ 19 τὴν πίστιν καὶ τὴν διακονίαν καὶ τὴν ὑπομονήν σου, καὶ τὰ ἔργα σου, τὰ ἔσχατα πλείονα τῶν πρώτων. 20 ἀλλὰ ἔχω κατὰ σοῦ ὅτι ἀφεῖς τὴν γυναῖκά σου Ἰεζάβελ, ¹⁰ ἢ λέγει ἑαυτὴν προφῆτιν, ¹¹ καὶ διδάσκει καὶ πλανῷ τοὺς ἐμοὺς δούλους πορνεῦσαι ¹² καὶ φαγεῖν εἰδωλόθυτα. ¹³ Καὶ ἔδωκα αὐτῆ χρόνον ἵνα μετανοήση, 21 καὶ οὐ θέλει μετανοῆσαι ἐκ τῆς πορνείας ¹⁴ αὐτῆς. 22

¹ νικάω, overcome, conquer. ² μάννα, τό, manna. ³ κρύπτω, conceal, hide. ⁴ ψῆφος, ου, ἡ, small smooth stone, voting pebble. ⁵ λευκός, white, bright. ⁶ Θυάτειρα, τό, Thyatira. ⁷ δδε, this (here), this here. ⁸ φλόξ, φλογός, ἡ, flame. ⁹ χαλκολίβανον, ου, τό, burnished bronze, orichalcum. ¹⁰ Ἰεζάβελ, ἡ, Jezebel. ¹¹ προφήτις, ιδος, ἡ, prophet, prophetess. ¹² πορνείω, commit fornication, fornicate. ¹³ είδωλόθυτος, sacrificed to idols. ¹⁴ πορνεία, ας, ἡ, fornication, idolatry.

 Ίδού, βάλλω αὐτὴν εἰς κλίνην, 1 καὶ τοὺς μοιγεύοντας 2 μετ' αὐτῆς εἰς θλίψιν μεγάλην, ἐὰν μὴ μετανοήσωσιν έκ τῶν ἔργων αὐτῆς. Καὶ τὰ τέκνα αὐτῆς ἀποκτενῶ 23 έν θανάτω: καὶ γνώσονται πᾶσαι αἱ ἐκκλησίαι ὅτι ἐγώ εἰμι ὁ ἐρευνῶν 3 νεφροὺς 4 καὶ καρδίας: καὶ δώσω ὑμῖν έκάστω κατὰ τὰ ἔργα ὑμῶν. Ύμῖν δὲ λέγω, τοῖς 24 λοιποῖς τοῖς ἐν Θυατείροις, ὅσοι οὐκ ἔχουσιν τὴν διδαχὴν ταύτην, οἵτινες οὐκ ἔγνωσαν τὰ βαθέα τοῦ Σατανᾶ, ὡς λέγουσιν, οὐ βάλλω ἐφ' ὑμᾶς ἄλλο βάρος. 7 Πλην δ έχετε κρατήσατε, ἄχρι οὖ ἄν ήξω. καὶ δ 25 νικών καὶ ὁ τηρών ἄχρι τέλους τὰ ἔργα μου, δώσω αὐτῷ ἐξουσίαν ἐπὶ τῶν ἐθνῶν: καὶ ποιμανεῖ¹⁰ αὐτοὺς 27 έν ράβδ $ω^{11}$ σιδηρ \tilde{a} : 12 ως τὰ σκεύ η^{13} τὰ κεραμικά, 14 συντριβήσεται: 15 ώς κάγὼ εἴληφα παρὰ τοῦ πατρός μου: καὶ δώσω αὐτῷ τὸν ἀστέρα 16 τὸν πρωϊνόν. 17 17 17 17 ἔχων οὖς ἀκουσάτω τί τὸ πνεῦμα λέγει ταῖς

¹ κλίνη, ης, ή, couch, bed. ² μοιχεύω, commit adultery. ³ ἐρευνάω, search diligently. ⁴ νεφρός, οῦ, ὁ, mind. ⁵ Θυάτειρα, τό, Thyatira. ⁶ βαθύς, deep, early. ⁷ βάρος, ους, τό, burden, weight. ⁸ ἥκω, have come, am present. ⁹ νικάω, overcome, conquer. ¹⁰ ποιμαίνω, shepherd, rule. ¹¹ ῥάβδος, ου, ή, staff, rod. ¹² σιδήρεος, made of iron. ¹³ σκεῦος, ους, τό, vessel, goods (plural). ¹⁴ κεραμικός, belonging to a potter, made of clay. ¹⁵ συντρίβω, break in pieces, crush. ¹⁶ ἀστήρ, ος, ὁ, star. ¹⁷ πρωϊνός, early, belonging to the morning.

ἐκκλησίαις.

Καὶ τῷ ἀγγέλῳ τῆς ἐν Σάρδεσιν¹ ἐκκλησίας γράψον, 3

Τάδε² λέγει ὁ ἔχων τὰ ἑπτὰ πνεύματα τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ τοὺς έπτὰ ἀστέρας: 3 Οἶδά σου τὰ ἔργα, ὅτι ὄνομα ἔχεις ὅτι ζῆς, καὶ νεκρὸς εἶ. Γίνου γρηγορῶν,⁴ καὶ στήρισον⁵ τὰ 2 λοιπὰ ἃ ἔμελλες ἀποβάλλειν: οὐ γὰρ εὕρηκά σου τὰ ἔργα πεπληρωμένα ἐνώπιον τοῦ θεοῦ Μνημόνευε 7 οὖν πῶς εἴληφας καὶ ἤκουσας, καὶ τήρει, καὶ μετανόησον. Ἐὰν οὖν μὴ γρηγορήσης, 4 ήξω 8 ἐπί σε ως κλέπτης, καὶ οὐ μὴ γνῷς ποίαν ωραν ήξω ἐπί σε. Άλλ' όλίγα ἔχεις όνόματα ἐν Σάρδεσιν, α οὐκ 4 έμόλυναν 10 τὰ ἱμάτια αὐτῶν: καὶ περιπατήσουσιν μετ' περιβαλεῖται 13 ἐν ἱματίοις λευκοῖς: 11 καὶ οὐ μὴ έξαλείψω¹⁴ τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ ἐκ τῆς βίβλου¹⁵ τῆς ζωῆς,

¹ Σάρδεις, εων, ή, Sardis. ² ὅδε, this (here), this here. ³ ἀστήρ, ος, ό, star. ⁴ γρηγορέω, watch, keep watch. ⁵ στηρίζω, establish, fix firmly. ⁶ ἀποβάλλω, throw away, cast aside. ⁷ μνημονεύω, remember, make mention of. ⁸ ἥκω, have come, am present. ⁹ κλέπτης, ου, ό, thief. ¹⁰ μολύνω, stain, soil. ¹¹ λευκός, white, bright. ¹² νικάω, overcome, conquer. ¹³ περιβάλλω, put around, clothe. ¹⁴ ἐξαλείφω, wipe out, erase. ¹⁵ βίβλος, ου, ή, book, scroll.

καὶ ὁμολογήσω¹ τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ ἐνώπιον τοῦ πατρός μου, καὶ ἐνώπιον τῶν ἀγγέλων αὐτοῦ. Ὁ ἔχων οὖς 6 ἀκουσάτω τί τὸ πνεῦμα λέγει ταῖς ἐκκλησίαις.

Καὶ τῷ ἀγγέλῳ τῆς ἐν Φιλαδελφείᾳ² ἐκκλησίας γράψον, 7

Τάδε³ λέγει ὁ ἄγιος, ὁ ἀληθινός,⁴ ὁ ἔχων τὴν κλεῖν⁵ τοῦ Δαυίδ, ὁ ἀνοίγων καὶ οὐδεὶς κλείσει⁴ αὐτήν, εἰ μὴ ὁ ἀνοίγων: καὶ οὐδεὶς ἀνοίξει. Οἶδά σου τὰ ἔργα: ἰδού, 8 δέδωκα ἐνώπιόν σου θύραν ἀνεῳγμένην, ἢν οὐδεὶς δύναται κλεῖσαι⁴ αὐτήν, ὅτι μικρὰν ἔχεις δύναμιν, καὶ ἐτήρησάς μου τὸν λόγον, καὶ οὐκ ἠρνήσω τὸ ὄνομά μου. Ἰδού, δίδωμι ἐκ τῆς συναγωγῆς τοῦ Σατανᾶ, τῶν 9 λεγόντων ἑαυτοὺς Ἰουδαίους εἶναι, καὶ οὐκ εἰσίν, ἀλλὰ ψεύδονται: Ἰδού, ποιήσω αὐτοὺς ἴνα ἥξωσιν καὶ προσκυνήσωσιν ἐνώπιον τῶν ποδῶν σου, καὶ γνῶσιν ὅτι ἠγάπησά σε. Ὅτι ἐτήρησας τὸν λόγον τῆς 10

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 $^{^1}$ όμολογέω, confess, profess. 2 Φιλαδέλφεια, ας, ή, Philadelphia. 3 δδε, this (here), this here. 4 άληθινός, true, genuine. 5 κλείς, κλειδός, ή, key. 6 κλείω, shut, shut up. 7 γεύδομαι, lie. 8 ήκω, have come, am present.

ύπομονῆς μου, κἀγώ σε τηρήσω ἐκ τῆς ὥρας τοῦ πειρασμοῦ,¹ τῆς μελλούσης ἔρχεσθαι ἐπὶ τῆς οἰκουμένης² ὅλης, πειράσαι τοὺς κατοικοῦντας ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, ερχομαι ταχύ:³ κράτει ὅ ἔχεις, ἵνα μηδεὶς 11 λάβῃ τὸν στέφανόν⁴ σου. Ὁ νικῶν,⁵ ποιήσω αὐτὸν 12 στύλον⁶ ἐν τῷ ναῷ τοῦ θεοῦ μου, καὶ ἔξω οὐ μὴ ἐξέλθῃ ἔτι, καὶ γράψω ἐπ² αὐτὸν τὸ ὄνομα τοῦ θεοῦ μου, καὶ τὸ ὄνομα τῆς πόλεως τοῦ θεοῦ μου, τῆς καινῆς Ἱερουσαλήμ, ἢ καταβαίνει ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ ἀπὸ τοῦ θεοῦ μου, καὶ τὸ ὄνομά μου τὸ καινόν. Ὁ ἔχων οὖς 13 ἀκουσάτω τί τὸ πνεῦμα λέγει ταῖς ἐκκλησίαις.

Καὶ τῷ ἀγγέλῳ τῆς ἐν Λαοδικεί α^7 ἐκκλησίας γράψον, 14

Τάδε⁸ λέγει ὁ Ἀμήν, ὁ μάρτυς ὁ πιστὸς καὶ ἀληθινός, ⁹ ἡ ἀρχὴ τῆς κτίσεως ¹⁰ τοῦ θεοῦ: Οἶδά σου τὰ ἔργα, ὅτι 15 οὔτε ψυχρὸς ¹¹ εἶ οὔτε ζεστός: ¹² ὄφελον ¹³ ψυχρὸς ¹¹ ἦς ἢ

¹ πειρασμός, οῦ, ὁ, temptation, trial. ² οἰκουμένη, ης, ἡ, inhabited world. ³ ταχύ, quickly, speedily. ⁴ στέφανος, ου, ὁ, crown, garland. ⁵ νικάω, overcome, conquer. ⁶ στῦλος, ου, ὁ, pillar. ⁷ Λαοδικεία, ας, ἡ, Laodicea. ⁸ ὅδε, this (here), this here. ⁹ ἀληθινός, true, genuine. ¹⁰ κτίσις, εως, ἡ, creation, creature. ¹¹ ψυχρός, cold, cold hearted. ¹² ζεστός, hot, boiling hot. ¹³ ὄφελον, would that (used to express a fruitless wish)

ζεστός. 1 Οὕτως 2 ὅτι γλιαρὸς 3 εἶ, καὶ οὐ ζεστὸς 1 οὔτε 1 ψυγρός, μέλλω σε ἐμέσαι ἐκ τοῦ στόματός μου. "Οτι 17 λέγεις, Πλούσιός εἰμι, καὶ πεπλούτηκα, καὶ οὐδενὸς γρείαν ἔγω, καὶ οὐκ οἶδας ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ ταλαίπωρος⁸ καὶ ό έλεεινὸς καὶ πτωγὸς καὶ τυφλὸς καὶ γυμνός: 18 συμβουλεύω 11 σοι ἀγοράσαι χρυσίον 12 παρ' ἐμοῦ πεπυρωμένον 13 ἐκ πυρός, ἵνα πλουτήσης, 7 καὶ ἱμάτια λευκά, 14 ἵνα περιβάλη, 15 καὶ μὴ φανερωθῆ ἡ αἰσχύνη 16 τῆς γυμνότητός 17 σου: καὶ κολλύριον 18 ἵνα ἐγχρίση 19 τούς ὀφθαλμούς σου, ἵνα βλέπης. Έγὼ ὅσους ἐὰν 19 Φιλῶ, 20 ἐλέγγω 21 καὶ παιδεύω: 22 ζήλωσον 23 οὖν καὶ μετανόησον. Ίδού, ἔστηκα ἐπὶ τὴν θύραν καὶ κρούω: $^{^{24}}$ 20 ἐάν τις ἀκούση τῆς φωνῆς μου, καὶ ἀνοίξη τὴν θύραν, καὶ εἰσελεύσομαι πρὸς αὐτόν, καὶ δειπνήσω²⁵ μετ' αὐτοῦ, καὶ αὐτὸς μετ' ἐμοῦ. Ὁ νικῶν, ²6 δώσω αὐτῶ 21

 $^{^1}$ ζεστός, hot, boiling hot. 2 οὕτως, thus, so. 3 χλιαρός, lukewarm. 4 ψυχρός, cold, cold hearted. 5 ἐμέω, vomit, throw up. 6 πλούσιος, rich. 7 πλουτέω, be rich, become rich. 8 ταλαίπωρος, miserable, wretched. 9 ἐλεεινός, miserable, pitiable. 10 γυμνός, naked, wearing only under-garments. 11 συμβουλεύω, plot, advise. 12 χρυσίον, ου, τό, gold, golden ornament. 13 πυρόω, burn, am purified by fire. 14 λευκός, white, bright. 15 περιβάλλω, put around, clothe. 16 αἰσχύνη, ης, ή, shame. 17 γυμνότης, ητος, ή, nakedness, exposure. 18 κολλούριον, ου, τό, eye salve. 19 ἐγχρίω, smear on, anoint. 20 φιλέω, love, kiss. 21 ἐλέγχω, convict, reprove. 22 παιδεύω, teach, educate. 23 ζηλόω, be zealous, am jealous. 24 κρούω, knock, strike. 25 δειπνέω, eat, dine. 26 νικάω, overcome, conquer.

καθίσαι μετ' ἐμοῦ ἐν τῷ θρόνῳ μου, ὡς κἀγὼ ἐνίκησα,¹
καὶ ἐκάθισα μετὰ τοῦ πατρός μου ἐν τῷ θρόνῳ αὐτοῦ.
Ὁ ἔχων οὖς ἀκουσάτω τί τὸ πνεῦμα λέγει ταῖς 22
ἐκκλησίαις.

Μετὰ ταῦτα εἶδον, καὶ ἰδού, θύρα ἀνεῳγμένη ἐν τῷ 4 οὐρανῷ, καὶ ἡ φωνὴ ἡ πρώτη ἣν ἤκουσα ὡς σάλπιγγος² λαλούσης μετ' ἐμοῦ, λέγων, ᾿Ανάβα ὧδε, καὶ δείξω σοι ἃ δεῖ γενέσθαι μετὰ ταῦτα. Καὶ εὐθέως 2 ἐγενόμην ἐν πνεύματι: καὶ ἰδού, θρόνος ἔκειτο³ ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ, καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν θρόνον καθήμενος, ὅμοιος ὁράσει⁴ λίθῳ ἰάσπιδι⁵ καὶ σαρδίῳ: καὶ ἷρις κυκλόθεν τοῦ θρόνου ὁμοίως ὅρασις μαραγδίνων. Καὶ κυκλόθεν τοῦ θρόνου θρόνοι εἴκοσι¹ τέσσαρες: καὶ ἐπὶ τοὺς θρόνους τοὺς εἴκοσι¹ τέσσαρας πρεσβυτέρους καθημένους, περιβεβλημένους¹¹ ἐν ἱματίοις λευκοῖς,¹²

¹ νικάω, overcome, conquer. ² σάλπιγξ, ιγγος, ή, trumpet. ³ κεῖμαι, lie, be laid. ⁴ ὅρασις, εως, ή, vision, appearance. ⁵ ἴασπις, ιδος, ή, jasper (a translucent stone), jasper. ⁶ σάρδιον, ου, τό, carnelian, sardian stone. ⁷ ἴρις, ιδος, ή, rainbow. ⁸ κυκλόθεν, around, in a circle round. ⁹ σμαράγδινος, (of) emerald, made of emerald. ¹⁰ εἴκοσι, twenty, 20. ¹¹ περιβάλλω, put around, clothe. ¹² λευκός, white, bright.

καὶ ἐπὶ τὰς κεφαλὰς αὐτῶν στεφάνους¹ χρυσοῦς.² Καὶ 5 ἐκ τοῦ θρόνου ἐκπορεύονται ἀστραπαὶ 3 καὶ φωναὶ καὶ βρονταί. Καὶ ἐπτὰ λαμπάδες πυρὸς καιόμεναι ένώπιον τοῦ θρόνου αὐτοῦ, αι εἰσιν ἐπτὰ πνεύματα τοῦ θεοῦ: καὶ ἐνώπιον τοῦ θρόνου ὡς θάλασσα ὑαλίνη. 7 όμοία κρυστάλλω.⁸ Καὶ ἐν μέσω τοῦ θρόνου καὶ κύκλ ω^{9} τοῦ θρόνου τέσσαρα ζ $\widetilde{\omega}$ α ω^{10} γέμοντα ω^{11} όφθαλμῶν ἔμπροσθεν καὶ ὅπισθεν. 12 Καὶ τὸ ζῶον 10 τὸ 7πρώτον ὅμοιον λέοντι, 13 καὶ τὸ δεύτερον ζώον 10 ὅμοιον μόσχω, 14 καὶ τὸ τρίτον ζῷον 10 ἔχον πρόσωπον ἀνθρώπου, καὶ τὸ τέταρτον $^{^{15}}$ ζῷον $^{^{10}}$ ὅμοιον ἀετ $\overset{}{\omega}^{^{16}}$ πετομένω. 17 Καὶ τὰ τέσσαρα ζῷα, 10 εν καθ' εν ἔγον ἀνὰ 8 $πτέρυγας^{19}$ εξ²⁰ κυκλόθεν, 21 καὶ ἔσωθεν 22 γέμουσιν 11 όφθαλμών, καὶ ἀνάπαυσιν²³ οὐκ ἔγουσιν ἡμέρας καὶ νυκτός, λέγοντες, Άγιος, ἄγιος, ἄγιος, κύριος ὁ θεὸς ὁ

¹ στέφανος, ου, ὁ, crown, garland. ² χρυσοῦς, golden. ³ ἀστραπή, ῆς, ἡ, lightning, brightness. ⁴ βροντή, ους, ἡ, thunder. ⁵ λαμπάς, άδος, ἡ, torch, lamp. ⁶ καίω, burn, ignite. ⁷ ὑάλινος, of glass, glassy. ⁸ κρύσταλλος, ου, ὁ, rock-crystal, crystal. ⁹ κύκλος, ου, ὁ, circle. ¹⁰ ζῷον, ου, τό, living creature, animal. ¹¹ γέμω, fill, am full of. ¹² ὁπισθεν, behind, after. ¹³ λέων, οντος, ὁ, lion. ¹⁴ μόσχος, ου, ὁ, calf. ¹⁵ τέταρτος, fourth. ¹⁶ ἀετός, οῦ, ὁ, eagle, vulture. ¹⁷ πέτομαι, fly. ¹⁸ ἀνά, upwards, upon. ¹⁹ πτέρυξ, υγος, ἡ, wing. ²⁰ ἔξ, six, 6. ²¹ κυκλόθεν, around, in a circle round. ²² ἔσωθεν, from within, within. ²³ ἀνάπαυσις, εως, ἡ, cessation, rest.

παντοκράτωρ, ό ήν καὶ ὁ ὢν καὶ ὁ ἐρχόμενος. Καὶ 9 ὅταν δῶσιν τὰ ζῷα² δόξαν καὶ τιμὴν καὶ εὐχαριστίαν τῷ καθημένῳ ἐπὶ τοῦ θρόνου, τῷ ζῶντι εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων, πεσοῦνται οἱ εἴκοσι⁴ τέσσαρες 10 πρεσβύτεροι ἐνώπιον τοῦ καθημένου ἐπὶ τοῦ θρόνου, καὶ προσκυνήσουσιν τῷ ζῶντι εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων, καὶ βαλοῦσιν τοὺς στεφάνους αὐτῶν ἐνώπιον τοῦ θρόνου, λέγοντες, Ἄξιος εἶ, ὁ κύριος καὶ ὁ 11 θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ ἄγιος, λαβεῖν τὴν δόξαν καὶ τὴν τιμὴν καὶ τὴν δύναμιν: ὅτι σὺ ἔκτισας πάντα, καὶ διὰ τὸ θέλημά σου ἦσαν καὶ ἐκτίσθησαν. ὅ

Καὶ εἶδον ἐπὶ τὴν δεξιὰν τοῦ καθημένου ἐπὶ τοῦ θρόνου 5 βιβλίον γεγραμμένον ἔσωθεν καὶ ἔξωθεν, κατεσφραγισμένον σφραγίσιν έπτά. Καὶ εἶδον 2 ἄγγελον ἰσχυρὸν κηρύσσοντα ἐν φωνῆ μεγάλη, Τίς

 $^{^1}$ παντοκράτωρ, ορος, ό, ruler of all, Almighty. 2 ζώον, ου, τό, living creature, animal. 3 εὐχαριστία, ας, ή, thanksgiving, thankfulness. 4 εἴκοσι, twenty, 2 5 στέφανος, ου, ό, crown, garland. 6 κτίζω, create, form. 7 ἔσωθεν, from within, within. 8 ἔξωθεν, from without, outside (gen). 9 κατασφραγίζω, seal (up), seal and thus close. 10 σφραγίζ, ίδος, ή, seal, signet ring. 11 Ισχυρός, strong, mighty.

ἄξιός ἐστιν ἀνοῖξαι τὸ βιβλίον, καὶ λῦσαι τὰς σφραγίδας αὐτοῦ; Καὶ οὐδεὶς ἐδύνατο ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ 3 ανω, ούτε ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, ούτε ὑποκάτω³ τῆς γῆς, άνοῖξαι τὸ βιβλίον, οὔτε βλέπειν αὐτό. Καὶ ἐγὼ 4 ἔκλαιον πολύ, ὅτι οὐδεὶς ἄξιος εὑρέθη ἀνοῖξαι τὸ βιβλίον, οὔτε βλέπειν αὐτό. Καὶ εἷς ἐκ τῶν 5 πρεσβυτέρων λέγει μοι, Μὴ κλαῖε: ἰδού, ἐνίκησεν ό λέων δ ἐκ τῆς φυλῆς Ἰούδα, ἡ ῥίζα Δ αυίδ, ὁ ἀνοίγων τὸ βιβλίον καὶ τὰς ἑπτὰ σφραγίδας αὐτοῦ. Καὶ εἶδον 6 έν μέσω τοῦ θρόνου καὶ τῶν τεσσάρων ζώων, καὶ ἐν μέσω τῶν πρεσβυτέρων, άρνίον έστηκὸς ώς έσφαγμένον, ⁹ ἔχον κέρατα ¹⁰ ἑπτὰ καὶ ὀφθαλμοὺς ἑπτά, ἄ εἰσιν τὰ ἑπτὰ πνεύματα τοῦ θεοῦ ἀποστελλόμενα εἰς πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν. Καὶ ἦλθεν, καὶ εἴληφεν ἐκ τῆς 7 δεξιᾶς τοῦ καθημένου ἐπὶ τοῦ θρόνου. Καὶ ὅτε ἔλαβεν 8 τὸ βιβλίον, τὰ τέσσαρα ζῷα⁸ καὶ οἱ εἴκοσι¹¹ τέσσαρες

 $^{^1}$ σφραγίς, ίδος, ή, seal, signet ring. 2 ἄνω, up, above. 3 ὑποκάτω, under, below. 4 νικάω, overcome, conquer. 5 λέων, οντος, ό, lion. 6 Τούδα, ό, Judah, Judas. 7 $\acute{\rho}$ ίζα, ης, ή, root, that which grows from the root. 8 ζώον, ου, τό, living creature, animal. 9 σφάζω, slay. 10 κέρας, ατος, τό, horn. 11 εἴκοσι, twenty, 20.

πρεσβύτεροι ἔπεσον ἐνώπιον τοῦ ἀρνίου, ἔχοντες ἕκαστος κιθάραν,¹ καὶ φιάλας² χρυσᾶς³ γεμούσας⁴ θυμιαμάτων, αι είσιν προσευχαὶ τῶν ἁγίων. Καὶ 9 ἄδουσιν 6 $\dot{\omega}$ δὴν 7 καινήν, λέγοντες, Άξιος εἶ λαβεῖν τὸ βιβλίον, καὶ ἀνοῖξαι τὰς σφραγῖδας⁸ αὐτοῦ: ὅτι έσφάγης, καὶ ἠγόρασας τῶ θεῶ ἡμᾶς ἐν τῶ αἵματί σου ἐκ πάσης φυλῆς καὶ γλώσσης καὶ λαοῦ καὶ ἔθνους, καὶ ἐποίησας αὐτοὺς τῷ θεῷ ἡμῶν βασιλεῖς καὶ ἱερεῖς, 10 καὶ βασιλεύσουσιν¹⁰ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς. Καὶ εἶδον, καὶ 11 ἤκουσα ὡς φωνὴν ἀγγέλων πολλῶν κύκλω¹¹ τοῦ θρόνου καὶ τῶν ζώων 12 καὶ τῶν πρεσβυτέρων: καὶ ἦν ὁ ἀριθμὸς 13 αὐτῶν μυριάδες 14 μυριάδων, 14 καὶ χιλιάδες 15 χιλιάδων, 5 λέγοντες φωνή μεγάλη, Άξιόν έστιν τὸ 12 άρνίον τὸ ἐσφαγμένον λαβεῖν τὴν δύναμιν καὶ τὸν πλοῦτον 16 καὶ σοφίαν καὶ ἰσχὺν 17 καὶ τιμὴν καὶ δόξαν καὶ εὐλογίαν. 18 Καὶ πᾶν κτίσμα 19 δ ἐν τῶ οὐρανῶ, καὶ 13

¹ κιθάρα, ας, ή, lyre, harp. ² φιάλη, ης, ή, cup, bowl. ³ χρυσοῦς, golden. ⁴ γέμω, fill, am full of. ⁵ θυμίαμα, τος, τό, incense. ⁶ ἄδω, sing. ⁷ ϣδή, ῆς, ή, song, ode. ⁸ σφραγίς, ῖδος, ή, seal, signet ring. ⁹ σφάζω, slay. ¹⁰ βασιλεύω, reign, rule. ¹¹ κύκλος, ου, ό, circle. ¹² ζώον, ου, τό, living creature, animal. ¹³ ἀριθμός, οῦ, ό, number, total. ¹⁴ μυριάς, άδος, ή, ten thousand, myriad. ¹⁵ χιλιάς, άδος, ή, thousand. ¹⁶ πλοῦτος, ου, ό, wealth, riches. ¹⁷ ἰσχύς, ὑος, ή, strength, power. ¹⁸ εὐλογία, ας, ή, blessing, adulation. ¹⁹ κτίσμα, ος, τό, creature, created thing.

ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, καὶ ὑποκάτω¹ τῆς γῆς, καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς θαλάσσης ἐστίν, καὶ τὰ ἐν αὐτοῖς, πάντας ἤκουσα λέγοντας, Τῷ καθημένῳ ἐπὶ τοῦ θρόνου καὶ τῷ ἀρνίῳ ἡ εὐλογία² καὶ ἡ τιμὴ καὶ ἡ δόξα καὶ τὸ κράτος³ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν. Καὶ τὰ τέσσαρα ζῷα⁴ 14 λέγοντα τὸ Ἀμήν. Καὶ οἱ πρεσβύτεροι ἔπεσον, καὶ προσεκύνησαν.

Καὶ εἶδον ὅτι ἤνοιξεν τὸ ἀρνίον μίαν ἐκ τῶν ἑπτὰ 6 σφραγίδων, καὶ ἤκουσα ἑνὸς ἐκ τῶν τεσσάρων ζώων ⁴ λέγοντος, ὡς φωνὴ βροντῆς, Έρχου καὶ ἴδε. Καὶ ἰδού, 2 ἵππος λευκός, καὶ ὁ καθήμενος ἐπ' αὐτὸν ἔχων τόξον: καὶ ἐδόθη αὐτῷ στέφανος, 10 καὶ ἐξῆλθεν νικῶν, 11 καὶ ἵνα νικήση. 11

 $^{^1}$ ύποκάτω, under, below. 2 εὐλογία, ας, ή, blessing, adulation. 3 κράτος, ους, τό, power, dominion. 4 ζώον, ου, τό, living creature, animal. 5 σφραγίς, ίδος, ή, seal, signet ring. 6 βροντή, ους, ή, thunder. 7 ἴππος, ου, ό, horse. 8 λευκός, white, bright. 9 τόξον, ου, τό, bow. 10 στέφανος, ου, ό, crown, garland. 11 νικάω, overcome, conquer.

- Καὶ ὅτε ἤνοιξεν τὴν δευτέραν σφραγῖδα,¹ ἤκουσα τοῦ 3 δευτέρου ζώου² λέγοντος, Ἔρχου. Καὶ ἐξῆλθεν ἄλλος 4 ἵππος³ πυρός: καὶ τῷ καθημένῳ ἐπ' αὐτὸν ἐδόθη αὐτῷ λαβεῖν τὴν εἰρήνην ἐκ τῆς γῆς, ἵνα ἀλλήλους σφάξωσιν:⁴ καὶ ἐδόθη αὐτῷ μάχαιρα⁵ μεγάλη.
- Καὶ ὅτε ἤνοιξεν τὴν σφραγῖδα¹ τὴν τρίτην, ἤκουσα τοῦ 5 τρίτου ζώου² λέγοντος, Ἔρχου καὶ ἴδε. Καὶ ἰδού, ἵππος μέλας, καὶ ὁ καθήμενος ἐπ² αὐτὸν ἔχων ζυγὸν² ἐν τῆ χειρὶ αὐτοῦ. Καὶ ἤκουσα φωνὴν ἐν μέσω τῶν 6 τεσσάρων ζώων² λέγουσαν, Χοῖνιξ⁵ σίτου° δηναρίου,¹0 καὶ τρεῖς χοίνικες κριθῆς¹¹ δηναρίου:¹0 καὶ τὸ ἔλαιον²² καὶ τὸν οἶνον μὴ ἀδικήσῃς.¹3
- Καὶ ὅτε ἤνοιξεν τὴν σφραγῖδα¹ τὴν τετάρτην,¹⁴ ἤκουσα 7
 τοῦ τετάρτου¹⁴ ζώου² λέγοντος, "Ερχου καὶ ἴδε. Καὶ 8
 ἰδού, ἵππος³ χλωρός,¹⁵ καὶ ὁ καθήμενος ἐπάνω¹⁶ αὐτοῦ,

 $^{^1}$ σφραγίς, ίδος, ή, seal, signet ring. 2 ζώον, ου, τό, living creature, animal. 3 ίππος, ου, ό, horse. 4 σφάζω, slay. 5 μάχαιρα, ης, ή, sword. 6 μέλας, black, ink. 7 ζυγός, οῦ, ό, yoke, heavy burden. 8 χοῖνιξ, ικος, ή, quart, Greek dry measure. 9 σῖτος, ου, ὁ, wheat, grain. 10 δηνάριον, ου, ὁ, denarius. 11 κριθή, ῆς, ή, barley. 12 ἔλαιον, ου, τό, olive oil. 13 ἀδικέω, do wrong, harm. 14 τέταρτος, fourth. 15 χλωρός, pale green, pale. 16 ἐπάνω, above, over (gen).

ὄνομα αὐτῷ ὁ Θάνατος, καὶ ὁ Ἅδης ¹ ἠκολούθει αὐτῷ. Καὶ ἐδόθη αὐτῷ ἐξουσία ἐπὶ τὸ τέταρτον ² τῆς γῆς ἀποκτεῖναι ἐν ῥομφαία ³ καὶ ἐν λιμῷ ⁴ καὶ ἐν θανάτῳ, καὶ ὑπὸ τῶν θηρίων τῆς γῆς.

Καὶ ὅτε ἤνοιξεν τὴν πέμπτην σφραγίδα, εἶδον 9 ὑποκάτω τοῦ θυσιαστηρίου τὰς ψυχὰς τῶν ἐσφαγμένων διὰ τὸν λόγον τοῦ θεοῦ, καὶ διὰ τὴν μαρτυρίαν τοῦ ἀρνίου ἢν εἶχον, καὶ ἔκραξαν φωνῆ 10 μεγάλῃ, λέγοντες, Έως πότε, ὁ δεσπότης, ό ἄγιος καὶ ἀληθινός, ό οὐ κρίνεις καὶ ἐκδικεῖς τὸ αἶμα ἡμῶν ἐκ τῶν κατοικούντων ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς; Καὶ ἐδόθη αὐτοῖς 11 ἐκάστῳ στολὴ λευκή, καὶ ἐρρέθη αὐτοῖς ἴνα ἀναπαύσωνται ἔτι χρόνον, ἔως πληρώσωσιν καὶ οἱ σύνδουλοι αὐτῶν καὶ οἱ αὐτῶν καὶ οἱ μέλλοντες ἀποκτένεσθαι ὡς καὶ αὐτοί.

 $^{^{1}}$ (λδης, ου, ὁ, Hades. 2 τέταρτος, fourth. 3 ρόμφαία, ας, ἡ, sword, piercing grief. 4 λιμός, οῦ, ὁ, hunger, famine. 5 πέμπτος, fifth. 6 σφραγίς, ίδος, ἡ, seal, signet ring. 7 ὑποκάτω, under, below. 8 θυσιαστήριον, ου, τό, altar. 9 σφάζω, slav. 10 δεσπότης, ου, ὁ, master, lord. 11 άληθινός, true, genuine. 12 ἐκδικέω, vindicate, avenge. 13 στολή, ῆς, ἡ, equipment, apparel. 14 λευκός, white, bright. 15 ἀναπαύω, refresh, take rest. 16 σύνδουλος, ου, ὁ, fellow slave, fellow servant.

Καὶ εἶδον ὅτε ἤνοιξεν τὴν σφραγῖδα 1 τὴν ἕκτην, 2 καὶ 12 σεισμὸς³ μέγας ἐγένετο, καὶ ὁ ἥλιος μέλας⁴ ἐγένετο ὡς σάκκος τρίχινος, καὶ ἡ σελήνη όλη ἐγένετο ὡς αἷμα, 13καὶ οἱ ἀστέρες⁸ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ ἔπεσον εἰς τὴν γῆν, ὡς συκῆ βαλοῦσα τοὺς ὀλύνθους αὐτῆς, ὑπὸ ἀνέμου μεγάλου σειομένη. 11 Καὶ ὁ οὐρανὸς ἀπεγωρίσθη 12 ως 14 βιβλίον έλισσόμενον, 13 καὶ πᾶν ὄρος καὶ νῆσος 14 ἐκ τῶν τόπων αὐτῶν ἐκινήθησαν. 15 Καὶ οἱ βασιλεῖς τῆς 15 γῆς, καὶ οἱ μεγιστᾶνες, 16 καὶ οἱ χιλίαρχοι, 17 καὶ οἱ πλούσιοι, 18 καὶ οἱ ἰσχυροί, 19 καὶ πᾶς δοῦλος καὶ έλεύθερος, 20 ἔκρυψαν 21 έαυτοὺς εἰς τὰ σπήλαια 22 καὶ εἰς τὰς πέτρας 23 τῶν ὀρέων, καὶ λέγουσιν τοῖς ὄρεσιν 16καὶ ταῖς πέτραις, 23 Πέσετε ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ κρύψατε 21 ήμᾶς ἀπὸ προσώπου τοῦ καθημένου ἐπὶ τοῦ θρόνου, καὶ ἀπὸ τῆς ὀργῆς τοῦ ἀρνίου: ὅτι ἦλθεν ἡ ἡμέρα ἡ 17

¹ σφραγίς, ίδος, ή, seal, signet ring. ² ἔκτος, sixth. ³ σεισμός, οῦ, ό, earthquake, storm. ⁴ μέλας, black, ink. ⁵ σάκκος, ου, ό, sackcloth. ⁶ τρίχινος, made of hair. ⁷ σελήνη, ης, ή, moon. ⁸ ἀστήρ, ος, ό, star. ⁹ συκή, ῆς, ή, fig tree. ¹⁰ ὅλυνθος, ου, ό, late fig, unripe fig. ¹¹ σείω, shake. ¹² ἀποχωρίζω, separate, split apart. ¹³ ἐλίσσω, roll up, coil. ¹⁴ νῆσος, ου, ή, island. ¹⁵ κινέω, move, stir. ¹⁶ μεγιστάν, ἄνος, ό, great man, magnate. ¹⁷ χιλίαρχος, ου, ό, military tribune, captain. ¹⁸ πλούσιος, rich. ¹⁹ ἰσχυρός, strong, mighty. ²⁰ ἐλεύθερος, free, delivered from obligation. ²¹ κρύπτω, conceal, hide. ²² σπήλαιον, ου, τό, cave, den. ²³ πέτρα, ας, ή, rock.

μεγάλη τῆς ὀργῆς αὐτοῦ, καὶ τίς δύναται σταθῆναι;

Καὶ μετὰ τοῦτο είδον τέσσαρας ἀγγέλους έστῶτας ἐπὶ 7 τὰς τέσσαρας γωνίας¹ τῆς γῆς, κρατοῦντας τοὺς τέσσαρας ἀνέμους τῆς γῆς, ἵνα μὴ πνέῃ² ἄνεμος ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, μήτε ἐπὶ τῆς θαλάσσης, μήτε ἐπί τι δένδρον. 3 2 Καὶ εἶδον ἄλλον ἄγγελον ἀναβαίνοντα ἀπὸ ἀνατολῆς⁴ ήλίου, ἔχοντα σφραγῖδα⁵ θεοῦ ζῶντος: καὶ ἔκραξεν φωνή μεγάλη τοῖς τέσσαρσιν ἀγγέλοις, οἷς ἐδόθη αὐτοῖς ἀδικῆσαι την γῆν καὶ την θάλασσαν, λέγων, 3 Μὴ ἀδικήσητε τὴν γῆν, μήτε τὴν θάλασσαν, μήτε τὰ δένδρα, 3 ἄχρι οξ σφραγίσωμεν τοὺς δούλους τοῦ θεοῦ ἡμῶν ἐπὶ τῶν μετώπων 8 αὐτῶν. Καὶ ἤκουσα τὸν 4 άριθμὸν τῶν ἐσφραγισμένων, $\frac{1}{2}$ ἑκατὸν $\frac{1}{2}$ τεσσαράκοντα¹¹ τέσσαρες χιλιάδες, ¹² ἐσφραγισμένων⁷ έκ πάσης φυλῆς υίῶν Ἰσραήλ.

 $^{^{1}}$ γωνία, ας, ή, angle, corner. 2 πνέω, blow. 3 δένδρον, ου, τό, tree. 4 ἀνατολή, ής, ή, east, dawn. 5 σφραγίς, ίδος, ή, seal, signet ring. 6 ἀδικέω, do wrong, harm. 7 σφραγίζω, seal, set a seal upon. 8 μέτωπον, ου, τό, forehead. 9 ἀριθμός, οῦ, ό, number, total. 10 έκατόν, hundred, 100. 11 τεσσαράκοντα, forty, 40. 12 χιλιάς, άδος, ή, thousand.

Έκ φυλῆς Ἰούδα,¹ δώδεκα χιλιάδες² ἐσφραγισμέναι:³

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ἐκ φυλῆς Ῥουβίμ, ⁴ δώδεκα χιλιάδες: ²

ἐκ φυλῆς Γάδ, δώδεκα χιλιάδες:²

ἐκ φυλῆς Ἀσήρ, ⁶ δώδεκα χιλιάδες: ²

ἐκ φυλῆς Νεφθαλείμ, 7 δώδεκα χιλιάδες: 2

ἐκ φυλῆς Μανασσῆ, 8 δώδεκα χιλιάδες: 2

ἐκ φυλῆς Συμεών, ցώδεκα χιλιάδες: ²

έκ φυλῆς Λ ευΐ, 10 δώδεκα χιλιάδες: 2

ἐκ φυλῆς Ἰσαχάρ, $^{^{11}}$ δώδεκα χιλιάδες: $^{^{2}}$

¹ Τούδα, ό, Judah, Judas. ² χιλιάς, άδος, ή, thousand. ³ σφραγίζω, seal, set a seal upon. ⁴ Ρουβίμ, ό, Reuben. ⁵ Γάδ, ό, Gad. ⁶ Άσήρ, ό, Asher. ⁷ Νεφθαλείμ, ό, Naphtali. ⁸ Μανασσῆς, ό, Manasseh. ⁹ Συμεών, ό, Simeon, Simeon. ¹⁰ Λευΐ, ό, Levi. ¹¹ Ισαχάρ, ό, Issachar.

ἐκ φυλῆς Ζαβουλών,¹ δώδεκα χιλιάδες:²

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έκ φυλῆς Ἰωσήφ, δώδεκα χιλιάδες:²

ἐκ φυλῆς Βενιαμίν,³ δώδεκα χιλιάδες² ἐσφραγισμέναι.⁴

Μετὰ ταῦτα εἶδον, καὶ ἰδού, ὄχλος πολύς, ὂν ἀριθμῆσαι ⁹
οὐδεὶς ἐδύνατο, ἐκ παντὸς ἔθνους καὶ φυλῶν καὶ λαῶν καὶ γλωσσῶν, ἑστῶτας ἐνώπιον τοῦ θρόνου καὶ ἐνώπιον τοῦ ἀρνίου, περιβεβλημένους στολὰς λευκάς, καὶ φοίνικας ἐν ταῖς χερσὶν αὐτῶν: καὶ 10 κράζουσιν φωνῆ μεγάλη, λέγοντες, Ἡ σωτηρία τῷ θεῷ ἡμῶν τῷ καθημένῳ ἐπὶ τῷ θρόνῳ, καὶ τῷ ἀρνίῳ. 11 Καὶ πάντες οἱ ἄγγελοι εἰστήκεισαν κύκλῳ τοῦ θρόνου καὶ τῶν πρεσβυτέρων καὶ τῶν τεσσάρων ζῷων, καὶ ἔπεσον ἐνώπιον τοῦ θρόνου ἐπὶ τὰ πρόσωπα αὐτῶν, καὶ προσεκύνησαν τῷ θεῷ, λέγοντες, Ἀμήν: ἡ 12

¹ Ζαβουλών, ό, Zebulun, Zebulon. ²χιλιάς, άδος, ή, thousand. ³ Βενιαμίν, ό, Benjamin. ⁴ σφραγίζω, seal, set a seal upon. ⁵ ἀριθμέω, number, count. ⁶ περιβάλλω, put around, clothe. ⁷ στολή, ής, ή, equipment, apparel. ⁸ λευκός, white, bright. ⁹ φοίνιξ, ό, palm tree, palm branch. ¹⁰ κύκλος, ου, ό, circle. ¹¹ ζῶον, ου, τό, living creature, animal.

εὐλογία¹ καὶ ἡ δόξα καὶ ἡ σοφία καὶ ἡ εὐχαριστία² καὶ ἡ τιμὴ καὶ ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ ἰσχὺς³ τῷ θεῷ ἡμῶν εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

Καὶ ἀπεκρίθη εἷς ἐκ τῶν πρεσβυτέρων, λέγων μοι, 13 Οὖτοι οἱ περιβεβλημένοι⁴ τὰς στολὰς⁵ τὰς λευκάς.⁶ τίνες εἰσίν, καὶ πόθεν ἤλθον; Καὶ εἶπον αὐτῶ, Κύριέ 14 μου, σὺ οἶδας. Καὶ εἶπέν μοι, Οὖτοί εἰσιν οἱ ἐρχόμενοι έκ τῆς θλίψεως τῆς μεγάλης, καὶ ἔπλυναν⁸ τὰς στολὰς αὐτῶν, καὶ ἐλεύκαναν ἐν τῶ αἵματι τοῦ άρνίου. Δ ιὰ τοῦτό εἰσιν ἐνώπιον τοῦ θρόνου τοῦ θεοῦ, 15 καὶ λατρεύουσιν 10 αὐτῷ ἡμέρας καὶ νυκτὸς ἐν τῷ ναῷ αὐτοῦ: καὶ ὁ καθήμενος ἐπὶ τῶ θρόνω σκηνώσει ἐπ' αὐτούς. Οὐ πεινάσουσιν 12 ἔτι, οὐδὲ διψήσουσιν 13 ἔτι, 16 οὐδ' οὐ μὴ πέση ἐπ' αὐτοὺς ὁ ἥλιος, οὐδὲ πᾶν καῦμα:14 ότι τὸ ἀρνίον τὸ ἀνὰ¹⁵ μέσον τοῦ θρόνου ποιμαίνει¹⁶ 17

¹ εὐλογία, ας, ἡ, blessing, adulation. 2 εὐχαριστία, ας, ἡ, thanksgiving, thankfulness. 3 ἰσχύς, ύος, ἡ, strength, power. 4 περιβάλλω, put around, clothe. 5 στολή, ῆς, ἡ, equipment, apparel. 6 λευκός, white, bright. 7 πόθεν, from where? whence. 8 πλύνω, wash. 9 λευκαίνω, make white, whiten. 10 λατρεύω, serve, worship. 11 σκηνόω, dwell, stay in a tent. 12 πεινάω, hunger, am hungry. 13 διψάω, thirst, thirst for. 14 καύμα, τος, τό, burning, heat. 15 ἀνά, upwards, upon. 16 ποιμαίνω, shepherd, rule.

αὐτούς, καὶ ὁδηγεῖ¹ αὐτοὺς ἐπὶ ζωῆς πηγὰς² ὑδάτων, καὶ ἐξαλείψει³ ὁ θεὸς πᾶν δάκρυον⁴ ἐκ τῶν ὀφθαλμῶν αὐτῶν.

Καὶ ὅτε ἦνοιξεν τὴν σφραγῖδα τὴν ἑβδόμην, ἐγένετο 8
σιγὴ ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ ὡς ἡμιώριον. Καὶ εἶδον τοὺς ἐπτὰ 2
ἀγγέλους οι ἐνώπιον τοῦ θεοῦ ἑστήκασιν, καὶ ἐδόθησαν αὐτοῖς ἑπτὰ σάλπιγγες.

Καὶ ἄλλος ἄγγελος ἦλθεν, καὶ ἐστάθη ἐπὶ τοῦ 3 θυσιαστηρίου, ¹⁰ ἔχων λιβανωτὸν ¹¹ χρυσοῦν: ¹² καὶ ἐδόθη αὐτῷ θυμιάματα ¹³ πολλά, ἵνα δώσῃ ταῖς προσευχαῖς τῶν ἀγίων πάντων ἐπὶ τὸ θυσιαστήριον ¹⁰ τὸ χρυσοῦν ¹² τὸ ἐνώπιον τοῦ θρόνου. Καὶ ἀνέβη ὁ 4 καπνὸς ¹⁴ τῶν θυμιαμάτων ¹³ ταῖς προσευχαῖς τῶν ἀγίων ἐκ χειρὸς τοῦ ἀγγέλου ἐνώπιον τοῦ θεοῦ. Καὶ 5 εἴληφεν ὁ ἄγγελος τὸν λιβανωτόν, ¹¹ καὶ ἐγέμισεν ¹⁵

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 $^{^1}$ όδηγέω, lead, guide. 2 πηγή, ῆς, ἡ, spring, fountain. 3 έξαλείφω, wipe out, erase. 4 δάκρυον, ου, τό, teardrop, a tear. 5 σφραγίς, ῖδος, ἡ, seal, signet ring. 6 έβδομος, seventh. 7 σιγή, ῆς, ἡ, silence, quiet. 8 ἡμιώριον, οῦ, τό, half an hour. 9 σάλπιγξ, ιγγος, ἡ, trumpet. 10 θυσιαστήριον, ου, τό, altar. 11 λιβανωτός, οῦ, ὁ, incense, censer. 12 χρυσοῦς, golden. 13 θυμίαμα, τος, τό, incense. 14 καπνός, οῦ, ὁ, smoke. 15 γεμίζω, fill, load.

αὐτὸν ἐκ τοῦ πυρὸς τοῦ θυσιαστηρίου, καὶ ἔβαλεν εἰς τὴν γῆν: καὶ ἐγένοντο βρονταὶ καὶ φωναὶ καὶ ἀστραπαὶ καὶ σεισμός.

Καὶ οἱ ἑπτὰ ἄγγελοι οἱ ἔχοντες τὰς ἑπτὰ σάλπιγγας 6 ήτοίμασαν ἑαυτοὺς ἵνα σαλπίσωσιν.

Καὶ ὁ πρῶτος ἐσάλπισεν, καὶ ἐγένετο χάλαζα καὶ πῦρ 7 μεμιγμένα ἐν αἴματι, καὶ ἐβλήθη εἰς τὴν γῆν: καὶ τὸ τρίτον τῆς γῆς κατεκάη, καὶ τὸ τρίτον τῶν δένδρων τατεκάη, καὶ πᾶς χόρτος χλωρὸς κατεκάη.

Καὶ ὁ δεύτερος ἄγγελος ἐσάλπισεν, καὶ ὡς ὅρος μέγα 8 καιόμενον ἐβλήθη εἰς τὴν θάλασσαν: καὶ ἐγένετο τὸ τρίτον τῆς θαλάσσης αἷμα: καὶ ἀπέθανεν τὸ τρίτον 9 τῶν κτισμάτων ἐν τῆ θαλάσση, τὰ ἔχοντα ψυχάς, καὶ τὸ τρίτον τῶν πλοίων διεφθάρη.

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¹ θυσιαστήριον, ου, τό, altar. ² βροντή, ους, ή, thunder. ³ ἀστραπή, ής, ή, lightning, brightness. ⁴ σεισμός, οῦ, ὁ, earthquake, storm. ⁵ σάλπιγξ, ιγγος, ή, trumpet. ⁶ σαλπίζω, sound a trumpet. ⁷ χάλαζα, ης, ή, hailstone, hail. ⁸ μίγνυμι, mix, mingle. ⁹ κατακαίω, burn up, consume entirely. ¹⁰ δένδρον, ου, τό, tree. ¹¹ χόρτος, ου, ὁ, grass, hay. ¹² χλωρός, pale green, pale. ¹³ καίω, burn, ignite. ¹⁴ κτίσμα, ος, τό, creature, created thing. ¹⁵ διαφθείρω, destroy utterly, spoil.

Καὶ ὁ τρίτος ἄγγελος ἐσάλπισεν,¹ καὶ ἔπεσεν ἐκ τοῦ 10 οὐρανοῦ ἀστὴρ² μέγας καιόμενος³ ὡς λαμπάς,⁴ καὶ ἔπεσεν ἐπὶ τὸ τρίτον τῶν ποταμῶν,⁵ καὶ ἐπὶ τὰς πηγὰς τῶν ὑδάτων. Καὶ τὸ ὄνομα τοῦ ἀστέρος² λέγεται ὁ 11 Ἄψινθος:⁻ καὶ ἐγένετο τὸ τρίτον τῶν ὑδάτων εἰς ἄψινθον,⁻ καὶ πολλοὶ τῶν ἀνθρώπων ἀπέθανον ἐκ τῶν ὑδάτων, ὅτι ἐπικράνθησαν.8

Καὶ ὁ τέταρτος ἄγγελος ἐσάλπισεν, καὶ ἐπλήγη το 12 τρίτον τοῦ ἡλίου καὶ τὸ τρίτον τῆς σελήνης καὶ τὸ τρίτον τῶν ἀστέρων, τνα σκοτισθῆ τὸ τρίτον αὐτῶν, καὶ τὸ τρίτον αὐτῆς μὴ φάνῃ ἡ ἡμέρα, καὶ ἡ νὺξ ὁμοίως.

Καὶ εἴδον, καὶ ἤκουσα ἑνὸς ἀετοῦ¹³ πετομένου¹⁴ ἐν 13 μεσουρανήματι, ¹⁵ λέγοντος φωνῆ μεγάλη, Οὐαί, οὐαί, οὐαί τοῖς κατοικοῦσιν ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, ἐκ τῶν λοιπῶν

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¹ σαλπίζω, sound a trumpet. ² ἀστήρ, ος, ὁ, star. ³ καίω, burn, ignite. ⁴ λαμπάς, άδος, ἡ, torch, lamp. ⁵ ποταμός, οῦ, ὁ, river, stream. ⁶ πηγή, ῆς, ἡ, spring, fountain. ⁷ ἄψινθος, ὁ, wormwood. ⁸ πικραίνω, make bitter, embitter. ⁹ τέταρτος, fourth. ¹⁰ πλήσσω, strike, smite. ¹¹ σελήνη, ης, ἡ, moon. ¹² σκοτίζω, darken. ¹³ ἀετός, οῦ, ὁ, eagle, vulture. ¹⁴ πέτομαι, fly. ¹⁵ μεσουράνημα, τος, τό, zenith, midheaven.

φωνών τῆς σάλπιγγος τών τριών ἀγγέλων τών μελλόντων σαλπίζειν. 2

Καὶ ὁ πέμπτος 3 ἄγγελος ἐσάλπισεν, 2 καὶ εἶδον ἀστέρα 4 9 έκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ πεπτωκότα εἰς τὴν γῆν, καὶ ἐδόθη αὐτῷ ἡ κλεὶς⁵ τοῦ φρέατος τῆς ἀβύσσου. Καὶ ἤνοιξεν 2 τὸ Φρέαρ⁶ τῆς ἀβύσσου, καὶ ἀνέβη καπνὸς⁸ ἐκ τοῦ Φρέατος $\dot{\omega}$ ς καπνὸς καμίνου καιομένης, καὶ ἐσκοτίσθη 11 ὁ ἥλιος καὶ ὁ ἀὴρ 12 ἐκ τοῦ καπνοῦ 8 τοῦ Φρέατος. Καὶ ἐκ τοῦ καπνοῦ⁸ ἐξῆλθον ἀκρίδες 13 εἰς 3 τὴν γῆν, καὶ ἐδόθη αὐταῖς ἐξουσία, ὡς ἔχουσιν έξουσίαν οἱ σκορπίοι $^{^{14}}$ τῆς γῆς. Καὶ ἐρρέθη αὐταῖς ἵνα 4 μὴ ἀδικήσωσιν 15 τὸν χόρτον 16 τῆς γῆς, οὐδὲ πᾶν γλωρόν, 17 οὐδὲ πᾶν δένδρον, 18 εἰ μὴ τοὺς ἀνθρώπους οἵτινες οὐκ ἔχουσιν τὴν σφραγίδα $^{^{19}}$ τοῦ θεοῦ ἐπὶ τῶν μετώπων 20 αὐτῶν. Καὶ ἐδόθη αὐταῖς ἵνα μὴ 5

¹ σάλπιγξ, ιγγος, ή, trumpet. ² σαλπίζω, sound a trumpet. ³ πέμπτος, fifth. ⁴ ἀστήρ, ος, ό, star. ⁵ κλείς, κλειδός, ή, key. ⁶ φρέαρ, ος, τό, well, pit. ⁷ ἄβυσσος, ου, ή, bottomless, incomprehensible depth. ⁸ καπνός, οῦ, ό, smoke. ⁹ κάμινος, ου, ή, furnace. ¹⁰ καίω, burn, ignite. ¹¹ σκοτίζω, darken. ¹² ἀήρ, ος, ό, air. ¹³ ἀκρίς, ίδος, ή, locust. ¹⁴ σκορπίος, ου, ό, scorpion. ¹⁵ ἀδικέω, do wrong, harm. ¹⁶ χόρτος, ου, ό, grass, hay. ¹⁷ χλωρός, pale green, pale. ¹⁸ δένδρον, ου, τό, tree. ¹⁹ σφραγίς, ιδος, ή, seal, signet ring. ²⁰ μέτωπον, ου, τό, forehead.

ἀποκτείνωσιν αὐτούς, ἀλλ' ἵνα βασανισθῶσιν¹ μῆνας² πέντε: καὶ ὁ βασανισμὸς³ αὐτῶν ὡς βασανισμὸς³ σκορπίου,⁴ ὅταν παίση⁵ ἄνθρωπον. Καὶ ἐν ταῖς 6 ημέραις ἐκείναις ζητήσουσιν οἱ ἄνθρωποι τὸν θάνατον, καὶ οὐ μὴ εὑρήσουσιν αὐτόν: καὶ ἐπιθυμήσουσιν ἀποθανεῖν, καὶ φεύξεται ἀπ' αὐτῶν ὁ θάνατος. Καὶ τὰ 7 δμοιώματα⁷ τῶν ἀκρίδων⁸ ὄμοια ἵπποις[°] ήτοιμασμένοις εἰς πόλεμον, 10 καὶ ἐπὶ τὰς κεφαλὰς αὐτῶν ὡς στέφανοι 11 χρυσοῖ, 12 καὶ τὰ πρόσωπα αὐτῶν ώς πρόσωπα ἀνθρώπων. Καὶ εἶχον τρίχας ¹³ ώς τρίχας 8 γυναικών, καὶ οἱ ὀδόντες 14 αὐτών ὡς λεόντων 15 ήσαν. 9Καὶ εἶχον θώρακας 16 ώς θώρακας 16 σιδηροῦς, 77 καὶ ἡ φωνὴ τῶν πτερύγων 18 αὐτῶν ὡς φωνὴ ἁρμάτων 19 ἵππων 9 πολλῶν τρεγόντων 20 εἰς πόλεμον. 10 Καὶ 10 ἔχουσιν οὐρὰς²¹ ὁμοίας σκορπίοις, καὶ κέντρα.²² Καὶ

 $^{^1}$ βασανίζω, torment, torture. 2 μήν, δ, month, certainly. 3 βασανισμός, οῦ, δ, torment, torture. 4 σκορπίος, ου, δ, scorpion. 5 παίω, strike, hit. 6 ἐπιθυμέω, desire, long for. 7 ὁμοίωμα, τος, τό, likeness, form. 8 ἀκρίς, ίδος, ή, locust. 9 ἵππος, ου, δ, horse. 10 πόλεμος, ου, δ, war, battle. 11 στέφανος, ου, δ, crown, garland. 12 χρυσοῦς, golden. 13 θρίξ, τριχός, ή, hair. 14 δδούς, δ, tooth. 15 λέων, οντος, δ, lion. 16 θώραξ, ακος, δ, breastplate. 17 σιδήρεος, made of iron. 18 πτέρυξ, υγος, ή, wing. 19 ἄρμα, τος, τό, chariot. 20 τρέχω, run, exercise myself. 21 οὐρά, ᾶς, ή, tail. 22 κέντρον, ου, τό, sharp point, sting.

έν ταῖς οὐραῖς¹ αὐτῶν ἐξουσίαν ἔχουσιν τοῦ ἀδικῆσαι² τοὺς ἀνθρώπους μῆνας³ πέντε. Ἔχουσαι βασιλέα ἐπ' 11 αὐτῶν ἄγγελον τῆς ἀβύσσου:⁴ ὄνομα αὐτῷ Ἑβραϊστὶ⁵ Ϫββαδών, ἐν δὲ τῆ Ἑλληνικῆ⁶ ὄνομα ἔχει Ἀπολλύων.⁷ Η οὐαὶ ἡ μία ἀπῆλθεν: ἰδού, ἔρχεται ἔτι δύο οὐαὶ 12 μετὰ ταῦτα.

Καὶ ὁ ἔκτος ἔκτος ἐσάλπισεν, καὶ ἤκουσα φωνὴν 13 μίαν ἐκ τῶν τεσσάρων κεράτων τοῦ θυσιαστηρίου 11 τοῦ χρυσοῦ τοῦ ἐνώπιον τοῦ θεοῦ, λέγουσαν τῷ ἔκτῷ 14 ἀγγέλῳ ὁ ἔχων τὴν σάλπιγγα, 13 Λῦσον τοὺς τέσσαρας ἀγγέλους τοὺς δεδεμένους ἐπὶ τῷ ποταμῷ 14 τῷ μεγάλῳ Εὐφράτῃ. 15 Καὶ ἐλύθησαν οἱ τέσσαρες 15 ἄγγελοι οἱ ἡτοιμασμένοι εἰς τὴν ὥραν καὶ εἰς τὴν ἡμέραν καὶ μῆνα καὶ ἐνιαυτόν, 16 ἵνα ἀποκτείνωσιν τὸ τρίτον τῶν ἀνθρώπων. Καὶ ὁ ἀριθμὸς 17 τῶν 16

¹ οὐρά, ᾶς, ἡ, tail. ² ἀδικέω, do wrong, harm. ³ μήν, ὁ, month, certainly. ⁴ ἄβυσσος, ου, ἡ, bottomless, incomprehensible depth. ⁵ Ἑβραϊστί, Hebrew. ⁶ Ἑλληνικός, Greek, Greek. ⁷ Ἀπολλύων, ονος, ὁ, Apollyon, Destroyer. ⁸ ἔκτος, sixth. ⁹ σαλπίζω, sound a trumpet. ¹⁰ κέρας, ατος, τό, horn. ¹¹ θυσιαστήριον, ου, τό, altar. ¹² χρυσοῦς, golden. ¹³ σάλπιγξ, ιγγος, ἡ, trumpet. ¹⁴ ποταμός, οῦ, ὁ, river, stream. ¹⁵ Εὐφράτης, ου, ὁ, Euphrates, river of Asia. ¹⁶ ἐνιαυτός, οῦ, ὁ, year. ¹⁷ ἀριθμός, οῦ, ὁ, number, total.

στρατευμάτων τοῦ ἵππου μυριάδες μυριάδων: ήκουσα τὸν ἀριθμὸν⁴ αὐτῶν. Καὶ οὕτως εἶδον τοὺς 17 ἵππους² ἐν τῆ ὁράσει, 5 καὶ τοὺς καθημένους ἐπ' αὐτῶν, ἔχοντας θώρακας 6 πυρίνους καὶ ὑακινθίνους καὶ θειώδεις: καὶ αἱ κεφαλαὶ τῶν ἵππων ώς κεφαλαὶ λεόντων, 10 καὶ ἐκ τῶν στομάτων αὐτῶν ἐκπορεύεται πῦρ καὶ καπνὸς 11 καὶ θεῖον. 12 Ἀπὸ τῶν τριῶν πληγῶν 13 18 τούτων ἀπεκτάνθησαν τὸ τρίτον τῶν ἀνθρώπων, ἀπὸ τοῦ πυρὸς καὶ τοῦ καπνοῦ 11 καὶ τοῦ θείου 12 τοῦ έκπορευομένου έκ τῶν στομάτων αὐτῶν. Ἡ γὰρ 19 ἐξουσία τῶν ἵππων 2 ἐν τῷ στόματι αὐτῶν ἐστίν, καὶ ἐν ταῖς οὐραῖς 14 αὐτῶν: αἱ γὰρ οὐραὶ 14 αὐτῶν ὅμοιαι όφεων, 15 ἔχουσαι κεφαλάς, καὶ ἐν αὐταῖς ἀδικοῦσιν. 16 20 Καὶ οἱ λοιποὶ τῶν ἀνθρώπων, οἳ οὐκ ἀπεκτάνθησαν ἐν ταῖς πληγαῖς 13 ταύταις, οὐ μετενόησαν ἐκ τῶν ἔργων τῶν γειρῶν αὐτῶν, ἵνα μὴ προσκυνήσωσιν τὰ

¹ στράτευμα, τος, τό, expedition, army. ² ἴππος, ου, ὁ, horse. ³ μυριάς, άδος, ἡ, ten thousand, myriad. ⁴ ἀριθμός, οῦ, ὁ, number, total. ⁵ ὅρασις, εως, ἡ, vision, appearance. ⁶ θώραξ, ακος, ὁ, breastplate. ⁷ πύρινος, fiery, glittering. ⁸ ὑακίνθινος, hyacinth-colored, dark purple. ⁹ θειώδης, sulphurous, of brimstone. ¹⁰ λέων, οντος, ὁ, lion. ¹¹ καπνός, οῦ, ὁ, smoke. ¹² θεῖον, ου, τό, sulfur, brimstone. ¹³ πληγή, ῆς, ἡ, blow, wound. ¹⁴ οὺρά, ᾶς, ἡ, tail. ¹⁵ ὄφις, εως, ὁ, snake, serpent. ¹⁶ ἀδικέω, do wrong, harm.

δαιμόνια, καὶ τὰ εἴδωλα¹ τὰ χρυσᾶ² καὶ τὰ ἀργυρᾶ³ καὶ τὰ χαλκᾶ⁴ καὶ τὰ λίθινα⁵ καὶ τὰ ξύλινα,⁴ ἃ οὔτε βλέπειν δύναται, οὔτε ἀκούειν, οὔτε περιπατεῖν: καὶ 21 οὖ μετενόησαν ἐκ τῶν φόνων αὐτῶν, οὔτε ἐκ τῶν φαρμακειῶν αὐτῶν, οὔτε ἐκ τῆς πορνείας αὐτῶν, οὔτε ἐκ τῶν κλεμμάτων αὐτῶν.

Καὶ εἴδον ἄγγελον ἰσχυρὸν¹¹ καταβαίνοντα ἐκ τοῦ **10** οὐρανοῦ, περιβεβλημένον¹² νεφέλην,¹³ καὶ ἡ ἷρις¹⁴ ἐπὶ τῆς κεφαλῆς αὐτοῦ, καὶ τὸ πρόσωπον αὐτοῦ ὡς ὁ ἥλιος, καὶ οἱ πόδες αὐτοῦ ὡς στύλοι¹⁵ πυρός: καὶ ἔχων 2 ἐν τῆ χειρὶ αὐτοῦ βιβλίον ἀνεῳγμένον: καὶ ἔθηκεν τὸν πόδα αὐτοῦ τὸν δεξιὸν ἐπὶ τῆς θαλάσσης, τὸν δὲ εὐώνυμον¹⁶ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, καὶ ἔκραξεν φωνῆ μεγάλῃ 3 ὥσπερ λέων¹⁷ μυκᾶται: καὶ ὅτε ἔκραξεν, ἐλάλησαν αἱ ἑπτὰ βρονταὶ¹⁹ τὰς ἑαυτῶν φωνάς. Καὶ ὅτε ἐλάλησαν

¹ εἴδωλον, ου, τό, image, idol. ²χρυσοῦς, golden. ³ ἀργυροῦς, silver, made of silver. ⁴χάλκοῦς, made of bronze. ⁵ λίθινος, of stone, made of stone. ⁶ξύλινος, wooden. ⁷φόνος, ου, ό, murder, slaughter. ⁸ φαρμακεία, ας, ή, sorcery, magic. ⁹ πορνεία, ας, ή, fornication, idolatry. ¹⁰ κλέμμα, τος, τό, stealing, theft. ¹¹ ἰσχυρός, strong, mighty. ¹² περιβάλλω, put around, clothe. ¹³ νεφέλη, ης, ή, cloud. ¹⁴ [ρις, ιδος, ή, rainbow. ¹⁵ στῦλος, ου, ό, pillar. ¹⁶ εὐώνυμος, of good name, euph. for left. ¹⁷λέων, οντος, ό, lion. ¹⁸ μυκάομαι, roar, bellow. ¹⁹ βροντή, ους, ή, thunder.

αί έπτὰ βρονταί, ἔμελλον γράφειν: καὶ ἤκουσα φωνην ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ, λέγουσαν, Σφράγισον αλ έλάλησαν αί έπτὰ βρονταί, καὶ μὴ αὐτὰ γράψης. Καὶ 5 ό ἄγγελος ὃν εἶδον έστῶτα ἐπὶ τῆς θαλάσσης καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς ἦρεν τὴν χεῖρα αὐτοῦ τὴν δεξιὰν εἰς τὸν οὐρανόν, καὶ ὤμοσεν³ τῶ ζῶντι εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν 6 αἰώνων, ὃς ἔκτισεν τὸν οὐρανὸν καὶ τὰ ἐν αὐτῶ, καὶ τὴν γῆν καὶ τὰ ἐν αὐτῆ, καὶ τὴν θάλασσαν καὶ τὰ ἐν αὐτῆ, ὅτι χρόνος οὐκέτι ἔσται: ἀλλ' ἐν ταῖς ἡμέραις 7 τῆς φωνῆς τοῦ ἑβδόμου άγγέλου, ὅταν μέλλη σαλπίζειν, καὶ ἐτελέσθη τὸ μυστήριον τοῦ θεοῦ, ὡς εὐηγγέλισεν τοὺς δούλους αὐτοῦ τοὺς προφήτας. Καὶ 8 ή φωνή ην ήκουσα έκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ, πάλιν λαλοῦσα μετ' έμοῦ, καὶ λέγουσα, "Υπαγε, λάβε τὸ βιβλιδάριον" τὸ ἀνεωγμένον ἐν τῆ χειρὶ τοῦ ἀγγέλου τοῦ ἑστῶτος έπὶ τῆς θαλάσσης καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς. Καὶ ἀπῆλθον πρὸς 9

¹ βροντή, ους, ή, thunder. ² σφραγίζω, seal, set a seal upon. ³ όμνύω, swear, take an oath. ⁴ κτίζω, create, form. ⁵ ἔβδομος, seventh. ⁶ σαλπίζω, sound a trumpet. ⁷ τελέω, finish, fulfill. ⁸ μυστήριον, ου, τό, secret, mystery. ⁹ βιβλιδάριον, ου, τό, little papyrus roll.

τὸν ἄγγελον, λέγων αὐτῷ δοῦναί μοι τὸ βιβλιδάριον.
Καὶ λέγει μοι, Λάβε καὶ κατάφαγε αὐτό: καὶ πικρανεῖ σου τὴν κοιλίαν, ἀλλ' ἐν τῷ στόματί σου ἔσται γλυκὺ ὡς μέλι. Καὶ ἔλαβον τὸ βιβλίον ἐκ τῆς 10 χειρὸς τοῦ ἀγγέλου, καὶ κατέφαγον αὐτό, καὶ ἦν ἐν τῷ στόματί μου ὡς μέλι, γλυκύ: καὶ ὅτε ἔφαγον αὐτό, ἐπικράνθη ἡ κοιλία μου. Καὶ λέγουσίν μοι, Δεῖ 11 σε πάλιν προφητεῦσαι ἐπὶ λαοῖς καὶ ἐπὶ ἔθνεσιν καὶ γλώσσαις καὶ βασιλεῦσιν πολλοῖς.

Καὶ ἐδόθη μοι κάλαμος ὅμοιος ῥάβδῳ, λέγων, Ἔγειραι, 11
 καὶ μέτρησον τον ναὸν τοῦ θεοῦ, καὶ τὸ
 θυσιαστήριον, ταὶ τοὺς προσκυνοῦντας ἐν αὐτῷ. 2
 Καὶ τὴν αὐλὴν τὴν ἔξωθεν τοῦ ναοῦ ἔκβαλε ἔξω,
 καὶ μὴ αὐτὴν μετρήσης, ὅτι ἐδόθη τοῖς ἔθνεσιν: καὶ
 τὴν πόλιν τὴν ἁγίαν πατήσουσιν μῆνας τοῦνας

¹ βιβλιδάριον, ου, τό, little papyrus roll. ² κατεσθίω, eat up, devour. ³ πικραίνω, make bitter, embitter. ⁴ κοιλία, ας, ή, belly, womb. ⁵ γλυκύς, sweet. ⁶ μέλι, ιτος, τό, honey. ⁷ προφητεύω, prophesy, foretell. ⁸ κάλαμος, ου, ό, reed, reed-pen. ⁹ βάβδος, ου, ή, staff, rod. ¹⁰ μετρέω, measure, estimate. ¹¹ θυσιαστήριον, ου, τό, altar. ¹² αὐλή, ῆς, ή, courtyard, enclosed open space. ¹³ ἔξωθεν, from without, outside (gen). ¹⁴ πατέω, tread or tread under foot, tread. ¹⁵ μήν, ό, month, certainly.

τεσσαράκοντα καὶ δύο. Καὶ δώσω τοῖς δυσὶν 3 μάρτυσίν μου, καὶ προφητεύσουσιν² ἡμέρας χιλίας³ διακοσίας 4 έξήκοντα 5 περιβεβλημένοι 6 σάκκους. 7 4 Οὖτοί εἰσιν αἱ δύο ἐλαῖαι, καὶ αἱ δύο λυχνίαι αἱ ἐνώπιον τοῦ κυρίου τῆς γῆς ἑστῶσαι. Καὶ εἴ τις 5 αὐτοὺς θέλει ἀδικῆσαι, 10 πῦρ ἐκπορεύεται ἐκ τοῦ στόματος αὐτῶν, καὶ κατεσθίει τοὺς ἐχθροὺς αὐτῶν: καὶ εἴ τις θέλει αὐτοὺς ἀδικῆσαι, οὕτως δεῖ αὐτὸν άποκτανθήναι. Ο ύτοι ἔγουσιν τὸν οὐρανὸν έξουσίαν 6 κλεῖσαι, 12 ἵνα μὴ ὑετὸς 13 βρέχη 14 τὰς ἡμέρας τῆς προφητείας 15 αὐτῶν: καὶ ἐξουσίαν ἔχουσιν ἐπὶ τῶν ύδάτων, στρέφειν 16 αὐτὰ εἰς αἶμα, καὶ πατάξαι 17 τὴν γῆν δσάκις ελύ θελήσωσιν ἐν πάση πληγ $\tilde{\eta}$. Καὶ 7 ὅταν τελέσωσιν 20 τὴν μαρτυρίαν αὐτῶν, τὸ θηρίον τὸ αναβαίνον ἐκ τῆς ἀβύσσου²¹ ποιήσει μετ' αὐτῶν

¹ τεσσαράκοντα, forty, 40. ² προφητεύω, prophesy, foretell. ³χίλιοι, thousand. ⁴ διακόσιοι, two hundred, 200. ⁵ ἐξήκοντα, sixty, 60. ⁶ περιβάλλω, put around, clothe. ⁷ σάκκος, ου, ό, sackcloth. ⁸ ἐλαία, ας, ή, olive tree. ⁹ λυχνία, ας, ή, lampstand. ¹⁰ ἀδικέω, do wrong, harm. ¹¹ κατεσθίω, eat up, devour. ¹² κλείω, shut, shut up. ¹³ ὑετός, ου, ό, rain. ¹⁴ βρέχω, send rain, rain. ¹⁵ προφητεία, ας, ή, prophecy. ¹⁶ στρέφω, turn, am converted. ¹⁷ πατάσσω, strike, smite. ¹⁸ ὁσάκις, as often as. ¹⁹ πληγή, ῆς, ή, blow, wound. ²⁰ τελέω, finish, fulfill. ²¹ ἄβυσσος, ου, ή, bottomless, incomprehensible depth.

πόλεμον, 1 καὶ νικήσει 2 αὐτούς, καὶ ἀποκτενεῖ αὐτούς. 8Καὶ τὸ πτῶμα³ αὐτῶν ἐπὶ τῆς πλατείας⁴ τῆς πόλεως τῆς μεγάλης, ἥτις καλεῖται πνευματικῶς Σόδομα καὶ Αἴγυπτος, ὅπου καὶ ὁ κύριος αὐτῶν ἐσταυρώθη. 9 Καὶ βλέπουσιν ἐκ τῶν λαῶν καὶ Φυλῶν καὶ γλωσσῶν καὶ ἐθνῶν τὸ πτῶμα³ αὐτῶν ἡμέρας τρεῖς ἡμισυ, 8 καὶ τὰ πτώματα³ αὐτῶν οὐκ ἀφήσουσιν τεθῆναι εἰς μνημα. Καὶ οἱ κατοικοῦντες ἐπὶ της γης χαίρουσιν 10 έπ' αὐτοῖς καὶ εὐφρανθήσονται, 10 καὶ δῶρα 11 δώσουσιν άλλήλοις, ὅτι οὖτοι οἱ δύο προφῆται ἐβασάνισαν¹² τούς κατοικούντας ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς. Καὶ μετὰ τὰς τρεῖς 11 ήμέρας καὶ ήμισυ, * πνεῦμα ζωῆς ἐκ τοῦ θεοῦ εἰσῆλθεν είς αὐτούς, καὶ ἔστησαν ἐπὶ τοὺς πόδας αὐτῶν, καὶ φόβος μέγας ἔπεσεν ἐπὶ τοὺς θεωροῦντας αὐτούς. Καὶ 12 ήκουσα φωνήν μεγάλην ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ, λέγουσαν αὐτοῖς, Ἀνάβητε ὧδε. Καὶ ἀνέβησαν εἰς τὸν οὐρανὸν

¹ πόλεμος, ου, ό, war, battle. ² νικάω, overcome, conquer. ³ πτώμα, τος, τό, dead body, corpse. ⁴ πλατεία, ας, ή, street. ⁵ πνευματικώς, spiritually, in a spiritual manner. ⁶ Σόδομα, ων, τό, Sodom. ⁷ Αἴγυπτος, ου, ή, Egypt. ⁸ ἤμισυς, half. ⁹ μνῆμα, τος, τό, grave, tomb. ¹⁰ εὐφραίνω, rejoice, cheer. ¹¹ δῶρον, ου, τό, gift, present. ¹² βασανίζω, torment, torture.

έν τῆ νεφέλη, 1 καὶ ἐθεώρησαν αὐτοὺς οἱ ἐχθροὶ αὐτῶν.
Καὶ ἐν ἐκείνη τῆ ἡμέρα ἐγένετο σεισμὸς μέγας, καὶ 13
τὸ δέκατον τῆς πόλεως ἔπεσεν, καὶ ἀπεκτάνθησαν ἐν
τῷ σεισμῷ ἀνόματα ἀνθρώπων, χιλιάδες ἑπτά: καὶ οἱ
λοιποὶ ἔμφοβοι ἐγένοντο, καὶ ἔδωκαν δόξαν τῷ θεῷ
τοῦ οὐρανοῦ.

Ή οὐαὶ ἡ δευτέρα ἀπῆλθεν: ἡ οὐαὶ ἡ τρίτη, ἰδού, ἔρχεται 14 ταχύ.

Καὶ ὁ ἔβδομος ἄγγελος ἐσάλπισεν, καὶ ἐγένοντο φωναὶ 15 μεγάλαι ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ, λέγουσαι, Ἐγένετο ἡ βασιλεία τοῦ κόσμου, τοῦ κυρίου ἡμῶν, καὶ τοῦ χριστοῦ αὐτοῦ, καὶ βασιλεύσει εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Καὶ οἱ 16 εἴκοσι τέσσαρες πρεσβύτεροι οἱ ἐνώπιον τοῦ θρόνου τοῦ θεοῦ καθήμενοι ἐπὶ τοὺς θρόνους αὐτῶν, ἔπεσον ἐπὶ τὰ πρόσωπα αὐτῶν, καὶ προσεκύνησαν τῷ θεῷ, 17

¹ νεφέλη, ης, ή, cloud. ² σεισμός, οῦ, ό, earthquake, storm. ³ δέκατος, tenth. ⁴ χιλιάς, άδος, ή, thousand. ⁵ ἔμφοβος, terrified, frightened. ⁶ ταχύ, quickly, speedily. ⁷ ἔβδομος, seventh. ⁸ σαλπίζω, sound a trumpet. ⁹ βασιλεύω, reign, rule. ¹⁰ εἴκοσι, twenty, 20.

λέγοντες, Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, κύριε ὁ θεὸς ὁ παντοκράτωρ, ὁ ὧν καὶ ὁ ἦν, ὅτι εἴληφας τὴν δύναμιν σου τὴν μεγάλην, καὶ ἐβασίλευσας. Καὶ τὰ ἔθνη 18 ὡργίσθησαν, καὶ ἦλθεν ἡ ὀργή σου, καὶ ὁ καιρὸς τῶν νεκρῶν κριθῆναι, καὶ δοῦναι τὸν μισθὸν τοῖς δούλοις σου τοῖς προφήταις καὶ τοῖς ἀγίοις καὶ τοῖς φοβουμένοις τὸ ὄνομά σου, τοῖς μικροῖς καὶ τοῖς μεγάλοις, καὶ διαφθεῖραι τοὺς διαφθείροντας τὴν γῆν.

Καὶ ἠνοίγη ὁ ναὸς τοῦ θεοῦ ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ, καὶ ἄφθη ἡ 19 κιβωτὸς τῆς διαθήκης τοῦ κυρίου ἐν τῷ ναῷ αὐτοῦ: καὶ ἐγένοντο ἀστραπαί καὶ φωναὶ καὶ βρονταί καὶ χάλαζα μεγάλη.

 $^{^1}$ παντοκράτωρ, ορος, ό, ruler of all, Almighty. 2 βασιλεύω, reign, rule. 3 δργίζω, irritate, provoke. 4 μισθός, οῦ, ό, wages, reward. 5 διαφθείρω, destroy utterly, spoil. 6 κιβωτός, οῦ, ἡ, wooden box, ark. 7 ἀστραπή, ῆς, ἡ, lightning, brightness. 8 βροντή, ους, ἡ, thunder. 9 χάλαζα, ης, ἡ, hailstone, hail.

Καὶ σημεῖον μέγα ἄφθη ἐν τῶ οὐρανῶ, γυνὴ 12 περιβεβλημένη τον ήλιον, καὶ ή σελήνη 2 ύποκάτω 3 τῶν ποδῶν αὐτῆς, καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς κεφαλῆς αὐτῆς στέφανος άστέρων δώδεκα: καὶ ἐν γαστρὶ ἔχουσα, 2 ἔκραζεν ώδίνουσα, καὶ βασανιζομένη τεκεῖν. Καὶ 3 ἄφθη ἄλλο σημεῖον ἐν τῶ οὐρανῶ, καὶ ἰδού, δράκων¹⁰ πυρὸς μέγας, ἔχων κεφαλὰς ἑπτὰ καὶ κέρατα 11 δέκα, 12 καὶ ἐπὶ τὰς κεφαλὰς αὐτοῦ ἑπτὰ διαδήματα. 13 Kαὶ ἡ 4 οὐρὰ 14 αὐτοῦ σύρει 15 τὸ τρίτον τῶν ἀστέρων 5 τοῦ οὐρανοῦ, καὶ ἔβαλεν αὐτοὺς εἰς τὴν γῆν: καὶ ὁ δράκων έστηκεν ἐνώπιον τῆς γυναικὸς τῆς μελλούσης τεκεῖν, ίνα, ὅταν τέκη,ς τὸ τέκνον αὐτῆς καταφάγη. 16 Καὶ 5 ἔτεκεν 9 υἱὸν ἄρρενα, 17 δς μέλλει ποιμαίνειν 18 πάντα τὰ ἔθνη ἐν ῥάβδ ω^{19} σιδηρ $\tilde{\alpha}$: 20 καὶ ἡρπάσθη 21 τὸ τέκνον αὐτῆς πρὸς τὸν θεὸν καὶ πρὸς τὸν θρόνον αὐτοῦ. Καὶ 6

 $^{^1}$ περιβάλλω, put around, clothe. 2 σελήνη, ης, ή, moon. 3 ύποκάτω, under, below. 4 στέφανος, ου, ό, crown, garland. 5 ἀστήρ, ος, ό, star. 6 γαστήρ, τρος, ή, belly, womb. 7 ἀδίνω, have birth pangs, travail in labor. 8 βασανίζω, torment, torture. 9 τίκτω, give birth to, bear. 10 δράκων, οντος, ό, dragon, dragon or huge serpent. 11 κέρας, ατος, τό, horn. 12 δέκα, ten, 10 13 διάδημα, τος, τό, diadem, crown. 14 σύρά, ἄς, ή, tail. 15 σύρω, draw, drag. 16 κατεσθίω, eat up, devour. 17 ἄρσην, male. 18 ποιμαίνω, shepherd, rule. 19 ῥάβδος, ου, ή, staff, rod. 20 σιδήρεος, made of iron. 21 ἀρπάζω, seize, snatch.

ή γυνη ἔφυγεν¹ εἰς την ἔρημον, ὅπου ἔχει ἐκεῖ τόπον ήτοιμασμένον ὑπὸ τοῦ θεοῦ, ἵνα ἐκεῖ ἐκτρέφωσιν² αὐτην ἡμέρας χιλίας³ διακοσίας⁴ ἑξήκοντα.5

Καὶ ἐγένετο πόλεμος έν τῷ οὐρανῷ: ὁ Μιχαὴλ καὶ οἱ 7ἄγγελοι αὐτοῦ πολεμῆσαι⁸ μετὰ τοῦ δράκοντος:⁹ καὶ ὁ δράκων έπολέμησεν, καὶ οἱ ἄγγελοι αὐτοῦ, καὶ οὐκ 8 ἴσχυσεν, 10 οὐδὲ τόπος εὑρέθη αὐτῷ ἔτι ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ. 9Καὶ ἐβλήθη ὁ δράκων ό μέγας, ὁ ὄφις ό ἀρχαῖος, ό ὁ καλούμενος διάβολος καὶ Σατανᾶς, ὁ πλανῶν τὴν οἰκουμένην 13 ὅλην: ἐβλήθη εἰς τὴν γῆν, καὶ οἱ ἄγγελοι αὐτοῦ μετ' αὐτοῦ ἐβλήθησαν. Καὶ ἤκουσα φωνὴν 10 μεγάλην ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ, λέγουσαν, Ἄρτι ἐγένετο ἡ σωτηρία καὶ ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ βασιλεία τοῦ θεοῦ ἡμῶν, καὶ ἡ ἐξουσία τοῦ χριστοῦ αὐτοῦ: ὅτι ἐβλήθη ὁ κατήγορος 14 των άδελφων ήμων, 15 κατηγορων 15

¹ φεύγω, flee, escape. ² ἐκτρέφω, nourish, rear. ³ χίλιοι, thousand. ⁴ διακόσιοι, two hundred, 200. ⁵ ἐξήκοντα, sixty, 60. ⁶ πόλεμος, ου, ό, war, battle. ⁷ Μιχαήλ, ό, Michael. ⁸ πολεμέω, wage war, make war. ⁹ δράκων, οντος, ό, dragon, dragon or huge serpent. ¹⁰ ἰσχύω, be strong, able. ¹¹ ὄφις, εως, ό, snake, serpent. ¹² ἀρχαῖος, old, ancient. ¹³ οἰκουμένη, ης, ή, inhabited world. ¹⁴ κατήγορος, ου, ό, accuser, prosecutor. ¹⁵ κατηγορέω, accuse, charge.

αὐτῶν ἐνώπιον τοῦ θεοῦ ἡμῶν ἡμέρας καὶ νυκτός. 11 Καὶ αὐτοὶ ἐνίκησαν¹ αὐτὸν διὰ τὸ αἷμα τοῦ ἀρνίου, καὶ διὰ τὸν λόγον τῆς μαρτυρίας αὐτῶν, καὶ οὐκ ἡγάπησαν τὴν ψυχὴν αὐτῶν ἄχρι θανάτου. Διὰ τοῦτο 12 εὐφραίνεσθε,² οὐρανοὶ καὶ οἱ ἐν αὐτοῖς σκηνοῦντες.³ Οὐαὶ τῆ γῆ καὶ τῆ θαλάσση, ὅτι κατέβη ὁ διάβολος πρὸς ὑμᾶς ἔχων θυμὸν⁴ μέγαν, εἰδὼς ὅτι ὀλίγον καιρὸν ἔχει.

Καὶ ὅτε εἶδεν ὁ δράκων ὅτι ἐβλήθη εἰς τὴν γῆν, ἐδίωξεν 13
τὴν γυναῖκα ἥτις ἔτεκεν ὁ τὸν ἄρρενα. Ἦχι ἐδόθησαν 14
τῆ γυναικὶ δύο πτέρυγες ὅτοῦ ἀετοῦ ὅτοῦ μεγάλου, ἵνα
πέτηται ἱο εἰς τὴν ἔρημον εἰς τὸν τόπον αὐτῆς, ὅπως
τρέφηται ἱι ἐκεῖ καιρόν, καὶ καιρούς, καὶ ἥμισυ ἱι
καιροῦ, ἀπὸ προσώπου τοῦ ὄφεως. Καὶ ἔβαλεν ὁ 15
ὄφις ἱι ἐκ τοῦ στόματος αὐτοῦ ὀπίσω τῆς γυναικὸς

¹ νικάω, overcome, conquer. ² εὐφραίνω, rejoice, cheer. ³ σκηνόω, dwell, stay in a tent. ⁴ θυμός, ου, ό, wrath, outburst of passion. ⁵ δράκων, οντος, ό, dragon, dragon or huge serpent. ⁶ τίκτω, give birth to, bear. ⁷ ἄρσην, male. ⁸ πτέρυξ, υγος, ή, wing. ⁹ ἀετός, οῦ, ό, eagle, vulture. ¹⁰ πέτομαι, fly. ¹¹ τρέφω, make to grow, nourish. ¹² ἤμισυς, half. ¹³ ὄφις, εως, ό, snake, serpent.

Καὶ ἐστάθην ἐπὶ τὴν ἄμμον⁸ τῆς θαλάσσης: καὶ εἶδον ἐκ 13 τῆς θαλάσσης θηρίον ἀναβαῖνον, ἔχον κέρατα⁹ δέκα¹⁰ καὶ κεφαλὰς ἑπτά, καὶ ἐπὶ τῶν κεράτων⁹ αὐτοῦ δέκα¹⁰ διαδήματα,¹¹ καὶ ἐπὶ τὰς κεφαλὰς αὐτοῦ ὀνόματα βλασφημίας.¹² Καὶ τὸ θηρίον, ὁ εἶδον, ἦν ὅμοιον 2 παρδάλει,¹³ καὶ οἱ πόδες αὐτοῦ ὡς ἄρκου,¹⁴ καὶ τὸ στόμα αὐτοῦ ὡς στόμα λέοντος:¹⁵ καὶ ἔδωκεν αὐτῷ ὁ

¹ ποταμός, οῦ, ὁ, river, stream. ² ποταμοφόρητος, swept away by a river. ³ βοηθέω, come to the aid of. ⁴ καταπίνω, drink down, swallow. ⁵ δράκων, οντος, ὁ, dragon, dragon or huge serpent. ⁶ δργίζω, irritate, provoke. ⁷ πόλεμος, ου, ὁ, war, battle. ⁸ ἄμμος, ου, ἡ, sand. ⁹ κέρας, ατος, τό, horn. ¹⁰ δέκα, ten, 10. ¹¹ διάδημα, τος, τό, diadem, crown. ¹² βλασφημία, ας, ἡ, blasphemy, reproach. ¹³ πάρδαλις, εως, ἡ, leopard, panther. ¹⁴ ἄρκος, ου, ὁ, bear. ¹⁵ λέων, οντος, ὁ, lion.

δράκων την δύναμιν αὐτοῦ, καὶ τὸν θρόνον αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἐξουσίαν μεγάλην. Καὶ μίαν ἐκ τῶν κεφαλῶν 3 αὐτοῦ ώσει² ἐσφαγμένην³ εἰς θάνατον: καὶ ἡ πληγὴ⁴ τοῦ θανάτου αὐτοῦ ἐθεραπεύθη: καὶ ἐθαύμασεν ὅλη ἡ γῆ ὀπίσω τοῦ θηρίου: καὶ προσεκύνησαν τῷ δράκοντι 1 τῷ δεδωκότι τὴν ἐξουσίαν τῷ θηρίω, προσεκύνησαν τῷ θηρίῳ, λέγοντες, Τίς ὅμοιος τῷ θηρίω; Καὶ τίς δυνατὸς πολεμῆσαι μετ' αὐτοῦ; Καὶ 5 έδόθη αὐτῷ στόμα λαλοῦν μεγάλα καὶ βλασφημίαν:6 καὶ ἐδόθη αὐτῷ ἐξουσία πόλεμον 7 ποιῆσαι μῆνας 8 τεσσαράκοντα δύο. Καὶ ἤνοιξεν τὸ στόμα αὐτοῦ εἰς 6 βλασφημίαν πρὸς τὸν θεόν, βλασφημῆσαι τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ, καὶ τὴν σκηνὴν¹⁰ αὐτοῦ, τοὺς ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ σκηνοῦντας. 11 Καὶ ἐδόθη αὐτῷ ποιῆσαι πόλεμον 7 μετὰ 7 τῶν ἁγίων, καὶ νικῆσαι 2 αὐτούς: καὶ ἐδόθη αὐτῶ έξουσία ἐπὶ πᾶσαν φυλὴν καὶ λαὸν καὶ γλῶσσαν καὶ

¹ δράκων, οντος, ό, dragon, dragon or huge serpent. ² ώσεί, like, about. ³ σφάζω, slay. ⁴ πληγή, ης, η, blow, wound. ⁵ πολεμέω, wage war, make war. ⁶ βλασφημία, ας, η, blasphemy, reproach. ⁷ πόλεμος, ου, ό, war, battle. ⁸ μήν, ό, month, certainly. ⁹ τεσσαράκοντα, forty, 40. ¹⁰ σκηνή, ης, η, tent, tabernacle. ¹¹ σκηνόω, dwell, stay in a tent. ¹² νικάω, overcome, conquer.

ἔθνος. Καὶ προσκυνήσουσιν αὐτῷ πάντες οἱ 8 κατοικοῦντες ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, ὧν οὐ γέγραπται τὸ ὄνομα ἐν τῷ βιβλίῳ τῆς ζωῆς τοῦ ἀρνίου τοῦ ἐσφαγμένου¹ ἀπὸ καταβολῆς² κόσμου. Εἴ τις ἔχει οὖς, ἀκουσάτω. 9 Εἴ τις ἔχει αἰχμαλωσίαν,³ ὑπάγει: εἴ τις ἐν μαχαίρᾳ⁴ ἀποκτενεῖ, δεῖ αὐτὸν ἐν μαχαίρᾳ⁴ ἀποκτανθῆναι. Ὠδέ ἐστιν ἡ ὑπομονὴ καὶ ἡ πίστις τῶν ἀγίων.

Καὶ εἶδον ἄλλο θηρίον ἀναβαῖνον ἐκ τῆς γῆς, καὶ εἶχεν 11 κέρατα δύο ὅμοια ἀρνίῳ, καὶ ἐλάλει ὡς δράκων. Καὶ 12 τὴν ἐξουσίαν τοῦ πρώτου θηρίου πᾶσαν ποιεῖ ἐνώπιον αὐτοῦ. Καὶ ἐποίει τὴν γῆν καὶ τοὺς ἐν αὐτῆ κατοικοῦντας ἵνα προσκυνήσωσιν τὸ θηρίον τὸ πρῶτον, οὖ ἐθεραπεύθη ἡ πληγὴ τοῦ θανάτου αὐτοῦ. 13 Καὶ ποιεῖ σημεῖα μεγάλα, καὶ πῦρ ἵνα ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ καταβαίνῃ ἐπὶ τὴν γῆν ἐνώπιον τῶν ἀνθρώπων. Καὶ 14 πλανᾳ τοὺς ἐμοὺς τοὺς κατοικοῦντας ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς διὰ

¹ σφάζω, slay. ² καταβολή, ῆς, ἡ, foundation, depositing. ³ αἰχμαλωσία, ας, ἡ, captivity, host of captives. ⁴ μάχαιρα, ης, ἡ, sword. ⁵ κέρας, ατος, τό, horn. ⁶ δράκων, οντος, ὁ, dragon, dragon or huge serpent. ⁻ πληγή, ῆς, ἡ, blow, wound.

τὰ σημεῖα ἃ ἐδόθη αὐτῶ ποιῆσαι ἐνώπιον τοῦ θηρίου, λέγων τοῖς κατοικοῦσιν ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς ποιῆσαι εἰκόνα1 τῷ θηρίω ὁ εἶχεν τὴν πληγὴν² καὶ ἔζησεν ἀπὸ τῆς μαχαίρας. Καὶ ἐδόθη αὐτῷ πνεῦμα δοῦναι τῆ εἰκόνι 15 τοῦ θηρίου, ἴνα καὶ λαλήση ἡ εἰκὼν¹ τοῦ θηρίου, καὶ ποιήση, ὅσοι ἐὰν μὴ προσκυνήσωσιν τῆ εἰκόνι 1 τοῦ θηρίου, ἀποκτανθῶσιν. Καὶ ποιεῖ πάντας, τοὺς 16 μικρούς καὶ τούς μεγάλους, καὶ τούς πλουσίους καὶ τοὺς πτωχούς, καὶ τοὺς ἐλευθέρους⁵ καὶ τοὺς δούλους, ἵνα δώσωσιν αὐτοῖς χαράγματα⁶ ἐπὶ τῆς χειρὸς αὐτῶν τῆς δεξιᾶς, ἢ ἐπὶ τὸ μέτωπον 7 αὐτῶν, καὶ ἵνα μή τις 17δύναται ἀγοράσαι ἢ πωλῆσαι, εἰ μὴ ὁ ἔχων τὸ χάραγμα, τὸ ὄνομα τοῦ θηρίου ἢ τὸν ἀριθμὸν τοῦ όνόματος αὐτοῦ. Ω δε ἡ σοφία ἐστίν. Ω ἔχων νοῦν 10 18 ψηφισάτω τον ἀριθμον τοῦ θηρίου: ἀριθμος γὰρ άνθρώπου ἐστίν, καὶ ὁ ἀριθμὸς αὐτοῦ ἐστὶν ἑξακόσια

¹ εἰκών, όνος, ἡ, image, likeness. 2 πληγή, ῆς, ἡ, blow, wound. 3 μάχαιρα, ης, ἡ, sword. 4 πλούσιος, rich. 5 ἐλεύθερος, free, delivered from obligation. 6 χάραγμα, τος, τό, stamp, impress. 7 μέτωπον, ου, τό, forehead. 8 πωλέω, sell. 9 ἀριθμός, οῦ, ὁ, number, total. 10 νοῦς, ὁ, mind, reasoning faculty. 11 ψηφίζω, count up, calculate. 12 έξακόσιοι, six hundred, 600.

ἑξήκοντα¹ ἕξ.²

Καὶ εἶδον, καὶ ἰδού, τὸ ἀρνίον ἑστηκὸς ἐπὶ τὸ ὅρος Σ ιών, 14 καὶ μετ' αὐτοῦ ἀριθμὸς έκατὸν τεσσαράκοντα τέσσαρες χιλιάδες, έχουσαι τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ καὶ τὸ όνομα τοῦ πατρὸς αὐτοῦ γεγραμμένον ἐπὶ τῶν μετώπων αὐτῶν. Καὶ ἤκουσα φωνὴν ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ, 2ώς φωνην ύδάτων πολλών, καὶ ώς φωνην βροντης⁸ μεγάλης: καὶ ἡ φωνὴ ἣν ἤκουσα ὡς κιθαρωδῶν⁹ κιθαριζόντων 10 ἐν ταῖς κιθάραις 11 αὐτῶν. Καὶ ἄδουσιν 3 ώδην 3 καινην ένώπιον τοῦ θρόνου, καὶ ἐνώπιον τῶν τεσσάρων ζώων 14 καὶ τῶν πρεσβυτέρων: καὶ οὐδεὶς έδύνατο μαθεῖν 15 τὴν ἀδήν, 13 εἰ μὴ αἱ ἑκατὸν 4 τεσσαράκοντα⁵ τέσσαρες χιλιάδες, οἱ ἠγορασμένοι άπὸ τῆς γῆς. Οὖτοί εἰσιν οἳ μετὰ γυναικῶν οὐκ 4 έμολύνθησαν: 16 παρθένοι 17 γάρ εἰσιν. Οὖτοί εἰσιν οἱ

¹ ἐξήκοντα, sixty, 60. ² ἔξ, six, 6. ³ ἀριθμός, οῦ, ὁ, number, total. ⁴ ἐκατόν, hundred, 100. ⁵ τεσσαράκοντα, forty, 40. ⁶ χιλιάς, άδος, ἡ, thousand. ⁷ μέτωπον, ου, τό, forehead. ⁸ βροντή, ους, ἡ, thunder. ⁹ κιθαρφόός, οῦ, ὁ, lyre-player, harpist. ¹⁰ κιθαρίζω, play the lyre, harp. ¹¹ κιθάρα, ας, ἡ, lyre, harp. ¹² ἄδω, sing. ¹³ ῷδἡ, ῆς, ἡ, song, ode. ¹⁴ ζῷον, ου, τό, living creature, animal. ¹⁵ μανθάνω, learn, ascertain. ¹⁶ μολύνω, stain, soil. ¹⁷ παρθένος, ου, ἡ, virgin.

ἀκολουθοῦντες τῷ ἀρνίῳ ὅπου ἄν ὑπάγῃ. Οὖτοι ὑπὸ Ἰησοῦ ἠγοράσθησαν ἀπὸ τῶν ἀνθρώπων, ἀπαρχὴ¹ τῷ θεῷ καὶ τῷ ἀρνίῳ. Καὶ οὐχ εὑρέθη ἐν τῷ στόματι 5 αὐτῶν ψεῦδος:² ἄμωμοι³ γάρ εἰσιν.

Καὶ εἶδον ἄγγελον πετόμενον ἐν μεσουρανήματι, 6 ἔχοντα εὐαγγέλιον αἰώνιον, εὐαγγελίσαι τοὺς καθημένους ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, καὶ ἐπὶ πᾶν ἔθνος καὶ φυλὴν καὶ γλῶσσαν καὶ λαόν, λέγων ἐν φωνῆ μεγάλη, 7 Φοβήθητε τὸν κύριον, καὶ δότε αὐτῷ δόξαν, ὅτι ἦλθεν ἡ ὥρα τῆς κρίσεως αὐτοῦ, καὶ προσκυνήσατε αὐτὸν τὸν ποιήσαντα τὸν οὐρανὸν καὶ τὴν γῆν καὶ τὴν θάλασσαν καὶ πηγὰς ὑδάτων.

Καὶ ἄλλος δεύτερος ἄγγελος ἠκολούθησεν, λέγων, 8 8 Έπεσεν Βαβυλών 7 ἡ μεγάλη, ἐκ τοῦ οἴνου τοῦ θυμοῦ 8 τῆς πορνείας 9 αὐτῆς πεπότικεν 10 πάντα τὰ ἔθνη.

 $^{^1}$ ἀπαρχή, ῆς, ἡ, first fruit. 2 ψεῦδος, ους, τό, lie. 3 ἄμωμος, without blemish, blameless. 4 πέτομαι, fly. 5 μεσουράνημα, τος, τό, zenith, midheaven. 6 πηγή, ῆς, ἡ, spring, fountain. 7 Βαβυλών, Babylon. 8 θυμός, ου, ὁ, wrath, outburst of passion. 9 πορνεία, ας, ἡ, fornication, idolatry. 10 ποτίζω, give drink to, cause to drink.

Καὶ ἄλλος ἄγγελος τρίτος ἠκολούθησεν αὐτοῖς, λέγων 9 ἐν φωνῆ μεγάλη, Εἴ τις προσκυνεῖ τὸ θηρίον καὶ τὴν εἰκόνα¹ αὐτοῦ, καὶ λαμβάνει χάραγμα² ἐπὶ τοῦ μετώπου 3 αὐτοῦ, ἢ ἐπὶ τὴν χεῖρα αὐτοῦ, καὶ αὐτὸς 10πίεται ἐκ τοῦ οἴνου τοῦ θυμοῦ 4 τοῦ θεοῦ, τοῦ κεκερασμένου⁵ ἀκράτου⁶ ἐν τῶ ποτηρίω τῆς ὀργῆς αὐτοῦ, καὶ βασανισθήσεται 7 ἐν πυρὶ καὶ θεί \wp^{8} ἐνώπιον τῶν ἀγίων ἀγγέλων, καὶ ἐνώπιον τοῦ ἀρνίου: καὶ ὁ 11 καπνὸς τοῦ βασανισμοῦ αὐτῶν εἰς αἰῶνας αἰώνων άναβαίνει: καὶ οὐκ ἔχουσιν ἀνάπαυσιν¹¹ ἡμέρας καὶ νυκτὸς οἱ προσκυνοῦντες τὸ θηρίον καὶ τὴν εἰκόνα1 αὐτοῦ, καὶ εἴ τις λαμβάνει τὸ χάραγμα² τοῦ ὀνόματος αὐτοῦ. Ω δε ή ὑπομονή τῶν ἁγίων ἐστίν: οἱ τηροῦντες 12 τὰς ἐντολὰς τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ τὴν πίστιν Ἰησοῦ.

¹ εἰκών, όνος, ἡ, image, likeness. ² χάραγμα, τος, τό, stamp, impress. ³ μέτωπον, ου, τό, forehead. ⁴ θυμός, ου, ὁ, wrath, outburst of passion. ⁵ κεράννυμι, mix, pour out for drinking. ⁶ ἄκρατος, unmixed, undiluted. ⁷ βασανίζω, torment, torture. ⁸ θείον, ου, τό, sulfur, brimstone. ⁹ καπνός, οῦ, ὁ, smoke. ¹⁰ βασανισμός, οῦ, ὁ, torment, torture. ¹¹ ἀνάπαυσις, εως, ἡ, cessation, rest.

Καὶ ἤκουσα φωνῆς ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ λεγούσης, Γράψον, 13
Μακάριοι οἱ νεκροὶ οἱ ἐν κυρίῳ ἀποθνήσκοντες ἀπ'
ἄρτι: λέγει Ναὶ τὸ πνεῦμα, ἵνα ἀναπαύσωνται¹ ἐκ τῶν
κόπων² αὐτῶν: τὰ δὲ ἔργα αὐτῶν ἀκολουθεῖ μετ'
αὐτῶν.

Καὶ εἶδον, καὶ ἰδού, νεφέλη³ λευκή,⁴ καὶ ἐπὶ τὴν νεφέλην 14 καθήμενον ὅμοιον υἱῷ ἀνθρώπου, ἔχων ἐπὶ τῆς κεφαλῆς αὐτοῦ στέφανον⁵ χρυσοῦν,⁶ καὶ ἐν τῆ χειρὶ αὐτοῦ δρέπανον⁻ ὀξύ.⁵ Καὶ ἄλλος ἄγγελος ἐξῆλθεν ἐκ 15 τοῦ ναοῦ, κράζων ἐν φωνῆ μεγάλῃ τῷ καθημένῳ ἐπὶ τῆς νεφέλης,³ Πέμψον τὸ δρέπανόν⁻ σου καὶ θέρισον:⁰ ὅτι ἤλθεν ἡ ὥρα θερίσαι,⁰ ὅτι ἐξηράνθη¹⁰ ὁ θερισμὸς¹¹ τῆς γῆς. Καὶ ἔβαλεν ὁ καθήμενος ἐπὶ τὴν νεφέλην³ τὸ 16 δρέπανον⁻ αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τὴν γῆν, καὶ ἐθερίσθη⁰ ἡ γῆ.

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 $^{^1}$ ἀναπαύω, refresh, take rest. 2 κόπος, ου, ό, labor, trouble. 3 νεφέλη, ης, ή, cloud. 4 λευκός, white, bright. 5 στέφανος, ου, ό, crown, garland. 6 χρυσοῦς, golden. 7 δρέπανον, ου, τό, sickle, pruning hook. 8 δξύς, sharp, swift. 9 θερίζω, reap, gather. 10 ξηραίνω, dry up, parch. 11 θερισμός, οῦ, ὁ, harvest, reaping.

Καὶ ἄλλος ἄγγελος ἐξῆλθεν ἐκ τοῦ ναοῦ τοῦ ἐν τῶ 17 οὐρανῶ, ἔχων καὶ αὐτὸς δρέπανον όξύ. Καὶ ἄλλος 18 ἄγγελος ἐξῆλθεν ἐκ τοῦ θυσιαστηρίου,³ ἔχων ἐξουσίαν ἐπὶ τοῦ πυρός, καὶ ἐφώνησεν κραυγ $\tilde{\textbf{n}}^4$ μεγάλη τῶ ἔγοντι τὸ δρέπανον τὸ ὀξύ, λέγων, Πέμψον σου τὸ δρέπανον τὸ ὀξυ καὶ τρύγησον τοὺς βότρυας τῆς άμπέλου 7 τῆς γῆς, ὅτι ἤκμασαν 8 αἱ σταφυλαὶ 9 αὐτῆς. 19 Καὶ ἔβαλεν ὁ ἄγγελος τὸ δρέπανον¹ αὐτοῦ εἰς τὴν νῆν. καὶ ἐτρύγησεν⁵ τὴν ἄμπελον⁷ τῆς γῆς, καὶ ἔβαλεν εἰς τὴν ληνὸν 10 τοῦ θυμοῦ 11 τοῦ θεοῦ τὸν μέγαν. Καὶ 20 ἐπατήθη 12 ἡ ληνὸς 10 ἔξωθεν 13 τῆς πόλεως, καὶ ἐξῆλθεν αίμα ἐκ τῆς ληνοῦ 10 ἄχρι τῶν χαλινῶν 14 τῶν ἵππων, 15 άπὸ σταδίων 16 χιλίων 17 έξακοσίων. 18

 $^{^1}$ δρέπανον, ου, τό, sickle, pruning hook. 2 ὀξύς, sharp, swift. 3 θυσιαστήριον, ου, τό, altar. 4 κραυγή, ής, ή, outcry, crying. 5 τρυγάω, gather in, harvest. 6 βότρυς, υος, ό, bunch of grapes, cluster of grapes. 7 ἄμπελος, ου, ή, vine. 8 ἀκμάζω, bloom, ripen. 9 σταφυλή, ής, ή, grape, bunch of grapes. 10 ληνός, οῦ, ή, wine press, winepress. 11 θυμός, ου, ό, wrath, outburst of passion. 12 πατέω, tread or tread under foot, tread. 13 ἔξωθέν, from without, outside (gen). 14 χαλινός, οῦ, ό, bit, bridle. 15 ἵππος, ου, ό, horse. 16 στάδιον, οῦ, τό, stadia, length of a stadium. 17 χίλιοι, thousand. 18 ἐξακόσιοι, six hundred, 600.

Καὶ εἶδον ἄλλο σημεῖον ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ μέγα καὶ 15 θαυμαστόν, ἀγγέλους ἐπτὰ ἔχοντας πληγὰς ἐπτὰ τὰς ἐσχάτας, ὅτι ἐν αὐταῖς ἐτελέσθη ὁ θυμὸς τοῦ θεοῦ.

Καὶ εἶδον ὡς θάλασσαν ὑαλίνην μεμιγμένην πυρί, καὶ 2 τοὺς νικῶντας ἐκ τοῦ θηρίου καὶ ἐκ τῆς εἰκόνος αὐτοῦ καὶ ἐκ τοῦ ἀριθμοῦ τοῦ ὀνόματος αὐτοῦ, ἐστῶτας ἐπὶ τὴν θάλασσαν τὴν ὑαλίνην, ἔχοντας κιθάρας τοῦ θεοῦ. Καὶ ἄδουσιν τὴν ὡδὴν τοῦ ἀρνίου, λέγοντες, Μεγάλα καὶ θαυμαστὰ τὰ ἔργα σου, κύριε ὁ θεὸς ὁ παντοκράτωρ: δίκαιαι καὶ ἀληθιναὶ αἱ ὁδοί σου, ὁ βασιλεὺς τῶν ἐθνῶν. Τίς οὐ μὴ φοβηθῆ 4 σε, κύριε, καὶ δοξάσῃ τὸ ὄνομά σου; Ὁτι μόνος ἄγιος: ὅτι πάντα τὰ ἔθνη ἥξουσιν καὶ προσκυνήσουσιν

¹ θαυμαστός, wonderful, marvelous. ² πληγή, ής, ή, blow, wound. ³ τελέω, finish, fulfill. ⁴ θυμός, ου, ό, wrath, outburst of passion. ⁵ ὑάλινος, of glass, glassy. ⁶ μίγνυμι, mix, mingle. ⁷ νικάω, overcome, conquer. ⁸ εἰκών, όνος, ή, image, likeness. ⁹ ἀριθμός, οῦ, ό, number, total. ¹⁰ κιθάρα, ας, ή, lyre, harp. ¹¹ ἄδω, sing. ¹² ὡδή, ῆς, ή, song, ode. ¹³ παντοκράτωρ, ορος, ὁ, ruler of all, Almighty. ¹⁴ ἀληθινός, true, genuine. ¹⁵ ῆκω, have come, am present.

ἐνώπιόν σου, ὅτι τὰ δικαιώματά¹ σου ἐφανερώθησαν.

Καὶ μετὰ ταῦτα εἶδον, καὶ ἠνοίγη ὁ ναὸς τῆς σκηνῆς 2 5 τοῦ μαρτυρίου³ ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ: καὶ ἐξῆλθον οἱ ἑπτὰ 6 ἄγγελοι οἱ ἔγοντες τὰς ἑπτὰ πληγὰς 4 ἐκ τοῦ ναοῦ, οἳ ἦσαν ἐνδεδυμένοι 5 λίνον 6 καθαρὸν 7 λαμπρόν, 8 καὶ περιεζωσμένοι 9 περὶ τὰ στήθη 10 ζώνας 11 χρυσᾶς: 12 καὶ 7 εν ἐκ τῶν τεσσάρων ζώων 13 ἔδωκεν τοῖς ἐπτὰ ἀγγέλοις έπτὰ φιάλας 14 χρυσᾶς 12 γεμούσας 15 τοῦ θυμοῦ 16 τοῦ θεοῦ τοῦ ζῶντος εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Καὶ 8 ἐγεμίσθη 17 ὁ ναὸς καπνοῦ 18 ἐκ τῆς δόξης τοῦ θεοῦ, καὶ έκ τῆς δυνάμεως αὐτοῦ: καὶ οὐδεὶς ἐδύνατο εἰσελθεῖν εἰς τὸν ναόν, ἄχρι τελεσθῶσιν 19 αἱ ἑπτὰ πληγαὶ 4 τῶν έπτὰ ἀγγέλων.

¹ δικαίωμα, τος, τό, regulation, righteous deed. ² σκηνή, ῆς, ἡ, tent, tabernacle. ³ μαρτύριον, ου, τό, testimony, witness. ⁴ πληγή, ῆς, ἡ, blow, wound. ⁵ ἐνδύω, put on, clothe. ⁶ λίνον, ου, τό, lamp-wick, linen garment. ⁷ καθαρός, clean, pure. ⁸ λαμπρός, bright, shining. ⁹ περιζώννυμι, gird, gird round. ¹⁰ στήθος, ους, τό, breast, chest. ¹¹ ζώνη, ης, ἡ, belt, girdle. ¹² χρυσοῦς, golden. ¹³ ζῷον, ου, τό, living creature, animal. ¹⁴ φιάλη, ης, ἡ, cup, bowl. ¹⁵ γέμω, fill, am full of. ¹⁶ θυμός, ου, ὁ, wrath, outburst of passion. ¹⁷ γεμίζω, fill, load. ¹⁸ καπνός, οῦ, ὁ, smoke. ¹⁹ τελέω, finish, fulfill.

- Καὶ ἤκουσα φωνῆς μεγάλης ἐκ τοῦ ναοῦ, λεγούσης τοῖς 16 ἑπτὰ ἀγγέλοις, Ὑπάγετε, καὶ ἐκχέατε¹ τὰς ἑπτὰ φιάλας² τοῦ θυμοῦ³ τοῦ θεοῦ εἰς τὴν γῆν.
- Καὶ ἀπῆλθεν ὁ πρῶτος, καὶ ἐξέχεεν¹ τὴν φιάλην² αὐτοῦ 2 εἰς τὴν γῆν: καὶ ἐγένετο ἕλκος⁴ κακὸν καὶ πονηρὸν ἐπὶ τοὺς ἀνθρώπους τοὺς ἔχοντας τὸ χάραγμα⁵ τοῦ θηρίου, καὶ τοὺς προσκυνοῦντας τῆ εἰκόνι6 αὐτοῦ.
- Καὶ ὁ δεύτερος ἄγγελος ἐξέχεεν¹ τὴν φιάλην² αὐτοῦ εἰς 3 τὴν θάλασσαν: καὶ ἐγένετο αἷμα ὡς νεκροῦ, καὶ πᾶσα ψυχὴ ζῶσα ἀπέθανεν ἐν τῆ θαλάσση.
- Καὶ ὁ τρίτος ἐξέχεεν¹ τὴν φιάλην² αὐτοῦ εἰς τοὺς 4 ποταμοὺς⁻ καὶ εἰς τὰς πηγὰς⁵ τῶν ὑδάτων: καὶ ἐγένετο αἷμα. Καὶ ἤκουσα τοῦ ἀγγέλου τῶν ὑδάτων λέγοντος, 5 Δίκαιος εἶ, ὁ ὢν καὶ ὁ ἦν, ὁ ὅσιος,° ὅτι ταῦτα ἔκρινας: 6

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 $^{^{1}}$ ἐκχέω, pour out, shed. 2 φιάλη, ης, ή, cup, bowl. 3 θυμός, ου, ό, wrath, outburst of passion. 4 ἔλκος, ους, τό, wound, sore. 5 χάραγμα, τος, τό, stamp, impress. 6 εἰκών, όνος, ή, image, likeness. 7 ποταμός, οῦ, ὁ, river, stream. 8 πηγή, ῆς, ή, spring, fountain. 9 ὅσιος, righteous, pious.

ότι αἷμα άγίων καὶ προφητών ἐξέχεαν, καὶ αἷμα αὐτοῖς ἔδωκας πιεῖν: ἄξιοί εἰσιν. Καὶ ἤκουσα τοῦ 7 θυσιαστηρίου λέγοντος, Ναί, κύριε ὁ θεὸς ὁ παντοκράτωρ, ἀληθιναὶ καὶ δίκαιαι αἰ κρίσεις σου.

Καὶ ὁ τέταρτος ὅ ἄγγελος ἐξέχεεν ¹ τὴν φιάλην αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ 8
τὸν ἥλιον: καὶ ἐδόθη αὐτῷ καυματίσαι Ἦν πυρὶ τοὺς
ἀνθρώπους. Καὶ ἐκαυματίσθησαν οἱ ἄνθρωποι καῦμα 9
μέγα, καὶ ἐβλασφήμησαν οἱ ἄνθρωποι τὸ ὄνομα τοῦ
θεοῦ τοῦ ἔχοντος ἐξουσίαν ἐπὶ τὰς πληγὰς Ἦντας,
καὶ οὐ μετενόησαν δοῦναι αὐτῷ δόξαν.

Καὶ ὁ πέμπτος 10 ἐξέχεεν 1 τὴν φιάλην αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τὸν 10 θρόνον τοῦ θηρίου: καὶ ἐγένετο ἡ βασιλεία αὐτοῦ ἐσκοτωμένη: 11 καὶ ἐμασῶντο 12 τὰς γλώσσας αὐτῶν ἐκ τοῦ πόνου, 13 καὶ ἐβλασφήμησαν τὸν θεὸν τοῦ οὐρανοῦ 11 ἐκ τῶν πόνων 13 αὐτῶν καὶ ἐκ τῶν ἑλκῶν 14 αὐτῶν, καὶ

¹ ἐκχέω, pour out, shed. ² θυσιαστήριον, ου, τό, altar. ³ παντοκράτωρ, ορος, ό, ruler of all, Almighty. ⁴ ἀληθινός, true, genuine. ⁵ τέταρτος, fourth. ⁶ φιάλη, ης, ἡ, cup, bowl. ⁿ καυματίζω, burn up, scorch. ⁿ καῦμα, τος, τό, burning, heat. ⁿ πληγή, ῆς, ἡ, blow, wound. ℩⁰ πέμπτος, fifth. ℩℩ σκοτόω, darken. ℩⁰ μασσάομαι, bite, gnaw. ℩ѕ πόνος, ου, ὁ, labor, toil. ℩⁴ ελκος, ους, τό, wound. sore.

οὐ μετενόησαν ἐκ τῶν ἔργων αὐτῶν.

Kαὶ ὁ ἕκτος 1 ἐξέχεεν 2 τὴν Φιάλην αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τὸν 12 ποταμὸν τὸν μέγαν Εὐφράτην: καὶ ἐξηράνθη τὸ ύδωρ αὐτοῦ, ἵνα ἑτοιμασθῆ ἡ ὁδὸς τῶν βασιλέων τῶν ἀπὸ ἀνατολῆς 7 ἡλίου. Καὶ εἶδον ἐκ τοῦ στόματος τοῦ 13 δράκοντος,⁸ καὶ ἐκ τοῦ στόματος τοῦ θηρίου, καὶ ἐκ τοῦ στόματος τοῦ ψευδοπροφήτου, πνεύματα ἀκάθαρτα τρία ως βάτραχοι:10 εἰσὶν γὰρ πνεύματα 14 δαιμονίων ποιούντα σημεία, ἃ ἐκπορεύεται ἐπὶ τοὺς βασιλεῖς τῆς οἰκουμένης δλης, συναγαγεῖν αὐτοὺς εἰς τὸν πόλεμον 12 τῆς ἡμέρας ἐκείνης τῆς μεγάλης τοῦ θεοῦ τοῦ παντοκράτορος 13 – Ἰδού, ἔρχομαι ώς 15 κλέπτης. $^{^{14}}$ Μακάριος ὁ γρηγορῶν $^{^{15}}$ καὶ τηρῶν τὰ ίμάτια αὐτοῦ, ἵνα μὴ γυμνὸς¹⁶ περιπατῆ, βλέπωσιν τὴν ἀσχημοσύνην 17 αὐτοῦ – Kaì 16

 $^{^1}$ ἔκτος, sixth. 2 ἐκχέω, pour out, shed. 3 φιάλη, ης, ή, cup, bowl. 4 ποταμός, οῦ, ό, river, stream. 5 Εὐφράτης, ου, ό, Euphrates, river of Asia. 6 ξηραίνω, dry up, parch. 7 ἀνατολή, ῆς, ή, east, dawn. 8 δράκων, οντος, ό, dragon, dragon or huge serpent. 9 ψευδοπροφήτης, ου, ό, false prophet. 10 βάτραχος, ου, ό, frog. 11 οἰκουμένη, ης, ή, inhabited world. 12 πόλεμος, ου, ό, war, battle. 13 παντοκράτωρ, ορος, ό, ruler of all, Almighty. 14 κλέπτης, ου, ό, thief. 15 γρηγορέω, watch, keep watch. 16 γυμνός, naked, wearing only under-garments. 17 ἀσχημοσύνη, ης, ή, disgraceful deed, unseemliness.

συνήγαγεν αὐτοὺς εἰς τὸν τόπον τὸν καλούμενον Ἑβραϊστὶ¹ Άρμαγεδών.²

Καὶ ὁ ἔβδομος 3 ἐξέχεεν 4 τὴν φιάλην 5 αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τὸν ἀέρα: 6 καὶ ἐξῆλθεν φωνὴ μεγάλη ἀπὸ τοῦ ναοῦ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ, ἀπὸ τοῦ θρόνου, λέγουσα, Γέγονεν. Καὶ ἐγένοντο 18 ἀστραπαὶ⁷ καὶ βρονταὶ⁸ καὶ φωναί, καὶ σεισμὸς⁹ μένας. οἷος 10 οὐκ ἐγένετο ἀφ' οὖ οἱ ἄνθρωποι ἐγένοντο ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, τηλικοῦτος 11 σεισμός, οὕτως μέγας. Καὶ 19 έγένετο ή πόλις ή μεγάλη είς τρία μέρη, καὶ αἱ πόλεις τῶν ἐθνῶν ἔπεσον: καὶ Βαβυλὼν 12 ἡ μεγάλη ἐμνήσθη ἐνώπιον τοῦ θεοῦ, δοῦναι αὐτῆ τὸ ποτήριον τοῦ οἴνου τοῦ θυμοῦ¹⁴ τῆς ὀργῆς αὐτοῦ. Καὶ πᾶσα νῆσος¹⁵ 20 ἔφυγεν, 16 καὶ ὄρη οὐχ εὑρέθησαν. Καὶ χάλαζα 17 21 μεγάλη, ώς ταλαντιαία, 18 καταβαίνει ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ έπὶ τοὺς ἀνθρώπους: καὶ ἐβλασφήμησαν οἱ ἄνθρωποι

¹Έβραϊστί, Hebrew. ²Άρμαγεδών, Armageddon, Har-Magedon. ³ ἔβδομος, seventh. ⁴ ἐκχέω, pour out, shed. ⁵ φιάλη, ης, ή, cup, bowl. ⁶ ἀήρ, ος, ό, air. ⁷ ἀστραπή, ῆς, ή, lightning, brightness. ⁸ βροντή, ους, ή, thunder. ⁹ σεισμός, οῦ, ό, earthquake, storm. ¹⁰ οἷος, such as, of what kind. ¹¹ τηλικοῦτος, so great, so large. ¹² Βαβυλών, Babylon. ¹³ μιμνήσκομαι, remember, recall. ¹⁴ θυμός, ου, ό, wrath, outburst of passion. ¹⁵ νῆσος, ου, ή, island. ¹⁶ φεύγω, flee, escape. ¹⁷ γάλαζα, ης, ή, hailstone, hail. ¹⁸ ταλαντιαῖος, weighing a talent, talent in weight.

τὸν θεὸν ἐκ τῆς πληγῆς ¹ τῆς χαλάζης: ² ὅτι μεγάλη ἐστὶν ἡ πληγὴ ¹ αὐτῆς σφόδρα. ³

Καὶ ἦλθεν είς ἐκ τῶν ἑπτὰ ἀγγέλων τῶν ἐγόντων τὰς 17 έπτὰ φιάλας, 4 καὶ ἐλάλησεν μετ' ἐμοῦ, λέγων, Δ εῦρο, 5 δείξω σοι τὸ κρίμα τῆς πόρνης τῆς μεγάλης, τῆς καθημένης ἐπὶ τῶν ὑδάτων τῶν πολλῶν: μεθ' ἡς 2 ἐπόρνευσαν⁸ οἱ βασιλεῖς τῆς γῆς, καὶ ἐμεθύσθησαν⁹ οἱ κατοικοῦντες τὴν γῆν ἐκ τοῦ οἴνου τῆς πορνείας 10 αὐτῆς. Καὶ ἀπήνεγκέν 11 με εἰς ἔρημον ἐν πνεύματι: 3καὶ εἶδον γυναῖκα καθημένην ἐπὶ θηρίον κόκκινον, 12 γέμον¹³ ὀνόματα βλασφημίας, 14 ἔχον κεφαλὰς ἑπτὰ καὶ κέρατα 15 δέκα. 16 Καὶ ἡ γυνὴ ἦν περιβεβλημένη 17 4 πορφυροῦν 18 καὶ κόκκινον, 12 κεχρυσωμένη 19 χρυσίω 20 καὶ λίθω τιμίω²¹ καὶ μαργαρίταις,²² ἔχουσα ποτήριον

¹ πληγή, ῆς, ἡ, blow, wound. ² χάλαζα, ης, ἡ, hailstone, hail. ³ σφόδρα, exceedingly, greatly. ⁴ φιάλη, ης, ἡ, cup, bowl. ⁵ δεῦρο, until now, come here! ⁶ κρίμα, ος, τό, judgment, verdict. ⁷ πόρνη, ης, ἡ, prostitute. ⁸ πορνεύω, commit fornication, fornicate. ⁹ μεθύσκω, make drunk. ¹⁰ πορνεία, ας, ἡ, fornication, idolatry. ¹¹ ἀποφέρω, carry off, bear away. ¹² κόκκινος, scarlet, crimson. ¹³ γέμω, fill, am full of. ¹⁴ βλασφημία, ας, ἡ, blasphemy, reproach. ¹⁵ κέρας, ατος, τό, horn. ¹⁶ δέκα, ten, 10. ¹⁷ περιβάλλω, put around, clothe. ¹⁸ πορφυροῦς, purple. ¹⁹ χρυσόω, gild, adorn with gold. ²⁰ χρυσίον, ου, τό, gold, golden ornament. ²¹ τίμιος, precious, honorable. ²² μαργαρίτης, ου, ὁ, pearl.

χρυσοῦν έν τῆ χειρὶ αὐτῆς, γέμον βδελυγμάτων καὶ τὰ ἀκάθαρτα τῆς πορνείας αὐτῆς, καὶ ἐπὶ τὸ μέτωπον 5 αὐτῆς ὄνομα γεγραμμένον, Μυστήριον, ⁶ Βαβυλὼν ⁷ ἡ μεγάλη, ή μήτηρ τῶν πορνῶν καὶ τῶν βδελυγμάτων τῆς γῆς. Καὶ εἶδον τὴν γυναῖκα μεθύουσαν ἐκ τοῦ 6 αἵματος τῶν ἁγίων, ἐκ τοῦ αἵματος τῶν μαρτύρων Ἰησοῦ. Καὶ ἐθαύμασα, ἰδὼν αὐτήν, θαῦμα¹⁰ μέγα. Καὶ 7 εἶπέν μοι ὁ ἄγγελος, Διὰ τί ἐθαύμασας; Ἐγὼ ἐρῶ σοι τὸ μυστήριον τῆς γυναικός, καὶ τοῦ θηρίου τοῦ βαστάζοντος 11 αὐτήν, τοῦ ἔχοντος τὰς ἑπτὰ κεφαλὰς καὶ τὰ δέκα 12 κέρατα. 13 Τὸ θηρίον, ὃ εἶδες, ἦν, καὶ οὐκ 8 ἔστιν, καὶ μέλλει ἀναβαίνειν ἐκ τῆς ἀβύσσου, 14 καὶ εἰς $\alpha\pi\omega\lambda \epsilon_{1}\alpha\nu^{15}$ ύπάγειν. Καὶ θαυμάσονται κατοικούντες ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, ὧν οὐ γέγραπται τὰ ονόματα ἐπὶ τὸ βιβλίον τῆς ζωῆς ἀπὸ καταβολῆς 16 κόσμου, βλεπόντων ὅτι ἦν τὸ θηρίον, καὶ οὐκ ἔστιν,

¹χρυσοῦς, golden. ²γέμω, fill, am full of. ³ βδέλυγμα, τος, τό, detestable thing, abomination. ⁴πορνεία, ας, ή, fornication, idolatry. ⁵ μέτωπον, ου, τό, forehead. ⁶ μυστήριον, ου, τό, secret, mystery. ⁷ Βαβυλών, Babylon. ⁸ πόρνη, ης, ή, prostitute. ⁹ μεθύω, be drunken, am drunk. ¹⁰ θαῦμα, τος, τό, wonder, amazement. ¹¹ βαστάζω, bear, carry. ¹² δέκα, ten, 10. ¹³ κέρας, ατος, τό, horn. ¹⁴ ἄβυσσος, ου, ή, bottomless, incomprehensible depth. ¹⁵ ἀπώλεια, ας, ή, destruction, ruin. ¹⁶ καταβολή, ής, ή, foundation, depositing.

καὶ παρέσται. Ω δε ὁ νοῦς ό ἔχων σοφίαν. Αἱ ἑπτὰ 9 κεφαλαὶ έπτὰ ὄρη εἰσίν, ὅπου ἡ γυνὴ κάθηται ἐπ' αὐτῶν. Καὶ βασιλεῖς εἰσιν ἐπτά: οἱ πέντε ἔπεσον, ὁ εἶς 10 ἔστιν, ὁ ἄλλος οὔπω³ ἦλθεν: καί, ὅταν ἔλθη, ὀλίγον δεῖ αὐτὸν μεῖναι. Καὶ τὸ θηρίον ὃ ἦν, καὶ οὐκ ἔστιν, καὶ 11 αὐτὸς ὄγδοός έστιν, καὶ ἐκ τῶν ἑπτά ἐστιν, καὶ εἰς ἀπώλειαν ὑπάγει. Καὶ τὰ δέκα κέρατα, ὰ εἶδες, δέκα 12 βασιλείς εἰσίν, οἵτινες βασιλείαν οὔπω³ ἔλαβον, ἀλλ' έξουσίαν ώς βασιλεῖς μίαν ὥραν λαμβάνουσιν μετὰ τοῦ θηρίου. Οὖτοι μίαν ἔχουσιν γνώμην, καὶ τὴν 13 δύναμιν καὶ τὴν ἐξουσίαν αὐτῶν τῷ θηρίῳ διδόασιν. 14 Ούτοι μετὰ τοῦ ἀρνίου πολεμήσουσιν, καὶ τὸ ἀρνίον νικήσει 10 αὐτούς, ὅτι κύριος κυρίων ἐστὶν καὶ βασιλεύς βασιλέων, καὶ οἱ μετ' αὐτοῦ, κλητοὶ καὶ έκλεκτοι 12 και πιστοί. Και λέγει μοι, Τὰ ὕδατα, ἃ 15 εἶδες, οὖ 13 ἡ πόρνη 14 κάθηται, λαοὶ καὶ ὄχλοι εἰσίν, καὶ

 $^{^1}$ πάρειμι, be present, have arrived. 2 νοῦς, ὁ, mind, reasoning faculty. 3 οὕπω, not yet. 4 δγδοος, eighth. 5 ἀπώλεια, ας, ή, destruction, ruin. 6 δέκα, ten, $10.^7$ κέρας, ατος, τό, horn. 8 γνώμη, ης, ή, purpose, opinion. 9 πολεμέω, wage war, make war. 10 νικάω, overcome, conquer. 11 κλητός, called, summoned. 12 ἐκλεκτός, chosen, elect. 13 οὕ, where, when. 14 πόρνη, ης, ή, prostitute.

ἔθνη καὶ γλῶσσαι. Καὶ τὰ δέκα¹ κέρατα,² ἄ εἶδες, καὶ 16 τὸ θηρίον, οὖτοι μισήσουσιν τὴν πόρνην,³ καὶ ἠρημωμένην⁴ ποιήσουσιν αὐτὴν καὶ γυμνὴν⁵ ποιήσουσιν αὐτήν, καὶ τὰς σάρκας αὐτῆς φάγονται, καὶ αὐτὴν κατακαύσουσιν⁶ ἐν πυρί. Ὁ γὰρ θεὸς 17 ἔδωκεν εἰς τὰς καρδίας αὐτῶν ποιῆσαι τὴν γνώμην αὐτοῦ, καὶ ποιῆσαι γνώμην μίαν, καὶ δοῦναι τὴν βασιλείαν αὐτῶν τῷ θηρίῳ, ἄχρι τελεσθῶσινఠοὶ λόγοι τοῦ θεοῦ. Καὶ ἡ γυνή, ἡν εἶδες, ἐστὶν ἡ πόλις ἡ μεγάλη, 18 ἡ ἔχουσα βασιλείαν ἐπὶ τῶν βασιλέων τῆς γῆς.

Μετὰ ταῦτα εἶδον ἄλλον ἄγγελον καταβαίνοντα ἐκ τοῦ 18
 οὐρανοῦ, ἔχοντα ἐξουσίαν μεγάλην: καὶ ἡ γῆ ἐφωτίσθη° ἐκ τῆς δόξης αὐτοῦ. Καὶ ἔκραξεν ἰσχυρᾳ¹⁰ 2
 φωνῆ, λέγων, Ἔπεσεν Βαβυλὼν¹¹ ἡ μεγάλη, καὶ ἐγένετο κατοικητήριον¹² δαιμόνων, ¹³ καὶ φυλακὴ

¹ δέκα, ten, 10. ² κέρας, ατος, τό, horn. ³ πόρνη, ης, ή, prostitute. ⁴ ἐρημόω, destroy, strip. ⁵ γυμνός, naked, wearing only under-garments. ⁶ κατακαίω, burn up, consume entirely. ⁷ γνώμη, ης, ή, purpose, opinion. ⁸ τελέω, finish, fulfill. ⁹ φωτίζω, give light, enlighten. ¹⁰ ἰσχυρός, strong, mighty. ¹¹ Βαβυλών, Babylon. ¹² κατοικητήριον, ου, τό, dwelling, dwelling-place. ¹³ δαίμων, ονος, ό, demon, evil spirit.

παντὸς πνεύματος ἀκαθάρτου, καὶ φυλακὴ παντὸς
ὀρνέου¹ ἀκαθάρτου καὶ μεμισημένου. "Ότι ἐκ τοῦ 3
οἴνου τοῦ θυμοῦ² τῆς πορνείας³ αὐτῆς πεπτώκασιν
πάντα τὰ ἔθνη, καὶ οἱ βασιλεῖς τῆς γῆς μετ' αὐτῆς
ἐπόρνευσαν,⁴ καὶ οἱ ἔμποροι⁵ τῆς γῆς ἐκ τῆς δυνάμεως
τοῦ στρήνους⁶ αὐτῆς ἐπλούτησαν.⁷

Καὶ ἤκουσα ἄλλην φωνὴν ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ, λέγουσαν, 4

"Εξελθε ἐξ αὐτῆς ὁ λαός μου, ἵνα μὴ συγκοινωνήσητε⁸

ταῖς ἁμαρτίαις αὐτῆς, καὶ ἐκ τῶν πληγῶν⁹ αὐτῆς ἵνα

μὴ λάβητε: ὅτι ἐκολλήθησαν¹⁰ αὐτῆς αἱ ἁμαρτίαι ἄχρι 5

τοῦ οὐρανοῦ, καὶ ἐμνημόνευσεν¹¹ ὁ θεὸς τὰ

ἀδικήματα¹² αὐτῆς. ᾿Απόδοτε αὐτῆ ὡς καὶ αὐτὴ 6

ἀπέδωκεν, καὶ διπλώσατε¹³ αὐτῆ διπλᾶ¹⁴ κατὰ τὰ ἔργα

αὐτῆς: ἐν τῷ ποτηρίῳ ῷ ἐκέρασεν¹⁵ κεράσατε¹⁵ αὐτῆ

διπλοῦν.¹⁴ "Οσα ἐδόξασεν αὐτὴν καὶ ἐστρηνίασεν,¹⁶ 7

¹ δρνεόν, ου, τό, bird. ² θυμός, ου, ὁ, wrath, outburst of passion. ³ πορνεία, ας, ή, fornication, idolatry. ⁴ πορνεύω, commit fornication, fornicate. ⁵ ἔμπορος, ου, ὁ, merchant, trader. ⁶ στρῆνος, ους, τό, sensuality, luxury. ⁷ πλουτέω, be rich, become rich. ⁸ συγκοινωνέω, have fellowship with, participate. ⁹ πληγή, ῆς, ή, blow, wound. ¹⁰ κολλάω, glue, cleave. ¹¹ μνημονεύω, remember, make mention of. ¹² ἀδίκημα, τος, τό, wrong, injury. ¹³ διπλόω, double. ¹⁴ διπλοῦς, double, two-fold. ¹⁵ κεράννυμι, mix, pour out for drinking. ¹⁶ στρηνιάω, live in luxury, live sensually.

τοσοῦτον δότε αὐτῆ βασανισμὸν καὶ πένθος: ὅτι ἐν τῆ καρδία αὐτῆς λέγει ὅτι Κάθημαι βασίλισσα, καὶ χήρα⁵ οὐκ εἰμί, καὶ πένθος³ οὐ μὴ ἴδω. Δ ιὰ τοῦτο ἐν 8 μιᾶ ἡμέρα ἥξουσιν⁶ αἱ πληγαὶ⁷ αὐτῆς, θάνατος καὶ πένθος³ καὶ λιμός, ⁸ καὶ ἐν πυρὶ κατακαυθήσεται, ⁹ ὅτι ἰσχυρὸς¹⁰ κύριος ὁ θεὸς ὁ κρίνας αὐτήν. Καὶ 9 κλαύσουσιν καὶ κόψονται έπ' αὐτὴν οἱ βασιλεῖς τῆς γῆς οἱ μετ' αὐτῆς πορνεύσαντες 12 καὶ στρηνιάσαντες, 13 όταν βλέπωσιν τὸν καπνὸν 14 τῆς πυρώσεως 15 αὐτῆς, 10 ἀπὸ μακρόθεν¹⁶ ἑστηκότες διὰ τὸν φόβον τοῦ βασανισμοῦ αὐτῆς, λέγοντες, Οὐαί, οὐαί, ἡ πόλις ἡ μεγάλη Βαβυλών, 17 ή πόλις ή ἰσχυρά, 10 ὅτι μιᾳ ὥρα ήλθεν ή κρίσις σου. Καὶ οἱ ἔμποροι 18 τῆς γῆς 11κλαύσουσιν καὶ πενθήσουσιν έπ' αὐτῆ, ὅτι τὸν γόμον²⁰ αὐτῶν οὐδεὶς ἀγοράζει οὐκέτι: γόμον²⁰ χρυσοῦ, 12

¹ τοσοῦτος, so great, so much. ² βασανισμός, οῦ, ὁ, torment, torture. ³ πένθος, ους, τό, mourning, sorrow. ⁴ βασίλισσα, ης, ἡ, queen. ⁵ χήρα, ας, ἡ, widow. ⁶ ἥκω, have come, am present. ⁷ πληγή, ῆς, ἡ, blow, wound. ⁸ λιμός, οῦ, ὁ, hunger, famine. ⁹ κατακαίω, burn up, consume entirely. ¹⁰ ἰσχυρός, strong, mighty. ¹¹ κόπτω, strike, smite. ¹² πορνεύω, commit fornication, fornicate. ¹³ στρηνιάω, live in luxury, live sensually. ¹⁴ καπνός, οῦ, ὁ, smoke. ¹⁵ πύρωσις, εως, ἡ, burning, burning ordeal. ¹⁶ μακρόθεν, from afar, afar. ¹⁷ Βαβυλών, Babylon. ¹⁸ ἔμπορος, ου, ὁ, merchant, trader. ¹⁹ πενθέω, mourn, lament. ²⁰ γόμος, ου, ὁ, cargo, freight. ²¹ χρυσός, οῦ, ὁ, gold, anything made of gold.

καὶ ἀργύρου, 1 καὶ λίθου τιμίου, 2 καὶ μαργαρίτου, 3 καὶ βυσσίνου, 4 καὶ πορφυροῦ, 5 καὶ σηρικοῦ, 6 καὶ κοκκίνου: καὶ πᾶν ξύλον⁸ θύϊνον, καὶ πᾶν σκεῦος ο ἐλεφάντινον, καὶ πᾶν σκεῦος 10 ἐκ ξύλου 8 τιμιωτάτου, 2 καὶ γαλκοῦ, 12 καὶ σιδήρου, 13 καὶ μαρμάρου: 14 καὶ κινάμωμον, 15 καὶ 13 θυμιάματα, 16 καὶ μύρον, 17 καὶ λίβανον, 18 καὶ οἶνον, καὶ ἔλαιον, 19 καὶ σεμίδαλιν, 20 καὶ σῖτον, 21 καὶ πρόβατα, καὶ κτήνη: 22 καὶ ἵππων, 23 καὶ ῥαιδῶν, 24 καὶ σωμάτων, καὶ ψυγὰς ἀνθρώπων. Καὶ ἡ ὀπώρα²⁵ τῆς ἐπιθυμίας 14 τῆς ψυχῆς σου ἀπῆλθεν ἀπὸ σοῦ, καὶ πάντα τὰ λιπαρὰ 26 καὶ τὰ λαμπρὰ 27 ἀπώλετο ἀπὸ σοῦ, καὶ οὐκέτι αὐτὰ οὐ μὴ εὕρης. Οἱ ἔμποροι²⁸ τούτων, οἱ 15 πλουτήσαντες²⁹ ἀπ' αὐτῆς, ἀπὸ μακρόθεν³⁰ στήσονται διὰ τὸν φόβον τοῦ βασανισμοῦ³¹ αὐτῆς, κλαίοντες

 $^{^1}$ ἄργυρος, ου, ὁ, silver, silver as a metal. 2 τίμιος, precious, honorable. 3 μαργαρίτης, ου, ὁ, pearl. 4 βύστινος, fine linen, of fine linen. 5 πορφυρούς, purple. 6 σηρικός, silken. 7 κόκκινος, scarlet, crimson. 8 ξύλον, ου, τό, wood, tree. 9 θύϊνος, from the citron tree. 10 σκεύος, ους, τό, vessel, goods (plural). 11 ἐλεφάντινος, of ivory, made of ivory. 12 χαλκός, ού, ὁ, money, copper or bronze. 13 σίδηρος, ου, ὁ, iron. 14 μάρμαρος, ου, ὁ, marble. 15 κινάμωμον, ου, τό, cinnamon. 16 θυμίαμα, τος, τό, incense. 17 μύρον, ου, τό, ointment, perfume. 18 λίβανος, ου, ὁ, (the) Lebanon, incense. 19 ἔλαιον, ου, τό, olive oil. 20 σεμίδαλις, εως, ή, fine wheat flour. 21 σίτος, ου, ό, wheat, grain. 22 κτήγος, ους, τό, beast of burden. 23 ἵππος, ου, ὁ, horse. 24 βέδα, ης, ή, chariot, carriage. 25 ὁπώρα, ας, ή, fruit, autumn. 26 λιπαρός, bright, costly. 27 λαμπρός, bright, shining. 28 ἔμπορος, ου, ὁ, merchant, trader. 29 πλουτέω, be rich, become rich. 30 μακρόθεν, from afar, afar. 31 βασανισμός, οῦ, ὁ, torment, torture.

καὶ πενθοῦντες, καὶ λέγοντες, Οὐαί, οὐαί, ἡ πόλις ἡ 16 μεγάλη, ή περιβεβλημένη² βύσσινον³ καὶ πορφυροῦν⁴ καὶ κόκκινον, 5 καὶ κεχρυσωμένη 7ρυσίω καὶ λίθω τιμίω⁸ καὶ μαργαρίταις: ⁹ ὅτι μιᾶ ὥρα ἠρημώθη¹⁰ ὁ 17τοσοῦτος 11 πλοῦτος. 12 Καὶ πᾶς κυβερνήτης, 13 καὶ πᾶς ό ἐπὶ τόπον πλέων, 14 καὶ ναῦται, 15 καὶ ὅσοι τὴν θάλασσαν ἐργάζονται, ἀπὸ μακρόθεν¹6 ἔστησαν, καὶ 18 ἔκραζον, βλέποντες τὸν καπνὸν¹⁷ τῆς πυρώσεως 18 αὐτῆς, λέγοντες, Τίς ὁμοία τῆ πόλει τῆ μεγάλη; Καὶ 19 ἔβαλον γοῦν¹⁹ ἐπὶ τὰς κεφαλὰς αὐτῶν, καὶ ἔκραζον κλαίοντες καὶ πενθοῦντες καὶ λέγοντες, Οὐαί, οὐαί, ἡ πόλις ή μεγάλη, ἐν ή ἐπλούτησαν 20 πάντες οἱ ἔγοντες τὰ πλοῖα ἐν τῆ θαλάσση ἐκ τῆς τιμιότητος 21 αὐτῆς, ὅτι μιᾶ ὥρα ἠρημώθη. 10 Εὐφραίνου 22 ἐπ' αὐτῆ, οὐρανέ, 20καὶ οἱ ἄγιοι, καὶ οἱ ἀπόστολοι, καὶ οἱ προφῆται, ὅτι

¹ πενθέω, mourn, lament. ² περιβάλλω, put around, clothe. ³ βύσσινος, fine linen, of fine linen. ⁴ πορφυροῦς, purple. ⁵ κόκκινος, scarlet, crimson. ⁶ χρυσόω, gild, adorn with gold. ⁷ χρυσόον, ου, τό, gold, golden ornament. ⁸ τίμιος, precious, honorable. ⁹ μαργαρίτης, ου, ό, pearl. ¹⁰ ἐρημόω, destroy, strip. ¹¹ τοσοῦτος, so great, so much. ¹² πλοῦτος, ου, ό, wealth, riches. ¹³ κυβερνήτης, ου, ό, shipmaster, pilot. ¹⁴ πλέω, sail. ¹⁵ ναύτης, ου, ό, sailor, seaman. ¹⁶ μακρόθεν, from afar, afar. ¹⁷ καπνός, οῦ, ὁ, smoke. ¹⁸ πύρωσις, εως, ή, burning, burning ordeal. ¹⁹ χοῦς, ὁ, soil, dust. ²⁰ πλουτέω, be rich, become rich. ²¹ τιμιότης, ητος, ή, wealth, prosperity. ²² εὐφραίνω, rejoice, cheer.

ἔκρινεν ὁ θεὸς τὸ κρίμα¹ ὑμῶν ἐξ αὐτῆς.

Καὶ ἦρεν εἷς ἄγγελος ἰσχυρὸς 2 λίθον ώς μύλον μέγαν, 21 καὶ ἔβαλεν εἰς τὴν θάλασσαν, λέγων, όρμήματι⁴ βληθήσεται Βαβυλών⁵ ή μεγάλη πόλις, καὶ οὐ μὴ εὑρεθῆ ἔτι. Καὶ φωνὴ κιθαρωδῶν καὶ 22 μουσικών 7 καὶ αὐλητών 8 καὶ σαλπιστών 2 οὐ μὴ άκουσθῆ ἐν σοὶ ἔτι, καὶ πᾶς τεχνίτης $^{^{10}}$ πάσης τέχνης $^{^{11}}$ ού μὴ εύρεθῆ ἐν σοὶ ἔτι, καὶ φωνὴ μύλου³ οὐ μὴ άκουσθη ἐν σοὶ ἔτι, καὶ φῶς λύχνου 12 οὐ μὴ φανη ἐν 23σοὶ ἔτι, καὶ φωνὴ νυμφίου 13 καὶ νύμφης 14 οὐ μὴ άκουσθῆ ἐν σοὶ ἔτι: ὅτι οἱ ἔμποροί 15 σου ἦσαν οἱ μεγιστᾶνες 16 τῆς γῆς: ὅτι ἐν τῆ φαρμακεί a^{17} σου ἐπλανήθησαν πάντα τὰ ἔθνη. Καὶ ἐν αὐτῆ αἴματα 24 προφητών καὶ άγίων εύρέθη, καὶ πάντων τών ἐσφαγμένων 18 ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς.

¹ κρίμα, ος, τό, judgment, verdict. ² ἰσχυρός, strong, mighty. ³ μύλος, ου, ὁ, mill, millstone. ⁴ ὅρμημα, τος, τό, violent rush, violence. ⁵ Βαβυλών, Babylon. ⁶ κιθαρωβός, οῦ, ὁ, lyre-player, harpist. ⁷ μουσικός, οῦ, ὁ, musician, skilled in music. ⁸ αὐλητής, οῦ, ὁ, flute player, pipe player. ⁹ σαλπιστής, οῦ, ὁ, trumpeter. ¹⁰ τεχνίτης, ου, ὁ, craftsman, artisan. ¹¹ τέχνη, ης, ἡ, art, craft. ¹² λύχνος, ου, ὁ, lamp, lantern. ¹³ νυμφίος, ου, ὁ, bridegroom. ¹⁴ νύμφη, ης, ἡ, bride, young woman. ¹⁵ ἔμπορος, ου, ὁ, merchant, trader. ¹⁶ μεγιστάν, ᾶνος, ὁ, great man, magnate. ¹⁷ Φαρμακεία, ας, ἡ, sorcery, magic. ¹⁸ σφάζω, slay.

Μετὰ ταῦτα ἤκουσα ὡς φωνὴν μεγάλην ὄγλου πολλοῦ 19 έν τῷ οὐρανῷ, λεγόντων, Άλληλούϊα: ἡ σωτηρία καὶ ή δύναμις καὶ ή δόξα τοῦ θεοῦ ἡμῶν: ὅτι ἀληθιναὶ² καὶ 2 δίκαιαι αἱ κρίσεις αὐτοῦ: ὅτι ἔκρινεν τὴν πόρνην 3 τὴν μεγάλην, ήτις διέφθειρεν 4 την γην έν τη πορνεία 5 αὐτῆς, καὶ ἐξεδίκησεν τὸ αἷμα τῶν δούλων αὐτοῦ ἐκ χειρὸς αὐτῆς. Καὶ δεύτερον εἴρηκεν, Άλληλούϊα: καὶ 3 ό καπνὸς αὐτῆς ἀναβαίνει εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Καὶ ἔπεσον οἱ πρεσβύτεροι οἱ εἴκοσι⁸ 4 τέσσαρες, καὶ τὰ τέσσαρα ζῷα, καὶ προσεκύνησαν τῷ θεῷ τῷ καθημένω ἐπὶ τοῦ θρόνου, λέγοντες, Ἀμήν: Άλληλούϊα. Καὶ φωνὴ ἀπὸ τοῦ θρόνου ἐξῆλθεν, 5 λέγουσα, Αἰνεῖτε τον θεὸν ἡμῶν πάντες οἱ δοῦλοι αὐτοῦ, καὶ οἱ φοβούμενοι αὐτόν, οἱ μικροὶ καὶ οἱ μεγάλοι. Καὶ ἤκουσα ώς φωνὴν ὄχλου πολλοῦ, καὶ ώς 6 φωνήν ύδάτων πολλών, καὶ ώς φωνήν βροντών

¹ άλληλουϊά, hallelujah, praise Yahweh. ² άληθινός, true, genuine. ³ πόρνη, ης, ή, prostitute. ⁴ διαφθείρω, destroy utterly, spoil. ⁵ πορνεία, ας, ή, fornication, idolatry. ⁶ ἐκδικέω, vindicate, avenge. ⁷ καπνός, οῦ, ὁ, smoke. ⁸ εἴκοσι, twenty, 20. ⁹ ζῷον, ου, τό, living creature, animal. ¹⁰ αἰνέω, praise. ¹¹ βροντή, ους, ή, thunder.

ἰσχυρῶν, λέγοντες, Άλληλούϊα: ὅτι ἐβασίλευσεν³ κύριος ὁ θεὸς ἡμῶν ὁ παντοκράτωρ. 4 Χαίρωμεν καὶ 7 άγαλλιώμεθα,⁵ καὶ δῶμεν τὴν δόξαν αὐτῷ: ὅτι ἦλθεν ό γάμος τοῦ ἀρνίου, καὶ ἡ γυνὴ αὐτοῦ ἡτοίμασεν έαυτήν. Καὶ ἐδόθη αὐτῆ ἵνα περιβάληται⁷ βύσσινον⁸ 8 λαμπρὸν⁹ καὶ καθαρόν: 10 τὸ γὰρ βύσσινον τὰ δικαιώματα τῶν ἀγίων ἐστίν. Καὶ λέγει μοι, Γράψον, 9 Μακάριοι οἱ εἰς τὸ δεῖπνον 12 τοῦ γάμου τοῦ ἀρνίου κεκλημένοι. Καὶ λέγει μοι, Οὖτοι οἱ λόγοι ἀληθινοὶ 13 τοῦ θεοῦ εἰσιν. Καὶ ἔπεσα ἔμπροσθεν τῶν ποδῶν 10 αὐτοῦ προσκυνῆσαι αὐτῷ: καὶ λέγει μοι, "Όρα μή: σύνδουλός $^{^{14}}$ σου εἰμὶ καὶ τῶν ἀδελφῶν σου τῶν έχόντων τὴν μαρτυρίαν Ἰησοῦ: τῷ θεῷ προσκύνησον: ή γὰρ μαρτυρία τοῦ Ἰησοῦ ἐστὶν τὸ πνεῦμα τῆς προφητείας.15

¹ ἰσχυρός, strong, mighty. ² ἀλληλουϊά, hallelujah, praise Yahweh. ³ βασιλεύω, reign, rule. ⁴ παντοκράτωρ, ορος, ό, ruler of all, Almighty. ⁵ ἀγαλλιάω, rejoice, am full of joy. ⁶ γάμος, ου, ό, marriage, wedding. ⁷ περιβάλλω, put around, clothe. ⁸ βύσσινος, fine linen, of fine linen. ⁹ λαμπρός, bright, shining. ¹⁰ καθαρός, clean, pure. ¹¹ δικαίωμα, τος, τό, regulation, righteous deed. ¹² δείπνον, ου, τό, supper, dinner. ¹³ ἀληθινός, true, genuine. ¹⁴ σύνδουλος, ου, δ, fellow slave, fellow servant. ¹⁵ προφητεία, ας, ή, prophecy.

Καὶ εἶδον τὸν οὐρανὸν ἀνεωγμένον, καὶ ἰδού, ἵππος 1 11 λευκός, καὶ ὁ καθήμενος ἐπ' αὐτόν, καλούμενος πιστὸς καὶ ἀληθινός, καὶ ἐν δικαιοσύνη κρίνει καὶ πολεμεῖ. Οἱ δὲ ὀφθαλμοὶ αὐτοῦ φλὸξ⁵ πυρός, καὶ ἐπὶ 12 την κεφαλην αὐτοῦ διαδήματα πολλά: ἔγων ὀνόματα γεγραμμένα καὶ ὄνομα γεγραμμένον ὃ οὐδεὶς οἶδεν εἰ μὴ αὐτός, καὶ περιβεβλημένος [ίμάτιον βεβαμμένον 13 αἵματι: καὶ καλεῖται τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ, Ὁ λόγος τοῦ θεοῦ. Καὶ τὰ στρατεύματα 9 τὰ ἐν τῷ οὐρανῶ 14ἠκολούθει αὐτῶ ἐπὶ ἵπποις λευκοῖς, ἐνδεδυμένοι 10 βύσσινον 11 λευκὸν 2 καθαρόν. 12 Καὶ ἐκ τοῦ στόματος 15 αὐτοῦ ἐκπορεύεται ῥομφαία 13 δίστομος 14 ὀξεῖα, 15 ἵνα ἐν αὐτῆ πατάξη¹⁶ τὰ ἔθνη: καὶ αὐτὸς ποιμανεῖ¹⁷ αὐτοὺς έν ράβδω 18 σιδηρα 19 καὶ αὐτὸς πατε 20 τὴν ληνὸν 21 τοῦ οἴνου τοῦ θυμοῦ 22 τῆς ὀργῆς τοῦ θεοῦ τοῦ

¹ ὅππος, ου, ὁ, horse. ² λευκός, white, bright. ³ ἀληθινός, true, genuine. ⁴ πολεμέω, wage war, make war. ⁵ φλόξ, φλογός, ἡ, flame. ⁶ διάδημα, τος, τό, diadem, crown. ⊓ περιβάλλω, put around, clothe. ⁶ βάπτω, dip, dye. ⁰ στράτευμα, τος, τό, expedition, army. ¹0 ἐνδύω, put on, clothe. ¹¹ βύσσινος, fine linen, of fine linen. ¹² καθαρός, clean, pure. ¹³ ῥομφαία, ας, ἡ, sword, piercing grief. ¹⁴ δίστομος, two-edged. ¹⁵ ὀξύς, sharp, swift. ¹⁶ πατάσσω, strike, smite. ¹⁻ ποιμαίνω, shepherd, rule. ¹ఠ ῥάβδος, ου, ἡ, staff, rod. ¹⁰ σιδήρεος, made of iron. ²⁰ πατέω, tread or tread under foot, tread. ²¹ ληνός, οῦ, ἡ, wine press, winepress. ²² θυμός, ου, ὁ, wrath, outburst of passion.

παντοκράτορος. Καὶ ἔχει ἐπὶ τὸ ἱμάτιον καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν 16 μηρὸν αὐτοῦ ὄνομα γεγραμμένον, Βασιλεὺς βασιλέων καὶ κύριος κυρίων.

Καὶ εἶδον ἄγγελον έστῶτα ἐν τῷ ἡλίῳ: καὶ ἔκραξεν 17 φωνῆ μεγάλη, λέγων πᾶσιν τοῖς ὀρνέοις³ τοῖς πετομένοις⁴ ἐν μεσουρανήματι,⁵ Δεῦτε,⁶ συνάχθητε εἰς τὸ δεῖπνον⁻ τὸ μέγα τοῦ θεοῦ, ἵνα φάγητε σάρκας 18 βασιλέων, καὶ σάρκας χιλιάρχων,⁵ καὶ σάρκας ἰσχυρῶν,² καὶ σάρκας ἵππων¹0 καὶ τῶν καθημένων ἐπ' αὐτῶν, καὶ σάρκας πάντων, ἐλευθέρων¹¹ τε καὶ δούλων, καὶ μικρῶν τε καὶ μεγάλων.

Καὶ εἶδον τὸ θηρίον, καὶ τοὺς βασιλεῖς τῆς γῆς, καὶ τὰ 19
 στρατεύματα¹² αὐτῶν συνηγμένα ποιῆσαι πόλεμον¹³
 μετὰ τοῦ καθημένου ἐπὶ τοῦ ἵππου,¹⁰ καὶ μετὰ τοῦ
 στρατεύματος¹² αὐτοῦ. Καὶ ἐπιάσθη¹⁴ τὸ θηρίον, καὶ ὁ 20

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 $^{^1}$ παντοκράτωρ, ορος, ό, ruler of all, Almighty. 2 μηρός, οῦ, ὁ, thigh. 3 ὄρνεον, ου, τό, bird. 4 πέτομαι, fly. 5 μεσουράνημα, τος, τό, zenith, midheaven. 6 δεῦτε, come!. 7 δεῖπνον, ου, τό, supper, dinner. 8 χιλίαρχος, ου, ὁ, military tribune, captain. 9 ໄσχυρός, strong, mighty. 10 ἵππος, ου, ὁ, horse. 11 ἐλεύθερος, free, delivered from obligation. 12 στράτευμα, τος, τό, expedition, army. 13 πόλεμος, ου, ὁ, war, battle. 14 πιάζω, take, lay hold of.

μετ' αὐτοῦ ψευδοπροφήτης ό ποιήσας τὰ σημεῖα ἐνώπιον αὐτοῦ, ἐν οἷς ἐπλάνησεν τοὺς λαβόντας τὸ χάραγμα τοῦ θηρίου, καὶ τοὺς προσκυνοῦντας τῆ εἰκόνι ἀὐτοῦ: ζῶντες ἐβλήθησαν οἱ δύο εἰς τὴν λίμνην τοῦ πυρὸς τὴν καιομένην ἐν θείῳ: καὶ οἱ λοιποὶ 21 ἀπεκτάνθησαν ἐν τῆ ῥομφαίᾳ τοῦ καθημένου ἐπὶ τοῦ ἵππου, τῆ ἐξελθούση ἐκ τοῦ στόματος αὐτοῦ: καὶ πάντα τὰ ὄρνεα ἐχορτάσθησαν ὑ ἐκ τῶν σαρκῶν αὐτῶν.

Καὶ εἶδον ἄγγελον καταβαίνοντα ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ, 20 ἔχοντα τὴν κλεῖν¹¹ τῆς ἀβύσσου, ¹² καὶ ἄλυσιν¹³ μεγάλην ἐπὶ τὴν χεῖρα αὐτοῦ. Καὶ ἐκράτησεν τὸν 2 δράκοντα, ¹⁴ τὸν ὄφιν¹⁵ τὸν ἀρχαῖον, ¹⁶ ὅς ἐστιν διάβολος καὶ ὁ Σατανᾶς, ὁ πλανῶν τὴν οἰκουμένην ¹⁷ ὅλην, καὶ ἔδησεν αὐτὸν χίλια ¹⁸ ἔτη, καὶ ἔβαλεν αὐτὸν 3

¹ ψευδοπροφήτης, ου, ό, false prophet. ² χάραγμα, τος, τό, stamp, impress. ³ εἰκών, όνος, ἡ, image, likeness. ⁴λίμνη, ης, ἡ, lake. ⁵ καίω, burn, ignite. ⁶ θεῖον, ου, τό, sulfur, brimstone. ⁷ ῥομφαία, ας, ἡ, sword, piercing grief. ⁸ ἴππος, ου, ό, horse. ⁹ δρνεον, ου, τό, bird. ¹⁰ χορτάζω, eat until full, be filled. ¹¹ κλείς, κλειδός, ἡ, key. ¹² ἄβυσσος, ου, ἡ, bottomless, incomprehensible depth. ¹³ ἄλυσις, εως, ἡ, chain. ¹⁴ δράκων, οντος, ὁ, dragon, dragon or huge serpent. ¹⁵ ὄφις, εως, ὁ, snake, serpent. ¹⁶ ἀρχαῖος, old, ancient. ¹⁷ οἰκουμένη, ης, ἡ, inhabited world. ¹⁸ χίλιοι, thousand.

εἰς τὴν ἄβυσσον, ταὶ ἔκλεισεν καὶ ἐσφράγισεν ἐπάνω ἀτοῦ, ἵνα μὴ πλανᾳ ἔτι τὰ ἔθνη, ἄχρι τελεσθῆ τὰ χίλια ἔτη: καὶ μετὰ ταῦτα δεῖ αὐτὸν λυθῆναι μικρὸν χρόνον.

Καὶ εἶδον θρόνους, καὶ ἐκάθισαν ἐπ' αὐτούς, καὶ κρίμα ⁷ ἐδόθη αὐτοῖς: καὶ τὰς ψυχὰς τῶν πεπελεκισμένων ⁸ διὰ τὴν μαρτυρίαν Ἰησοῦ, καὶ διὰ τὸν λόγον τοῦ θεοῦ, καὶ οἴτινες οὐ προσεκύνησαν τὸ θηρίον, οὐδὲ τὴν εἰκόνα ⁹ αὐτοῦ, καὶ οὐκ ἔλαβον τὸ χάραγμα ¹⁰ ἐπὶ τὸ μέτωπον, ¹¹ καὶ ἐπὶ τὴν χεῖρα αὐτῶν: καὶ ἔζησαν, καὶ ἐβασίλευσαν ¹² μετὰ τοῦ χριστοῦ τὰ χίλια ⁶ ἔτη. Καὶ οἱ 5 λοιποὶ τῶν νεκρῶν οὐκ ἔζησαν ἄχρι τελεσθῆ ⁵ τὰ χίλια ⁶ ἔτη. Αὕτη ἡ ἀνάστασις ἡ πρώτη. Μακάριος καὶ ἄγιος 6 ὁ ἔχων μέρος ἐν τῆ ἀναστάσει τῆ πρώτη: ἐπὶ τούτων ὁ δεύτερος θάνατος οὐκ ἔχει ἐξουσίαν, ἀλλ' ἔσονται

¹ ἄβυσσος, ου, ή, bottomless, incomprehensible depth. ² κλείω, shut, shut up. ³ σφραγίζω, seal, set a seal upon. ⁴ ἐπάνω, above, over (gen). ⁵ τελέω, finish, fulfill. ⁶χίλιοι, thousand. ⁷ κρίμα, ος, τό, judgment, verdict. ⁸ πελεκίζω, behead, behead (with an ax). ⁹ εἰκών, όνος, ή, image, likeness. ¹⁰ χάραγμα, τος, τό, stamp, impress. ¹¹ μέτωπον, ου, τό, forehead. ¹² βασιλεύω, reign, rule.

ίερεῖς τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ τοῦ χριστοῦ, καὶ βασιλεύσουσιν¹ μετ' αὐτοῦ χίλια² ἔτη.

Καὶ ὅταν τελεσθῆ³ τὰ χίλια² ἔτη, λυθήσεται ὁ Σατανᾶς 7έκ τῆς φυλακῆς αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἐξελεύσεται πλανῆσαι τὰ 8 ἔθνη τὰ ἐν ταῖς τέσσαρσιν γωνίαις τῆς γῆς, τὸν Γ ὼγ καὶ τὸν Μαγώγ, 5 συναγαγεῖν αὐτοὺς εἰς τὸν πόλεμον:6 ὧν ὁ ἀριθμὸς 7 ὡς ἡ ἄμμος 8 τῆς θαλάσσης. Καὶ 9ἀνέβησαν ἐπὶ τὸ πλάτος τῆς γῆς, καὶ ἐκύκλωσαν 10 τὴν παρεμβολὴν τῶν ἁγίων καὶ τὴν πόλιν τὴν ήγαπημένην: καὶ κατέβη πῦρ ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ ἀπὸ τοῦ θεοῦ, καὶ κατέφαγεν 22 αὐτούς. Καὶ ὁ διάβολος ὁ 10 πλανών αὐτοὺς ἐβλήθη εἰς τὴν λίμνην 13 τοῦ πυρὸς καὶ θείου, 14 ὅπου καὶ τὸ θηρίον καὶ ὁ ψευδοπροφήτης: 15 καὶ βασανισθήσονται ήμέρας καὶ νυκτὸς εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

¹ βασιλεύω, reign, rule. ² χίλιοι, thousand. ³ τελέω, finish, fulfill. ⁴ γωνία, ας, ή, angle, corner. ⁵ Μαγώγ, ὁ, Magog. ⁶ πόλεμος, ου, ὁ, war, battle. ⁷ ἀριθμός, οῦ, ὁ, number, total. ⁸ ἄμμος, ου, ἡ, sand. ⁹ πλάτος, ους, τό, breadth, width. ¹⁰ κυκλόω, encircle, surround. ¹¹ παρεμβολή, ῆς, ἡ, camp, army. ¹² κατεσθίω, eat up, devour. ¹³ λίμνη, ης, ἡ, lake. ¹⁴ θεῖον, ου, τό, sulfur, brimstone. ¹⁵ ψευδοπροφήτης, ου, ὁ, false prophet. ¹⁶ βασανίζω, torment, torture.

Καὶ εἶδον θρόνον μέγαν λευκόν, καὶ τὸν καθήμενον ἐπ' 11 αὐτόν, οὖ ἀπὸ προσώπου ἔφυγεν² ἡ γῆ καὶ ὁ οὐρανός, καὶ τόπος οὐχ εὑρέθη αὐτοῖς. Καὶ εἶδον τοὺς νεκρούς, 12 τοὺς μεγάλους καὶ τοὺς μικρούς, ἐστῶτας ἐνώπιον τοῦ θρόνου, καὶ βιβλία ἠνεώγθησαν: καὶ ἄλλο βιβλίον ήνεώχθη, ὅ ἐστιν τῆς ζωῆς: καὶ ἐκρίθησαν οἱ νεκροὶ ἐκ τῶν γεγραμμένων ἐν τοῖς βιβλίοις, κατὰ τὰ ἔργα αὐτῶν. Καὶ ἔδωκεν ἡ θάλασσα τοὺς νεκροὺς 13 τοὺς ἐν αὐτῆ, καὶ ὁ Θάνατος καὶ ὁ Ἅδης³ ἔδωκαν τοὺς νεκρούς τούς ἐν αὐτοῖς: καὶ ἐκρίθησαν ἕκαστος κατὰ τὰ ἔργα αὐτῶν. Καὶ ὁ Θάνατος καὶ ὁ Ἅδης³ 14 έβλήθησαν εἰς τὴν λίμνην τοῦ πυρός: οὧτος ὁ θάνατος ὁ δεύτερός ἐστιν, ἡ λίμνη 4 τοῦ πυρός. Καὶ εἴ 15 τις οὐχ εὑρέθη ἐν τῷ βιβλίῳ τῆς ζωῆς γεγραμμένος, έβλήθη εἰς τὴν λίμνην τοῦ πυρός.

 $^{^{1}}$ λευκός, white, bright. 2 φεύγω, flee, escape. 3 Άδης, ου, δ, Hades. 4 λίμνη, ης, ή, lake.

Καὶ εἶδον οὐρανὸν καινὸν καὶ γῆν καινήν: ὁ γὰρ πρῶτος 21 οὐρανὸς καὶ ἡ πρώτη γῆ ἀπῆλθον, καὶ ἡ θάλασσα οὐκ ἔστιν ἔτι. Καὶ τὴν πόλιν τὴν ἁγίαν, Ἱερουσαλὴμ 2 καινήν, εἶδον καταβαίνουσαν ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ ἀπὸ τοῦ θεοῦ, ἡτοιμασμένην ώς νύμφην 1 κεκοσμημένην 2 τῶ άνδρὶ αὐτῆς. Καὶ ἤκουσα φωνῆς μεγάλης ἐκ τοῦ 3 οὐρανοῦ, λεγούσης, Ἰδού, ἡ σκηνὴ³ τοῦ θεοῦ μετὰ τῶν ἀνθρώπων, καὶ σκηνώσει μετ' αὐτῶν, καὶ αὐτοὶ λαὸς αὐτοῦ ἔσονται, καὶ αὐτὸς ὁ θεὸς ἔσται μετ' αὐτῶν: καὶ 4 έξαλείψει παν δάκρυον ἀπὸ τῶν ὀφθαλμῶν αὐτῶν, καὶ ὁ θάνατος οὐκ ἔσται ἔτι: οὔτε πένθος, σὔτε κραυγή, ούτε πόνος ούκ ἔσται ἔτι: ὅτι τὰ πρῶτα ἀπῆλθον. Καὶ εἶπεν ὁ καθήμενος ἐπὶ τῷ θρόνῳ, Ἰδού, 5 πάντα καινὰ ποιῶ. Καὶ λέγει μοι, Γράψον: ὅτι οὖτοι οἱ λόγοι άληθινοὶ 10 καὶ πιστοί εἰσιν. Καὶ εἶπέν μοι, 6 Γέγονα τὸ Ἄλφα¹¹ καὶ τὸ Ω , ¹² ἡ ἀρχὴ καὶ τὸ τέλος.

 $^{^1}$ νύμφη, ης, ή, bride, young woman. 2 κοσμέω, adorn, put into order. 3 σκηνή, ῆς, ή, tent, tabernacle. 4 σκηνόω, dwell, stay in a tent. 5 ἔξαλείφω, wipe out, erase. 6 δάκρυον, ου, τό, teardrop, a tear. 7 πένθος, ους, τό, mourning, sorrow. 8 κραυγή, ῆς, ή, outcry, crying. 9 πόνος, ου, ό, labor, toil. 10 ἀληθινός, true, genuine. 11 ἄλφα, τό, Alpha. 12 Ϫ, Oh! omega.

Έγὼ τῷ διψῶντι¹ δώσω ἐκ τῆς πηγῆς² τοῦ ὕδατος τῆς ζωῆς δωρεάν.³ Ὁ νικῶν⁴ κληρονομήσει⁵ ταῦτα, καὶ 7 ἔσομαι αὐτῷ θεός, καὶ αὐτὸς ἔσται μοι υίός. Τοῖς δὲ 8 δειλοῖς⁶ καὶ ἀπίστοις⁻ καὶ ἁμαρτωλοῖς καὶ ἐβδελυγμένοις⁵ καὶ φονεῦσινց καὶ πόρνοις¹ο καὶ φαρμάκοις¹١ καὶ εἰδωλολάτραις,¹² καὶ πᾶσιν τοῖς ψευδέσιν,¹³ τὸ μέρος αὐτῶν ἐν τῆ λίμνη¹⁴ τῆ καιομένη πυρὶ καὶ θείῳ,¹6 ὅ ἐστιν ὁ θάνατος ὁ δεύτερος.

Καὶ ἦλθεν εἶς ἐκ τῶν ἑπτὰ ἀγγέλων τῶν ἐχόντων τὰς 9
ἑπτὰ φιάλας ¹⁷ γεμούσας ¹⁸ τῶν ἑπτὰ πληγῶν ¹⁹ τῶν ἐσχάτων, καὶ ἐλάλησεν μετ' ἐμοῦ, λέγων, Δεῦρο, ²⁰
δείξω σοι τὴν γυναῖκα τὴν νύμφην ²¹ τοῦ ἀρνίου. Καὶ 10
ἀπήνεγκέν ²² με ἐν πνεύματι ἐπ' ὅρος μέγα καὶ ὑψηλόν,
καὶ ἔδειξέν μοι τὴν πόλιν τὴν μεγάλην, τὴν ἀγίαν

¹ διψάω, thirst, thirst for. ² πηγή, ῆς, ἡ, spring, fountain. ³ δωρεάν, without cost, without cause. ⁴ νικάω, overcome, conquer. ⁵ κληρονομέω, inherit, obtain. ⁶ δειλός, cowardly, timid. ⁷ ἄπιστος, unbelieving, faithless. ⁸ βδελύσσομαι, detest, abhor. ⁹ φονεύς, έως, ὁ, murderer. ¹⁰ πόρνος, ου, ὁ, fornicator, immoral person. ¹¹ φάρμακος, ου, ὁ, sorcerer, magician. ¹² εἰδωλολάτρης, ου, ὁ, image worshiper, idolater. ¹³ ψευδής, false, lying. ¹⁴λίμνη, ης, ἡ, lake. ¹⁵ καίω, burn, ignite. ¹⁶ θεῖον, ου, τό, sulfur, brimstone. ¹⁷ φιάλη, ης, ἡ, cup, bowl. ¹⁸ γέμω, fill, am full of. ¹⁹ πληγή, ῆς, ἡ, blow, wound. ²⁰ δεῦρο, until now, come here! ²¹ νύμφη, ης, ἡ, bride, young woman. ²² ἀποφέρω, carry off, bear away. ²³ ὑψηλός, high, lofty.

Ίερουσαλήμ, καταβαίνουσαν ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ ἀπὸ τοῦ θεοῦ, ἔχουσαν τὴν δόξαν τοῦ θεοῦ: ὁ φωστὴρ αὐτῆς 11 όμοιος λίθω τιμιωτάτω, ώς λίθω ἰάσπιδι³ κρυσταλλίζοντι: έχουσα τεῖχος μέγα καὶ ὑψηλόν, 12 ἔγουσα πυλώνας δώδεκα, καὶ ἐπὶ τοῖς πυλώσι v^7 άγγέλους δώδεκα, καὶ ὀνόματα ἐπιγεγραμμένα,⁸ ἄ έστιν ὀνόματα τῶν δώδεκα φυλῶν τῶν υίῶν Ἰσραήλ. 13 7 Απὸ ἀνατολῶν, 7 πυλῶνες τρεῖς: καὶ ἀπὸ βορρᾶ, 10 πυλώνες τρεῖς: καὶ ἀπὸ νότου, 11 πυλώνες τρεῖς: καὶ άπὸ δυσμῶν, 12 πυλῶνες τρεῖς. Καὶ τὸ τεῖχος τῆς 14πόλεως ἔγον θεμελίους 13 δώδεκα, καὶ ἐπ' αὐτῶν δώδεκα ὀνόματα τῶν δώδεκα ἀποστόλων τοῦ ἀρνίου. 15 Kαὶ ὁ λαλῶν μετ' ἐμοῦ εἶχεν μέτρον 14 κάλαμον 15 χρυσοῦν, 16 ἵνα μετρήση 17 τὴν πόλιν, καὶ τοὺς πυλῶνας αὐτῆς, καὶ τὸ τεῖχος⁵ αὐτῆς. Καὶ ἡ πόλις τετράγωνος 16

 $^{^1}$ φωστήρ, ῆρος, δ, star, light. 2 τίμιος, precious, honorable. 3 ἴασπις, ιδος, ή, jasper (a translucent stone), jasper. 4 κρυσταλλίζω, shine like crystal. 5 τεῖχος, ους, τό, wall. 6 ὑψηλός, high, lofty. 7 πυλών, ῶνος, δ, vestibule, gateway. 8 ἐπιγράφω, write upon, inscribe. 9 ἀνατολή, ῆς, ή, east, dawn. 10 βορρᾶς, ᾶ, δ, north, north wind. 11 νότος, ου, δ, south wind, south. 12 δυσμή, ῆς, ή, the western region. 13 θεμέλιος, ου, δ, foundation. 14 μέτρον, ου, τό, measure, measuring rod. 15 κάλαμος, ου, δ, reed, reed-pen. 16 χρυσοῦς, golden. 17 μετρέω, measure, estimate. 18 τετράγωνος, four cornered, rectangle.

κεῖται, 1 καὶ τὸ μῆκος 2 αὐτῆς ὅσον τὸ πλάτος. 3 Καὶ ἐμέτρησεν⁴ τὴν πόλιν τῷ καλάμῳ⁵ ἐπὶ σταδίους⁶ δώδεκα χιλιάδων: δώδεκα τὸ μῆκος καὶ τὸ πλάτος καὶ τὸ ὕψος 8 αὐτῆς ἴσα 9 ἐστίν. Καὶ ἐμέτρησεν 4 τὸ 17τεῖχος 10 αὐτῆς ἑκατὸν 11 τεσσαράκοντα 12 τεσσάρων πηχων, ¹³ μέτρον ¹⁴ ἀνθρώπου, ὅ ἐστιν ἀγγέλου. Καὶ ἦν 18 ή ἐνδόμησις $^{^{15}}$ τοῦ τείχους $^{^{10}}$ αὐτῆς, ἴασπις: $^{^{16}}$ καὶ ἡ πόλις χρυσίον 17 καθαρόν, 18 ὅμοιον ὑέλ $ω^{19}$ καθαρ $\tilde{ω}$. 18 19 Οἱ θεμέλιοι 20 τοῦ τείχους 10 τῆς πόλεως παντὶ λίθω τιμί φ^{21} κεκοσμημένοι. ²² O θεμέλιος ²⁰ δ πρῶτος, ἴασπις: 16 ὁ δεύτερος, σάπφειρος: 23 ὁ τρίτος, χαλκηδών: ό τέταρτος,²⁵ σμάραγδος:²⁶ ό πέμπτος,²⁷ σαρδόνυξ:²⁸ ό 20 ἕκτος,²⁹ σάρδιον:³⁰ ὁ ἕβδομος,³¹ χρυσόλιθος:³² ὁ ὄγδοος, βήρυλλος: 34 ὁ ἔνατος, 35 τοπάζιον: 36 ὁ δέκατος, 37

 $^{^1}$ κεῖμαι, lie, be laid. 2 μῆκος, ους, τό, length. 3 πλάτος, ους, τό, breadth, width. 4 μετρέω, measure, estimate. 5 κάλαμος, ου, δ, reed, reed-pen. 6 στάδιον, οῦ, τό, stadia, length of a stadium. 7 χιλιάς, άδος, ἡ, thousand. 8 ὕψος, ους, τό, height, heaven. 9 ἴσος, equal, identical. 10 τεῖχος, ους, τό, wall. 11 ἐκατόν, hundred, 100. 12 τεσσαράκοντα, forty, 40. 13 πῆχυς, εως, δ, cubit. 14 μέτρον, ου, τό, measure, measuring rod. 15 ἐνδόμησις, εως, ἡ, material of a building, structure. 16 ἴασπις, ιδος, ἡ, jasper (a translucent stone), jasper. 17 χρυσίον, ου, τό, gold, golden ornament. 18 καθαρός, clean, pure. 19 ὅαλος, ου, ἡ, crystal, glass. 20 θεμέλιος, ου, ὁ, foundation. 21 τίμιος, precious, honorable. 22 κοσμέω, adorn, put into order. 23 σάπφειρος, ου, ἡ, sapphire. 24 χαλκηδών, όνος, ὁ, chalcedony. 25 τέταρτος, fourth. 26 σμάραγδος, ου, ὁ, emerald. 27 πέμπτος, fifth. 28 σαρδόνυξ, υχος, ὁ, sardonyx. 29 ἔκτος, sixth. 30 σάρδιον, ου, τό, carnelian, sardian stone. 31 ἔβδομος, seventh. 32 χρυσόλιθος, ου, ὁ, yellow topaz, chrysolite. 33 δγδοος, eighth. 34 βήρυλλος, ου, ὁ, beryl. 35 ἔνατος, ninth. 36 τοπάζιον, ου, τό, topaz. 37 δέκατος, tenth.

γρυσόπρασος: ό ένδέκατος, ύάκινθος: ό δωδέκατος, ἀμέθυσος. 5 Καὶ οἱ δώδεκα πυλῶνες. 6 δώδεκα 21 μαργαρῖται: 7 ἀνὰ 8 εἷς ἕκαστος τῶν πυλώνων 6 ἦν ἐξ ένὸς μαργαρίτου: ταὶ ἡ πλατεῖα τῆς πόλεως χρυσίον καθαρόν. 11 ώς ὕελος 12 διαυγής. Καὶ ναὸν οὐκ εἶδον ἐν 22 αὐτῆ: ὁ γὰρ κύριος ὁ θεὸς ὁ παντοκράτωρ¹³ ναὸς αὐτῆς έστίν, καὶ τὸ ἀρνίον. Καὶ ἡ πόλις οὐ χρείαν ἔχει τοῦ 23 ήλίου, οὐδὲ τῆς σελήνης, 14 ἵνα φαίνωσιν αὐτῆ: ἡ γὰρ δόξα τοῦ θεοῦ ἐφώτισεν 15 αὐτήν, καὶ ὁ λύγνος 16 αὐτῆς τὸ ἀρνίον. Καὶ περιπατήσουσιν τὰ ἔθνη διὰ τοῦ φωτὸς 24 αὐτῆς: καὶ οἱ βασιλεῖς τῆς γῆς φέρουσιν αὐτῷ δόξαν καὶ τιμὴν τῶν ἐθνῶν εἰς αὐτήν. Καὶ οἱ πυλῶνες αὐτῆς 25 ού μὴ κλεισθῶσιν 17 ἡμέρας – νὺξ γὰρ οὐκ ἔσται ἐκεῖ καὶ οἴσουσιν τὴν δόξαν καὶ τὴν τιμὴν τῶν ἐθνῶν εἰς
 26 αὐτήν: καὶ οὐ μὴ εἰσέλθη εἰς αὐτὴν πᾶν κοινόν, 18 καὶ 27 ποιοῦν βδέλυγμα¹⁹ καὶ Ψεῦδος: 20 εἰ μὴ οἱ γεγραμμένοι

¹χρυσόπρασος, ου, ὁ, chrysoprase. ² ἐνδέκατος, eleventh. ³ ὑάκινθος, ου, ὁ, jacinth, hyacinth. ⁴ δωδέκατος, twelfth. ⁵ ἀμέθυστος, ἡ, amethyst. ⁶πυλών, ῶνος, ὁ, vestibule, gateway. ⁷ μαργαρίτης, ου, ὁ, pearl. ⁸ ἀνά, upwards, upon. ⁹ πλατεῖα, ας, ἡ, street. ¹⁰ χρυσίον, ου, τό, gold, golden ornament. ¹¹ καθαρός, clean, pure. ¹² ὕαλος, ου, ἡ, crystal, glass. ¹³ παντοκράτωρ, ορος, ὁ, ruler of all, Almighty. ¹⁴ σελήνη, ης, ἡ, moon. ¹⁵ φωτίζω, give light, enlighten. ¹⁶ λύχνος, ου, ὁ, lamp, lantern. ¹⁷ κλείω, shut, shut up. ¹⁸ κοινός, common, unclean. ¹⁹ βδέλυγμα, τος, τό, detestable thing, abomination. ²⁰ ψεῦδος, ους, τό, lie.

έν τῷ βιβλίῳ τῆς ζωῆς τοῦ ἀρνίου.

Καὶ ἔδειξέν μοι ποταμὸν καθαρὸν ύδατος ζωῆς, 22 λαμπρὸν³ ώς κρύσταλλον, έκπορευόμενον έκ τοῦ θρόνου τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ τοῦ ἀρνίου. Ἐν μέσω τῆς 2 πλατείας αὐτῆς, καὶ τοῦ ποταμοῦ έντεῦθεν καὶ ἐκεῖθεν, ⁷ ξύλον ⁸ ζωῆς, ποιοῦν καρποὺς δώδεκα, κατὰ μῆνα ἔκαστον ἀποδιδοὺς τὸν καρπὸν αὐτοῦ: καὶ τὰ φύλλα 10 τοῦ ξύλου 8 εἰς θεραπείαν 11 τῶν ἐθνῶν. Καὶ 3πᾶν κατάθεμα 12 οὐκ ἔσται ἔτι: καὶ ὁ θρόνος τοῦ θεοῦ καὶ τοῦ ἀρνίου ἐν αὐτῆ ἔσται: καὶ οἱ δοῦλοι αὐτοῦ λατρεύσουσιν 13 αὐτῷ, καὶ ὄψονται τὸ πρόσωπον 4αὐτοῦ: καὶ τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τῶν μετώπων 14 αὐτῶν. 5Καὶ νὺξ οὐκ ἔσται ἐκεῖ, καὶ χρείαν οὐκ ἔχουσιν λύχνου καὶ φωτὸς ἡλίου, ὅτι κύριος ὁ θεὸς φωτιεῖ αὐτούς: καὶ βασιλεύσουσιν 17 εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

Καὶ λέγει μοι, Οὖτοι οἱ λόγοι πιστοὶ καὶ ἀληθινοί: 8 καὶ 6

¹ ποταμός, οῦ, ὁ, river, stream. ² καθαρός, clean, pure. ³λαμπρός, bright, shining. ⁴ κρύσταλλος, ου, ὁ, rock-crystal, crystal. ⁵ πλατεῖα, ας, ἡ, street. ⁶ ἐντεῦθεν, hence, on each side. ⁷ ἐκεῦθεν, from there, from that place. ⁸ ξύλον, ου, τό, wood, tree. ⁹ μἡν, ὁ, month, certainly. ¹⁰ φύλλον, ου, τό, leaf. ¹¹ θεραπεία, ας, ἡ, treatment, healing. ¹² κατάθεμα, τος, τό, accursed thing, curse. ¹³ λατρεύω, serve, worship. ¹⁴ μέτωπον, ου, τό, forehead. ¹⁵ λύχνος, ου, ὁ, lamp, lantern. ¹⁶ φωτίζω, give light, enlighten. ¹⁷ βασιλεύω, reign, rule. ¹⁸ ἀληθινός, true, genuine.

κύριος ὁ θεὸς τῶν πνευμάτων τῶν προφητῶν ἀπέστειλεν τὸν ἄγγελον αὐτοῦ δεῖξαι τοῖς δούλοις αὐτοῦ ἃ δεῖ γενέσθαι ἐν τάχει. ¹ Καὶ ἰδού, ἔρχομαι ταχύ. 7 Μακάριος ὁ τηρῶν τοὺς λόγους τῆς προφητείας³ τοῦ βιβλίου τούτου.

Κάγω Ἰωάννης ὁ ἀκούων καὶ βλέπων ταῦτα. Καὶ ὅτε 8 ἤκουσα καὶ ἔβλεψα, ἔπεσον προσκυνῆσαι ἔμπροσθεν τῶν ποδῶν τοῦ ἀγγέλου τοῦ δεικνύοντός μοι ταῦτα. 9 Καὶ λέγει μοι, "Όρα μή: σύνδουλός πού εἰμι, καὶ τῶν ἀδελφῶν σου τῶν προφητῶν, καὶ τῶν τηρούντων τοὺς λόγους τοῦ βιβλίου τούτου: τῷ θεῷ προσκύνησον.

Καὶ λέγει μοι, Μὴ σφραγίσης τοὺς λόγους τῆς 10 προφητείας τοῦ βιβλίου τούτου: ὁ καιρὸς γὰρ ἐγγύς ἐστιν. Ὁ ἀδικῶν ἀδικησάτω ἔτι: καὶ ὁ ῥυπαρὸς 11 ἡυπαρευθήτω ἔτι: καὶ ὁ δίκαιος δικαιοσύνην

¹ τάχος, ους, τό, speed, quickness. ² ταχύ, quickly, speedily. ³ προφητεία, ας, ή, prophecy. ⁴ σύνδουλος, ου, ό, fellow slave, fellow servant. ⁵ σφραγίζω, seal, set a seal upon. ⁶ άδικέω, do wrong, harm. ⁷ ρυπαρός, filthy, soiled.

ποιησάτω ἔτι: καὶ ὁ ἄγιος ἁγιασθήτω¹ ἔτι. Ἰδού, 12 ἔρχομαι ταχύ,² καὶ ὁ μισθός³ μου μετ' ἐμοῦ, ἀποδοῦναι ἑκάστῳ ὡς τὸ ἔργον ἔσται αὐτοῦ. Ἐγὼ τὸ 13 Ἄλφα⁴ καὶ τὸ Ὁ,⁵ ὁ πρῶτος καὶ ὁ ἔσχατος, ἡ ἀρχὴ καὶ τὸ τέλος. Μακάριοι οἱ ποιοῦντες τὰς ἐντολὰς αὐτοῦ, 14 ἵνα ἔσται ἡ ἐξουσία αὐτῶν ἐπὶ τὸ ξύλον⁴ τῆς ζωῆς, καὶ τοῖς πυλῶσιν⁻ εἰσέλθωσιν εἰς τὴν πόλιν. Ἔξω οἱ κύνες 15 καὶ οἱ φαρμακοὶ⁰ καὶ οἱ πόρνοι¹ο καὶ οἱ φονεῖς¹¹ καὶ οἱ εἰδωλολάτραι,¹² καὶ πᾶς φιλῶν¹³ καὶ ποιῶν ψεῦδος.¹⁴

Έγὼ Ἰησοῦς ἔπεμψα τὸν ἄγγελόν μου μαρτυρῆσαι ὑμῖν 16
ταῦτα ἐπὶ ταῖς ἐκκλησίαις. Ἐγώ εἰμι ἡ ῥίζα¹⁵ καὶ τὸ
γένος ¹⁶ Δαυίδ, ὁ ἀστὴρ ¹⁷ ὁ λαμπρὸς ¹⁸ ὁ πρωϊνός. ¹⁹

Καὶ τὸ πνεῦμα καὶ ἡ νύμφη²⁰ λέγουσιν, "Ερχου. Καὶ ὁ 17
 ἀκούων εἰπάτω, "Ερχου. Καὶ ὁ διψῶν²¹ ἐρχέσθω: ὁ

¹ ἀγιάζω, make holy, consecrate. ² ταχύ, quickly, speedily. ³ μισθός, οῦ, ὁ, wages, reward. ⁴ ἄλφα, τό, Alpha. ⁵ ὡ, Oh! omega. ⁶ξύλον, ου, τό, wood, tree. ⁻ πυλών, ὧνος, ὁ, vestibule, gateway. ² κύων, ος, ὁ, dog. ² φάρμακος, ου, ὁ, sorcerer, magician. ¹⁰ πόρνος, ου, ὁ, fornicator, immoral person. ¹¹ φονεύς, έως, ὁ, murderer. ¹² εἰδωλολάτρης, ου, ὁ, image worshiper, idolater. ¹³ φιλέω, love, kiss. ¹⁴ ψεῦδος, ους, τό, lie. ¹⁵ ῥίζα, ης, ή, root, that which grows from the root. ¹⁶γένος, ους, τό, race, kind. ¹⁻ ἀστήρ, ος, ὁ, star. ¹² λαμπρός, bright, shining. ¹² πρωϊνός, early, belonging to the morning. ²⁰ νύμφη, ης, ή, bride, young woman. ²¹ διψάω, thirst, thirst for.

θέλων λαβέτω ύδωρ ζωῆς δωρεάν.1

Μαρτυρῶ ἐγὼ παντὶ τῷ ἀκούοντι τοὺς λόγους τῆς 18 προφητείας² τοῦ βιβλίου τούτου, ἐάν τις ἐπιθῃ ἐπ' αὐτά, ἐπιθήσαι ὁ θεὸς ἐπ' αὐτὸν τὰς πληγὰς³ τὰς γεγραμμένας ἐν τῷ βιβλίῳ τούτῳ: καὶ ἐάν τις ἀφέλῃ⁴ 19 ἀπὸ τῶν λόγων τοῦ βιβλίου τῆς προφητείας² ταύτης, ἀφέλοι⁴ ὁ θεὸς τὸ μέρος αὐτοῦ ἀπὸ τοῦ ξύλου⁵ τῆς ζωῆς, καὶ ἐκ τῆς πόλεως τῆς ἁγίας, τῶν γεγραμμένων ἐν τῷ βιβλίῳ τούτῳ.

Λέγει ὁ μαρτυρῶν ταῦτα, Ναί, ἔρχομαι ταχύ. ἡ Άμήν. 20 Ναί, ἔρχου, κύριε Ἰησοῦ.

Ή χάρις τοῦ κυρίου Ἰησοῦ χριστοῦ μετὰ πάντων τῶν 21 ἀγίων. Ἀμήν.

 $^{^1}$ δωρεάν, without cost, without cause. 2 προφητεία, ας, ή, prophecy. 3 πληγή, ής, ή, blow, wound. 4 ἀφαιρέω, take away, smite off. 5 ξύλον, ου, τό, wood, tree. 6 ταχύ, quickly, speedily.