Ch 5 We see the Scroll in right hand of Him who sits upon throne (title deed to earth)—Lamb slain took scroll loosed seals (OT, NT saints in heaven singing song of redemption). Ch 6 judgment begins w/ the breaking of the 7 seals-1st Antichrist appears, 2nd war breaks out, 3rd famine, 4th death, 5th martyrdom 6th Cosmic calamity. Before 7th a pause, parenthesis 144,000 Jewish remnant sealed resulting in great revival of tribulation saints. Breaking of 7th seal begins Ch 8

1 When the Lamb broke the seventh seal, there was silence in heaven for about half an hour.

Ladies got there later.....It is a long time depending on circumstances. If pause a sermon 1 minute Or Jury before verdict-guilt/innocence—But time to think about repentance-Pharaoh repented when pressure was on but afterwards he went back to old ways. Heaven is full of worship ½ hour silence between songs is a long time. Why silence? Not sure—but know it's a calm before storm? Anticipation of what's coming? Sinners are in the balance "is it <u>God</u> or <u>natural</u> event."

The steps of God from mercy to judgment are always slow, reluctant & measured. Sinners think natural phenomenon not recognize Gods judgment-God's wake up call.

2 And I saw the seven angels who stand before God, and seven trumpets were given to them.

7 Angels <u>appointed</u> & <u>directed</u> by God <u>standing</u> in prominent place <u>Lk1:19 I</u> am Gabriel who stands in the presence of God....' w/ trumpets to carry out judgment--sound alarm--warning calls--terror alert (four sevens-<u>seals</u>, <u>trumpets</u>, <u>thunders</u>, <u>bowls-final</u> 7th-'it's done')

Trumpets in scripture for <u>public assembly</u> (OT), <u>soldiers to battle</u>, <u>feast</u>

<u>days</u> Nu 10:2-10, <u>giving law</u>, <u>king anointed</u>, <u>Jericho</u>. *Gods voice like a trumpet*1:10 <u>Rapture</u> 1Thes 4:16

3 Another angel came and stood at the altar, holding a golden censer; and much incense was given to him, so that he might add it to the prayers of all the saints on the golden altar which was before the throne. 4 And the smoke of the incense ascended from the angel's hand with the prayers of the saints before God. 5 Then the angel took the censer and filled it with the fire of the altar, and hurled it to the earth; and there were peals of thunder and sounds, and flashes of lightning and an earthquake.

Picture of prayer of saints from heavens point of view—OT priests fill-burn incense in golden censer in temple & tabernacle--smoke fill & ascend—Picture of heaven—Moses told to make E exact H. Altar 7x's-Angel represents Jesus in office HP 'He ever lives to make intercessions' OT angel of Jehovah is Christ Ex 3:2 And the angel of the LORD appeared to him in a blazing fire from the midst of a bush; 1Ki 19:7 And the angel of the LORD came again a second time and touched him and said, "Arise, eat, because the journey is too great for you."; Is37:36 Then the angel of the LORD went out, and struck 185,000 in the camp of the Assyrians;

Incense divine formula *Ex 30:34-38* Then the LORD said to Moses, "Take for yourself spices, stacte & onycha & galbanum, spices with pure frankincense; there shall be an equal part of each. 35"And with it you shall make incense,... 38 "Whoever shall make any like it, to use as perfume, shall be cut off from his people." Not for common use--four spices stacte(Gum resin), onycha, (red sea aromatic mollusk) galbanum(plant extract), frankincense(aromatic resin)—speaks of perfection of Christ and prayers prayed.

Prayers-6:10 'how long oh Lord refrain judging & avenging our blood' These are prayers for justice & judgment--prayers all the way back Abel's blood crying from ground—cold cases--now answered. These prayers are the final consummation of all prayers, 'Thy kingdom come Thy will be done on earth....' All injustices are now dealt w/ -- those who defy God & blaspheme His name, persecute saints, are now reap what sowed.

Imprecatory Psalms Ps 94 fulfilled. The end of mans rule apart from Godhuman history of sin & self rule <u>ceases</u>—a world w/o God, <u>build back better</u> fantasy, Utopian society w/o a savior. Life w/o the Lord. Can we hasten Christ return? **22:20** He who testifies to these things says, "Yes, I am coming quickly." Amen. Come, Lord Jesus. Our prayer

6 And the seven angels who had the seven trumpets prepared themselves to sound them. 7 The first sounded, and there was hail and fire mixed with blood, and it was hurled to the earth; and a third of the earth was burned up, and a third of the trees were burned up, and all the green grass was burned up.

First of four judgments are on <u>land</u>, <u>sea</u>, <u>fresh water</u>, <u>heavens/cosmos-atmosphere</u>—When the creation is taken out of God's hand & man takes God place judgment comes by natural disasters <u>not</u> <u>climate change</u>.

<u>Ecological ruin</u>, <u>environmental nightmare</u> begins w/ mans <u>save the planet</u> <u>mentality</u> usurping position of God's sovereign rule of His creation. <u>First</u> by creating fear--<u>global warning</u>, climate change so <u>Solar Geoengineering</u>.

In 2031, 17 years after an attempt to stop global warming via stratospheric aerosol injection catastrophically backfires and creates a new ice age, the remnants of humanity have taken to a self-sustaining circumnavigational train, the Snowpiercer, run by reclusive transportation magnate Wilford. Oligarch of today

1/3 trees-all vegetation, green grass—judgment upon nature worship, Gaia, mother earth, green new deal—10th judgment on Egypt Ex 9:23-25 Moses stretched out his staff toward the sky, and the LORD sent thunder and hail, and fire ran down to the earth. And the LORD rained hail on the land of Egypt. 24 So there was hail, and fire flashing continually in the midst of the hail, very severe, such as had not been in all the land of Egypt since it became a nation. 25 And the hail struck all that was in the field through all the land of Egypt, both man and beast; the hail also struck every plant of the field and shattered every tree of the field. affects all food supply Hail, fire--electrical storm? Or 6/30/1908 Impact event Tunguska Russia

The **Tunguska event** was a 12 <u>megaton explosion</u> that occurred near the Tunguska river in <u>Russia</u>, at 7:17 am the morning of June 30, 1908. The explosion over the sparsely populated area of Eastern Siberian flattened an estimated 80 million trees over an area of 830 sq mi of forest. The explosion is generally attributed to a <u>meteor air burst</u> the atmospheric explosion of a stony <u>asteroid</u> about 160–200 feet in size. The asteroid approached from the east-southeast, and likely with a relatively high speed of about 60,000 mph. It is classified as an <u>impact event</u>, even though no <u>impact crater</u> has been found; the object is thought to have disintegrated at an altitude of 3 to 6 miles rather

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than having hit the surface of the Earth. An explosion of this magnitude would be capable of destroying a large <u>metropolitan area</u>.

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8 The second angel sounded, and something like a great mountain burning with fire was hurled into the sea; and a third of the sea became blood, 9 and a third of the creatures which were in the sea and had life, died; and a third of the ships were destroyed.

6:13 'stars in sky fell to the earth' A single object like great mountain w/ fiery trail fell to earth. NASA –scan for 'impact event' threats using 'wide-field inferred survey explorer tool tow inferred scan of the entire celestial sky Jan 2010-Feb 2011 looking for asteroids and comets that could potentially destroy cities called 'planet killers' 'mountain sized asteroids near earth. 2022 NASA's asteroid monitoring system has been upgraded so that it can scan the entire night sky once every 24 hours for potentially hazardous space rocks that are heading our way.

1/3 sea creatures die--1/3 ships sink (Asteroid-tsunami)

10 The third angel sounded, and a great star fell from heaven, burning like a torch, and it fell on a third of the rivers and on the springs of waters. 11 The star is named Wormwood; and a third of the waters became wormwood, and many people died from the waters because they were made bitter.

1/3 fresh water poisoned – many die-judgment on our death culture (Newsom)-vegetation, sea creatures, fresh water – ecological disaster EPA, radical environmentalist can't save from Gods judgment. They tyrannize people w/ deluded idea that they can.

12 The fourth angel sounded, and a third of the sun, a third of the moon, and a third of the stars were struck, so that a third of them would be darkened and the day would not shine for a third of it, and the night in the same way.

1/3 sun, moon, stars darkened---1/3 day and night (stars, moon) not shine, black outs. Where there is burning & earth pummeled w/ debris there is smoke, dust clouds & ash circling the atmosphere. We take for granted cycles God gave us sun rise sun set, tides, water cycle, seasons. But now

all is interrupted and nature goes berserk – hurricanes, earthquakes, tornados, tsunami—either man is humbled and seeks God *Ps 78:34 'When He killed them then they sought the Lord'* or harden heart as Pharaoh.

Astroid in Russia 2/15/2013 50 x's speed of sound, 41,000 mph, 20-30 x's energy atomic device on Hiroshima. Another the size of half football field passed between earth and moon, lower than satellites. Simulation hitting earth. Siberia 770 hundreds sq miles burnt forest

13 Then I looked, and I heard an eagle flying in mid-heaven, saying with a loud voice, "Woe, woe, woe to those who live on the earth, because of the remaining blasts of the trumpet of the three angels who are about to sound!"

Increase in intensity in judgments— I take no pleasure in the death of the wicked but rather that the wicked turn from his evil ways and live. Turn back, turn back from your evil ways, why then will you die Ez 33:11

1Thes 1:10 and to wait for His Son from heaven, whom He raised from the dead, that is Jesus, who delivers us from the wrath to come., 5:9 For God has not destined us for wrath, but for obtaining salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ,;

Rom 5:9 Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from the wrath of God through Him.;

Lk 21:36 "But keep on the alert at all times, praying in order that you may have strength to escape all these things that are about to take place, and to stand before the Son of Man.";

Jn 10:27-29 27"My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me; 28and I give eternal life to them, and they shall never perish; and no one shall snatch them out of My hand. 29"My Father, who has given them to Me, is greater than all; and no one is able to snatch them out of the Father's hand. 30"I and the Father are one.";

Ez 18:32 32"For I have no pleasure in the death of anyone who dies," declares the Lord GOD. "Therefore, repent and live."

.....Jer 8:20 "The harvest is past, the summer has ended, and we are not saved."