

Bible Study

#2 The Kingdoms Revealed

- Daniel 7:1 In the first year of Belshazzar king of Babylon Daniel had a dream and visions of his head upon his bed: then he wrote the dream, and told the sum of the matters.
- Daniel 7:2 Daniel spake and said, I saw in my vision by night, and, behold, the **four winds of the heaven strove upon the great sea.**
- Daniel 7:3 And **four great beasts came up from the sea**, diverse one from another.
- Daniel 7:4 The **first was like a lion**, and had **eagle's wings**: I beheld till the wings thereof were plucked, and it was lifted up from the earth, and made stand upon the feet as a man, and a man's heart was given to it.
- Daniel 7:5 And behold another beast, **a second, like to a bear**, and it **raised up itself on one side**, and it had **three ribs in the mouth of it between the teeth of it**: and they said thus unto it, Arise, devour much flesh.
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- Daniel 7:7 After this I saw in the night visions, and behold a **fourth beast, dreadful and terrible**, and **strong exceedingly**; and it had **great iron teeth**: it **devoured and brake in pieces**, and stamped the residue with the feet of it: and it was ***diverse from all the beasts that were before it***; and it had **ten horns**.
- Daniel 7:8 I considered the horns, and, behold, **there came up among them another little horn, before whom there were three of the first horns plucked up by the roots**: and, behold, **in this horn were eyes like the eyes of man**, and a **mouth speaking great things**.



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- Daniel 7:15 I Daniel was grieved in my spirit in the midst of my body, and the visions of my head troubled me.
- Daniel 7:16 I came near unto one of them that stood by, and asked him the truth of all this. So he told me, and made me know the interpretation of the things.
- Daniel 7:17 These great **beasts**, which are four, are **four kings**, which shall arise out of the earth.
- Daniel 7:23 Thus he said, The **fourth beast** shall be the **fourth kingdom** upon earth, which shall be **diverse from all kingdoms**, and shall **devour the whole earth**, and shall **tread it down**, and **break it in pieces**.
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- Daniel 7:3 And **four great beasts** came up from **the sea**...
- Isaiah 57:20 But the **wicked** are like the troubled **sea**, when it *cannot rest*, whose waters *cast up mire and dirt*.
- Isaiah 17:12 Woe to the **multitude of many people**, which make a noise like the noise of the **seas**; and to the **rushing of nations**, that make a rushing like the **rushing of mighty waters**!
- Isaiah 17:13 The **nations** shall rush like the rushing of **many waters**: but **God shall rebuke them**, and they shall flee far off, and shall be chased as the **chaff of the mountains before the wind**, and like a rolling thing before the **whirlwind**.
- Daniel 2:35 **Then was the iron, the clay, the bronze, the silver, and the gold, broken to pieces** together, and **became like the chaff** of the summer threshingfloors; and the **wind carried them away**...

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Revelation 17:15 And he saith unto me, The **waters** which thou sawest, where the whore sitteth, are **peoples**, and **multitudes**, and **nations**, and **tongues**.

Daniel 7:2 ...the **four winds of the heaven strove upon the great sea**.

Jeremiah 49:36 And upon Elam will I bring the **four winds from the four quarters of heaven**, and will **scatter them** toward all those winds; and there shall be ***no nation whither the outcasts of Elam shall not come***.

Jeremiah 49:37 For I will cause Elam to be **dismayed before their enemies**, and before **them that seek their life**: and **I will bring evil** upon them, even My **fierce anger**, saith the LORD; and I will send **the sword** after them, **till I have consumed** them

Jeremiah 20:4 For thus saith the LORD, Behold, I will make thee a terror to thyself, and to all thy friends: and they shall **fall by the sword of their enemies**, and thine eyes shall behold it: and **I will give all Judah into the hand of the king of Babylon**, and he shall carry them **captive into Babylon**, and shall **slay them with the sword**.

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Jeremiah 4:5 Declare ye in Judah, and publish in Jerusalem; and say, Blow ye the trumpet in the land: cry, gather together, and say, Assemble yourselves, and let us go into the defended cities.

Jeremiah 4:6 Set up the standard toward Zion: retire, stay not: for I will bring **evil from the north**, and a **great destruction**.

Jeremiah 4:7 The **lion** is come up from his thicket, and the destroyer of the Gentiles is on his way; he is gone forth from his place to ***make thy land desolate***; and thy ***cities shall be laid waste, without an inhabitant***.

Jeremiah 50:17 Israel is a scattered sheep; the **lions** have driven him away: **first the king of Assyria** hath **devoured him**; and **last this Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon** hath **broken his bones**.

Daniel 7:4 The **first was like a lion**, and had **eagle's wings**...

Jeremiah 4:13 Behold, he shall **come up as clouds**, and his ***chariots shall be as a whirlwind***: his ***horses are swifter than eagles***. Woe unto us! for we are spoiled.

Deuteronomy 28:49 The **LORD will bring a nation against you** from afar, from the end of the earth, **as swift as the eagle flies**, a nation whose language you will not understand

Deuteronomy 20:1 When thou goest out to **battle against thine enemies**, and seest ***horses***, and ***chariots***...

Revelation 19:11 And I saw heaven opened, and behold a white ***horse***; and **He that sat upon him** was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness he doth judge and **make war**.



Babylon



Daniel 8:3 Then I lifted up mine eyes, and saw, and, behold, there stood before the river a **ram which had two horns**: and the **two horns** were high; but **one was higher than the other**, and the ***higher came up last***.

Daniel 8:4 I saw the **ram pushing westward**, and **northward**, and **southward**; so that no beasts might stand before him, neither was there any that could deliver out of his hand; but he did according to his will, and became great.

Daniel 8:20 The **ram** which thou sawest having **two horns are the kings of Media and Persia**.

West - Lydia

North - Babylon

South - Egypt

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Babylon



Medo-Persia



Daniel 8:5 And as I was considering, behold, an he **goat** came **from the west** *on the face of the whole earth*, and **touched not the ground**: and the goat had a **notable horn** between his eyes.

Daniel 8:6 And he came to the ram that had two horns, which I had seen standing before the river, and **ran unto him in the fury of his power**.

Daniel 8:7 And I saw him come close unto the ram, and he was moved with choler against him, and **smote the ram**, and **brake his two horns**: and there was no power in the ram to stand before him, but he cast him down to the ground, and stamped upon him: and there was none that could deliver the ram out of his hand.

Daniel 8:8 Therefore the he **goat waxed very great**: and when he was strong, the **great horn** was broken; and for it **came up four notable ones toward the four winds of heaven**.

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Daniel 8:21 And the **rough goat is the king of Grecia**; and the **great horn** that is between his eyes is the **first king**.

Daniel 8:22 Now that being broken, whereas four stood up for it, **four kingdoms** shall stand up out of the nation, **but not in his power**.

Syria - Egypt - Asia Minor - Greece

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Babylon



Medo-Persia



Greece



Daniel 2:40

And the **fourth kingdom shall be strong as iron**: forasmuch as iron **breaketh in pieces and subdueth all things**: and as iron that breaketh all these, shall it break in pieces and bruise.

Daniel 7:7

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A.D. 476

Rome's Ten Horns: Francs, Anglo-Saxons, Allemagne, Suevi, Visgoths, Lombards, Burgundians, Heruli, Vandals, and Ostrogoths

Seven remain as modern nations: France, England, Germany, Portugal, Spain, Italy, and Switzerland



Babylon



Medo-Persia



Greece



Rome

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A.D. 493

Emperor Zeno conquered the **Heruli** by encouraging the Ostrogoths to invade them

A.D. 534

Emperor Justinian sent General Belisarius to conquer the **Vandals**

A.D. 538

General Belisarius drove the **Ostrogoths** out of Rome



**The Little Horn
Rome**

Daniel 7:9 **I beheld till the thrones were cast down**, and the Ancient of days did sit, whose garment was white as snow, and the hair of His head like the pure wool: His throne was like the fiery flame, and His wheels as burning fire.

Daniel 7:10 A fiery stream issued and came forth from before Him: thousand thousands ministered unto Him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood before Him: **the judgment was set, and the books were opened.**

Daniel 7:13 I saw in the night visions, and, behold, **one like the Son of man came with the clouds of heaven**, and came to the Ancient of days, and they brought him near before him.

Daniel 7:14 And **there was given him dominion**, and **glory**, and **a kingdom**, that all **people, nations, and languages**, should serve him: his dominion is an **everlasting dominion**, which **shall not pass away**, and his kingdom that which **shall not be destroyed**.

Hosea 13:6 According to their pasture, so were they filled; they were filled, and **their heart was exalted; therefore have they forgotten Me.**

Hosea 13:7 Therefore I will be unto them as a **lion**: as a **leopard** by the way ***will I observe them:***

Hosea 13:8 I will meet them as a **bear** that is bereaved of her whelps, and will **rend the caul of their heart**, and there will I devour them like a **lion**: the **wild beast** shall tear them.

Hosea 13:9 O Israel, **thou hast destroyed thyself**; but in Me is thine help.

'I did not adore him, but that God who hath honored him with his high-priesthood. For I saw this very person in a dream, in this very habit, when I was at Dios in Macedonia, who, when I was considering with myself how I might obtain the dominion of Asia, exhorted me to make no delay, but boldly to pass over the sea thither, for that he would conduct my army and would give me the dominion over the Persians; whence it is that having seen no other in that habit, and now seeing this person in it, and remembering that vision, and the exhortation which I had in my dream, I believe that I bring this army under the Divine conduct, and shall therewith conquer Darius, and destroy the Power of the Persians, and that all things will succeed according to what is in my mind.' - Alexander the Great (Josephus, "Antiquities of the Jews," book xi, chapter 8, par. 5) {GEP 171.2} The Great Empires of Prophecy

Isaiah 44:24 Thus saith the LORD, thy redeemer, and he that formed thee from the womb, I am the LORD that maketh all things; that stretcheth forth the heavens alone; that spreadeth abroad the earth by Myself;

Isaiah 44:25 That **frustrateth the tokens of the liars**, and **maketh diviners mad**; that **turneth wise men backward**, and **maketh their knowledge foolish**;

Isaiah 44:26 That **confirmeth the word of His servant**, and **performeth the counsel of His messengers**; that saith to *Jerusalem*, **Thou shalt be inhabited**; and to the cities of *Judah*, **Ye shall be built**, and **I will raise up the decayed places thereof**:

Isaiah 44:27 That saith to the deep, **Be dry**, and **I will dry up thy rivers**:

Isaiah 44:28 **That saith of Cyrus**, He is my shepherd, and **shall perform all my pleasure**: even **saying to Jerusalem, Thou shalt be built**; and **to the temple, Thy foundation shall be laid**.

Daniel 2:21 And **He changeth the times and the seasons**: He removeth kings, and setteth up kings: He giveth wisdom unto the wise, and knowledge to them that know **understanding**

1 Corinthians 13:2 And though I have the **gift of prophecy**, and **understand all mysteries** and **all knowledge**, and though I **have all faith**, so that I could **remove mountains**, **but have not love**, I am nothing.