

STUDY NOTES FROM KAREN HOERDEL'S "REVELATION" TEACHING SERIES

Revelation Study Notes Chapter 9

v. 1-12 - The Fifth Trumpet - Plague of Locusts
5 months of torture by scorpion stings

v. 1, 2 - A star fallen = good or bad angel; Satan
Isaiah 14:12-15 - Lucifer's fall
Luke 10:18
Revelation 12:7-12

Abyss = bottomless, immeasurable depth
Luke 8:31 - place of punishment for demons
Revelation 11:7; 17:8 - place of the Beast
Revelation 20:1-3 - Devil bound 1000 years

v. 4 - cp. Exodus 10:4-6, 12-15

v. 5-10 - Insects? Demons? Army of men?
Word for "locust" in German is "Heupferd" = (hay-horse); in Italian "Cavaletta" (little horse)
Cp. Joel 1:4,6; 2:1-11, 25 = locusts = demons, supernatural armies of God

v. 11 - Abaddon (Hebrew) = destroyer or destruction
Apollyon (Greek) = the one who is destroying
Proverbs 30:27 - natural locusts

v. 13-21 - The Sixth Trumpet = Plague of Horsemen
200 Million Warriors Kill One Third of Mankind

v. 14 - Euphrates = symbol of disastrous Divine judgments - Revelation 16:12

v. 15 - The hour appointed by God; fixed point in time

v. 17-19 - Insects? Animals? Demons? Humans?
Jacinth = a gem of orange or blue (smoke)

v. 20-21 - I Timothy 4:1
Isaiah 46:5-7; 47:8-14
I Corinthians 10:20-21
Romans 1:18-32; 3:10-18
Sorceries (pharmakia) - a poison, spell, drug