

Bible Study Service in Surabaya, July 21, 2014 (Monday Evening)

Peace and grace in the love of the Lord Jesus Christ.

We discuss **Revelation 2-3** about the seven sprinklings of blood in front of the Ark of the Covenant.

Now it means the last sanctification God does to the seven churches of the Gentiles until they are perfect and without blemish as Jesus is and become the Bride of God.

Why do we have to experience the seven sprinklings of blood?

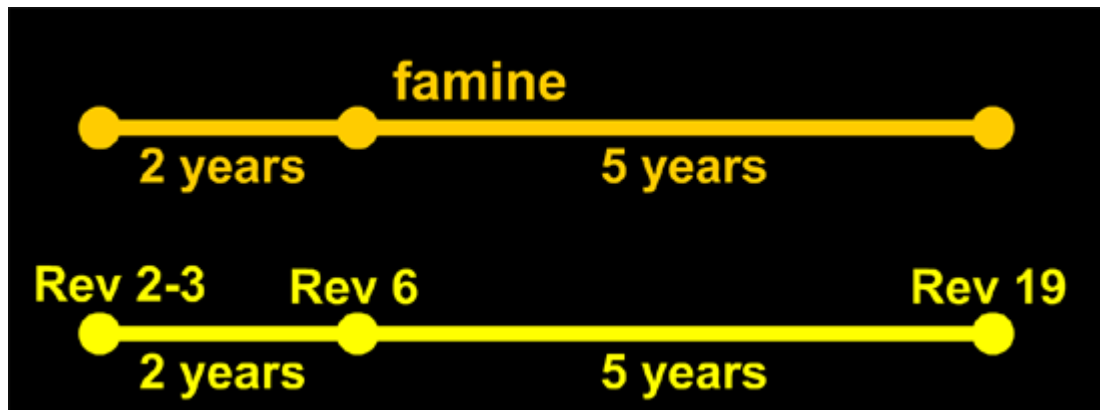
Because we will enter the three times of seven judgments of the Trinity of God including the persecution of the antichrist if we do not experience the seven sprinklings of blood or the sanctification up to the perfection.

We learn about **THE TIME OF THE LAST SANCTIFICATION** in the book of Revelation. It was written in **Genesis 45**, namely about Joseph, that prophesied about the book of Revelation, namely the seven years of sanctification up to the days when the antichrist reigns over the world up to the perfection.

Genesis 45: 6

45:6 *"For these two years the famine has been in the land, and there are still five years in which there will be neither plowing nor harvesting."*

The seven years of famine can be divided into two parts as follows.



- Two years of famine refer to **Revelation 2-3**.
- Five years of famine refer to **Revelation 6-19**.

There are two kinds of great revival in the **Revelation 6-19** as follows.

1. The revival of white horse.

Revelation 6: 1-2

6:1 *Now I saw when the Lamb opened one of the seals; and I heard one of the four living creatures saying with a voice like thunder, "Come and see."*

6:2 *And I looked, and behold, a white horse. He who sat on it had a bow; and a crown was given to him, and he went out conquering and to conquer.*

The revival of white horse means the revival of Holy Spirit at the latter rain or the revival in the true teaching Word or Bride Tidings as a sharp arrow or sword.

It ends in the **Revelation 19**.

Revelation 19: 11-12

19:11 *Now I saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse. And He who sat on him was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness He judges and makes war.*

19:12 *His eyes were like a flame of fire, and on His head were many crowns. He had a name written that no one knew except Himself.*

'many crowns' = getting many crowns because of being victorious always.

The end of the revival of Holy Spirit at the latter rain shows these things.

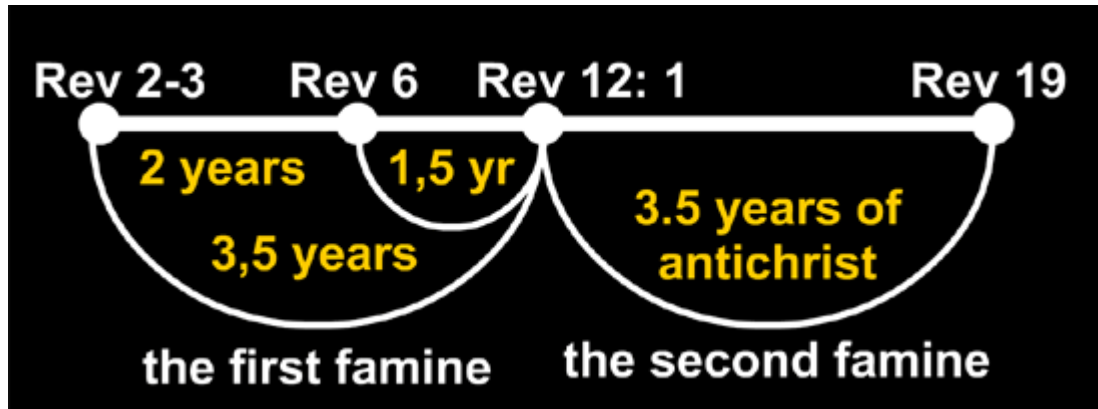
- o Jesus in the glory as The King of all kings and Heavenly Bridegroom.
- o The perfect congregation as the Bride of Heaven.

Revelation 19: 16

19:16 And He has on His robe and on His thigh a name written: KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS.

2. The revival in judgment.

Not entering the revival of white horse, one will enter the revival in judgment, namely the three times of seven judgments of the Trinity of God, including the persecution done by the antichrist for three years and six months.



The seven years can be divided into two parts, three years and six months in a part as follows.

1. The first three years and six months or the first famine.

The famine in the days of Joseph could be helped. Moreover, the eleven brothers of Joseph could come to Egypt and become one with him because of the famine. Nevertheless, there will be no help when the second famine happens in the days of the antichrist in the Revelation 12-19 because one who wants to be saved and perfected must endure the persecution of the antichrist even be beheaded in order to get the help of God.

Thus, **there is still the Word to help in the first famine, but not in the second one.**

The first famine can be divided into **two years (Revelation 2-3)** and **one year and a half (Revelation 6-12)**.

- o **Two years of famine (Revelation 2-3)** is the sanctification to the seven churches of **the Gentiles** through the seven sprinklings of blood. It is the opportunity for the Gentiles to be sanctified and perfected.

When does the first famine happen?

It happens when the church of the Gentiles is in spiritual lukewarmness or faintness as the church of Laodiceans.

Why does it happen?

Because the church only magnifies or becomes satisfied by the physical things or blessings, without the revelation of the Word of God.

- o **One year and a half of famine (Revelation 6-12)** is the opportunity for **the house of Israel** to get the sanctification and perfection.

Combining the two kinds of famine of the Gentiles and the house of Israel for two years and one year and a half, we find the **Revelation 12: 1**, when it happens after three years and six months precisely.

Revelation 12: 1

12:1 Now a great sign appeared in heaven: a woman clothed with the sun, with the moon under her feet, and on her head a garland of twelve stars.

Both Israel and Gentiles are sanctified and united through the revival of Holy Spirit at the latter rain to become the perfect Bride of Heaven that is perfect and without blemish or the light of the world without any darkness. The woman was clothed with sun, moon, and stars.

Revelation 12: 13-14

12:13 Now when the dragon saw that he had been cast to the earth, he persecuted the woman who gave birth to the male

Child.

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

[verse 13] Satan is cast to the world to become the antichrist that reigns over the world for three years and six months.

After being the bride of heaven, the church is pursued by the dragon or antichrist. But, she was given the two wings of a great eagle to fly to the wilderness for three years and six months, far away from the presence of the serpent. It cannot see, even touch, us. We do not enter the persecution done by the antichrist or **the second famine**.

We are preserved by God directly in the wilderness through the true teaching Word and Holy Communion for three years and six months like the house of Israel who formerly was preserved by God with manna for forty years. In addition, we patiently wait for Jesus' second coming until we are lifted up.

The church that is in lukewarm spirituality is as Peter's mother in law who was in fever.

She refers to one who prepared the wife of Peter as his bride. She means the servants of God who have been so long in the true teaching Word or Bride Tidings, but have spiritual fever because of getting bored and blaming the true teaching Word.

'the last will be first and the first will be last' means that the people who have been so long in the teaching Word will be the last while the other people who just hear the teaching Word want to receive it.

Bible Study Service does not torment us, but prepares us with the training to get adaptation of being evacuated to the wilderness for three years and six months.

There, we only patiently wait for Jesus' second coming without any disturbance for three years and six months until we enter **Revelation 19: 9**.

Revelation 19: 9

19:9 Then he said to me, "Write: 'Blessed are those who are called to the marriage supper of the Lamb!'" And he said to me, "These are the true sayings of God."

= we will be lifted up on glorious clouds to meet Jesus, heavenly Bridegroom, to become one with Him forever.

1 Thessalonians 4:15-17

4:15 For this we say to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive and remain until the coming of the Lord will by no means precede those who are asleep.

4:16 For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of an archangel, and with the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first.

4:17 Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air. And thus we shall always be with the Lord.

The process is as follows.

When the trumpet sounds at the last time, the dead in Jesus or the people who have been sanctified will be resurrected in the body of glory. Afterwards, the alive people who live in the sanctification will be changed in the body of glory as Jesus is when He comes a second time.

Both the dead and alive will be one perfect glorious body of Christ to be lifted up on the glorious clouds and meet Jesus, The heavenly Bridegroom.

We enter the marriage supper of the Lamb of God (**Revelation 19: 9**), and the future paradise or the one thousand years kingdom of peace (**Revelation 20**), and New Jerusalem or eternal heavenly kingdom (**Revelation 21-22**).

2. **The second three years and six months or the second famine (Revelation 12-19)**= the days when the antichrist reigns over the world.

Who will enter the second famine?

Genesis 47: 13

47:13 Now there was no bread in all the land; for the famine was very severe, so that the land of Egypt and the land of Canaan languished because of the famine.

○ **The land of Egypt.**

It refers to the world and the people who do not know Jesus. They will be in the second famine or the days when the antichrist reigns over the world for three years and six months, but they are not persecuted because they worship the antichrist. They are stamped with 666 and allowed to buy and sell until they become the same as the antichrist and perish forever when Jesus comes a second time.

- **The land of Canaan.**

It means as follows.

- a. Christians or the sons of God who do not prioritize the true teaching Word (as the church of Laodiceans), but only pursue fleshly things. Their condition will be as the land of Canaan, namely entering the persecution done by the antichrist.
- b. Christians who are in spiritual revival, but they do not prioritize the true teaching Word. They only show physical things such as artist, money, good position, and so on.

Consequently, they enter the second famine or persecution done by the antichrist. It means that they feel that they are in the revival, but actually they are in famine.

There are three things that happen in the second famine or the days when the antichrist reigns over the world as follows.

- **Genesis 47: 18**

47:18 When that year had ended, they came to him the next year and said to him, "We will not hide from my lord that our money is gone; my lord also has our herds of livestock. There is nothing left in the sight of my lord but our bodies and our lands."

Money and herds of livestock are ruled over by the antichrist.

Do not be bound by riches or the love of money as follows.

- a. *Being stingy*, namely one cannot give for the work of God and other people who are in need and he cannot visit them.
- b. *Being greedy*, namely robbing the right of others through stealing, making corruption, and not paying the debt, and of God, namely the tithes and offerings.

Being stingy and greedy means being ruled by the spirit of the antichrist, namely **the spirit of selling and buying**.

Revelation 13: 16-18

13:16 He causes all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and slave, to receive a mark on their right hand or on their foreheads,

13:17 and that no one may buy or sell except one who has the mark or the name of the beast, or the number of his name.

13:18 Here is wisdom. Let him who has understanding calculate the number of the beast, for it is the number of a man: His number is 666.

Consequently, one is stamped with 666 to be the same as the antichrist that will perish.

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The bodies are ruled over by the antichrist and stamped with 666.

How can the bodies ruled over by the antichrist?

The people who serve the Lord are stamped also with 666 by the antichrist like a woman who was bent over for eighteen years in the temple. The figure eighteen refers to 666. Being bent over spiritually in the temple happens because of rejecting the cross and the true teaching Word.

2 Timothy 3: 1-5

3:1 But know this, that in the last days perilous times will come:

3:2 For men will be lovers of themselves⁽¹⁾, lovers of money⁽²⁾, boasters⁽³⁾, proud⁽⁴⁾, blasphemers⁽⁵⁾, disobedient to parents⁽⁶⁾, unthankful⁽⁷⁾, unholy⁽⁸⁾,

3:3 unloving⁽⁹⁾, unforgiving⁽¹⁰⁾, slanderers⁽¹¹⁾, without self-control⁽¹²⁾, brutal⁽¹³⁾, despisers of good⁽¹⁴⁾,

3:4 traitors⁽¹⁵⁾, headstrong⁽¹⁶⁾, haughty⁽¹⁷⁾, lovers of pleasure rather than lovers of God⁽¹⁸⁾,

3:5 having a form of godliness but denying its power. And from such people turn away!

The stamp of 666 refers to **eighteen characteristics of the flesh**.

Who is stamped with 666 or has the body that is ruled over by the antichrist?

'having a form of godliness' means they are the servants of God who physically serve and minister to God only to look for physical things and reject the true teaching or the cross. It means that they reject the power of godliness.

Consequently, there is no life renewal, but human in blood and flesh with eighteen characteristics of the flesh. They are stamped by 666 to be the same as the antichrist and get forever perdition.

○ **Genesis 47: 23-26**

47:23 *Then Joseph said to the people, "Indeed I have bought you and your land this day for Pharaoh. Look, here is seed for you, and you shall sow the land.*

47:24 *"And it shall come to pass in the harvest that you shall give one-fifth to Pharaoh. Four-fifths shall be your own, as seed for the field and for your food, for those of your households and as food for your little ones."*

47:25 *So they said, "You have saved our lives; let us find favor in the sight of my lord, and we will be Pharaoh's servants."*

47:26 *And Joseph made it a law over the land of Egypt to this day, that Pharaoh should have one-fifth, except for the land of the priests only, which did not become Pharaoh's.*

The land is ruled over by the antichrist or Pharaoh.

One-fifth of the harvest of the land must be offered to Pharaoh or the antichrist.

The figure five refers to the five wounds of Jesus to redeem the sins of human, namely two wounds in the feet, two in the hands, and one in the side that is for the Gentiles.

The land means clay human that is redeemed by the blood of Jesus to become His. The human who loses the redemption or is not redeemed by the blood of Jesus will be the antichrist's.

John 19: 32-34

19:32 *Then the soldiers came and broke the legs of the first and of the other who was crucified with Him.*

19:33 *But when they came to Jesus and saw that He was already dead, they did not break His legs.*

19:34 *But one of the soldiers pierced His side with a spear, and immediately blood and water came out.*

The legs of the two criminals who were crucified besides Jesus were broken to make them die soon and their dead bodies could be taken from the cross because there must be no dead body that is hung on Sabbath. When a soldier of Roman saw that Jesus had died, he pierced Him with a spear.

The fifth wound of Jesus was the biggest and deepest wound, out of which blood and water came to save the Gentiles. **It means** Jesus still remembers the Gentiles until He dies or the mercy of God to redeem the Gentiles.

The signs of God's servants who get the redemption are as follows.

- a. Blood and water came out of Jesus' side.

BLOOD= the Altar of Burnt Offering = repentance (stopping sinning to return to God = being dead to sin).

WATER= the Brazen Laver = water baptism.

The right water baptism happens when one who has died to sin is buried in water together with Jesus to come out of the water or raise together with Jesus and have life renewal or heavenly life, namely life in righteousness and become the instruments of righteousness or priests and kings or God's servants who serve Him faithfully and correctly.

Faithfulness and righteousness cannot be separated from one another.

We work and minister to God in the vineyard.

The vineyard refers to the ministry of Bride that is brought up by the Bride Tidings.

Why do we have to minister to God in the vineyard? Because there is wage, namely one denarius or God's mercy in the vineyard to pass through the days when the antichrist reigns over the world.

Beware of the envy inside the vineyard because the wage for all the workers are same, namely one denarius! The envy happens because of changing the denarius into dollar.

- b. Worship prayer or the process to tear the flesh, so that we can be **obedient** until our flesh does not speak anymore.

Philippians 2: 8-9

2:8 And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to the point of death, even the death of the cross.

2:9 Therefore God also has highly exalted Him and given Him the name which is above every name,

Jesus was obedient to the point of death, so He gets the name which is above all names or the powerful one. Likewise, we get the name of Jesus and can cry His powerful name when we are obedient.

We have to keep the obedience. Once we are disobedient, all things are destroyed or the paradise is changed into curse like the experience of Adam and Eve.

The results are as follows.

a. Philippians 2: 10

2:10 that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those in heaven, and of those on earth, and of those under the earth,

There is power of victory over the trinity of Satan, the source of sins and sin peak, so that we can live in righteousness and holiness.

b. Philippians 2: 9

2:9 Therefore God also has highly exalted Him and given Him the name which is above every name,

There is lifting up power to change the failure into success and beauty in time of need. One who has fallen can be healed.

Being lifted up means being used by God in the revival of Holy Spirit at the latter rain for building the body of Christ.

c. Philippians 2: 11

2:11 and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

There is renewal power, namely life renewal from fleshy men to spiritual ones as Jesus is. It begins from the tongue that does not lie, but says correctly and honestly. We say "yes" if yes and "no" if no. We use our tongue only to say 'Alleluia' worshiping God.

Afterwards, our whole life will be changed and the physical miracle will also happen. God is able to help us and make impossible problems possible.

For example, a woman of the Gentiles, namely Canaan. Her daughter was demon-possessed and none could heal her. Being demon-possessed means as follows.

- Impossible problems, sorrows, tears.
- Destruction in marriage and children.

What must be renewed by God? **Tongue**, because the tongue of the Gentiles is as the dog's. The woman asked the help of God, but He answered her not a word. Then, He said "*I was not sent except to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.*" and "*It is not good to take the children's bread and throw it to the little dogs.*" It means that the Gentiles are made the same as the dogs.

The Gentiles who are not changed will easily get angry in such condition. The woman had been changed saying "*Yes, Lord, yet even the little dogs eat the crumbs which fall from their masters' table.*" Then, Jesus said "*O woman, great is your faith! Let it be to you as you desire.*"

The tongue will determine our life.

If the life renewal or the greatest miracle happens, the physical ones will also happen.

Let us use our mouth only to praise and worship God regardless of the condition we have now. We are changed until we do not stumble in words. We only worship saying 'alleluia.' We are lifted up on the glorious clouds to be with God forever.

God blesses you.