

# NEW TESTAMENT

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**REVELATION**

**(Part 2: The Structure)**





**I love superhero movies!**



A movie poster for 'X-Men: Apocalypse'. The background shows a desolate, ruined city under a cloudy sky. In the center, the blue-skinned, armored figure of Apocalypse looms. To his left is Storm, with her long purple hair and dark costume. To his right is Cyclops, wearing his red and black visor. The title 'X-MEN' is in large, bold, white letters, and 'APOCALYPSE' is in smaller, bold, white letters below it.

# X-MEN

## APOCALYPSE



“En Sabah Nur”





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**The litmus test:**





## The litmus test:

“I wanna see this.  
I hear it’s based on  
a true story.”



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**“Apocalyptic Literature”**



# Dead Sea Scrolls gave us massive numbers of apocalyptic manuscripts







# Apocalyptic literature was a large Jewish genre between 200BC and 200AD







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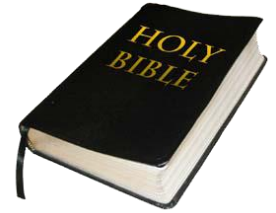
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“And there shall be a time of trouble, such as never has been since there was a nation till that time” (Dan. 12:1)



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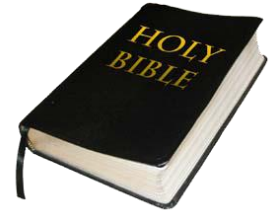
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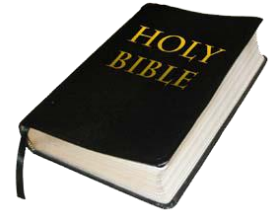
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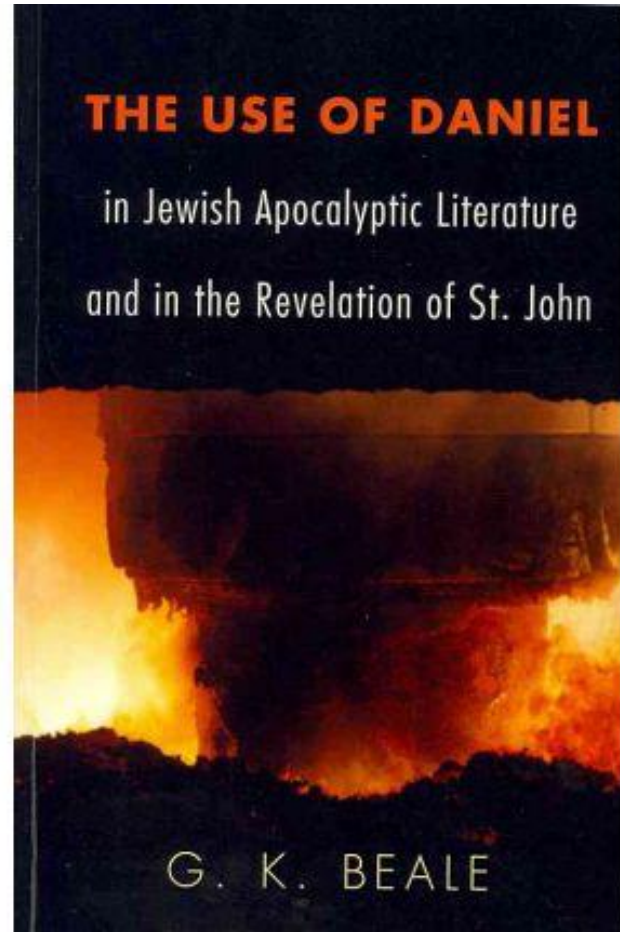
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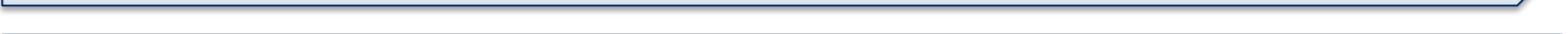


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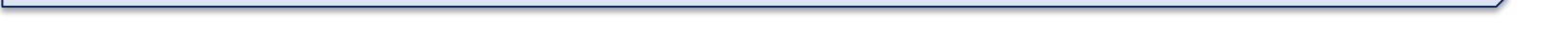



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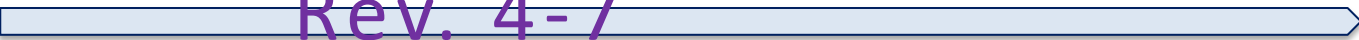




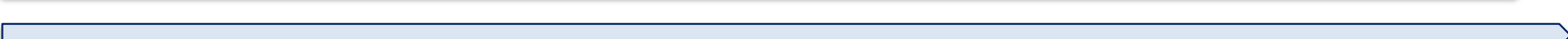


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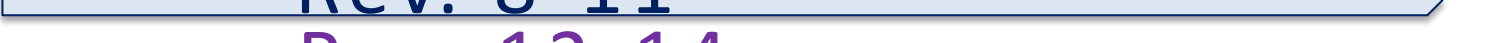





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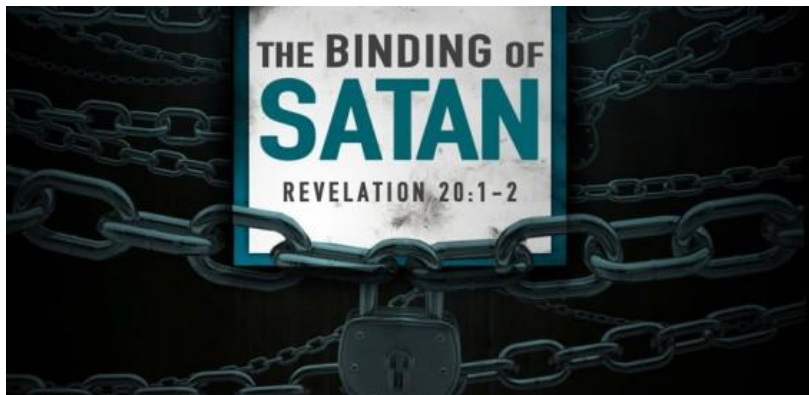


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Mt. 12:24-29;  
18:18



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*“Praise the LORD, all nations! Extol him, all peoples! For great is his steadfast love toward us, and the faithfulness of the LORD endures forever.*

*Praise the LORD!”*

*Ps. 117*



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