

# "The Fall of Babylon"

## Revelation Chapter 18

### Scripture Ref:

*Rev 14:8*

*Isa 47:8-11*

*Jer 50:35-40*

*Jer 51:45*

*2 Cor 6:14-16*

*Rev 11:17-18*



# Possible Tribulation Timeline

Rapture of the Church  
(date unknown)

Ezekiel's War (?)

Abomination Of Desolation  
(Anti-Christ demands to be worshipped as God)

Christ's Second Coming

42 Months

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*Daniel's 70<sup>th</sup> Week / 7 Year Tribulation*

- One world Government is established with Anti-Christ
- Covenant with Israel
- Jewish Temple is operational
- One World Religion is established with False Prophet
- Ministry of 144,000
- Ministry of two witnesses
- Seven Seal Judgments
- Seven Trumpet Judgments

- Anti-Christ breaks covenant, demands to be worshipped as God
- Jews persecuted
- "Mark of the Beast" is enacted
- "Everlasting Gospel" is proclaimed by angel
- Final Seven Bowl Judgments
- Ten Kings turn on False Prophet, destroy all vestiges of false church
- Babylon is judged and destroyed by God

# Religious Babylon VS Commercial Babylon

Religious Babylon (Rev. 17)	Commercial Babylon (Rev. 18)
1. Mystery Babylon	1. Great Babylon; Babylon the Great
2. Symbol: a harlot woman	2. Symbol: a great city
3. Identified as a “great city”	3. Identified as a “port city”
4. Woman, whore, and mother	4. Habitation, great city, market place
5. Guilty: religious abominations	5. Guilty: greed, self-indulgence
6. Destroyed by a political power that previously supported her	6. Destroyed by a sudden act of God

# **The Fall of Commercial Babylon**

- 1. Condemnation**
- 2. Separation**
- 3. Lamentation**
- 4. Celebration**

# The Fall of Commercial Babylon

## 1. Condemnation

*...of the world system that enslaves man*

## 2. Separation

*... of Gods people from the world system*

## 3. Lamentation

*... at the loss of wealth - idolatry*

## 4. Celebration

*... that man will not be enslaved again!*