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THE REVELATION OF JESUS CHRIST

Revelation 17-18

BIG Idea: When God Decides It Is Time, Judgment Comes

The Fall of Babylon

Babylon Described:

- Babylon Makes Other Nations _____
- Babylon Was _____ and _____
- Babylon has both _____ and _____ components
- Babylon is called the "Great _____" or "Great Prostitute"

"Babylon the Great, Mother of All Prostitutes and Obscenities in the World"

Babylon Defined:

- The _____ Church?
- The return of the _____ Empire?
- United States (N.Y.C., Dallas, Las Vegas)?
- _____?
- Ancient _____ (Modern Iraq)?

Babylon Judged:

- "is fallen" indicates divine _____
- Seen as _____ in character
- Excessive in her _____
- Influenced the world to _____ in her sins
- Described as _____, arrogant, self-indulgent

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Babylon Mourned:

- _____ of the earth (18:9-10)
- _____ of the earth (18:11-17)
- _____ merchants - shipmasters, sailors, ship owners (18:17-19)

Babylon's Fall Rejoiced:

- Dwellers of _____ will unanimously rejoice her destruction (18:20)
- Depicted as a _____ cast into the sea (18:21)
- Jeremiah _____ the destruction of Babylon by casting a millstone into the Euphrates River (Jer. 51:61-64)

Conclusion:

No view can be held dogmatically.

The most important thing is to remember that evil exists in our world (financial, political, religious). Whether "Babylon" is N.Y.C., Rome, Apostate Christianity, or the literal city of Babylon on the Euphrates, Christians must remember that Satan roams the earth and empowers evil people to do wicked deeds. For this reason, God will bring judgment!