

## Notes, Questions & Prayer Requests

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**RS-012**



## LESSON TWELVE

## TWO WORLD-WIDE MOVEMENTS UNVEILED

**Teaching code - in “teacher notes”.**

- 1. Underlining - designed to get class participation.**
- 2. Bold items - messages to instructor.**
- 3. All other copy - information designed to go directly to class.**

**Place lesson #13, with exhibits 1, 2 and Amazing Facts Folder “A”, (Are the Dead Really Dead?) at each student location before session begins.**

## Warm Welcome, Opening Prayer

## REVELATION UNVEILS TWO WORLD-WIDE MOVEMENTS

It's up to you!

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## QUIZ QUESTIONS

(Unscramble)

1. The Old and the New Testaments are God's two **NESSWTIES**.

2. The STBEA killed the two witnesses.

Witnesses

Beast

3. God's EERTH point message of Rev. 14 is called the everlasting gospel.

Three

4. The first part of God's message for today is to worship the EATCROR.

Creator

5. Many will be STROYDEED when Jesus returns because of a lack of knowledge.

Destroyed

## OFFERING APPEAL

### Decision Questions

Please place an "X" on your envelope in answer to the following questions:

1. I understand the message tonight. It makes sense to me.
2. Place another "X" if you sense more and more that God's Word, especially the book of Revelation, is very important for people living in the last days, to know about.
3. This is for the third "X" – I am ready to say that I want to worship the Creator of Heaven and Earth, and I want to have nothing to do with Babylon. I want victory, joy and happiness in my life as I do His will. If this is your desire, place a third "X".

**Talk up next lesson.**

### Closing Prayer

## A BIBLE PROPHECY ADVENTURE **REVELATION SEMINARS**



**"Two  
world-wide  
movements  
unveiled"**

Right now millions of people are at war with each other. Nearly one hundred million have been killed in battle since World War II.

War may emerge anywhere, it seems, and force innocent people to flee. Homes, families, jobs and security are suddenly disrupted and controlled by the enemy. People in such crises realize they may be dead by night fall. Such happenings are, without question, tragedies of the first magnitude. Who can measure the trauma and anguish involved?

While the final count-down for this earth nears the zero hour, every person on earth is making decisions that will determine his eternal destiny. Millions are wondering which way to turn, what choices to make.

Satan is determined to draw the multitudes of earth into his camp. His philosophies and theories seem to have a bewitching effect upon people. His movement is unveiled in Revelation 11 (1811). It is engulfing millions. But God has a grand message of hope and deliverance for people in these desperate hours. Further, He promises that His message will sweep across the entire world quickly in our day. His magnificent message is found in Revelation, chapter 14 (1815).

These two movements are diametrically opposed. The gospel of Christ is the basis for the first; the evolutionary theory the basis of the second [II Peter 3:3-6 (1788)]. The theory of evolution has swept into and captured the American school system in spite of the fact that God condemns it as "science, falsely so called" and "philosophy and vain deceit" [I Tim. 6:20 (1746); Colossians 2:8 (1730)].



God's way – joyful way out of confusion.  
Satan's way – to confuse, hurt, and to destroy you!

THIS IS AN IMPORTANT LESSON!

1. Only those who FORTIFY THEIR MINDS  
WITH GOD'S WORD  
will be able to stand  
in the last days.

It's life or death now!

2. The Bible prophesies it –  
history has recorded it –  
Satan has tried desperately  
to destroy the Bible!  
But God's Word still stands!

RECEIVING THE MESSAGES OF REVELATION IS SPECIFIC:  
"BEHOLD, I COME QUICKLY: BLESSED IS HE THAT  
KEEPETH THE SAYINGS OF THE PROPHECY OF THIS  
BOOK", Revelation 22:7 (1825).

### JESUS CALLS HIS SHEEP

17. As one of Jesus' sheep, what will I want to do? John 10:27  
(1568)

Ans: "My sheep HEAR my VOICE . . .  
and they FOLLOW me".

18. Why has Jesus given us the information contained in His Word? John  
15:11 (1577)

Ans: "These THINGS have I SPOKEN unto  
you that YOUR JOY may be FULL".

NOTE: He wants us to be happy. Following where Jesus leads  
and heeding His loving counsel is the only way to joy and  
happiness.

19. What does Jesus promise us as a free gift? I Corinthians 15:57  
(1689)

Ans: "But THANKS be to God, which GIVETH  
us the VICTORY through our Lord JESUS Christ".

NOTE: Victory over sin and evil is a free gift of Jesus. We need  
only accept it.

20. Will you accept the victory that Jesus offers as a gift so he can fill  
your life with His happiness and joy?

Ans: \_\_\_\_\_





17. Does all this make sense to you?

### PAUSE

Yes, I see that it does for many of you.

My prayer, friends, is that God is giving you courage to follow your convictions.

A promise to the faithful of old was:

"And thine ears shall hear a word behind thee saying, 'this is the way, walk ye in it' . . ." (Isa. 30:21)!

18. I have found no greater joy than making Jesus happy, by following Him and His Word.

19. Victory is in sight. Keep looking up!

### CLASS APPEAL

I want you to raise your hands high in agreement with my next statement:

I accept the victory, joy, and happiness of eternal life from Jesus as a free gift, and I want to thank Him for it now.

Please raise your hands. Thank you.

### PRAYER APPEAL

God's message provides a joyous way out of today's confusion, heartache and crisis. Satan's plan is to lead us to personal trauma, woe and destruction. In today's Seminar, we see what Revelation tells us about the two movements. It is difficult to properly stress the importance of this seminar subject. We will look at Revelation 11 first.

PLEASE STUDY CAREFULLY EXHIBIT #1, WHICH EXPLAINS THE SYMBOLS OF THIS CHAPTER, BEFORE BEGINNING THE LESSON. REFER TO THE EXHIBIT OFTEN FOR DOCUMENTATION OF THIS LESSON.

### GOD'S TWO WITNESSES

1. **Revelation 11 features God's two witnesses. It describes shameful treatment given them and their ultimate victory over their persecutors. Who are these two witnesses? Revelation 11:3,4 (1811)**

Ans: "These are the two olive TREES and the two CANDLESTICKS."

NOTE: As demonstrated in Exhibit #1, the two witnesses, the two olive trees and the two candlesticks all refer to the same thing — the Old and New Testaments, which were inspired by the Holy Ghost.

2. **Verse two of Revelation 11 (1811) speaks of a time period of forty-two months when God's people (the holy city) were to be trodden underfoot or persecuted. Verse 3 (1811) speaks of a time period of 1260 days when the two witnesses (the Bible) prophesied in sackcloth, under most trying circumstances. Using the prophetic rule of ONE PROPHETIC DAY EQUALS ONE LITERAL YEAR, how long were these time periods?**

Ans: 1260 YEARS

NOTE: Forty-two prophetic months and 1260 prophetic days equal the same amount of time: 1260 literal years.

3. **When did this 1260 years of unusual persecution take place?**

Ans: From 538 A.D. to 1798 A.D.

BEFORE ANSWERING, PLEASE STUDY EXHIBIT #2 CAREFULLY. KEEP IT HANDY FOR REFERENCE AS WE STUDY THE REST OF THE LESSON.



4. Those who decide  
to take God's Word  
into their lives  
receive a power for abundant,  
victorious living,  
right now!

THERE IS POWER IN GOD'S WORD!

5. For three and one-half years,  
Satan tried to stamp out  
the Bible and all Christians  
in the FRENCH REVOLUTION,  
the reign of terror!  
Think of it!

Chaos and confusion  
for almost 1300 days,  
Bibles burned and banned,  
churches sacked and closed,  
people worshipped immorality,  
Christ considered "the Wretch",  
atheism the national religion.

But it did not last in France.  
Atheism was later transferred to Russia  
which became the "home base"  
for world-wide atheism or communism.

For those interested in reading more about the French  
Revolution: LOAN or GIVE The Great Controversy – suggest  
reading Chapter 12.



## GOD WILL FINISH THE WORK

14. What happens as soon as the three-point message reaches the entire world? Revelation 14:14 (1816)

Ans: "And I looked, and behold a white CLOUD,  
and upon the cloud SAT one like unto  
the SON of man".

Jesus returns in the cloud as soon as His message reaches every person on earth. He won't come back until all people have heard and clearly understand His wonderful plan of salvation and His invitation for them to live with Him eternally in His glorious new kingdom. All who are lost will be lost with full understanding. Jesus is fair. He will see that all clearly see the issues.

15. What does God promise in regard to His great three-point message reaching the world? Romans 9:28 (1659)

Ans: "He will finish the WORK, and cut it  
SHORT in righteousness".

NOTE: This is a promise. God, Himself, will finish it up. He will cut short the time required. It is foolish to talk of the immensity and impossibility of the unfinished task when God has personally promised to cut it short and finish it quickly! We are the people who will live to see the King return. Are you ready?

16. Why will many be lost when Jesus returns? Hosea 4:6 (1324)

Ans: "My people are DESTROYED for LACK  
of KNOWLEDGE; because THOU hast  
rejected KNOWLEDGE, I will also REJECT thee".

NOTE: Many will be lost because God gave them information or knowledge and they refused to hear it. People who were lost in Noah's day "knew not" for the same reason: they wouldn't listen, Matthew 24:37-39 (1440). THE WARNING ABOUT



14. This three point message  
has been going to the world  
for over 120 years,  
similar to the warning  
given in Noah's day!

DO YOU REMEMBER THE WARNING WORDS OF THE  
MASTER?

"... as the days of Noah were,  
so shall also the coming of the Son of Man be."  
(Matthew 24:37)

The Three Angel's Messages of Revelation 14  
are being given to  
the entire world.

15. God will not only finish  
the work He began (salvation),  
He will CUT IT SHORT  
in righteousness, (Romans 9:28).

THERE IS NO MORE TIME FOR DELAY!

16. The Three Angel's Messages of Revelation 14  
is the final warning from God  
before Christ returns.  
Those who refuse to hear it  
will be destroyed!

"He that hath an ear let him hear what  
the Spirit saith to the churches"!

The solemn warnings of Rev. 11:5-7 (1811) against attacking or interfering with the WORD OF GOD (v. 6) makes it clear (see Exhibit #1) that the WORD has power to control and punish evil. Those who oppose the WORD will be destroyed by fire.

4. Who finally killed the two witnesses?

Ans: "The BEAST that ASCENDETH out of  
the bottomless PIT".

NOTE: The beast from the pit is Satan, Revelation 20:1-3 (1822), in the primary sense. However, as in Revelation 12:3,4 (1812) cf Revelation 12:7-9 (1813) the beast also represents an earthly kingdom through which Satan successfully worked.

According to the interpretation of Rev. 11:8,9 (1812), (see Exh. #1 & #2), the nation Satan used to "kill" the Bible was grossly immoral (Sodom), atheistic and God-hating (Egypt). Killing God's witnesses was considered as serious as crucifying His Son.

5. How long would the two witnesses remain dead? Rev. 11:9 (1812)

Ans: " THREE days and an HALF".

NOTE: The Bible rule is ONE PROPHETIC DAY EQUALS ONE LITERAL YEAR, Ezekiel 4:6 (1213). Thus 3½ prophetic days equal 3½ literal years. Satan despises the Bible because it exposes his evil plans and uplifts Jesus, his archenemy. His strategy is to keep us away from the Bible at any cost. Being too busy is one of our biggest problems. LET'S STOP RIGHT HERE AND PROMISE GOD TO SPEND SOME TIME WITH HIS HOLY WORD DAILY. WHAT COULD BE MORE IMPORTANT?





6. The Word of God  
was resurrected with power –  
after the French Revolution.

Just as Jesus (the Word of God, John 1:1-3,14)  
was resurrected with power  
and ascended up to Heaven!

NEITHER IS DEATH AN ENEMY TO THOSE IN CHRIST.  
“O death, where is thy sting?  
O grave, where is thy victory?”  
(I Corinthians 15:55)

We have victory through  
Jesus Christ our Lord!

8. Examples of other times that God MOVED THE EARTH  
to get attention:
- The death of Jesus – the earth did quake, Matt. 27:50-52.
  - Great earthquakes – signs of His 2nd coming, Luke 21:11.
  - Great violent earthquake – Sixth Seal,  
sign of His coming, Rev. 6:12.

Earthquakes – A sign of God's power!

NOTE: It will go world-wide. No one will be left out. All will clearly understand God's requirements and His love. No one has a right to preach anything he chooses and call it the gospel. God commands that the everlasting gospel of love for these last days must include His three-point message of Revelation 14:6-12 (1815).

11. What is the first part of God's message for today? Revelation 14:7 (1815)

Ans: “Fear GOD, and give GLORY to Him;  
for the HOUR of His JUDGMENT  
is come: and WORSHIP Him that made  
HEAVEN, and EARTH”.

NOTE: The message is opposed to evolution. It says “worship the Creator because the hour of His judgment is here”. We will study the judgment message in Lessons 14 and 15. Did you know the judgment has already begun? Lesson ten made it clear that God asks His people to keep His Sabbath as proof that they accept Him as Creator.

12. What is the second part of God's great message for today? Revelation 14:8 (1815); 18:2,4 (1819).

Ans: “Babylon is FALLEN . . . come OUT of her,  
MY people, that ye be not PARTAKERS of  
her SINS, and that ye receive NOT  
of her PLAGUES”.

NOTE: The second point of the message is, “Babylon has fallen. Get out quickly or you will be involved in her sins and will receive of her plagues”. We will study “Babylon” in Lesson 21 and the “Plagues” in Lesson 22. Do you know what Babylon is? Are you certain you are not in Babylon?

13. What warning does the third part of God's message give? Revelation 14:9 (1815)

Ans: “If ANY man worship the BEAST . . .  
and RECEIVE his mark . . . the same shall DRINK  
of the WINE of the WRATH of God”.

NOTE: God is here saying that if a person receives the mark of the beast he is lost and will receive the plagues. Do you know positively what the mark of the beast is? We will study the mark of the beast in Lesson 19.



**11. GOD'S ANSWER TO ATHEISM (First Angel)**

Worship the Creator.

- a. THE SABBATH is at the heart of worshipping the Creator.
- b. Those that choose not to worship the Creator – (which includes Sabbath observance) will be judged guilty in the judgment.

**12. GOD'S ANSWER TO "Does it matter?" (Second Angel)**

God's people are to get out of Babylon quickly!

- a. Babylon is full of sin.
- b. Those in Babylon receive plagues.

IT DOES MATTER TO GOD.

HE WANTS HIS PEOPLE TO GET OUT OF BABYLON,  
RIGHT NOW!

**13. GOD'S ANSWER TO "Is it important?" (Third Angel)**

- a. Call to stop worshipping beast!
- b. No mercy to those who don't!
- c. Receive plagues and death!

God's people called  
to make vital decisions  
based upon God's Word  
in the last days!

6. Verses 11 and 12, of Revelation 11 (1811), point out that the two witnesses would be raised after 3½ years and ascend up to heaven. What is the symbolic meaning of "ascended up to heaven"? Daniel 4:22 (1303)

Ans: "Thou art . . . become STRONG . . . for thy greatness . . . reacheth unto HEAVEN".

NOTE: It means the Word of God would be highly exalted after it was resurrected. And it was. The British and Foreign Bible Society was organized in 1804 and the American Bible Society in 1816. The Bible became available to the man on the street. It became a best seller and has remained so to this day.

**GOD'S WORD DESTROYED**

7. According to the prophecy of Revelation 11, the nation that Satan used to "kill" the Bible did its evil work against the Scripture shortly before the 1260 year persecution ended in 1798. According to history, what nation fits the Bible specifications? (see NOTE)

Ans: FRANCE

NOTE: There is only one nation that could possibly fit: the nation of France. The 3½ years were part of the reign of terror of the French revolution. The period began on November 26 of 1793 when a decree, issued in Paris, abolished religion. The period ended on June 17 of 1797, when the French government removed restrictions against religion. During the crisis the Bible was burned and banned ("killed"). All churches and temples were closed and worship of God abolished by the National Assembly. A ten-day week was voted. Every tenth day was celebrated with mirth and profanity. The existence of God was openly denied. An immoral woman was named "Goddess of Reason", and people "worshipped" her. Morals dropped to rock bottom. "Crush the wretch" (referring to Christ) was the motto of the revolution. Atheism became the "religion" of France. And it did not work. Three and one-half years later a decree granting toleration of the Scriptures was voted by the National Assembly. It carried without a dissenting vote.

8. An earthquake in symbolism means an upheaval, a visitation of God's power. When the earthquake struck, what happened? Revelation 11:13 (1812)

Ans: "The TENTH part of the city FELL,  
and in the EARTHQUAKE were SLAIN of men  
SEVEN thousand".



Consider Satan's Strategy:

Atheism	= No belief in God
No God	= No Creator
No Creator	= No Sabbath
No Sabbath	= No rest (Fellowship between Creator and Man)
No Rest	= Continual activity
Continual activity	= No thoughts about God
No belief in God	= Atheism

SATAN'S MAJOR ATTACK POINTS:

The family  
and the family day (Sabbath).

Can you see now:

- Why the family is under Satanic attack?
- Why the Sabbath is under superhuman attack?

## 10. GOD'S ANSWER TO ATHEISM –

Tell everybody in the world

His three point message,  
(Revelation 14:6-12).

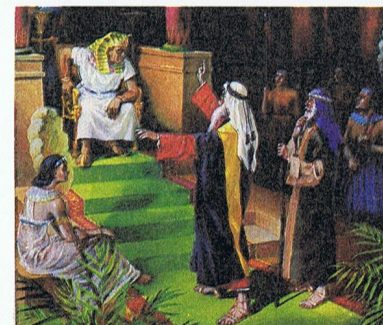
NOTE: The city here mentioned is the Papacy, Revelation 17:18 (1819) which was supported by the ten kings or nations, Revelation 17:12,13 (1819). The earthquake which hit the Papacy is the capture of the Pope in 1798. France, which is one of the ten kings, is the one-tenth that fell because for a brief period she withdrew her support from the Papacy and all other churches. The 7000 men (or names as the margin says) refers to the titled nobility of the city, all of which had their titles removed during the French revolution.

## ORIGIN OF ATHEISTIC COMMUNISM

9. **Militant atheism began in France but it did not end there. What does God say about the spread of evil? Galatians 5:9 (1711).**

Ans: "A little LEAVEN leaveneth the WHOLE lump".

NOTE: A little evil can become big very quickly. The religion of atheism (and it is a religion) spread from France to the north and east to the vast country of Russia. In the Russian political revolution of 1917 a vital part of the uprising was an attack upon religion. Today, Russia's millions are overwhelmingly atheistic. And the virus has swept across the world infiltrating everywhere and gaining adherents to an alarming degree. The school systems of the world dispense atheism in their adherence to evolution. Satan's movement to defy God has virtually captured the sciences. The devil is angry, militant, brilliant and determined. His religion of atheism has engulfed a third of the world, and is growing rapidly.



Pharaoh's atheism  
symbolizes atheism  
today.

## REVELATION'S THREE ANGELS MESSAGES

10. **The three-point message of God's great movement is pictured in Revelation, chapter 14. It is called the everlasting gospel. How widely does God say it will be preached? Revelation 14:6 (1815)**

Ans: "To every NATION, and KINDRED,  
and TONGUE and PEOPLE".