



FINAL CONQUEST

A VERSE-BY-VERSE STUDY OF REVELATION

WHEN GABRIEL BLOWS HIS HORN!

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The Primary Uses of Trumpets in the Bible

1. **Announce ceremonial processions.**
(Joshua 6:4, 13-16; 1 Kings 1:34, 39; 1 Chronicles 15:24)
2. **Assemble the Israelites for war, journeys, and special feasts.**
(Numbers 10:9-10)
3. **Announce the new year.**
(Numbers 29:1)
4. **Regather Israel at the Second Coming of Christ.**
(Matthew 24:31)
5. **Announce the Rapture of the Church.**
(1 Thessalonians 4:16; 1 Corinthians 15:51-52)

C. **The Angel with a Gold Censer** (Revelation 8:3-6)

Revelation 8:3-4 ³ “Another angel came and stood at the altar, holding a golden censer ; and much incense was given to him, so that he might add it to the prayers of all the saints on the golden altar which was before the throne. ⁴ And the smoke of the incense, with the prayers of the saints, went up before God out of the angel’s hand.”

Revelation 8:5 “Then the angel took the censer and filled it with the fire of the altar, and threw it to the earth; and there followed peals of thunder and sounds and flashes of lightning and an earthquake.”

II. **The Sounding Of The First Four Trumpets** (Revelation 8:7-12)

A. **The First Trumpet: Fire on Earth** (Revelation 8:7)

Revelation 8:7 “The first sounded, and there came hail and fire, mixed with blood, and they were thrown to the earth; and a third of the earth was burned up, and a third of the trees were burned up, and all the green grass was burned up.”



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B. The Second Trumpet: Blood in the Sea (Revelation 8:8-9)

Revelation 8:8-9 ⁸ “The second angel sounded, and something like a great mountain burning with fire was thrown into the sea; and a third of the sea became blood, ⁹ and a third of the creatures which were in the sea and had life, died; and a third of the ships were destroyed.”

C. The Third Trumpet: Contamination of Fresh Water (Revelation 8:10-11)

Revelation 8:10-11 ¹⁰ “The third angel sounded, and a great star fell from heaven, burning like a torch, and it fell on a third of the rivers and on the springs of waters. ¹¹ The name of the star is called Wormwood; and a third of the waters became wormwood, and many men died from the waters, because they were made bitter.”

D. The Fourth Trumpet: Darkness of the Heavenly Bodies (Revelation 8:12)

Revelation 8:12 “The fourth angel sounded, and a third of the sun and a third of the moon and a third of the stars were struck, so that a third of them would be darkened and the day would not shine for a third of it, and the night in the same way.”

III. The Heavenly Warning Of Woe (Revelation 8:13)

Revelation 8:13 “Then I looked, and I heard an eagle flying in midheaven, saying with a loud voice, ‘Woe, woe, woe, to those who dwell on the earth because of the remaining blasts of the trumpet of the three angels who are about to sound!’”

Conclusion