

Unholy Trinity: Satan's Wrath
Revelation 12:7-17

I. WAR: "there was war in heaven" (vv.7-12)

A. Battle: "Michael...waging war with the dragon" (vv.7-9)

1. Michael: "waging war" (v.7a)
 - a. Great Prince: "who stands guard over the sons of your people" (Daniel 12:1)
 - b. Great Protector: "he who now restrains" (2 Thessalonians 2:5-10)
2. Dragon: "was thrown down to the earth" (vv.7b-9)
 - a. Great War: "no longer a place found for them" (vv.7b-8)
 - b. Great Dragon: "thrown down to the earth" (v.9)

B. Bellow: "I heard a loud voice" (vv.10-12)

1. Revelation: "salvation...power...kingdom...authority" (v.10a)
2. Reason: "the accuser...has been thrown down" (v.10b)
3. Results: "brethren...overcame him" (v.11)
4. Response: "rejoice O heavens...woe to the earth and the sea" (v.12)

II. WOMAN: "the woman who gave birth" (vv.13-17)

A. Persecution: "the dragon...persecuted" (vv.13,15,17)

1. Focus: "persecuted the woman" (v.13) [Israel]
2. Flood: "the serpent poured water" (v.15)
3. Faithful: "dragon...went off to make war" (v.17) [Church]

B. Protection: "two wings...were given to the woman" (vv.14,16)

1. Out of Reach: "that she might fly into the wilderness" (v.14a)
2. Out of Sight: "she was nourished for a time, times and half a time" (v.14b)
3. Out of Harm's Way: "the earth helped the woman" (v.16)