## Notes on Revelation 6-10

- I. The Suffering Christian
  - A. What do we learn concerning satan, demons, and angels from these passages?
    - i. Revelation 6:8
    - ii. Job 1:12
    - iii. 1 Corinthians 10:13
    - iv. James 5:10
  - B. According to God the Holy Spirit, what is the reason or purpose for the suffering of Christians?
    - i. James 1:12
    - ii. 1 Peter 1:7
    - iii. John 5:20-21
    - iv. Philippians 3:10
  - C. Does physical suffering purge us of sin or cause us to sin less?
    - i. Colossians 2:23
    - ii. Hebrews 10:18
  - D. Do we suffer as an act of punishment for sin? Does God punish Christians for their sins?
    - i. Romans 8:1, 5:8
    - ii. Hebrews 10:18, 12:10
  - E. When we sin, do we need to fear God?
    - i. 1 John 4:18
  - F. In the last days, will a man's faith protect him from suffering? How do you prepare for this day?
    - i. Revelation 6:9-11
  - G. Is the God of the Old Testament a God of wrath and the God of the New Testament a God of love?
    - i. Revelation 6:16
    - ii. Psalm 136
  - H. Notice the response to suffering. Does it bring repentance? Of what Old Testament event does this remind you? (Notice the relationship between idol worship, demons, and inanimate objects.)
    - i. Psalm 106:37-38
    - ii. 1 Corinthians 10:20
    - iii. Revelation 9:20
- II. Additional Topics
  - A. Tongues
    - i. When the Bible speaks of tongues, is it referring to a known language or a mystery language?
    - ii. Scripture References

- 1. Acts 2:4, 11
- 2. Revelation 5:9, 7:9, 10:11, 11:9, 13:7, 14:6, 17:15
- B. The Blood of Christ
  - i. How important is the role of the blood of Christ in our salvation?
  - ii. Could Jesus have died by hanging or lethal injection?
  - iii. See Revelation 7:14
- C. Prayer
  - i. Contrast prayer as a ministry versus prayer as an act of selfishness
  - ii. Scripture References
    - 1. Ephesians 4:27
    - 2. Hebrews 13:15-16
    - 3. Revelation 8:4
- D. Creation
  - i. Is creation a side issue in the Holy Scriptures?
  - ii. Is the historical Adam important?
  - iii. Revelation 10:6