

Mystery Babylon and The Harlot

Revelation 17. And I saw a woman sitting on a scarlet beast *which was full of names of blasphemy.*

And on her forehead a name was written: MYSTERY, BABYLON THE GREAT,
THE MOTHER OF HARLOTS
AND OF THE ABOMINATIONS
OF THE EARTH.

For God has put it into their hearts to fulfill His purpose, to be of one mind, and to give their kingdom to the beast, until the words of God are fulfilled.

Blasphemy is to take the names and concepts of God and use them to impersonate God. God is design, law and order. The impersonator however is a contrast of these things being chaos, lawlessness and confusion and Death and Hades follow.

The reason it is called a beast is because it is the opposite of God. It has the voice of a lamb, but leaves the carnage of a savage lion. It promises peace but makes war. It reports to fight to liberate but obliterates. It promises health but makes sick. It provides education but enforces doctrines of demons. It promises wealth but leaves a mound of poverty. They go to war to liberate but they kill the innocent and rape the land of its resources. You get the picture. What was once noble is now despicable. This is the unthinkable. This is a mystery, Mystery Babylon.

To look at a creature with perfect stature and beauty, then to look at a conglomerate of various body parts from different animals assembled with miss matched parts, you would call it a Frankenstein, a beast. A conglomeration of various components from different animals is grotesque. And something appearing wholesome but whose product is a grotesque and is a woeful sight like described here.² Now the beast which I saw was like a leopard, his feet were like *the feet of a bear*, and his mouth like the mouth of a lion.

That is what the beast is. It is the opposite of God. But it takes on Gods names and concepts, then perverting them and inverting them to get the opposite results. That is how you know who the beast is and it is staring us in the face today. To those of us who know the face of God, we know the murdererous competition. These impersonators, counterfeits and impostors.

And just as scripture says "For God has put it into their hearts to fulfill His purpose, to be of one mind, and to give their kingdom over to the beast, until the words of God are fulfilled." God is light, and there is a great darkness to accomodate choices. The beast is the negative image and darkened contrast of the living God of whom we are gathered to through the gospel. Those who reject God, whose names are not written in the book of life, are collected by the rulers of the earth

who stand in the place of God, who proclaim godlike status, taking on seemingly godlike elements, for them to be publicly, and eternally condemned. 2 Thessalonians 2¹¹ And for this reason God will send them strong delusion, that they should believe the lie,¹² that they all may be condemned who did not believe the truth but had pleasure in unrighteousness." They take pleasure in the visual contrast.

For on them is laid all the blood and guilt of murder of all the saints, and all the deaths of the world. Just like the Jews of old whom it was said "on you shall be laid all the guilt and judgment of all the righteous from Able till then. And it was so. Total extermination "till not one stone was left upon another" and not a spec of that society left intact. So too, this age will wrap up in similar fashion. Hebrews 11²⁹ Of how much worse punishment, do you suppose, will he be thought worthy who has trampled the Son of God underfoot, counted the blood of the covenant by which he was sanctified a common thing, and insulted the Spirit of grace? ³⁰ For we know Him who said, "Vengeance is Mine, I will repay," ^[g]says the Lord. And again, "The Lord will judge His people."³¹ It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God.

This Mother of Harlots called Mystery Babylon at its inception was a concubine of God and had a persona of true benevolence, neighborly love, and a righteous preservation of humanity based on true godliness. Having fallen she uses Gods names only for an illusion to those who reject the living God. She has now become the opposite of what she was created for, life liberty and the pursuit of Happiness, with liberty and justice for all. Casting off her virtuous clothes described in her constitution she becomes haniously different. What was respectable becomes repugnant, heinous and despicable.. What was wholesome and good has become a loathsome smell in the nostril's of the Almighty God. He has no part in this.

Just like a cavity that was carved out to hold good, when emptied out that same cavity, or expanse is capable of being equally bad. Hence the phrase "she has fallen". An inversion takes place. Up becomes down, right becomes wrong, left becomes right and you have a culture confused and spiraling out of control. Instead of hearing the Lord calling "returning to Me and I will heal you". She protests and foments with anger. Babylon having fallen is the exact opposite of what it once was esteemed for. Her judgment is to "have her flesh eaten and to be burned by fire". Ravaged from the outside, eaten up from within. Just as Israel was entrusted with the gospel, but fell and became a den of thieves, a brood of vipers and sons of satan, so too this Babylon, once having the ingredients of godliness, she has rejected her God given purpose outlined in her constitution, she becomes satanic to the core. She becomes a snare and a trap for every unclean and hateful bird. The fallen angels roost in her. The "Men of renown" are known again through her. The bottomless pit opens up to empty herself. The gods of this age being "those who say they are Jews but of the synogouge of satan" have found refuge. She is the home of every spiteful, hateful and unclean bird and her citezines love it to be so. Her judgment is just and deserved. She is rotting from the inside out. A foul and loathsome smell reaches the Heavens and strong is the Lord who

judges her.

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For this reason the elect are called in this day to differentiate from the condemned "lest you partake of her sins and receive of her judgments".

2 Corinthians 6.¹⁷ Therefore

"Come out from among them
And be separate, says the Lord.
Do not touch what is unclean,
And I will receive you."

¹⁸ "I will be a Father to you,
And you shall be My sons and daughters,
Says the Lord Almighty."

7 Therefore, having these promises, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God.