

The Dragon, The Beast & The False Prophet 3!

We've talked about **The Dragon**, and **The Beast**, tonight, we'll finish talking about the false prophet and his impact during the End Times.

To recap and bring more correlation and understanding:

***Revelation 13:1** And I stood upon the sand of the sea, and saw a beast rise up out of the sea, having seven heads and ten horns, and upon his horns ten crowns, and upon his heads the name of blasphemy.*

***2** And the beast which I saw was like unto a leopard, and his feet were as the feet of a bear, and his mouth as the mouth of a lion: and the dragon gave him his power, and his seat, and great authority.*

Revelation 12:9 tells us the **first** beast, The Dragon is Satan or The Devil!

The **first** beast is **Satan** The Dragon he gives his power, authority and position as world leader to **The Second Beast** who we know as **The Antichrist**.

*ESV **Revelation 13:11** Then I saw **another beast** rising out of the earth. It had two **horns like a lamb** and it **spoke like a dragon**.*

***12** It exercises all the **authority of the first beast** in its presence, and makes the earth and its inhabitants worship the first beast, whose mortal wound was healed.*

***13** It performs great signs, even making fire come down from heaven to earth in front of people,*

***14** It deceives those living on earth with the signs that it is allowed to do in front of the first beast. It tells those living on earth to make a statue for the beast who was wounded by a sword and yet lived.*

***15** **The second beast** was allowed to put breath into the **statue of the first beast**. Then the statue of the first beast could talk and put to death whoever would not worship it.*

The **second** beast is a hybrid animal, it's a **lamb/dragon!**

Its appearance will be that of a lamb, but it's words will be those of a dragon! This is the appearance and nature of the Antichrist!

The **Second Beast** (antichrist) gives life to the **statue** of the first beast!

The **Second Beast** breaths into the statue of the **first** beast, (as God breathed into man) giving it the ability to speak and kill those who won't worship it!

A **prophet** is someone inspired by God to speak on His behalf!

What is a False Prophet?

Someone claiming to speak for God but is inspired by Satan & speaks for him.

To be **inspired** means to be **filled** with the spirit of another! Remember he looks like a lamb, but speaks like a dragon!

Please hear and understand!

Some have mistakenly believed a **False Prophet** to be someone whose prophecies **do not come to pass**; this is not totally correct.

- A **False Prophet** can speak accurately and still be false!

Remember Balaam was **correct** in everything he saw and said about Israel, yet he was considered a **soothsayer and a false prophet!**

So, **accuracy is not** the litmus test for determining **false prophets**.

The term **false prophet** in the Greek text is "*pseudoprohetes*" and means "**pretentious, insincere and deceiving**" speech!

Everything **Balaam** said was **true, accurate he heard from God**, what made him false was what he spoke didn't promote **The Kingdom of God, only** his personal agenda and benefit.

KJV 1 John 4:1 Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets are gone out into the world.

Mat 7:15 "Beware of the false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly are ravenous wolves.

Jesus says on the outside they look like sheep (**just like us, like followers of Jesus**), but in their heart, they want to tear us apart, not make us whole!

But there's a difference between them and **The False Prophet!**

The False Prophet is so called because the damage he does with his mouth e.g. the words he speaks and how the supernatural things he does impacts the whole world, not just a group or nation.

Please understand what **he says and does** will impact the whole world!

Jesus, Paul and Peter all say there will be many false prophets in the last days, but **The False Prophet** is on another level.

He is in **covenant** with Satan and the antichrist and part of the **unholy trinity!**

Revelation 19:20 The beast (antichrist) and the false prophet who had done miracles for the beast (Satan) were captured. By these miracles the false prophet had deceived those who had the mark (brand) of the beast and worshiped its statue. Both of them were thrown alive into the fiery lake of burning sulfur.

The False Prophet does incredible miracles, signs and wonders which he uses to deceive the world into getting the mark of the beast.

The False Prophet will have control over the worlds economy!

The False Prophet deceives most of the people of the world into worshipping a statue of the Antichrist as God.

The False Prophet will create a one world religion that many will believe will bring peace onearth.

ESV Revelation 16:13 And I saw, coming out of the mouth of the dragon and out of the mouth of the beast and out of the mouth of the false prophet, three unclean spirits like frogs.

14 For they are demonic spirits, performing signs, who go abroad to the kings of the whole world, to assemble them for battle on the great day of God the Almighty.

The False Prophet deceives the kings of the earth to wage war against God Almighty.

The False Prophet is the master deceiver, able to deceive the whole world!

The rulers of the world will be deceived into thinking The God of The Bible is the problem and cause their armies to fight against Christ, His saints and His holy angels.

KJV Matthew 24:24 For there shall arise false Christs, and false prophets, and shall shew great signs and wonders; insomuch that, if it were possible, they shall deceive the very elect.