



REVELATION COURSE SYLLABUS

Meeting Time & Place: Tuesday classes; April 10, 17, 24; May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; June 5, 12, 19, 26; from 7:00PM TO 9:00PM.

Instructor: Dr. George Johnson, Sr. Pastor, Hope Community Baptist Church.
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Administrative Assistant: TBD

Textbooks:

Larry R. Helyer & Richard Wagner. *The Book of Revelation for Dummies*. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley, 2008.

Given 1st night of class.

Randy Rheume, "Revelation." Printed Class Notes, 2015.

Course Description: This course provides an overview & analysis of the New Testament Book of Revelation, highlighting the historical & cultural background, argument, theology, & practical implications.

Attendance Policy: In accordance with Detroit Bible Institute policy, all students must attend a minimum of 10 classes in order to receive credit for the course. Excused absences are considered at the discretion of the instructor and will not count against the student. In the event that a student has an excused absence, the instructor reserves the right to assign extra homework and reading to make up for lecture time missed by the student.

Assignments & Grading:

- **Quizzes & Assigned Reading:** 50% of the final grade

Several "pop" quizzes will be given throughout the course. Be prepared for one each class session. Each quiz will consist of 5 questions. The first question is worth 60 points; it will ask if the assigned reading has been completed. The remaining four questions will be worth 10 points each and will come from the class lectures and from the assigned reading for that class session

- **Exams:** 50% of the final grade

Two exams will be given during the course. Both will be objective (i.e., true/false, multiple choice, fill in, etc.) and will be based on the lectures presented in class. The first exam will cover all the lecture material covered up to that point in the class, and the second exam will cover everything covered since the first exam. Each exam is worth 25% of the final grade.

- **Grading Policy:** Students must complete 75% of all course work in order to pass the course.

Class & Assignment Schedule

Please Note: The Reading Assignments are due on the date they appear on the syllabus, not on the next week's class session.

April 10: *Session 1:* Intro to the Course

Session 2: Intro to Revelation

April 17: *Session 1:* The Prologue and the Glorified Christ

Session 2: The Seven Letters

Reading Assignment Due: Revelation 1-3; Text Book:

pp. 23-42; 101-125

April 24: *Session 1:* The Seven Letters (*continued*)

Session 2: The Heavenly Throne and the Seven Seals

Reading Assignment Due: Revelation 4-6; Text Book:

pp. 125-158

May 1: *Session 1:* The Seven Seals (*continued*)

Session 2: The Two Multitudes and the Seven Trumpets

Reading Assignment Due: Revelation 7; Text Book: pp.

159-179

May 8: *Session 1:* The Seven Trumpets (*continued*) and Interlude

Session 2: Interlude and Seven Trumpets (*continued*)

Reading Assignment Due: Revelation 8-11; Text Book:

pp. 181-204

May 15: *Session 1:* **Exam 1**

Session 2: The Dragon & the Woman

Reading Assignment Due: Revelation 12

May 22: *Session 1:* The Two Beasts

Session 2: Visions of Assurance

Reading Assignment Due: Revelation 13-14; Text Book:pp. 205-226

May 29: Session 1: Preparation for the Seven Bowls
Session 2: The Seven Bowls (*continued*)
Reading Assignment Due: Revelation 15-17; Text Book:
pp. 227-250

June 5: Session 1: The Mystery & Judgment on Babylon
Session 2: The Final Consummation
Reading Assignment Due: Revelation 18-19; Text Book:
pp. 251-272

June 12: Session 1: The Final Consummation (*continued*)
Session 2: The New Creation & Epilogue
Reading Assignment Due: Revelation 20-21; Text Book:
pp. 273-290

June 19: Session 1: Views on the Millennium
Session 2: Views on the Rapture
Reading Assignment Due: Revelation 1-22; Text Book:
pp. 291-301

June 26: Exam 2