

#### Word 4: Come Out of Civilization

<sup>4</sup> Then I heard another voice from Heaven, saying,

“Come out from *Civilization*, my people (Gen 12:1-4, 19:14; Exod 3:7-10; Isa 48:20, 52:11-12; Jer 51:6, 51:45; Zech 2:6-7)! Do not participate in its selfishness and receive its plagues (Rev 2:22, 9:18, 11:6, 13:3, 13:14, 15:1, 16:2-16)! <sup>5</sup> For its selfishness has piled up to Heaven and the Creator has remembered its hurtful-actions (Gen 4:9-10, 6:5-8, 11:1-9, 18:20-21; Ezra 9:6; Jer 51:9; Rev 7:2-3, 9:4, 9:10, 11:18, 16:19)! <sup>6</sup> Give-back to it as it has given-back! Double the doubles according to its practices! With the cup it has mixed, mix double (Psa 28:4-5, 137:8; Jer 16:17-18, 50:15, 50:29; Rev 14:9-10, 16:5-6, 16:19, 17:4)! <sup>7</sup> As much as it has glorified itself and lived in luxury, so give to it torment and grieving (Rev 9:5, 11:10, 12:2, 14:10-11)! For in its heart, it says, ‘I sit as ruler! I am not a widow and I will never see grieving (Isa 47:7-8; Ezek 28:2; Obad 1:3-4; Zeph 2:15; Rev 9:11, 13:5-6)!’ <sup>8</sup> Because of this, its plagues will arrive in one day—death, grieving, and famine (Isa 9:14, 47:9-11; Jer 50:31; Rev 6:8, 6:14, 6:17, 16:2-16). It will be burned up with fire, for the Creator Lord, who judges it, is strong (Rev 11:5, 11:18, 17:16-17).

<sup>9</sup> The rulers of the Earth who committed prostitution and lived in luxury with it will weep and cut themselves over it when they see the smoke of its burning (Gen 19:28; Ezek 26:16; Rev 9:2-3, 14:8, 14:11, 17:2, 18:3; Rev 5:4-5, 9:2, 14:8, 14:11, 17:2, 18:3). <sup>10</sup> They will stand far off because of fear (Rev 1:17, 2:10, 11:11) of its torment, saying, ‘Woe! Woe (Rev 8:13, 9:12, 11:14, 12:12)! The Great City, Babylon—*Civilization*—the strong city! Your judgment has arrived in one hour (Joel 1:15; Rev 3:3, 3:10, 8:1, 9:15, 11:13, 14:7, 14:15, 17:12)!’

<sup>11</sup> The businessmen of the Earth weep and grieve over it for no one buys their cargo any longer (Rev 18:3). <sup>12</sup> Cargo of gold, silver, precious stones, pearls, fine cloth, purple cloth, silk, scarlet cloth, all kinds of valuable wood, all kinds of ivory objects, all kinds of precious wood objects, bronze, iron, marble, <sup>13</sup> cinnamon, spice, incense, perfumed oil, aromatic resin, wine, olive oil, fine flour, wheat, cattle, sheep, horses, wagons, bodies, and human souls (Rev 11:8-9, 17:4, 18:16). <sup>14</sup> The fruit of your soul’s lust has gone away from you and all the splendid and glamorous things are destroyed because of you and they will never be found again (Rev 14:19-20). <sup>15</sup> These businessmen, who became rich through it, will stand far off because of fear of its torment, weeping and grieving (Rev 18:3). <sup>16</sup> They say, ‘Woe! Woe to the Great City—*Civilization*—which was clothed with fine cloth, purple, and scarlet, and was adorned with gold, precious stones, and pearls (Rev 17:4, 18:16). <sup>17</sup> These great riches were stripped in one hour (Ezek 27:12-36)!’

Every captain, sailor, deckhand, and as many as work the Sea—the *chaotic realm*—stood far off. <sup>18</sup> They began calling out as they saw the smoke of its burning, saying, ‘What is like the Great City—*Civilization* (Rev 13:4)?!’ <sup>19</sup> They threw dust upon their heads and as they wept and grieved they began crying out, saying, ‘Woe! Woe to the Great City—*Civilization*! In it all who had boats—*shares in Civilization’s economy*—upon the Sea became rich from its abundance (Rev 8:9)! In one hour it has been stripped!’

<sup>20</sup> Heaven, saints, apostles, and prophets, celebrate over *Civilization’s destruction* (Psa 48:11; Jer 51:48; Rev 11:10, 12:12)! For the Creator judged it with your judgment (Rev 6:10, 8:3-5, 11:18, 12:12, 18:8-9)!”

#### Word 5: Civilization Will Never Be Found Again

<sup>21</sup> Then one angel took a stone like a great millstone and threw it into the Sea—the *chaotic realm* (Exod 15:4-5). It was saying,

“In this way Babylon, the Great City—*Civilization*, will be overthrown with violence and it will never be found again (Jer 51:63-64; Ezek 26:21; Rev 12:8, 18:14)! <sup>22</sup> The sound of harpists, musicians, flute-players, and trumpeters will never be heard in you again (Isa 24:5-11; Ezek 26:12-13)! All craftsmen of every trade will never be found in you again (Gen 4:21-22)! The sound of the mill will never be heard in you again (Isa 47:1-3)! <sup>23</sup> Lamp light will never shine in you again! The sound of bride and groom will never be heard in you again (Jer 16:5-9, 25:8-10; Rev 8:12)! Your businessmen were the

greatest of the Earth, for with your charms all the ethnic-groups were led astray (Isa 23:8; Rev 12:9, 13:14)! <sup>24</sup> The blood of the prophets and saints were found in it and all those who had been killed upon the Earth (Jer 51:49; Dan 7:25; Rev 6:10, 12:11, 16:6, 17:6)!”

### **Word 6: Praise the Creator for Civilization’s Destruction**

- <sup>19.1</sup> After this, I heard the loud voice of a great crowd—*the Church*—in Heaven (Rev 7:9), saying,  
“Praise I AM (Psa 104:35)! Salvation, glory, and power belong to our Creator (Psa 62:11; Rev 7:9-10, 12:10)! <sup>2</sup> For his judgments are true and righteous (Rev 15:3, 16:7)! For he judges the Great Prostitute—*Civilization*—who ruined the Earth—*the material realm*—with its prostitution (Rev 9:21, 11:18, 17:4, 18:3, 18:9)! For he brings righteousness on behalf of his servant’s blood that is on *Civilization’s* hands (Exod 2:23-24; Deut 32:43; 2 Kgs 9:6-7; Rev 6:10, 9:20)!”
- <sup>3</sup> They spoke a second time,  
“Praise I AM! The smoke of *Civilization’s destruction* goes up into the ages of the ages (Isa 34:10; Jer 51:48; Rev 9:2-3, 14:11, 18:9)!”
- <sup>4</sup> The twenty-four elders and the four creatures (Rev 4:4-10, 5:8, 6:1-7, 7:11, 11:6, 14:3) fell and bowed down, saying to the Creator who was seated on the throne,  
“Amen! Praise I AM (Psa 106:47-48)!”
- <sup>5</sup> A voice came from the throne, saying,  
“Praise our Creator, all who are his servants and who fear him, small and great (Psa 115:13, 135:1; Rev 11:18, 13:16)!”