

Introduction

A vision of the marriage of the Lamb and his wife and the defeat of opposition to God.



- 1. What does the voice of the great multitude in heaven say?
- 2. Why does the voice ask for rejoicing and great gladness?
- 3. What does the rider of the white horse do?



Summary Points

- v 1 to 5 God is to be praised (see theme) for his judgements on behalf of those who serve him
- v 6 to 10 There is rejoicing that the wedding of the Lamb and his wife is taking place
- v 11 to 16 John sees a vision of a rider on a white horse followed by his armies. He is making war on behalf of Almighty God against the nations who are opposing God
- v 17 to 21 The birds of the air are summoned to feast on the carcases. All opposition to the rider and his armies is destroyed

Timeline 60 AD (see below)

Theme

We should praise God

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The Israelites are encouraged to praise God for what he has done for them:
Deuteronomy 10 verses 20 and 21
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David, in one of his Psalms, expresses the same sentiments:

Psalm 9 verses 1 and 2

In another Psalm David encourages everyone to praise God at all times:

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Psalm 34 verses 1 to 3
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The prophet Daniel praises God when he shows him the king's dream:

Daniel 2 verse 23

On more than one occasion, the people praise God after they have seen the miracles that Jesus has done:

Luke 18 verses 42 and 43

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Luke 19 verse 37
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The apostle Peter says believers should praise God for being called out of darkness:

1 Peter 2 verses 9 and 10



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Answers to questions

Verses which answer the questions: Q 1: v 1 and 2, Q 2: v 6 and 7, Q 3: v 11 and 15

Bible timeline

