



Hillside Baptist Church Sunday Night Study
An Exposition of Revelation

The Final Exit Call
Rev. 18:1-8

I. The Cause for Babylon's Demise (1-3)

A. An Angel Comes in the Glory of the Lord

1. Another angel coming from Heaven
2. Having great authority
3. The earth was might bright with his glory (Ezekiel 43:2-9)
4. He Spoke with a Mighty Voice

B. The Reason for Babylon's Fall (Isaiah 21:9)

1. She Houses Devils

(Isaiah 13:21-22; Jer. 50:39; Zeph. 2:14-15)

- i. A dwelling place for Demons
- ii. A haunt for unclean spirits, birds, and beasts

2. She Deceives Nations

- i. The Seduction of her Immorality (Is 23:17; Ezek. 23:33-35)
- ii. The Seduction of her Idolatry (Rev. 13:16-17; Ezek. 27:33)

II. The Call to Exit Babylon (4-5)

A. Come out of her my people (Jer. 51:6, 45; Isa. 52:11)

1. That you may not participate in her sins (2 Cor. 6:16-17; 1 Cor. 5:11-13)

2. And that you may not receive her plagues (Gen. 19:14-15)

B. For her sins are heaped as high as the heavens and the Lord remembers their iniquities.

*This completely the opposite for Christians (Isa. 43:25; Heb. 8:12)

III. The Lord's Retribution Against Babylon (6-8)

A. She Will be Repaid in Wrath (v.6) - Jer. 16:18; Rev. 14:10; 16:19

B. She Will be Humbled in Torment (v.7) - Ezekiel 28:2-8; Isaiah 47:7-11

C. She Will be Ravaged in Judgment (v.8) - Isaiah 47:12-15; Jer. 50:34;

Closing Takeaways

- 1. Beware what you give into for the sake of worldly comfort.**
- 2. There was no room for Christ, and there will be no room for you in this world. (In the world, not of it)**
- 3. Striving for Holiness is not optional for Us**
- 4. Who will you lovingly call out from Babylon?**