

## *Revelation 16:1-21*

*Revelation 5:1-5*

*Revelation 8:1-2*

*When He opened the 7<sup>th</sup> seal, there was silence in heaven for about half an hour.*

*And I saw the seven angels who stand before God, and to them were given seven trumpets.*

1. The PURPOSES of these Judgments

*Revelation 11:15-19*

1. The Kingdoms of this world have become the kingdoms of our Lord and of His Christ, and He shall reign forever and ever.

*Revelation 11:15; John 16:7-11*

2. The nations and its rulers will find out who truly OWNS THE NATIONS AND TO WHOM THIS EARTH REALLY BELONGS.

*Revelation 11:18a; Psalm 2*

3. All the dead people will be judged. That is all the spiritually dead people, those who have rejected the offer of salvation.

*Revelation 11:18b; Daniel 7:9-14*

4. All the Servants, Prophets and Saints and those who fear God's name will receive their promised rewards.

*Revelation 11:18c; Revelation 22:12*

2. The REVELATION of these Judgments

*Revelation 16:11 and 21*

*Genesis 3: 4-5*

*Exodus 5:2*

*Exodus 8:19*

3. The EXECUTION of these Judgments

*Revelation 16:1-2*

The first bowl: PAINFUL SORES

*Revelation 16:1-2*

*Revelation 13:8*

*Revelation 14:9-11*

There are two different Greek words used here to describe these so-called sores:

**KAKOS** meaning "evil with a crippling effect"

**PONHROS** meaning "malignant, active"