

## **“The Time Of The End” Part 9**

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Over the last two weeks we've looked at the meaning of the black flags which are predominately being used by the Sunni ISIS groups. There are thousands of these flags everywhere, but the black turbans which we started to learn about last week are worn by the Shias which is the opposite group. The Mahdi army along with the Shias have worn black turbans.

***Note:*** Now remember the black flags is a world wide signal to start the last caliphate in order for the Mahdi to come.

So what is the Mahdi army?

First, let me say this: I believe that the antichrist will come out of Iraq and that the mahdi title is connected to him (meaning the Biblical antichrist). This is my personal opinion based on my studies.



Years ago there was a man name Muqtada Al-Sadr who wears a black turban and he has the Mahdi army. He started out years ago with 500 seminary students and now has well over 70,000 students. He believes that he is going to head up the Mahdi army which will eventually conquer Iraq.

So now, we have ISIS, which is one army and is Sunni. We have the Mahdi army which is in the southern part of Iraq, Baghdad and south in more of the poor areas against each other. So who is going to come out on top?

The black turbans are worn by the Shias and the Hadith says that when Muhammad attacked Medina that he was wearing a black turban. It's interesting that the colors of the turbans can be black, white, red or green. Why is this interesting?

If you go to Revelation 6:2-8 we read about the four horseman:

**Revelation 6:2-8 Amplified Bible (AMP)**

*2 And I looked, and saw there a white horse whose rider carried a bow. And a crown was given him, and he rode forth conquering and to conquer.*

*3 And when He broke the second seal, I heard the second living creature call out, Come!*

*4 And another horse came out, flaming red. And its rider was empowered to take the peace from the earth, so that men slaughtered one another; and he was given a huge sword.*

*5 When He broke open the third seal, I heard the third living creature call out, Come and look! And I saw, and behold, a black horse, and in his hand the rider had a pair of scales (a balance).*

*6 And I heard what seemed to be a voice from the midst of the four living creatures, saying, A quart of wheat for a denarius [a whole day's wages], and three quarts of barley for a denarius; but do not harm the oil and the wine!*

*7 When the Lamb broke open the fourth seal, I heard the fourth living creature call out, Come!*

*8 So I looked, and behold, an ashy pale horse black and blue as if made so by bruising], and its rider's name was Death, and Hades (the realm of the dead) followed him closely. And they were given authority and power over a fourth part of the earth to kill with the sword and with famine and with plague (pestilence, disease) and with wild beasts of the earth.*

### **Revelation 6:2-8 King James Version (KJV)**

*2 And I saw, and behold a white horse: and he that sat on him had a bow; and a crown was given unto him: and he went forth conquering, and to conquer.*

*3 And when he had opened the second seal, I heard the second beast say, Come and see.*

*4 And there went out another horse that was red: and power was given to him that sat thereon to take peace from the earth, and that they should kill one another: and there was given unto him a great sword.*

*5 And when he had opened the third seal, I heard the third beast say, Come and see. And I beheld, and lo a black horse; and he that sat on him had a pair of balances in his hand.*

*6 And I heard a voice in the midst of the four beasts say, A measure of wheat for a penny, and three measures of barley for a penny; and see thou hurt not the oil and the wine.*

*7 And when he had opened the fourth seal, I heard the voice of the fourth beast say, Come and see.*

*8 And I looked, and behold a pale horse: and his name that sat on him was Death, and Hell followed with him. And power was given unto them over the fourth part of the earth, to kill with sword, and with hunger, and with death, and with the beasts of the earth.*

So, you have a white horse, red horse, black horse and pale horse, which in the Greek that word pale is green. It is a sickly looking green. (We are going to get back to this in a little bit about the different colored flags.)

Islam wears white turbans, black turbans, red turbans and green turbans. One branch of Islam always wears green turbans because they believe that green is the favorite color of Muhammad.

(Note: The flags of Iran, Saudi Arabia, and the Palestinian group Hamas also include the color.)

The Islamic prophet is said to have worn a green cloak and turban, and his writings are full of references to the color. A passage from the Quran describes paradise as a place where people "will wear green garments of fine silk." One Hadith, or teaching, says, "When Allah's Apostle died, he was covered with a Hibra Burd," which is a green square garment. As a result, you'll see green used to color the binding of Qurans, the domes of mosques, and, yes, campaign materials.

The United States military, when dealing with Iraq, have talked about the strongholds that the Muslims have, either Sunni stronghold or Shia stronghold.

This is what Daniel 11:38 says about the prophecy of the antichrist:

**Daniel 11:38 Amplified Bible (AMP)**

*38 But in their place he (antichrist) shall honor the god of fortresses; a god whom his fathers knew not shall he honor with gold and silver, with precious stones, and with pleasant and expensive things.*

**Daniel 11:38 King James Version (KJV)**

*38 But in his estate (the antichrist) shall he honour the God of forces: and a god whom his fathers knew not shall he honour with gold, and silver, and with precious stones, and pleasant things.*

Hezbollah has a stronghold in Lebanon. ISIS has a stronghold in Syria and Iraq. Hamas has a stronghold in the Gaza strip (this is what they call them - strongholds).

This verse in Daniel says that the antichrist will be honoring war gods or gods of war, where there are strongholds.

It says that they will be honoring with gold and silver...we know that ISIS has been not just killing people in the Middle East but taking all the gold and silver.

They have taken billions of dollars and more than that of gold and silver which is now in their possession. For them this is self fulfilling prophecy (Islam) but Bible prophecy that he said would take place thousands of years ago.

**Daniel 11:39 Amplified Bible (AMP)**

*39 And he shall deal with the strongest fortresses by the help of a foreign god. Those who acknowledge him he shall magnify with glory and honor, and he shall cause them to rule over many and shall divide the land for a price.*

**Daniel 11:39 King James Version (KJV)**

*39 Thus shall he do in the most strong holds with a strange god, whom he shall acknowledge and increase with glory: and he shall cause them to rule over many, and shall divide the land for gain.*

The division of the land is going to be taking place in that part of the world in the very near future. But, the land of Israel is going to be divided as well in the very near future.

Then the antichrist after ruling for 42 months in the Iraq/Syria area or even longer, this is what happens...

**Daniel 11:41 Amplified Bible (AMP)**

*41 He shall enter into the Glorious Land [Palestine] and many shall be overthrown, but these shall be delivered out of his hand: Edom, Moab, and the main [core] of the people of Ammon.*

**Daniel 11:41 King James Version (KJV)**

*41 He shall enter also into the glorious land, and many countries shall be overthrown: but these shall escape out of his hand, even Edom, and Moab, and the chief of the children of Ammon.*

The antichrist eventually gets to Jerusalem which is between the Dead Sea and the Mediterranean Sea. The plan is to form this huge caliphate with millions of war-like people who will physically march into the land of Israel and take it over.

**Daniel 11:45 Amplified Bible (AMP)**

*45 And he shall pitch his palatial tents between the seas and the glorious holy Mount [Zion]; yet he shall come to his end with none to help him.*

**Daniel 11:45 King James Version (KJV)**

*45 And he shall plant the tabernacles of his palace between the seas in the glorious holy mountain; yet he shall come to his end, and none shall help him.*

Now, I want to show you something very interesting. We just read Revelation 6:2-8 which are called the Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse. Let's break this down:

**White Horse - Revelation 6:2 KJV**

...had a bow; and a crown was given unto him: and he went forth conquering, and to conquer.

So the white horse rider has a crown and a bow and went forth to conquer.

**Red Horse - Revelation 6:4 KJV**

...and that they should kill one another: and there was given unto him a great sword.

The red horse rider has a sword, war and is slaying people.



### **Black Horse - Revelation 6:5 KJV**

...and he that sat on him had a pair of balances in his hand.

The black horse rider creates famine, death and food rationing. Now, remember in Revelation 13:16-17 you have to have The Mark in order to eat because there is going to be a food shortage.

### **Revelation 13:16-18 Amplified Bible (AMP)**

*16 Also he compels all [alike], both small and great, both the rich and the poor, both free and slave, to be marked with an inscription [stamped] on their right hands or on their foreheads,  
17 So that no one will have power to buy or sell unless he bears the stamp (mark, inscription), [that is] the name of the beast or the number of his name.*

*18 Here is [room for] discernment [a call for the wisdom of interpretation]. Let anyone who has intelligence (penetration and insight enough) calculate the number of the beast, for it is a human number [the number of a certain man]; his number is 666.*

**Revelation 13:16-18 King James Version (KJV)**

*16 And he causeth all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, to receive a mark in their right hand, or in their foreheads:*

*17 And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name.*

*18 Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number of the beast: for it is the number of a man; and his number is Six hundred threescore and six.*

Remember, this is the false prophet and antichrist teaming up together (the system of the beast) to initiate a mark to control all buying and selling.

The antichrist, I believe based on the study of God's Word, will be a Muslim. The false prophet will probably be a defective Pontiff Pope. *(The false prophet will be the lamb with 2 horns. One represents Christianity but it's not real Christianity - it will be an apostate Christianity).*

**3 reasons why they will control the buying and selling:**

**1. Famines and drought - limited food supply**

**Revelation 18:8 King James Version (KJV)**

*8 Therefore shall her plagues come in one day, death, and mourning, and famine; and she shall be utterly burned with fire: for strong is the Lord God who judgeth her.*

**Revelation 18:8 Amplified Bible (AMP)**

*8 So shall her plagues (afflictions, calamities) come thick upon her in a single day, pestilence and anguish and sorrow and famine; and she shall be utterly consumed (burned up with fire), for mighty is the Lord God Who judges her.*

**2. Rationing - by controlling or rationing the food they will be able to have power over the nations. Food will be rationed during this time.**

**Revelation 6:5-6 King James Version (KJV)**

*5 And when he had opened the third seal, I heard the third beast say, Come and see. And I beheld, and lo a black horse; and he that sat on him had a pair of balances in his hand.*

*6 And I heard a voice in the midst of the four beasts say, A measure of wheat for a penny, and three measures of barley for a penny; and see thou hurt not the oil and the wine.*

**Revelation 6:5-6 Amplified Bible (AMP)**

*5 When He broke open the third seal, I heard the third living creature call out, Come and look! And I saw, and behold, a black horse, and in his hand the rider had a pair of scales (a balance).*

*6 And I heard what seemed to be a voice from the midst of the four living creatures, saying, A quart of wheat for a denarius [a whole day's wages], and three quarts of barley for a denarius; but do not harm the oil and the wine!*

### **3. Control food in exchange for conversion to religion**

#### **Revelation 13:16-18 King James Version (KJV)**

*16 And he (false prophet) causeth all, both small and great, rich and poor, free and bond, to receive a mark in their right hand, or in their foreheads:*

*17 And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name.*

*18 Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number of the beast: for it is the number of a man; and his number is Six hundred threescore and six.*

#### **Revelation 13:16-18 Amplified Bible (AMP)**

*16 Also he compels all [alike], both small and great, both the rich and the poor, both free and slave, to be marked with an inscription [stamped] on their right hands or on their foreheads,*

*17 So that no one will have power to buy or sell unless he bears the stamp (mark, inscription), [that is] the name of the beast or the number of his name.*

*18 Here is [room for] discernment [a call for the wisdom of interpretation]. Let anyone who has intelligence (penetration and insight enough) calculate the number of the beast, for it is a human number [the number of a certain man]; his number is 666.*

The reason people are beheaded in the Tribulation is they will not worship the image or worship the beast (the system of religion and economics).

Basically, they will not follow his religion and the only religion in the world that will behead you is Islam. They do it all the time and they have done this since the time of Muhammad.

Last year we went over several different theories throughout the years on what the Mark of the Beast could be.

**Below I've listed three that we see happening now:**

**1. One theory was the world wide web.** When this came into existence, the world wide web was and is abbreviated by 3 English letters consecutively - www.com.

Now the w in the Hebrew language is a vov. A vov can be a “v” or a “w” in Hebrew. The numerical value in the Hebrew Gematria or gimatria (which is a system of assigning numerical value to a word or phrase) of the vov is 6. So, w.w.w. actually reads 666 in Hebrew Gematria.

Many people began to say - is this the mark of the beast? No, but you could very well have the system in which the Mark of the Beast will operate through. But it's not the mark itself on the right hand or the forehead.

**2. Another theory is the biometric hand scanners.** For example, when you go to theme parks and other places like that, you have to insert your right hand into a scanner. This is not taking a picture of your fingerprint, but a number is being assigned to each print on your hand.

Then you stick a card of the place you are staying into a slot where the information of the numbers of your hand gets transferred onto the card.

The numbers are imbedded in that card, the machine takes 91 measurements and then converts it to a nine digit number. You can go back today and that information or card will still be active so you can go into all the parks.

So, what is interesting is the right hand is part of the finger print process because it identifies everyone individually and the system is designed to put a number on the right hand.

The system will not accept the left hand, the machine will not use the left hand at all. All machines and like machines now that are being created use the right hand only and not the left.

**3. One more theory is the RFID chip or radio frequency identification.** This chip runs off of a lithium battery. It is being inserted into animals/pets and as of the end of 2012 over 3.5 million people have had a chip inserted in them and guess where it has been placed? The right hand or the forehead.

It is inserted between the thumb and the forefinger (fleshy and the most comfortable spot) or right below the hair line.

The first draft of Obamacare tried to make a RFID chip mandatory for anyone who wanted to be seen by a doctor (control). This is just the beginning, just like abortion, homosexual amending marriage laws, legalizing pot, the attempts have to start in order to be passed.

There are and have been several senators who have put up a fight against the chip and will continue to do so. The Washington Post two years ago ran a story about this regarding a chip in the right hand or forehead for healthcare might be a requirement.

When Joe Biden was a senator he had an exchange with current Supreme Court Justice Roberts during his nomination hearings in 2005, asking him when the day comes when the RFID chips have to be inserted in the physical body of individuals, how will you rule?

“Because when, not if, when you become supreme court judge you will have to make that decision.” During this video clip Vice President Joe Biden is not asking can an RFID chip be produced to go into a body, but legally can it go into the body and how will you respond.

This is not something that President Obama started, this has been worked on for about 16 years. What the plan is (in a nutshell) is you go to the hospital and in about 8 seconds a chip will be placed in your right hand or forehead just below the hair line that operates off of a lithium battery. All of your medical information will be on it and it will be sold or presented to the American public by saying we will be saving hundreds of billions of dollars (eventually) in paperwork.

This current administration has told the Unions in the United States of America that they would not have to worry about this (chip) and the cost until 2017.

Going back to the lithium chips - they are designed (already implanted) to last for 100 years. If they break and they do - they were tested in people and that's how they found out what would happen.

When the shell breaks and the lithium spills out, the report said that "a grievous sore will break out and the hand which will look cancerous".

What's the big deal about this???

**Revelation 16 King James Version (KJV)**

*16 And I heard a great voice out of the temple saying to the seven angels, Go your ways, and pour out the vials of the wrath of God upon the earth.*

*2 And the first went, and poured out his vial upon the earth; **and there fell a noisome and grievous sore upon the men which had the mark of the beast,** and upon them which worshipped his image.*

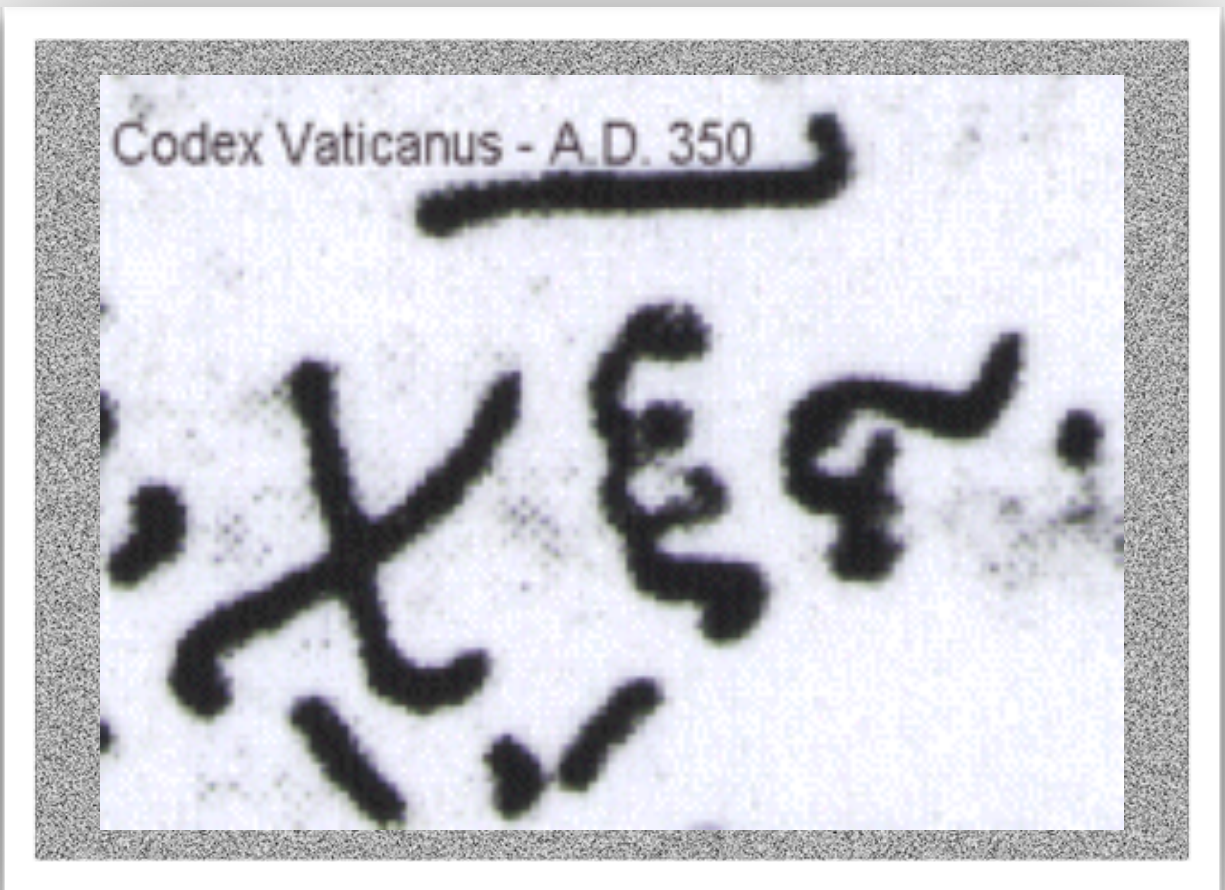
The Bible said this is going to happen to their hand - I can see people taking the chip and realizing what they have done weeks or months later - against God's Word in the Tribulation, and trying to take the chip out but it's too late.

So what does "understanding, wisdom, discernment" mean in Revelation 13:18 regarding the symbol or number representing the beast?

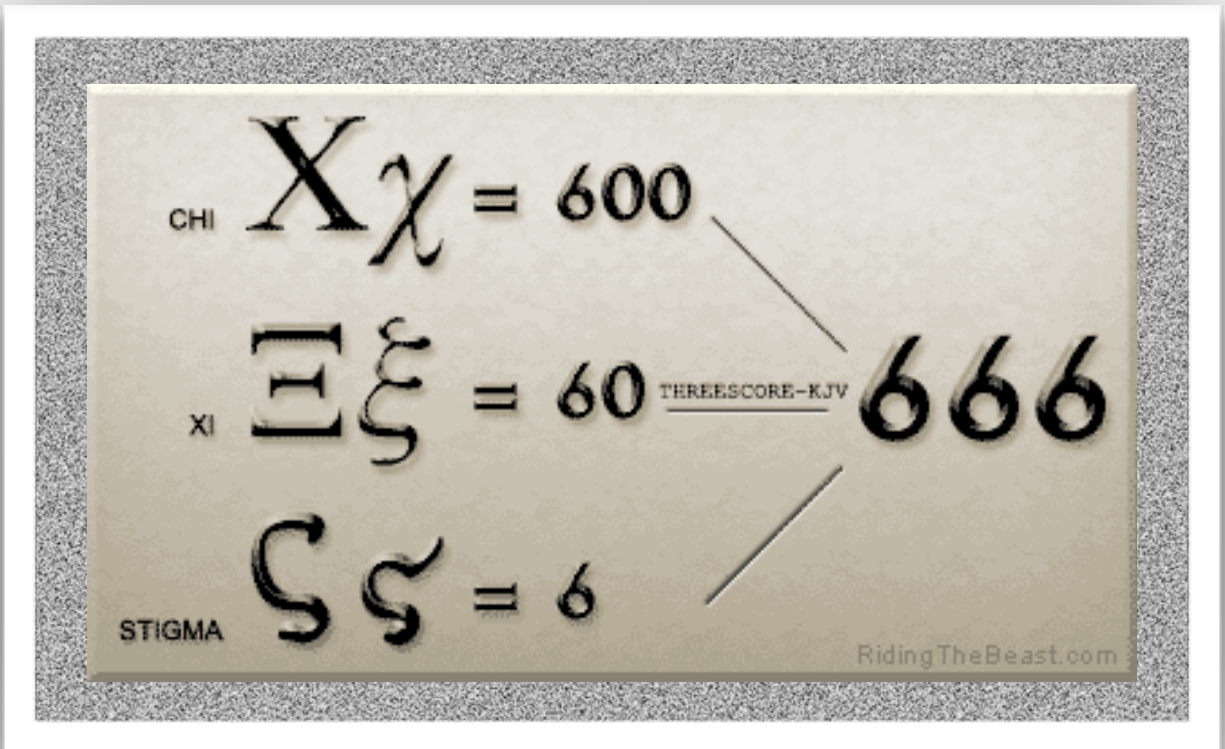


I want to give you something from an old Greek manuscript. This was compiled from the majority text from which the King James was taken from along with the received text.

When you go back to the first century until about 400 A.D., the book of Revelation did not have 666 or the number six hundred and sixty six. It was originally 3 Greek letters.



This is taken from a cloth Third Century Egyptian manuscript from 350 A.D. showing the 3 Greek characters. Chi, Xi and Stigma. It never said 666, what they did was take the letters and assign a number to them. (See next page)



First, there is the “chi” up top which value is 600.

Secondly, “xi” shown in the middle has a value of 60.

Then thirdly, at the end is “stigma” with the value of 6. Now this letter no longer exists in modern Greek but the mark of stigma or “6” you see here was put on the head of slaves and soldiers during the Roman Empire.

**Revelation 13:18 King James Version (KJV)**

18 Here is wisdom. Let him that hath understanding count the number (symbol) of the beast: for it is the number of a man; and his number is Six hundred threescore and six.

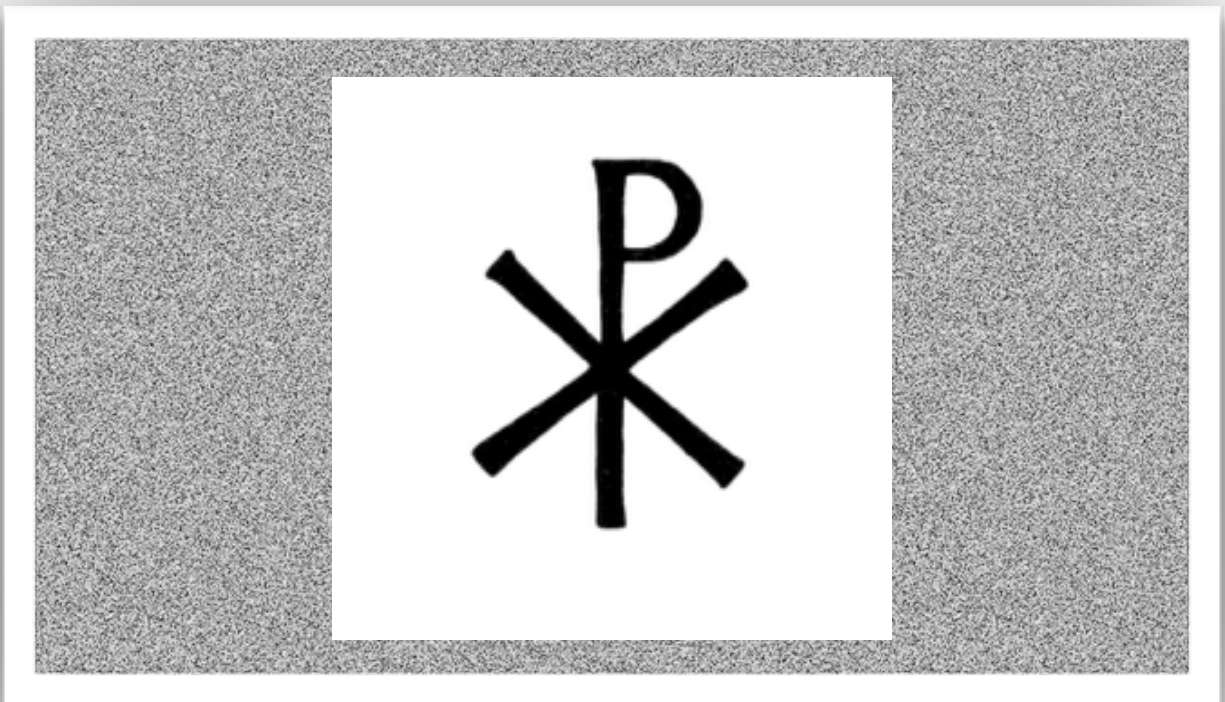
The number of the beast is Chi Zi Stigma so the translator said let's add it up and came up with 666.

### **So how does this tie into the muslim world?**

What if the Chi Zi Stigma instead of just being numbers are symbols? What if they represent something that is connected to the Beast? How is this possible?

There is something called the CHI-RHO. If you were or are Catholic you probably know about this. First, it is the seal of Papal Rome. It is also the 2 letters for Christos or Christ - when you see those 2 letters it is the symbol.

So, you don't have to spell Christ, you just use the letters or symbols (example xmas).



What if Chi Zi Stigma are symbols (not just numbers) - could they be used in Islam?

There is a man by the name of Walid Shoebat that you probably have seen on Fox News and other Christian news programming. He was a Muslim, part of the Muslim Brotherhood and former terrorist who is now a born again follower of Jesus Christ.

He set out to disprove the Bible and went through the old manuscript in the Greek and when he saw this (the symbol from the previous page) he freaked out (his words) This is going to show you that the antichrist will be a Muslim (among other things).

First, Saudi Arabia is the headquarters for Islam. As we now know the Chi is an “X” emblem. The emblem for the civil sign for Saudi Arabia where Medena and Mecca are located is 2 swords crossed over - when you look at it, it is identical to the letter Chi = X.



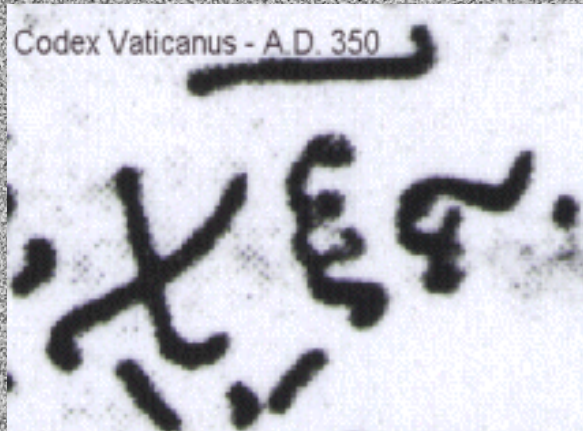


Then, the symbol/letter Zi is very unique. When you go to the 350 A.D. manuscript and compare the symbol Zi to the symbol for Allah in the Aramaic this is what you get .

Below, you are looking at the symbol for Allah in Arabic.



Allah in Arabic



Zi in Greek

What Walid did, and others who have studied Islam and languages along with the symbols, is they took the Chi Zi Stigma and then made it out to what it would say in Arabic... “In the name of Allah”.

**So, we could then say “calculate the number/symbol of the beast for it shall be in the name of Allah”.**

Now, the idea of the hand and head being marked with the image of the Beast (name, number or image). Shiite Muslims in Iraq or anywhere else in the world have a celebration once a year call Ashura, where they take knives and they cut their heads. *Ashura mourns the death of Imam Hussein, a grandson of the Prophet Mohammed, who was killed by armies of the caliph Yazid near Karbala in 680 AD.*

You may have seen this on the news...They march by the hundreds of thousands and even millions, and they put an “x” on the forehead during this celebration.

When you study the “Beast”, the Bible says upon the Beast are names of blasphemy. The Word says that it will have the body of a leopard, heads of lions, feet of a bear...

**Revelation 13:1-2 King James Version (KJV)**

*13 And I stood upon the sand of the sea, and saw a beast rise up out of the sea, having seven heads and ten horns, and upon his horns ten crowns, and upon his heads the name of blasphemy.*

*2 And the beast which I saw was like unto a leopard, and his feet were as the feet of a bear, and his mouth as the mouth of a lion: and the dragon gave him his power, and his seat, and great authority.*

The bear in Daniel (Old Testament) is Persia or Iran as we know it today. The body of the leopard is the Grecian Empire, and the lion is Babylon. That takes up the area of Afghanistan, Pakistan, Iran, Iraq, Syria, Lebanon, Turkey, Greece, Egypt, Libya and Ethiopia.

So, the “Names of Blasphemy” are on the beast or the heads of the beast.

**Revelation 13:1 King James Version (KJV)**

*13 And I stood upon the sand of the sea, and saw a beast rise up out of the sea, having seven heads and ten horns, and upon his horns ten crowns, and upon his heads the name of blasphemy.*



In the Islamic world they all wear head bands. Many of the boys/men wear headbands inscribed with the shahada, which is the Muslim profession of faith. “There is no god but God (Allah) and Muhammad is the prophet of God.”

Those same young men will tell you that they believe in someone named Isa (Jesus) but when asked if he is the son of God they will respond, “Allah has no son”!

The bible tells us in 1 John 2...

**1 John 4 (KJV)**

*4 Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets are gone out into the world.*

*2 Hereby know ye the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesseth that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God:*

*3 And every spirit that confesseth not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God: and this is that spirit of antichrist, whereof ye have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world.*

**So, God commands us to study His Word. We need to know that the chip will be at the time of a one world religion (apostate Christianity - with Isa) and one world government ruled by the antichrist. You will have to be a slave or have the chip in order to buy sell or trade.**

**Now, lets get back to the 4 horsemen...**

**(Pale) Green Horse - Revelation 6:8 KJV**

...fourth part of the earth, to kill with sword, and with hunger, and with death

The fourth rider brings death and famine to 1/4 of the earth.



I've seen white horses and black horses but I've never seen a red or green horse. (I'm not talking about reddish brown). When we look at the four horsemen of the apocalypse, why do they have colors connected to them?

Why doesn't it just say, 'I saw a horse and he did this' and 'I saw another horse and he did that'? Why specific colors ?

Remember when this takes place, the 4 horsemen during the Tribulation, this is all about the time of the end. So we have the End of Days prophecy and these horses and riders are spirits that are connected to something that is causing all this death and famine - so, let's consider this...

Islam has 4 types of turbans that they can wear: white, red, green and black. But look at the colors of the Islamic flags in history. These are solid colored flags.

### **The colors of the flags of islam:**

***The white flag*** is the color of the Islamic caliphate when they have conquered. It's not a sign of surrender but a sign of conquer.

***The red flag*** is the flag of the Hashemite dynasty. This is the Hashemite kingdom of Jordan. This is where Jordan is today.

***The green flag*** is the Saudi flag. The Saudi Arabian flag is green even today. They chose this color because this is the color of Muhammad.

***The black flag*** was used by Abbasid dynasty. These black flags have been used by Al Qaeda and are now used by ISIS.

Now, watch this, this is very interesting. One flag that has all 4 colors. The red, white, black and the green...The Palestinian Flag.



Why did the Palestinians choose red, white, black and green for their flag colors? Because those are the colors of the four turbans and the colors of the four flags.

The Palestinian flag is the point where the battle is going to take place. From ISIS, Al Qaeda and the other Islamic nations, they want this flag to fly over Jerusalem. Not east Jerusalem only but the whole city. This is what this is all about.

This is what the Bible says in Zechariah 14:1-2...

**Zechariah 14:1-2 Amplified Bible (AMP)**

*14 Behold, a day of the Lord is coming when the spoil [taken from you] shall be divided [among the victors] in the midst of you.*

*2 For I will gather all nations against Jerusalem to battle, and the city shall be taken and the houses rifled and the women ravished; and half of the city shall go into exile, but the rest of the people shall not be cut off from the city.*

**Zechariah 14:1-2 King James Version (KJV)**

*14 Behold, the day of the Lord cometh, and thy spoil shall be divided in the midst of thee.*

*2 For I will gather all nations against Jerusalem to battle; and the city shall be taken, and the houses rifled, and the women ravished; and half of the city shall go forth into captivity, and the residue of the people shall not be cut off from the city.*

Half of the city is going to go into captivity, why is that important? Because in the earlier days, you had the Turks who had Jerusalem until 1917. Then Britain had it from 1917 till 1948. Then, on May 14, 1948 the British mandate ended and they divided Jerusalem up in half. The western side became Israel's and eastern side became Jordan.

They put up a huge concrete wall with barbed wire dividing or separating the two. But in the 1967 war, that wall came down and Israel annexed all of the East with the West.

Today, eastern Jerusalem is predominately all Arab. Very few Jewish people even want to live over there, they live on the western side. Inside the city you have a Christian section, a Orthodox Jews section and an Arab section. There are soldiers everywhere at these check points.

But, one of these days, the city is going to be divided. This is exactly what the antichrist wants to do.

**Revelation 11:2 King James Version (KJV)**

*2 But the court which is without the temple leave out, and measure it not; for it is given unto the Gentiles: and the holy city shall they tread under foot forty and two months.*

**Revelation 11:2 Amplified Bible (AMP)**

*2 But leave out of your measuring the court outside the sanctuary of God; omit that, for it is given over to the Gentiles (the nations), and they will trample the holy city underfoot for 42 months (three and one-half years).*

ISIS is taking over borders and trying to remove the border lines from Syria and Iraq for this new caliphate. This will be the reforming of the old Babylonian Empire.

See you next week when we pick this up from right here...