

YES or NO

- Y__ 1. Is this Babylon also called the Mother of Harlots? (17:5, 18)
- N__ 2. Is anyone attracted to Babylon because of truth and righteousness?
- Y__ 3. Figurative language pictures the judgment of the Harlot in the likeness of the fall of literal Babylon in the Old Testament, see Jeremiah chapters 50-51.
- N__ 4. Do you believe any one is safe who remains in Babylon?
- Y__ 5. Though here "Babylon" refused to be a "widow", did Jeremiah in Lamentations and Hosea picture Jerusalem as a widow?
- Y__ 6. Is the fall of this great city which would be in "one hour" (v.17) to be understood to mean "a short time" rather than literally?
- Y__ 7. Is There a similarity between verse 2-4 and Isaiah 48:20 and Jeremiah 51:6?
- N__ 8. Is all that kings and great men approve approved by God?
- Y__ 9. Does v. 20 sound like a fulfillment of the Lord's prophecy in Luke 21:20-22; Luke 18:7; Matthew 23:34-36; Luke 11:47-51; and also Revelation 6:9-10?

[Note: "Merchants" = Jewish trade controlled the wealth of the world practically speaking. Jewish bankers, etc controlled the economy (cf. Acts 8:27; Acts 16:14; Acts 18:1-3; illustrates this also) very much like today, the textile industry, the diamond market, the film industry, and many other industries. See Zechariah 14:14.]

TRUE OR FALSE

- T__ 1. There is a similarity between verse 2 and Isaiah 21:9, and Jeremiah 51:8.
- F__ 2. In verse 4, a voice from heaven called for God's people to come out of the place represented by Babylon, but Jesus himself said in Matthew 24:16, and Luke 21:20-22 that they should stay there and not flee.
- T__ 3. By gorgeous array and sorceries she had deceived nations.
- F__ 4. Position and wealth have no influence over men and nations.

(Please put the verse(s) number that provides the answer in the margin.)

Studies in Revelation 18:1-24

Babylon's Fall: Come Out of Her: Kings, Merchants Mourn: Saints Rejoice

1. What announcement is made in this lesson? **Babylon the Great is fallen** _
By whom? **An angel from heaven** _ Of what will Babylon become the inhabitation? 1 **devils** _ 2 **foul spirits** _ 3 **unclean hateful birds** _ _
2. How had Babylon effected all nations? **made drunk with wine of fornication** _
Kings? **committed fornication** _ Merchants? **waxed rich** _ _ _ _ _
What did another voice say? **Come out of her** _ _ _ _ _
3. Why come out of Babylon? 1 **Be not partaker of her sins** _ 2 **Receive not of her plagues** _
How has Babylon glorified herself? v.7 **I sit as a Queen** _ How is she rewarded? **V.6 Double to her according to her works** _
4. What plagues comes on Babylon? **death, mourning, famine, burn with fire** _
Who judges her? **The Lord God** _ How does her judgment effect kings? **they shall wail and lament** _ _ _ _ _
5. How does Babylon's fall effect merchants? **weep and mourn over her, for no man buys their merchandise any more** _ _ _ _ _
6. List merchandise in which Babylon bartered? **gold, silver, precious stone, pearls, fine linen, purple, silk, scarlet, thiyne wood, ivory, precious wood, brass, iron, marble cinnamon, odours, ointments, wine, oil, flour, wheat, beasts, sheep, horses... slaves** _ _
7. How are shipmasters, companies, and sailors effected? **they cast dust to their heads, weeping and wailing** _ _ _ _ _
8. What are heaven, saints, apostles, and prophets told to do? **Rejoice over her** _ _ Why did an angel cast a millstone into the sea? **to illustrate how violently the city would be thrown down and found no more** _ _ _ _ _
9. What will be heard and seen no more in Babylon? **voice of harpers, musicians, pipers, trumpeters to be heard no more, craftsman, or crafts would be found, mor millstone heard, no lamp shine** _ _ _ _ _
10. Who are Babylon's merchants? **great men of the earth** _ _ _ How had she deceived all nations? **by her sorceries** _ What was found in her? **the blood of prophets and saints and all slain upon the earth** _ _ _

SELECT THE CORRECT ANSWER(s)

- 3,6 _ 1. Babylon is judged by: 1) merchants; 2) saints; 3) God; and her fall is announced by: 4) kings; 5) the Navy Department; 6) an angel from heaven.
- all _ 2. Babylon had: 1) made nations drunk; 2) committed fornication with kings; 3) made merchants rich; 4) lived as a queen; 5) lived in luxury.
- 2,5 _ 3. Babylon said, I: 1) am a poor widow; 2) sit as a queen 3) am a mother of harlots; her punishment will be: 4) equal; 5) twice; 3) thrice; her sins.
- 4 _ _ 4. The fruits for which Babylon's soul lusted are: 1) righteousness; 2) godliness; 3) eternal life; 4) worldly glory and honor and material gain.
- all _ 5. Babylon bartered in: 1) money; 2) clothing; 3) gems; 4) building material; 5) cosmetics; 6) food; 7) shipping; 8) slaves; 9) the souls of men.
- 1 _ _ 6. In Babylon's destruction, kings and merchants stood afar off because they: 1) feared her torment; 2) repented; 3) loathed her merchandise.
- 123567. Babylon had been clothed in: 1) fine linen; 2) purple; 3) scarlet; and had been decked with: 4) lead; 5) gold; 6) precious stones and pearls. (All but #4)
- 1-5 _ 8. In one hour, Babylon: 1) reaps judgment; 2) loses her riches; 3) is left desolate; and is mourned by: 4) kings; 5) merchants; 6) saints. (All but #6)
- 2,6 _ 9. An angel said Babylon would be overthrown: 1) gently; 2) violently; 3) gradually; being avenged by: 4) saints; 5) apostles and prophets; 6) God.
- 4 _ 10. All that is in Babylon shall: 1) be forever happy; 2) know neither sorrow nor loss; 3) be the Lamb's bride; 4) be hushed in death's silence.

MATCH CORRECTLY (Group 1)

Verse:

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| ___ 1. Angel | 4___Fornication with Babylon |
| ___ 2. Babylon | 6___Come out of Babylon |
| ___ 3. Nations | 8___Babylon sits as one |
| ___ 4. Kings | 10___Judged Babylon |
| ___ 5. Merchants | 7___Babylon's sins reached |
| ___ 6. People | 9___Babylon burned with |
| ___ 7. Heaven | 2___Is Fallen |
| ___ 8. Queen | 5___Made rich by Babylon |
| ___ 9. Fire | 3___Made drunk by Babylon |
| ___ 10. God | 1___Had a strong voice |

MATCH CORRECTLY (Group 2)

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| ___ 1. Babylon | 7___Babylon overthrown with |
| ___ 2. Judgment | 9___Shine no more in Babylon |
| ___ 3. Desolation | 5___Made rich by Babylon |
| ___ 4. Riches | 8___Heard no more in Babylon |
| ___ 5. Shipmasters | 6___Rejoice over Babylon's fall |
| ___ 6. Heaven | 2___Came in one hour |
| ___ 7. Violence | 10___Found in Babylon |
| ___ 8. Music | 5___Came in one hour |
| ___ 9. Candles/lamp | 1___Great and mighty city |
| ___ 10. Blood | 4___Came in nought in one hour |