

VERSES ON GOD'S WRATH

Exodus 4:14 14 Then the anger (אָר) of Yahweh was kindled against Moses and he said, Is there not Aaron, your brother, the Levite? I know that he can speak well. Behold, he is coming out to meet you, and when he sees you, he will be glad in his heart.

Exodus 15:7 7 In the greatness of your majesty you [Yahweh] overthrow your adversaries. You send out your fury (קִרְוֹן). It consumes them like stubble.

Exodus 32:10-12 10 ...Let me [Yahweh] alone, that my wrath (אָר) may burn hot against [Israel] and I may consume them, in order that I may make a great nation of you. 11 But Moses implored Yahweh his God and said, Yahweh, why does your wrath (אָר) burn hot against your people, whom you have brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand? 12 Why should the Egyptians say, With evil intent did he bring them out, to kill them in the mountains and to consume them from the face of the earth? Turn from your burning anger (אָר) and relent from this disaster against your people.

Numbers 11:1 1 ...The people complained in the hearing of Yahweh about their misfortunes, and when Yahweh heard it, his anger (אָר) was kindled, and the fire of Yahweh burned among them and consumed some outlying parts of the camp.

Deuteronomy 32:40-43 40 ...I [Yahweh] lift up my hand to heaven and swear, As I live forever, 41 if I sharpen my flashing sword and my hand takes hold on judgment, I will take vengeance (נִקְמָה) on my adversaries and will repay those who hate me. 42 I will make my arrows drunk with blood, and my sword shall devour flesh— with the blood of the slain and the captives, from the long-haired heads of the enemy. 43 Rejoice with him, heavens. Bow down to him, all gods, for he avenges the blood of his children and takes vengeance on his adversaries. He repays those who hate him and cleanses his people's land.

1 Samuel 24:12 12 May Yahweh judge between me [David] and you [Saul]. May Yahweh avenge (נִקְמָה) me against you, but my hand shall not be against you.

2 Kings 22:13 13 Go inquire of Yahweh for me [Josiah], for the people, and for all Judah, concerning the words of this book that has been found. For great is the wrath (הַקְּרָה) of Yahweh that is kindled against us, because our fathers have not obeyed the words of this book, to do according to all that is written concerning us.

2 Kings 22:17-20 17 Because they [Israel] have forsaken me [Yahweh] and have made offerings to other gods, that they might provoke me to anger with all the work of their hands, therefore my wrath (הַקְּרָה) will be kindled against this place, and it will not be quenched. 18 But to the king of Judah [Josiah], who sent you to inquire of Yahweh, thus shall you say to him, Thus says Yahweh, the God of Israel: Regarding the words that you have heard, 19 because your heart was penitent, and you humbled yourself before Yahweh, when you heard how I spoke against this place and against its inhabitants, that they should become a desolation and a curse, and you have torn your clothes and wept before me, I also have heard you, declares Yahweh. 20 Therefore, behold, I will gather you to your fathers, and you shall

be gathered to your grave in peace, and your eyes shall not see all the disaster that I will bring upon this place.

2 Kings 23:26 26 Still Yahweh did not turn from the burning of his great wrath (אֵף), by which his anger (אֵרָא) was kindled against Judah, because of all the provocations with which Manasseh had provoked him.

2 Chronicles 12:12 12 When [Rehoboam] humbled himself the wrath (אֵרָא) of Yahweh turned from him, so as not to make a complete destruction. Moreover, conditions were good in Judah.¹

2 Chronicles 29:8 8 ...The wrath (אֵרָא) of Yahweh came on Judah and Jerusalem, and he has made them an object of horror, of astonishment, and of hissing, as you see with your own eyes.

2 Chronicles 32:24-26 24 In those days Hezekiah became sick and was at the point of death, and he prayed to Yahweh, and he answered him and gave him a sign. 25 But Hezekiah did not make return according to the benefit done to him, for his heart was proud. Therefore anger (אֵרָא) came upon him, Judah, and Jerusalem. 26 But Hezekiah humbled himself for the pride of his heart, both he and the inhabitants of Jerusalem, so that the anger of Yahweh did not come upon them in the days of Hezekiah.

2 Chronicles 34:21 21 Go, inquire of Yahweh for me [Josiah] and for those who are left in Israel and in Judah, concerning the words of the book that has been found. For great is the wrath (אֵרָא) of Yahweh that is poured out on us, because our fathers have not kept the word of Yahweh, to do according to all that is written in this book.

2 Chronicles 34:24-25 24 Thus says Yahweh, Behold, I will bring disaster upon this place and upon its inhabitants, all the curses that are written in the book that was read before the king of Judah. 25 Because they have forsaken me and have made offerings to other gods, that they might provoke me to anger (אֵרָא) with all the works of their hands. Therefore my wrath (אֵרָא) will be poured out on this place and will not be quenched.

2 Chronicles 36:15-16 15 Yahweh, the God of their fathers, sent persistently to [Israel] by his messengers, because he had compassion on his people and on his dwelling place. 16 But they kept mocking the messengers of God, despising his words and scoffing at his prophets, until the wrath (אֵרָא) of Yahweh rose against his people, until there was no remedy.

Ezra 8:22 22 The hand of our God is for good on all who seek him, and the power of his anger (אֵרָא) is against all who forsake him.

Psalms 2:5-6 5 ...[Yahweh] will speak to [the nations] in his wrath and terrify them in his fury saying, 6 As for me, I have set my King on Zion, my holy hill.

¹ Humility turns off God's wrath. God's wrath is like boiler. If it overheats, look out!

Psalm 2:10-12 10 Now therefore, kings, be wise. Be warned, rulers of the earth. 11 Serve Yahweh with fear, and rejoice with trembling. 12 Kiss the Son, lest he be angry (אָנף), and you perish in the way, for his anger (אָר) is quickly kindled. Blessed are all who take refuge in him.

Psalm 21:8-12 8 Your hand will find out all your enemies. Your right hand will find out those who hate you. 9 You will make them as a blazing oven when you appear. Yahweh will swallow them up in his anger (אָר), and fire will consume them. 10 You will destroy their descendants from the earth, and their seed from among the children of man. 11 Though they plan evil against you, though they devise mischief, they will not succeed. 12 For you will put them to flight. You will aim at their faces with your bows.

Psalm 30:4-5 4 Sing praises to Yahweh, you his saints, and give thanks to his holy name. 5 For his anger (אָר) is but for a moment, and his grace (רַצוֹן) is for a lifetime. Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

Psalm 56:5-7 5 All day long they injure my cause. All their thoughts are against me for evil. 6 They stir up strife, they lurk. They watch my steps, as they have waited for my life. 7 For their crime will they escape? In anger (אָר) cast down the peoples, O God!

Psalm 59:5 5 You, Yahweh God of hosts, are God of Israel. Rouse yourself to punish (פִּקֵּד) all the nations. Spare none of those who treacherously plot evil.

Psalm 59:12-13 12 For the sin of their mouths, the words of their lips, let them be trapped in their pride. For the cursing and lies that they utter, 13 consume them in wrath (חֲמָה). Consume them till they are no more, that they may know that God rules over Jacob to the ends of the earth.

Psalm 76:8-10 8 From the heavens you uttered judgment. The earth feared and was still, 9 when God arose to establish judgment, to save all the humble of the earth. 10 Surely the wrath (חֲמָה) of man shall praise you; the remnant of wrath (חֲמָה) you will put on like a belt.²

Psalm 78:38 38 Yet [God], being compassionate, atoned for [Israel's] iniquity and did not destroy them. He restrained his anger (אָר) often and did not stir up all his wrath (חֲמָה).

Psalm 79:5-7 5 How long, O Lord? Will you be angry (אָנף) forever? Will your jealousy burn like fire? 6 Pour out your wrath (חֲמָה) on the nations that do not know you and on the kingdoms that do not call upon your name! 7 For they have devoured Jacob and laid waste his habitation.

Isaiah 13:9-13 9 Behold, the day of Yahweh comes, cruel (אֶכְזָרִי), with wrath (עֶבְרָה) and fierce anger (אָרְרוֹן אָר), to make the land a desolation (שְׁמָה) and to destroy (שִׁמַּד) its sinners (חַטָּאִים) from it. 10 For the stars of the heavens and their constellations will not give their light. The sun will be dark at its rising, and the moon will not shed its light. 11 I will punish (פִּקֵּד)

² God is not ashamed of his wrath, and we must not be either.

the world (תִּבְרַל) for its evil and the wicked for their iniquity. I will put an end to the pomp of the arrogant and lay low the pompous pride of the ruthless. 12 I will make people more rare than fine gold and humanity than the gold of Ophir. 13 Therefore I will make the heavens tremble, and the earth will be shaken out of its place, at the rage (עִבְרָה) of Yahweh of hosts in the day of his fierce anger (אָרָא).

Isaiah 30:27 27 Behold, the name of Yahweh comes from afar, burning with his anger (אָרָא) and in thick rising smoke. His lips are full of fury, and his tongue is like a devouring fire.

Isaiah 34:1-5 1 Draw near, nations, to hear, and give attention, peoples! Let the earth hear, and all that fills it, the world, and all that comes from it. 2 For Yahweh is enraged (אִצְרָא) against all the nations, and furious (הִמָּדָה) against all their host. He has devoted them to destruction, has given them over for slaughter. 3 Their slain shall be cast out, and the stench of their corpses shall rise. The mountains shall flow with their blood. 4 All the host of heaven shall rot away, and the skies roll up like a scroll. All their host shall fall, as leaves fall from the vine, like leaves falling from the fig tree. 5 For my sword has drunk its fill in the heavens.

Isaiah 51:22-23 22 Thus says your Lord, Yahweh, your God who pleads the cause of his people: Behold, I have taken from your hand the cup of staggering. The bowl of my wrath you shall drink no more, 23 and I will put it into the hand of your tormentors, who have said to you, Bow down, that we may pass over.

Isaiah 54:7-10 7 For a brief moment I [Yahweh] deserted you [Israel], but with great compassion I will gather you. 8 In overflowing anger for a moment I hid my face from you, but with everlasting love I will have compassion on you, says Yahweh, your Redeemer. 9 This is like the days of Noah to me. As I swore that the waters of Noah should no more go over the earth, so I have sworn that I will not be angry with you and will not rebuke you. 10 For the mountains may depart and the hills be removed, but my loyal love shall not depart from you, and my covenant of peace shall not be removed, says Yahweh, who has compassion on you.

Isaiah 57:16 16 ...I will not contend forever, nor will I always be angry, for the spirit would grow faint before me, and the breath of life that I made.

Isaiah 59:17-18 17 [Yahweh] put on righteousness as a breastplate, and a helmet of salvation on his head. He put on garments of vengeance for clothing and wrapped himself in zeal as a cloak. 18 According to their deeds, so will he repay, wrath to his adversaries, repayment to his enemies. To the coastlands he will render repayment.

Isaiah 63:2-6 2 Why is your apparel red, and your garments like his who treads in the winepress? 3 I [Yahweh] have trodden the winepress alone, and from the peoples no one was with me. I trod them in my anger and trampled them in my wrath. Their lifeblood spattered on my garments and stained all my apparel. 4 For the day of vengeance was in my heart, and my year of redemption had come. 5 I looked, but there was no one to help. I was appalled, but there was no one to uphold. So my own arm brought me salvation, and my wrath upheld

me. 6 I trampled down the peoples in my anger. I made them drunk in my wrath, and I poured out their lifeblood on the earth.

Isaiah 66:14-16 14 You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice. Your bones shall flourish like the grass, the hand of Yahweh shall be known to his servants, and he shall show his indignation against his enemies. 15 For behold, Yahweh will come in fire, and his chariots like the whirlwind, to render his anger in fury and his rebuke with flames of fire. 16 For by fire will Yahweh enter into judgment, and by his sword, with all flesh, and those slain by Yahweh shall be many.

Jeremiah 4:4 4 Circumcise yourselves to Yahweh. Remove the foreskin of your hearts, men of Judah and inhabitants of Jerusalem, lest my wrath go forth like fire, and burn with none to quench it, because of the evil of your deeds.

Jeremiah 6:10-11 10 To whom shall I speak and give warning, that they may hear? Behold, their ears are uncircumcised, they cannot listen. Behold, the word of the Lord is to them an object of scorn. They take no pleasure in it. 11 Therefore I am full of the wrath of Yahweh. I am weary of holding it in. Pour it out upon the children in the street and upon the gatherings of young men also. Both husband and wife shall be taken, the elderly and the very aged.

Jeremiah 7:20 20 ... Thus says Lord Yahweh: Behold, my anger and my wrath will be poured out on this place, upon man and beast, upon the trees of the field and the fruit of the ground. It will burn and not be quenched.

Jeremiah 7:29 29 Cut off your hair and cast it away. Raise a lamentation on the bare heights, for Yahweh has rejected and forsaken the generation of his wrath.

Jeremiah 10:25 25 Pour out your wrath on the nations that know you not, and on the peoples that call not on your name, for they have devoured Jacob. They have devoured him and consumed him, and have laid waste his habitation.

Jeremiah 21:5-6 5 I [Yahweh] myself will fight against you [Israel] with outstretched hand and strong arm, in anger (אֵרָא), in fury (הַמָּחַ), and in great wrath (הַמָּצֵר). 6 And I will strike down the inhabitants of this city [Jerusalem], both man and beast. They shall die of a great pestilence.

Jeremiah 25:15-16 15 Thus Yahweh, the God of Israel, said to me [Jeremiah]: Take from my hand this cup of the wine of wrath, and make all the nations to whom I send you drink it. 16 They shall drink, stagger, and be crazed because of the sword that I am sending among them. 17 So I took the cup from Yahweh's hand, and made all the nations to whom Yahweh sent me drink it: 18 Jerusalem and the cities of Judah, its kings and officials, to make them a desolation and a waste, a hissing and a curse, as at this day; 19 Pharaoh king of Egypt, his servants, his officials, all his people, 20 and all the mixed tribes among them; all the kings of the land of Uz and all the kings of the land of the Philistines (Ashkelon, Gaza, Ekron, and the remnant of Ashdod); 21 Edom, Moab, and the sons of Ammon; 22 all the kings of Tyre, all the kings of Sidon, and the kings of the coastland across the sea; 23 Dedan, Tema, Buz, and

all who cut the corners of their hair; 24 all the kings of Arabia and all the kings of the mixed tribes who dwell in the desert; 25 all the kings of Zimri, all the kings of Elam, and all the kings of Media; 26 all the kings of the north, far and near, one after another, and all the kingdoms of the world that are on the face of the earth. And after them the king of Babylon shall drink. 27 Then you shall say to them, Thus says Yahweh of hosts, the God of Israel: Drink, be drunk and vomit, fall and rise no more, because of the sword that I am sending among you. 28 And if they refuse to accept the cup from your hand to drink, then you shall say to them, Thus says Yahweh of hosts: You must drink! 29 For behold, I begin to work disaster at the city [Jerusalem] that is called by my name, and shall you go unpunished? You shall not go unpunished, for I am summoning a sword against all the inhabitants of the earth, declares Yahweh of hosts.

Lamentations 4:11 11 Yahweh gave full vent to his wrath. He poured out his hot anger, and he kindled a fire in Zion that consumed its foundations.

Ezekiel 21:14-17 14 As for you [Ezekiel], son of man, prophesy. Clap your hands and let the sword come down twice, yes, three times, the sword for those to be slain. It is the sword for the great slaughter, which surrounds [the princes of Israel], 15 that their hearts may melt and many stumble. At all their gates I have given the glittering sword. Ah, it is made like lightning. It is taken up for slaughter. 16 Cut sharply to the right. Set yourself to the left, wherever your face is directed. 17 I also will clap my hands, and I will satisfy my wrath (תִּמְאֵה). I Yahweh have spoken.

Ezekiel 22:30-31 30 ...I [Yahweh] sought for a man among them who should build up the wall and stand in the breach before me for the land, that I should not destroy it, but I found none. 31 Therefore I have poured out my indignation (אֲרַעֵם) upon them. I have consumed them with the fire of my rage (אֶבְרַחֵם). I have returned their way upon their heads, declares Lord Yahweh.

Nahum 1:2-3 2 Yahweh is a jealous and avenging (נִקְמָה) God. Yahweh is avenging (נִקְמָה) and wrathful (אֲרַעֵם). Yahweh takes vengeance (נִקְמָה) on his adversaries and keeps wrath for his enemies. 3 Yahweh is slow to anger and great in power, and Yahweh will by no means clear the guilty.

Habakkuk 3:12-13 12 You marched through the earth in fury. You threshed the nations in anger. 13 You went out for the salvation of your people, for the salvation of your anointed.

Zephaniah 1:14-18 14 The great day of Yahweh is near, near and hastening fast. The sound of the day of Yahweh is bitter. The mighty man cries aloud there. 15 A day of wrath is that day, a day of distress and anguish, a day of ruin and devastation, a day of darkness and gloom, a day of clouds and thick darkness, 16 a day of trumpet blast and battle cry against the fortified cities and against the lofty battlements. 17 I will bring distress on humanity, so that they shall walk like the blind, because they have sinned against Yahweh. Their blood shall be poured out like dust, and their flesh like dung. 18 Neither their silver nor their gold shall be able to deliver them on the day of the wrath of Yahweh. In the fire of his jealousy, all the

earth shall be consumed. For a full and sudden end he will make of all the inhabitants of the earth.

Zephaniah 2:1-3 1 Gather together, yes, gather, shameless nation, 2 before the decree takes effect—before the day passes away like chaff—before there comes upon you the burning anger of Yahweh, before there comes upon you the day of the anger of Yahweh. 3 Seek Yahweh, all you humble of the land, who do his just commands. Seek righteousness. Seek humility. Perhaps you may be hidden on the day of the anger of Yahweh.

Zephaniah 3:8-9 8 ...Wait for me, declares Yahweh, for the day when I rise up to seize the prey. For my decision is to gather nations, to assemble kingdoms, to pour out upon them my indignation, all my burning anger; for in the fire of my jealousy all the earth shall be consumed. 9 For at that time I will change the speech of the peoples to a pure speech, that all of them may call upon the name of Yahweh and serve him with one accord.

Micah 5:15 15 ...In anger (אֵרָא) and wrath (הַמָּדָה) I will execute vengeance (נִקְמָה) on the nations that did not obey.

Luke 3:7-9 7 [John] said therefore to the crowds that came out to be baptised by him, You brood of vipers! Who warned you to flee from the wrath to come? 8 Produce fruits in keeping with repentance. ...9 Even now the axe is laid to the root of the trees. Every tree therefore that does not produce good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire.

Luke 12:49-51 49 I [Jesus] came to cast fire on the earth, and would that it were already kindled! 50 I have a baptism to be baptised with, and how great is my distress until it is accomplished! 51 Do you think that I have come to give peace on earth? No, I tell you, but rather division.

Luke 19:43-44 43 ...The days will come upon you [Jerusalem], when your enemies will set up a barricade around you, surround you, hem you in on every side, 44 and tear you down to the ground, you and your children within you. And they will not leave one stone upon another in you, because you did not recognise the time of your visitation.

Luke 21:22-24 22 ...These are days of vengeance, to fulfil all that is written. 23 Alas for women who are pregnant and for those who are nursing infants in those days! For there will be great distress upon the earth and wrath against this people. 24 They will fall by the edge of the sword and be led captive among all nations, and Jerusalem will be trampled underfoot by the Gentiles, until the times of the Gentiles are fulfilled.

John 3:36 36 Whoever believes in the Son has eternal life. Whoever does not obey [the Father's command to believe in] the Son shall not see life, but the wrath of God remains on him.

Romans 1:18 18 ...The wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who by their unrighteousness suppress the truth.

Romans 2:5 5 Because of your hard and impenitent heart you are storing up wrath for yourself on the day of wrath when God's righteous judgment will be revealed.

Romans 2:7-8 7 ...To those who by patience in well-doing seek for glory, honour, and immortality, [God] will give eternal life. 8 But for those who are self-seeking and do not obey the truth, but obey unrighteousness, there will be wrath and fury.

Romans 3:5 5 ...If our unrighteousness serves to show the righteousness of God, what shall we say? That God is unrighteous to inflict wrath on us? (I speak in a human way.)³

Romans 4:15 15 ...The Torah brings wrath.

Romans 5:9 9 Because...we have now been justified by [Messiah's] blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God.

Romans 9:22-24 22 What if God, desiring to show his wrath (ὀργή) and to make known his power, has endured with much patience vessels of wrath (ὀργή) prepared for destruction, 23 in order to make known the riches of his glory for vessels of mercy, which he has prepared beforehand for glory— 24 even us whom he has called, not from the Jews only but also from the Gentiles?

Romans 12:19 19 Beloved, never avenge yourselves, but leave it to the wrath of God, for it is written, Vengeance is mine, I will repay, says the Lord.

Romans 13:4-5 4 [A ruler] is God's servant for your good. But if you do wrong, be afraid, for he does not carry the sword in vain. For he is the servant of God, an avenger (ἔκδικος) who carries out God's wrath (ὀργή) on the wrongdoer. 5 Therefore one must be in subjection, not only to avoid God's wrath but also for the sake of conscience.

Ephesians 2:3 3 ...Among whom we all once lived in the passions of our flesh, carrying out the desires of the body and the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, like the rest of humanity.

Ephesians 5:5-8 5 ...Everyone who is sexually immoral or impure, or who is covetous (that is, an idolater), has no inheritance in the kingdom of Messiah and God. 6 Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of these things the wrath of God comes upon the sons of disobedience. 7 Therefore do not become partners with them. 8 For at one time you were darkness, but now you are light in the Lord.

Colossians 3:5-6 5 Put to death...what is earthly in you: sexual immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry. 6 On account of these the wrath of God is coming.

³ The infliction of God's wrath on sinners is not unrighteous or unjust.

1 Thessalonians 1:9-10 9 ...They themselves report concerning us the kind of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God, 10 and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, Jesus who delivers us from the wrath to come.

1 Thessalonians 2:14-16 14 ...You, brothers and sisters, became imitators of the churches of God in Messiah Jesus that are in Judea. For you suffered the same things from your own countrymen as they did from the Jews, 15 who killed both the Lord Jesus and the prophets and drove us out, and displease God and oppose all humanity 16 by hindering us from speaking to the Gentiles that they might be saved—so as always to fill up the measure of their sins. But wrath has come upon them at last!

2 Thessalonians 1:7-9 7 ...When the Lord Jesus is revealed from heaven with his mighty angels 8 in flaming fire, inflicting vengeance (ἐκδίκησις) on those who do not know God and on those who do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus. 9 They will suffer the punishment of eternal destruction, away from the presence of the Lord and from the glory of his might, 10 when he comes on that day to be glorified in his saints, and to be marvelled at among all who have believed, because our testimony to you was believed.

Revelation 6:15-17 15 ...The kings of the earth, the great ones, the generals, the rich, the powerful, and everyone, slave and free, hid themselves in the caves and among the rocks of the mountains, 16 calling to the mountains and rocks, Fall on us and hide us from the face of him who is seated on the throne, and from the wrath of the Lamb, 17 for the great day of their wrath has come, and who can stand?

Revelation 11:15-18 16 ...The twenty-four elders who sit on their thrones before God fell on their faces and worshiped God 17 saying, We give thanks to you, Lord God Almighty, who is and who was, for you have taken your great power and begun to reign. 18 The nations raged, but your wrath came, and the time for the dead to be judged, and for rewarding your servants, the prophets and saints, and those who fear your name, both small and great, and for destroying the destroyers of the earth.

Revelation 14:9-11 9 ...If anyone worships the beast and its image and receives a mark on his forehead or on his hand, 10 he also will drink the wine of God's wrath, poured full strength into the cup of his anger, and he will be tormented with fire and sulphur in the presence of the holy angels and in the presence of the Lamb. 11 And the smoke of their torment goes up forever and ever, and they have no rest, day or night, these worshipers of the beast and its image, and whoever receives the mark of its name.

Revelation 14:17-20 17 ...Another angel came out of the temple in heaven, and he too had a sharp sickle. 18 And another angel came out from the altar, the angel who has authority over the fire, and he called with a loud voice to the one who had the sharp sickle, Put in your sickle and gather the clusters from the vine of the earth, for its grapes are ripe. 19 So the angel swung his sickle across the earth and gathered the grape harvest of the earth and threw it into the great winepress of the wrath of God. 20 And the winepress was trodden outside the city, and blood flowed from the winepress, as high as a horse's bridle, for 1,600 stadia.

Revelation 15:1 1 ...I saw another sign in heaven, great and amazing, seven angels with seven plagues, which are the last, for with them the wrath of God is finished.

Revelation 16:17-19 17 The seventh angel poured out his bowl into the air, and a loud voice came out of the temple, from the throne, saying, It is done! 18 And there were flashes of lightning, rumblings, peals of thunder, and a great earthquake such as there had never been since man was on the earth, so great was that earthquake. 19 The great city was split into three parts, and the cities of the nations fell, and God remembered Babylon the great, to make her drain the cup of the wine of the fury of his wrath.

Revelation 19:11-16 11 Then I [John] saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse! The one sitting on it [Jesus] is called Faithful and True, and in righteousness he judges and makes war. 12 His eyes are like a flame of fire, on his head are many diadems, and he has a name written that no one knows but himself. 13 He is clothed in a robe dipped in blood, and the name by which he is called is The Word of God. 14 And the armies of heaven, arrayed in fine linen, white and pure, were following him on white horses. 15 From his mouth comes a sharp sword with which to strike down the nations, and he will rule them with a rod of iron. He will tread the winepress of the fury of the wrath of God the Almighty. 16 On his robe and on his thigh he has a name written, King of kings and Lord of lords.