

# PROPHETIC SYMBOLS

BIBLE COMPANION

**B**efore investigating the prophetic symbols that describe the characteristics of Antichrist, we need to understand that the Word of God tell us how to define symbols in prophecy. 2 Peter 1:20 says that, “...*no prophecy of the scripture is of any private interpretation.*” According to the Word, Christians are told not to give our own opinion of what a prophetic symbol means. We must allow the Word of God to define it’s own symbols. Our private interpretations and opinions are useless.

Truth is, there are 404 verses in the book of Revelation. Were you aware that out of those 404 verses, 278 of them carry the bulk of the prophetic message of that book? Did you also know that all 278 of those verses can be found almost word for word in all the other books of the Bible? In other words, **THE BIBLE DEFINES ITSELF PERFECTLY!** Don’t let anyone give you their “opinion” or “interpretation.” Let the Word define the Word! That’s an easy way to expose false teachers. Just hear what they say, and then open a Bible and see if what they say matches up with what the Lord says regarding a certain symbol.

Revelation 12:17, “*And the dragon was wroth with the woman, and went to make war with the remnant of her seed, which keep the commandments of God, and have the testimony of Jesus Christ.*”

- Woman = Church (See Jeremiah 6:2)
- Keeping the commandments = self explanatory
- The testimony of Jesus Christ = Understanding Prophecy (See Revelation 19:10)

The end time church of Jesus will preach and teach prophecy.  
**DOES YOUR CHURCH DO THAT?**

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"Symbols of Revelation - Literal Meaning"  
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Notice the order by which the symbols are laid out  
in this book.

First : **THE SYMBOL**

Second: *THE MEANING OF IT*

Third: *THE SCRIPTURAL FACTS THAT VERIFY IT*  
(Using the KJV)

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## **A** through **I**

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Symbol: = **ANGEL**

Meaning: = MESSENGER

Scriptural facts: Daniel 8:16, Daniel 9:21, Luke 1:19,  
Luke 1:26, Hebrews 1:14

Symbol: = **ARK OF THE TESTIMONY**

Meaning: = ARK OF THE COVENANT / MERCY SEAT  
WHERE GOD DWELLS

Scriptural facts: Exodus 25:10-22, Psalms 80:1

Symbol: = **BABYLON**

Meaning = RELIGIOUS APOSTASY / CONFUSION

Scriptural facts: Genesis 10:8-10, Genesis 11:6-9,  
Revelation 18:2-3, Revelation 17:1-5

Symbol: = **BALAAM**, DOCTRINE OF

Meaning: = ADVANCING OUR OWN INTERESTS, COM-  
PROMISE, IDOLATRY

Scriptural facts: Numbers 22:5-25

Symbol: = **BEAST**

Meaning: = KINGDOM, GOVERNMENT, POLITICAL POWER

Scriptural facts: Daniel 7:23, *For an in-depth study on  
this prophetic fact read this... "The Second Window"*  
(source: <http://www.remnantofgod.org/2winmenu.htm>)

Symbol: = **BINDING OF SATAN**

Meaning: = A SYMBOLIC CHAIN OF CIRCUMSTANCES

Scriptural facts: Isaiah 14:12-20

Symbol : = **BLACK**

Meaning: = MORAL DARKNESS, SIN, APOSTASY

Scriptural facts: Exodus 10:21-23, Jeremiah 4:20-28,  
Jeremiah 8:21, Acts 26:18, John 12:35, Joel 2:1-10

Symbol: = **BLOOD**

Meaning: = LIFE

Scriptural facts: Leviticus 17:11, Deuteronomy 12:23,  
Leviticus 17:14

Symbol : = **BLUE**

Meaning: = COLOR OF OBEDIENCE

Scriptural facts: Exodus 24:10,12, Numbers 15:38,39

Symbol: = **BOTTOMLESS PIT**

Meaning: = EARTH IN CHAOS, TORN UP, DARK & EMPTY

Scriptural facts: Genesis 1:1-2, Jeremiah 4:23-28, Isaiah  
24:1-4,19, Revelation 20:1-3

Symbol: = **BOW**

Meaning: = SUCCESS IN BATTLE AGAINST EVIL

Scriptural facts: Psalms 7:11-12, Psalms 45:4-5

Symbol: = **CORRUPT WOMAN**

Meaning: = CORRUPT, APOSTATE CHURCH

Scriptural facts: Ezekiel 16:15-58, Ezekiel 23:2-21

Symbol: = **CROWNS**

Meaning: = KINGSHIP, VICTORY

Scriptural facts: 1 Chronicles 20:2, 2 Kings 11:12,

Ezekiel 21:26-27, James 1:12, 2 Timothy 4:7-8,  
1 Corinthians 9:25

Symbol: = **CUP**

Meaning: = METED OUT SUFFERING AND JUDGMENTS

Scriptural facts: Psalms 11:6, Psalms 75:8, Isaiah 51:17,  
Isaiah 51:22-23, Jeremiah 25:15-17, Jeremiah 49:12

Symbol: = **DAY**

Meaning: = LITERAL YEAR

Scriptural facts: Ezekiel 4:6, Numbers 14:34

Symbol: = **DOOR**

Meaning #1: = OPPORTUNITY

Scriptural facts: 2 Corinthians 2:12, Revelation 3:20

Meaning #2: = PROBATION

Scriptural facts: Luke 13:24-25

Symbol: = **DRAGON**

Meaning: = SATAN OR HIS AGENCY

Scriptural facts: Revelation 12:9, Revelation 20:2, Isaiah  
27:1, Isaiah 30:6, Psalms 74:13-14, Revelation 12:7-8,  
Ezekiel 29:3, Jeremiah 51:34

Symbol: = **EAGLE**

Meaning: = SPEED, POWER, VISION, VENGEANCE,  
PROTECTION

Scriptural facts: Deuteronomy 28:49, Habakkuk 1:6-8,  
Revelation 12:14

Symbol: = **EATING THE BOOK**

Meaning: = ASSIMILATING THE MESSAGE

Scriptural facts: Ezekiel 3:1-3, Jeremiah 15:16

Symbol: = **EGYPT**

Meaning: = SYMBOL OF ATHEISM

Scriptural facts: Exodus 5:2

Symbol: = **EYE SALVE**

Meaning: = HOLY SPIRIT TO HELP US SEE TRUTH;  
DISCERNMENT TO UNDERSTAND WORD; ANTIDOTE  
FOR SPIRITUAL BLINDNESS

Scriptural facts: Ephesians 1:17-19, Psalms 119:18, 1  
John 2:20,27, John 16:7-13

Symbol: = **FAITHFUL WITNESS**

Meaning: = CHRIST

Scriptural facts: John 18:37, John 3:11, Revelation 1:5,  
Revelation 3:14, Revelation 19:11

Symbol: = **FALSE PROPHET**

Meaning: = APOSTATE PROTESTANTISM

Scriptural facts: Revelation 16:13-14, Revelation 13:13-14,  
Revelation 19:20

Symbol: = **FIRE**

Meaning #1: = CONSUMING LOVE OF GOD

Scriptural facts: Hebrews 12:29, Revelation 4:5,

Meaning # 2: = CLEANSING/TESTING FIRE OF TRIAL &  
TRIBULATION

Scriptural facts: Zechariah 13:9, 1 Peter 1:7,  
Revelation 3:18

Meaning # 3: = EXECUTIVE JUDGMENT

Scriptural facts: Revelation 14:10, Revelation 16:8,  
Revelation 17:16, Revelation 18:8, Revelation 19:20,  
Revelation 20:9, Revelation 20:14,15 Revelation 21:8

Symbol: = **FOUR CORNERS OF EARTH**

Meaning: = FOUR DIRECTIONS OF COMPASS

Scriptural facts: Jeremiah 49:36

Symbol: = **FOREHEAD**

Meaning: = MIND

Scriptural facts: Romans 7:25, Ezekiel 3:8-9

Symbol: = **FORNICATION**

Meaning: = ILLICIT CONNECTION BETWEEN CHURCH & WORLD

Scriptural facts: Ezekiel 16:15, Ezekiel 16:26, Isaiah 23:17, James 4:4, Revelation 14:4

Symbol: = **FOUR BEASTS OR LIVING CREATURES**

Meaning: = HEAVENLY BEINGS WITH SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITIES

Scriptural facts: Revelation 5:8-10, Revelation 4:6-9, Revelation 6:1-7, Revelation 14:3, Revelation 15:7, Revelation 19:4

Symbol: = **GARMENTS**

Meaning: = COVERING OF RIGHTEOUSNESS

Scriptural facts: Isaiah 61:10, Isaiah 52:1, Zechariah 3:3-5, Romans 13:14

Symbol: = **GOLD**

Meaning: = TRUE RICHES OF HEAVEN, FAITH, SCRIPTURE

Scriptural facts: Psalms 19:7-10, Galatians 5:6, James 2:5, Job 23:10

Symbol: = **HAND**

Meaning: = SYMBOL OF WORK

Scriptural facts: Ecclesiastes 9:10, Deuteronomy 30:9,

2 Kings 22:5, Nehemiah 4:17, Job 37:7, Micah 2:1

Symbol: = **HARLOT**

Meaning: = APOSTATE CHURCH/RELIGION

Scriptural facts: Isaiah 1:21, Jeremiah 3:1-3,  
Jeremiah 3:6-9

Symbol: = **HEADS**

Meaning: = MAJOR POWERS, RULERS, GOVERNMENTS

Scriptural facts: Daniel 7:6,8 Daniel 8:22,  
Revelation 17:3,10

Symbol: = **HIDDEN MANNA**

Meaning: = CHRIST

Scriptural facts: John 6:49-50,53 Matthew 13:44

Symbol: = **HORN**

Meaning: #1 = POWER AND STRENGTH

Scriptural facts: Deuteronomy 33:17, Zechariah 1:18-19,

Meaning: #2 = KING OR KINGDOM

Scriptural facts: Psalms 89:17,24 Daniel 8:5,21,22

Symbol: = **HORSE**

Meaning: #1 = SYMBOL OF BATTLE

Scriptural facts: Exodus 15:21, Isaiah 43:17, Jeremiah  
8:6, Ezekiel 38:15, Zechariah 10:3,

Meaning: #2 = SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVES / ANGELS

Scriptural facts: Zechariah 1:8-10, Zechariah 6:1-8

Symbol : = **IMAGE**

Meaning: = A LIKENESS

Scriptural facts: Exodus 20:4, Genesis 1:26, Genesis 5:3,  
Deuteronomy 4:25, Romans 8:29



Symbol : = **INCENSE**

Meaning: = PRAYERS OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Scriptural facts: Psalms 141:2, Revelation 5:8,  
Revelation 8:3-4

Symbol : = **ISRAEL**

Meaning: = TRUE FOLLOWERS OF JESUS CHRIST

Scriptural facts: Romans 9:6-8, Romans 2:28-29,  
Galatians 3:29

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Symbol : = **JEZEBEL**

Meaning: = IMMORALITY, IDOLATRY, APOSTASY

Scriptural facts: 1 Kings 21:25, 2 Kings 9:22,  
Revelation 2:20

Symbol : = **KEYS**

Meaning: = CONTROL / JURISDICTION

Scriptural facts: Isaiah 22:22, Matthew 16:19

Symbol : = **KEY OF DAVID**

Meaning: = POWER TO OPEN & CLOSE THE SANCTUARY

Scriptural facts: Revelation 3:7-8, Isaiah 22:22

Symbol : = **LADDER**

Meaning: = INTERCOURSE BETWEEN HEAVEN AN EARTH  
/ THE MEDIATION OF CHRIST

Scriptural facts: Genesis 28:12, John 1:51

Symbol : = **LAMB**

Meaning: = JESUS / SACRIFICE

Scriptural facts: John 1:29, 1 Corinthians 5:7,  
Genesis 22:7-8

Symbol : = **LION**

Meaning: = STRENGTH AND JESUS CHRIST

Scriptural facts: Genesis 49:9, Revelation 5:4-9,  
Psalms 7:2

Symbol : = **LAMB'S WIFE**

Meaning: = NEW JERUSALEM

Scriptural facts: Revelation 19:7-9, Revelation 21:2,9,10

Symbol : = **LOCUSTS**

Meaning: = DESTRUCTION / DESTRUCTIVE AGENCIES

Scriptural facts: Joel 1:4, Deuteronomy 28:38,42,  
Psalms 78:46

Symbol : = **LORD'S DAY**

Meaning: = THE SABBATH (7TH DAY OF WEEK)

Scriptural facts: Isaiah 58:13, Matthew 12:8, Exodus  
20:10, Hebrews 4:4,9,10

Symbol : = **MAN CHILD**

Meaning: = JESUS

Scriptural facts: Psalms 2:7-9, Revelation 12:5

Symbol : = **MARK**

Meaning: = SIGN / SEAL / MARK OF APPROVAL OR  
DISAPPROVAL

Scriptural facts: Romans 4:11, Revelation 7:2-3,  
Ezekiel 9:4

Symbol : = **MEASURING ROD**

Meaning: #1 = GOD'S LAW

Scriptural facts: James 2:10-12, Ecclesiastes 12:13-14,  
James 1:23-25

Meaning: #2 = GOD'S WORD

Scriptural facts: Isaiah 8:19-20, 2 Timothy 3:16-17

Symbol : = **MOON**

Meaning: #1 = PERMANENCE

Scriptural facts: Psalms 89:35-37

Meaning: #2 = MOSES' SYSTEM OF TYPES AND SACRIFICES

Scriptural facts: Hebrews 10:1,11

Symbol : = **MICHAEL**

Meaning: = JESUS CHRIST

Scriptural facts: For an in-depth study, visit:

<http://www.remnantofgod.org/michael.htm>

Symbol : = **MYSTERY OF GOD**

Meaning: = THE GOSPEL

Scriptural facts: Ephesians 1:9-10, Ephesians 3:9, Ephesians 6:19, Colossians 1:26-27, Mark 4:11, Colossians 2:2, Colossians 4:3, Revelation 10:7

Symbol : = **MORNING STAR**

Meaning: = JESUS CHRIST

Scriptural facts: Revelation 22:16

Symbol : = **MOUNTAINS**

Meaning: = POLITICAL OR RELIGIOUS/POLITICAL POWERS

Scriptural facts: Isaiah 2:2-3, Jeremiah 17:3, Jeremiah 31:23, Jeremiah 51:24-25, Ezekiel 17:22-23, Daniel 2:35,44,45

Symbol : = **NEW JERUSALEM**

Meaning: = THE HOLY CITY OF HEAVEN

Scriptural facts: Revelation 3:12, Revelation 21:2

Symbol : = **OIL**

Meaning: = HOLY SPIRIT

Scriptural facts: Zechariah 4:2-6, Revelation 4:5

Symbol : = **OPEN DOOR**

Meaning: = UNLIMITED OPPORTUNITY

Scriptural facts: 1 Corinthians 16:9, Acts 14:27,  
John 10:7-9, Hosea 2:15, Colossians 4:3

Symbol : = **PURPLE**

Meaning: = COLOR OF OBEDIENCE UNTO DEATH/  
ROYALTY

Scriptural facts: John 19:2,5, Philippians 2:8

Symbol : = **RAINBOW**

Meaning: = TOKEN OF COVENANT KEEPING

Scriptural facts: Genesis 9:11-17

Symbol : = **RED**

Meaning: #1 = SIN, CORRUPTION

Scriptural facts: Isaiah 1:18, Isaiah 26:21, Psalms 75:8

Meaning: #2 = PERSECUTION, DESTRUCTION

Scriptural facts: Ezekiel 32:6,11 Jeremiah 46:10,  
Nahum 2:3

Symbol : = **REINS**

Meaning: = SEAT OF WILL, AFFECTIONS

Scriptural facts: Psalms 7:9, Psalms 16:7, Psalms 26:2,  
Psalms 73:21, Proverbs 23:16, Jeremiah 17:10

Symbol : = **SECOND DEATH**

Meaning: = LAKE OF FIRE

Scriptural facts: Revelation 21:8, Revelation 20:14

Symbol : = **SERPENT**

Meaning: = SATAN

Scriptural facts: Revelation 12:7-9, Revelation 20:2

Symbol : = **SEVEN CANDLESTICKS**

Meaning: #1 = 7 CANDLESTICKS IN HOLY PLACE OF SANCTUARY

Scriptural facts: Exodus 25:31-40

Meaning: #2 = SEVEN CHURCHES

Scriptural Facts: Revelation 1:20

Symbol : = **SEVEN HEADS**

Meaning: = SEVEN POLITICAL POWERS

Scriptural facts: Revelation 17:9-10, Isaiah 2:2-4, Jeremiah 17:3

Symbol : = **SEVEN LAMPS**

Meaning: = JESUS, WORD OF GOD

Scriptural facts: John 9:5, John 1:9, Psalms 119:105, Revelation 4:5

Symbol : = **SICKLE**

Meaning: = SYMBOL OF HARVEST - END OF WORLD

Scriptural facts: Matthew 13:39, Revelation 14:14

Symbol : = **SODOM**

Meaning: = MORAL DEGRADATION

Scriptural facts: Ezekiel 16:46-55, Jeremiah 23:14,  
Genesis 19:4-14

Symbol : = **STARS**

Meaning: = ANGELS

Scriptural facts: Revelation 1:16,20 Revelation 12:4,7-9,  
Job 38:7

Symbol : = **SEAL**

Meaning: = SIGN, MARK AND SEAL MEAN SAME THING

Scriptural facts: Romans 4:11, Revelation 7:2-3,  
Ezekiel 9:4

Symbol : = **SUN**

Meaning: = JESUS AND THE GOSPEL

Scriptural facts: John 9:5, Psalms 84:11, Malachi 4:2,  
Matthew 17:2, John 8:12

Symbol : = **WORD**

Meaning:#1 = GOD'S SPOKEN WORD

Scriptural facts: Hebrews 4:12, Ephesians 6:17

Meaning:#2 = BLOODSHED, DESTRUCTION

Scriptural facts: Isaiah 3:25, Isaiah 13:5, Acts 12:1-2,  
Jeremiah 48:2

Meaning:#3 = WORDS OF THE WICKED

Scriptural facts: Psalms 59:7

Symbol : = **TESTIMONY OF JESUS**

Meaning: = SPIRIT / GIFT OF PROPHECY

Scriptural facts: Revelation 19:10, Revelation 22:9, 1  
Corinthians 13:2

Symbol : = **THIEF**

Meaning: = SUDDENNESS OF JESUS' COMING

Scriptural facts: 1 Thessalonians 5:2, 2 Peter 3:10

Symbol : = **TIME**

Meaning: = LITERAL YEAR

Scriptural facts: Daniel 4:16,23,25,32 Daniel 7:25,  
Daniel 11:13-14, Revelation 12:6,14 Revelation 11:2-3

Symbol : = **TORMENT**

Meaning: = TEST, PROVE BY TRIAL

Scriptural facts: 1 Corinthians 3:13, Hebrews 12:29,  
Isaiah 33:14

Symbol : = **TWENTY-FOUR ELDERS**

Meaning: = A GROUP REDEEMED FROM EARTH

Scriptural facts: Revelation 5:9-10, Revelation 4:4,  
Revelation 7:9-14

Symbol : = **TWO-EDGED SWORD**

Meaning: = GOD'S WORD - SWORD OF THE SPIRIT

Scriptural facts: Ephesians 6:17, Hebrews 4:12,  
Matthew 10:34, Isaiah 49:2

Symbol : = **TWO WITNESSES**

Meaning: = OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS

Scriptural facts: John 5:39, Zechariah 4:1-14,  
Psalms 119:130,105, John 12:48

Symbol : = **WATERS**

Meaning: = INHABITED AREA - PEOPLE, NATIONS

Scriptural facts: Revelation 17:15

Symbol : = **WHITE**

Meaning: = PURITY

Scriptural facts: Psalms 51:7, Isaiah 1:18,  
Revelation 19:8

Symbol : = **WHITE ROBES**

Meaning: = VICTORY AND RIGHTEOUSNESS

Scriptural facts: Isaiah 61:10, Revelation 19:8,  
Revelation 3:5, Zechariah 3:1-5, Revelation 7:14,  
Galatians 3:27

Symbol : = **WINDS / WHIRLWIND**

Meaning #1: = STRIFE, COMMOTION, "WINDS OF WAR"

Scriptural facts: Jeremiah 25:31-33, Jeremiah 49:36-37,  
Jeremiah 4:11-13, Zechariah 7:14

Meaning #2: = Judgment

Scriptural facts: Proverbs 10:25, Isaiah 40:24, Isaiah  
66:15, Jeremiah 30:23, Nahum 1:3

Meaning #3: = Final Plagues

Scriptural facts: Jeremiah 25:32-33, Jeremiah 23:19-20

Symbol : = **WINE**

Meaning: #1 = FALSE DOCTRINE / TEACHINGS

Scriptural facts: Jeremiah 25:15-18, Jeremiah 51:7

Meaning: #2 = JESUS BLOOD OF ATONEMENT

Scriptural facts: Matthew 26:21-29

Symbol : = **WINGS**

Meaning: = SPEED

Scriptural facts: Habakkuk 1:6-8, Jeremiah 4:13,  
Exodus 19:4



Symbol : = **WOMAN, PURE**

Meaning: = TRUE CHURCH

Scriptural facts: Jeremiah 6:2, Isaiah 51:16, 2 Corinthians 11:2, Ephesians 5:22-33

Symbol : = **WOMAN, IMPURE**

Meaning: = APOSTATE CHURCH

Scriptural facts: Ezekiel 23:2-21, Revelation 14:4, Hosea 2:5, Hosea 3:1, Ezekiel 16:15-58

Symbol : = **WORMWOOD**

Meaning: = SORROW / BITTERNESS

Scriptural facts: Jeremiah 9:15, Jeremiah 23:15, Lamentations 3:19

Symbol : = **WRATH OF GOD**

Meaning: = SEVEN LAST PLAGUES

Scriptural facts: Revelation 15:1