

Revelation 9

• Questions

1. What did John see when the fifth angel sounded his trumpet (9:1)?
2. What came out of the smoke of the pit (9:2-3)?
3. Who were the locust to hurt (9:4)?
4. How long did the locust torment and how is their torment described (9:5-6, 10)?
5. How did John describe the locusts' appearance (9:7-10)?
6. Who was their king and what was his name (9:11)?
7. How many "woes" are in this section of Revelation (9:12)?
8. What did John hear when the sixth angel sounded his trumpet (9:13-14)?
9. What were the four angels released and prepared to do (9:15)?
10. What was the number of the horsemen that John heard (9:16)?

11. How did John describe these horses (9:17-19)?

12. What did the survivors who were not killed refuse to do (9:20-21)?

• Digging Deeper

1. Who or what in scripture is the abyss (bottomless pit) associated with (9:1-2)?

2. What minor prophet in the OT speaks of locust that were used by God to judge mankind (9:3-11)?

3. Who in the book of Revelation have the seal of God on their foreheads (9:4)?

4. What does “Abaddon” and “Apollyon” mean (9:11)?

5. What happened at the “horns of the golden altar” in the OT tabernacle (9:13)?

6. Where is the Euphrates River located (9:14)?

• Applications for Today

1. Mankind living a life of unrepented sin will be tormented now and in eternity (9:5).
What did the rich man experience in hades (Lk. 16:23, 28)?

2. God gives sinful mankind time to repent if they will do so (9:20-21). What did Jesus give Jezebel (Rev. 2:21)? Why is God longsuffering (2 Pet. 3:9)?

3. The sinful mankind of John's day were in engaged in idolatry, murder, sorcery, fornication, and theft (9:20-21)? What are these activities (Gal. 5:19-20)?

4. Sinful mankind often has an attitude of rejecting God's judgments (9:20-21). What admonition does the author of Hebrews give (Heb. 12:25)?