

ANALYSIS OF THE

letters of *Revelation*

PARABLE 7 SPIRITS PERIOD MEANING 7 CHURCHES

Ephesus

REVELATION 2:1-7



"DESIRABLE"

33-100 CE
APOSTOLIC AGE
EARLY CHURCH

THE SPIRIT
OF THE LORD
ISAIAH 11:2



THE PARABLE OF
THE SOWER
MATTHEW 13:1-8

Smyrna

REVELATION 2:8-11

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"MYRRH"

100 – 312 CE
AGE OF PERSECUTION
POST-APOSTOLIC CHURCH

WISDOM
ISAIAH 11:2



THE PARABLE OF
THE WHEAT AND
THE TARES
MATTHEW 13:24-30

Pergamos

REVELATION 2:12-17



"MIXED MARRIAGE"

312 – 590 CE
ERA OF CONSTANTINE
BEGINNING OF CATHOLICISM

UNDERSTANDING
ISAIAH 11:2



THE PARABLE OF
THE MUSTARD
SEED
MATTHEW 13:31-32

Thyatira

REVELATION 2:18-29



"CONTINUOUS
SACRIFICE"

590-1517 CE
MIDDLE AGES
BEGINNING OF PAPAL RULE

COUNSEL
ISAIAH 11:2



THE PARABLE OF
THE LEAVEN
MATTHEW 13:33

Sardis

REVELATION 3:1-6

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"REMNANTS"

1517 – 1750 CE
RELIGIOUS RERFORM
PROTESTANT REFORMATION

MIGHT
ISAIAH 11:2



THE PARABLE OF
THE HIDDEN
TREASURE
MATTHEW 13:44

Philadelphia

REVELATION 3:7-13



"BROTHERLY LOVE"

1750 – 1890 CE
MISSIONARY
MOVEMENT
BEGINNING OF REVIVAL

KNOWLEDGE
ISAIAH 11:2



THE PARABLE OF
THE PEARL OF
GREAT PRICE
MATTHEW 13:45-46

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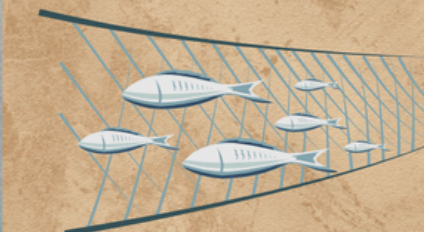
REVELATION 2:12-17

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"PEOPLE'S RIGHTS"

1850 CE
ECUMENICAL
MOVEMENT

FEAR OF
THE LORD
ISAIAH 11:2



THE PARABLE OF
THE DRAGNET
MATTHEW 13:47-48

