THE EVIL TRIUMVERATE



- Dragon symbolizes Satan Rev.12:9
- Sea Beast emerges from the ocean, and is similar in appearance to the Dragon with 7 heads and 10 horns
- Main difference: Dragon has 7 heads with 7 crowns, the Sea Beast has 10 horns with 10 crowns
- Satan mimics God, so he manifests himself in multiple ways to deceive people

THE EVIL COUNTERFEIT





God the Father, ultimate holder of power and authority, assigns some to The Son and Holy Spirit

Dragon preeminent over EVIL power and authority, assigns some to the Sea Beast and to the Land Beast

"Who is like the Beast ?"

- Referring to the Sea Beast
- > Only ONE head is wounded
- Sea Beast will be seen as divine or perhaps as greatly awesome
- The world giving its allegiance to the Sea Beast is the same as giving it to Satan
- When we give our allegiance to Christ, it is the same as giving it to the Father in Heaven
- John 14:9 "If you've seen Me, you've seen the Father....."





WHO IS THE SEA BEAST?

- He is the Anti-Christ & the nations where he gets his political power
- ≻ Rev. 10:5 7
- Satan indicating he is not giving up the battle to retain the status quo
- ➢ Rev. 11:15 − 17
- Sea monster symbolic of wicked nations
- Ezekiel 29:3
- Egypt is the epitome of the wicked nations
- Tanniym = monster



WAS JOHN ALLUDING TO NERO?

- Wound and recovery mean to mimic Christ's death and resurrection
- > 20 years before John, Nero was assassinated but rumors said he survived
- Was not Nero; for John this event was future, not past
- Many modern Bible "experts" do not believe in the spiritual, miraculous, or prophetic

THE 10 NATION CONFEDERATION

- Sea Beast with 10 horns thought to be the EU in modern times
- But the EU has 28 nations!
- Belief is that the Sea Beast is the revived Roman Empire
- A better candidate would be Muslim nations that hate Israel
- Islam is not just a religion, it is also political in nature



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I0 small Islamic nations will unite in their hatred of Israel

> At first, peace will be the result

The Philistines are said to play a key role



Philistines are front and center in the End Times

- "Palestine" is Greek for "Philistine"
- Philistines had the same origin as the Egyptians
- Currently 10 Muslim nations are a better candidate than the EU



- Early Church Father unencumbered by modern political correctness
- Caesarius of Arles, late 400's A.D. Says that the Sea Beast is Church heretics
- Victorinus of Petovium 200's A.D. Says that the Sea Beast is a person who will defend the Law of Moses
- Tyconius 300's A.D. Says that the 7 heads of the Sea Beast are symbolic of all the nations that Satan will deceive



- Satan's followers: "Who is like the Beast?"
- Mikha'el's name = "Who is like God?"
- God will allow the Beast to defeat everyone on the entire planet..... with one exception: Those whose names are written in the Lamb's Book of Life!!
- Matthew 7:21 27 "Not everyone who says to me Lord, Lord will enter the Kingdom of Heaven..."