

# The Revelation to John/Seven Groups of Seven

## 5. Seven Bowls (Vials)

(Daniel 9:27; Revelation 15:1–16:21; Matthew 24:15–22)

Bowls (Vials) in Revelation	Plague # in Revelation	In Exodus	Plague # in Exodus	Meaning in John's Time
1 16:2	Sores/Boils	9:8–10	6	Judgment of Land (Roman Empire)
2 16:3	Water to Blood (Sea)	7:19–21	1	Judgment of Sea (Roman Empire)
3 16:4–7	Water to Blood (Fresh Waters)	7:19–21	1	Judgment on Fresh Waters (Roman Empire)
4 16:8–9	Great Heat/Fire	9:23	4	Judgment of Sun (Roman Empire)
5 16:10–11	Darkness (Throne)	10:21–23	9	Internal Decadence (Roman Empire)
6 16:12	Euphrates Dies/Frogs	8:1–6	2	External Invasion (Roman Empire)
Interlude 16:13–14 16:15–16	1 <sup>st</sup> Frog 2 <sup>nd</sup> Frog 3 <sup>rd</sup> Frog Harmagedon (Rev. 19)	8:1–6	2	Satan's Recruiting Agents to Rally the Forces of Evil
7 16:17–21	Great Hail and Thunder	9:21–25	7	Fall of Rome