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## **God's Number**

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Although I believe my aim is pure and God's will perfect this document is still the product of a human man, as to such I neither claim perfect knowledge or perfect understanding. The number seven abounds in the book of Revelation, seven sealed scrolls, seven trumpets and seven vials, by which the world kingdoms are shaken and overthrown, the beast's kingdom destroyed, and the Kingdom of the Lord Jesus Christ ushered in. In the Scriptures, certain numbers have symbolic significance, seven is, considered to be God's number for the following reasons:

- The number seven, for example, is often used to symbolize that which is complete, or perfect, in God's eyes. For instance, God's creative week comprises seven days, or extended time periods, during which God completely accomplishes his creative purpose regarding the earth. (Gen. 1:3) to (Gen. 2:3)
- Scripture states, "The words of the LORD are pure words, like silver refined in a furnace on the ground, purified seven times." (Psalm 12:6).
- Elisha sent a messenger to the leper Naaman, saying, "Go and wash in the Jordan seven times, and your flesh shall be restored, and you shall be clean," so he went down and dipped himself seven times in the Jordan, and his flesh was restored like the flesh of a little child, and he was clean. (2 Kings 5:10) (2 Kings 5:14).
- Revelation speaks of seven spirits of God (Rev. 3:1), and before His throne seven burning torches of fire, which are the seven spirits of God (Rev. 4:5), and of a Lamb standing, as though it had been slain, with seven horns and with seven eyes, which are the seven spirits of God sent out into all the earth. (Rev. 5:6).
- The number four is the world-wide number (i.e., north, south, east, and west), while the number three is, the divine number (i.e., the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit), together they total the number seven which expresses perfect completeness.
- Generally, seven is the full number which carries the idea of perfection and completeness, suggesting the endless, boundless, manifold, diversity of the operations of the life-giving Spirit that flows from Jesus Christ.

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