WORKSHEET ... (Jude 14-25 ESV)

- 1) Jude speaks to the coming judgment of the ungodly that we are currently studying in Revelation, 14-15.
 - (14-15) It was also about these that Enoch, the seventh from Adam, prophesied, saying, "Behold, the Lord comes with ten thousands of his holy ones, to execute judgment on all and to convict all the ungodly of all their deeds of ungodliness that they have committed in such an ungodly way, and of all the harsh things that ungodly sinners have spoken against him."
- 2) Jude identifies the danger, the character and the motivation of the ungodly who are now under the wrath of God and will face the coming judgment, 16-19.
 - (16-19) These are grumblers, malcontents, following their own sinful desires; they are loud-mouthed boasters, showing favoritism to gain advantage. But you must remember, beloved, the predictions of the apostles of our Lord Jesus Christ. They said to you, "In the last time there will be scoffers, following their own ungodly passions." It is these who cause divisions, worldly people, devoid of the Spirit.
- 3) Jude outlines a strategy for personal holiness and an outreach to the ungodly, 20-23.
 - (20-23) But you, beloved, building yourselves up in your most holy faith and praying in the Holy Spirit, keep yourselves in the love of God, waiting for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ that leads to eternal life. And have mercy on those who doubt; save others by snatching them out of the fire; to others show mercy with fear, hating even the garment stained by the flesh.
- 4) Jude praises the only God, 24-25.
 - (24-25) Now to him who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy, to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.

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WORKSHEET ... (REVELATION 9:1-21 ESV)

1) THE FIRST WOE: THE ATTACK FROM THE ABYSS, 9:1-12.

- The release of the locust/scorpion demons, 9:1-2.
- The torment of the locust/scorpion demons, 9:3-6.
- The description of the locust/scorpion demons, 9:7-10.
- The king of the locust/scorpion demons, 9:11-12.

2) THE SECOND WOE: THE ATTACK FROM THE FOUR ANGELS, 9:13-19.

- Four fallen angels who have been prepared for this phase of the judgment are released from bondage.
- They have been prepared to attack at an exact, predetermined hour, day, month and year.
- They lead 200 million mounted troops.
- They plague the earth and kill a third of the human population by fire and smoke and sulphur.

3) THE DEFIANT SURVIVORS OF THE FIRST TWO WOES, 9:20-21.

- Those who survive the first two woes still refuse to change their minds (repent) concerning the works of their hands. The idea of human works as a means of appeasing God (or more accurately "the gods") is deeply ingrained and interwoven in the soul of sinful, fallen humanity. It is like a death grip that invariably leads people to create false worship and then to cling to what they have created. This false worship reveals itself itself in thousands of variations, but everyone who worships what they have created walks the same path of death, the way that seems right and natural to a man or woman.
- (Proverbs 14:12 The Message) There's a way of life that looks harmless enough; look again—it leads straight to hell.
- People will not give up the only thing in which they have hope. And we see here, even in the face of God's wrath and judgment, they defiantly cling to their direction. Therefore having no hope except what they can manufacture themselves these people are driven to satisfy the deep desires of their mind and soul, only finding solace in deeds of darkness. Driven by false hope they are imprisoned in murders, sorceries (drugs), sexual immorality and theft (taking what belongs to someone else).