

Obadiah 1:11-15
(Poetic Justice)

The Day of the Lord:

1. The “Day of the Lord” must be viewed from the perspective of God’s *timetable* not man’s. 2 Pet 3:8-10
2. The prophet *Elijah* will return before the “Day of the Lord” Begins. Mal 4:4-6 cf Rev 11
3. The Day of the Lord will not arrive before the *rapture* of the Church. 2 Thes 2:1-4
4. When it arrives, It will still be *sudden* to the inhabitants of earth. 1 Thes 5:1-4
5. One of the major reasons for its arrival are *false* prophets, especially in Israel. Ezek 13:1-7 cf Rev 13
6. *Prophetical* Babylon will be responsible for a major portion of the divine discipline. Isa 13:6,9
7. The “Day” includes discipline on many _____. Ezek 30:1-5
8. The prophet _____ mentions it more than any other prophet. Joel 1:15; 2:1,11,31; 3:14
9. Many will long for the “Day of the Lord,” not _____ the discipline that will start it. Amos 5:18-20
10. Zephaniah warns of the _____ on Israel that arrives with the Day of the Lord. Zeph 1:7-9; 14-18
11. Peter quotes Joel in his first sermon after the Resurrection, as a _____ of what is coming. Acts 2:19-21
12. It is important to be saved from the _____ for sin before the Day of the Lord arrives. 1 Cor 5:5
13. There are many biblical references which state that the Day of the Lord “is coming quickly,” including the end of the Book of _____. Rev 22:12, 20
 - A. This teaches us that God’s timing and man’s are different.

- B. In God's timing it is really quick.
- C. In man's timing there are some necessary delays.
- D. So the word "quickly" in prophetic literature must mean "without unnecessary delay."

14. The Church is to realize that we will be _____ from the "hour of testing" that will come on the whole world. Rev 3:9-12
15. After the discipline is administered to the entire world, the Lord will establish His _____ and rule it for 1000 years. Matt 25:31-46; Rev 20:4-6

IV. The Results of the Judgment (1:16-18)

- 16 "Because just as you drank on My holy mountain,
All the nations (**GOYIM**) will drink continually.
They will drink and swallow
And become as if they had never existed.
- 17 "But on Mount Zion there will be those who escape,
And it will be holy.
And the house of Jacob will possess their possessions.
- 18 "Then the house of Jacob will be a fire (**'ESH**)
And the house of Joseph a flame; (**LEHABAH = 19x; directed fire**)
But the house of Esau will be as stubble.
And they (**Jacob & Joseph**) will set them on fire and consume them,
So that there will be no survivor of the house of Esau,"
For the LORD has spoken.

Summary:

1. This is a reference to the _____ incident that occurred while Moses was on the mountain with the Lord. Exo 32:19-20
2. The Lord will make all the nations "drink" their _____.
3. There will be nations that emerge from the Tribulation with a new _____, so it will be like the old ones never existed.
4. Again, this is at the time of the _____ Advent. Zech 14:1-8
5. The _____ will be delivered. Rev 14:1-2
6. Along with the " _____ " namely those human believers who survive the Tribulation. Matt 25:31-46
7. Israel will receive the blessings of the _____ Covenant.

8. The House of Esau will not be in the _____ Kingdom.