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MORNING MESSAGE

"The Fall of Material Babylon"

Revelation 18:1-24

- I. THE REPORT OF HER FALL (vv.1-2a)
 - A. The fall of Babylon is reported by an angel
 - 1. The angel was great in power (v.1a)
 - 2. The angel was in presence (v.1b)
 - 3. The angel was great in pronouncement (v.2a)
- II. THE REASON FOR HER FALL (vv.2b-8)
 - A. The angel gave a list of reasons for the fall of Babylon
 - 1. Because of her inhabitants (v.2b)
 - 2. Because of her idolatry (v.3)
 - 3. Because of her iniquity (vv.5-6)
 - 4. Because of her insanity (vv.7-8)
- III. THE RECORD OF HER FALL (vv.9-19)
 - A. The angel describes the fall through the eyes of various groups
 - 1. The monarchs of the earth (vv.9-10)
 - 2. The merchants of the earth (vv.11-17a)
 - 3. The mariners of the earth (vv.17b-19)
- IV. THE RESPONSE TO HER FALL (v.20)
 - A. The angel had a different admonition to those in heaven
 - 1. What are they to do? (v.20a)
 - 2. Who is supposed to rejoice (v.20b)
 - 3. Why are they to rejoice (v.20c)
- V. THE REENACTMENT OF HER FALL (vv.21-24)
 - A. The angel demonstrates and declares that Babylon is fallen
 - 1. There will be no more music (v.22a)
 - 2. There will be no more mills (v.22b)
 - 3. There will be no more marriage (v.23a)
 - 4. There will be no more mercy (vv.23b-24)

CONCLUSION

- A. Another angel gave the final invitation to Babylon
 - 1. The call to separation "Come out"
 - 2. The call to salvation "receive not of her plagues"