## The Fifth And Sixth Trumpets: Men Smitten and Killed

(Revelation 9:1-21)

Intro: This morning we resume our study of the seven trumpet judgments. We examined the first four trumpet judgments recorded in chapter 8 last Sunday. The next two trumpet judgments, five and six, are recorded in chapter 9. The fifth trumpet, described as the first of *three woes*, records the release of locust-like demons from the bottomless pit that go forth to torment men for five months (9:1-12). The sixth trumpet, which corresponds to the *second woe*, details the release of four demonic angels, who kill a third of mankind (9:13-21).

## I. The Fifth Trumpet: Release Of The Demonic Locusts (Rev. 9:1-12)

- A. Identity of the star and the bottomless pit (vv. 1-2)
- B. Identity of the demons from the pit (v. 3)
- C. The torment inflicted by the demons (vv. 4-5)
- D. Description of the demons (vv. 7-10)
- E. Identity of the leader of the demons (v. 11)
- F. Announcement of two more *woes* to come (v. 12)

## II. The Sixth Trumpet: Release Of Four Demonic Angels, Who Kill A Third Of Mankind (Rev. 9:13-21)

- A. The voice from the four horns of the golden altar (v. 13)
- B. Release of the four angels, who kill a third of mankind (vv. 14-15)
- C. Identity and description of the army of two hundred million (vv. 16-19)
- D. A description of those judged (vv. 20-21)

Conclusion: If you are here this morning and you have never invited Jesus Christ to be your Savior, we would urge you to do so this morning. Jesus Christ is your only hope of escaping the judgment to come.

