SATANIC REVOLT - GOG MAGOG REVOLUTION

Revelation 11:18

Described in Psalm 2

"The nations were angry" = the lost of the Millennium, and their reaction to perfect environment. Notice that in perfect environment there is still an emphasis upon national entities.

"and Thy wrath has come" = Divine Justice in the last Judgment – Great White Throne (GWT - Details in Revelation 20). Satan has a revolt that lasts for a short time – then put down – and all under Satan's banner. The revolt is put down, and then we have the judgment of all fallen angels, including Satan, and the judgment of all unregenerate members of the human race. This is the meaning of "Thy wrath has come".

"and the time of the dead" refers to the 2nd Resurrection, which is the resurrection of all unbelievers. They are resurrected for judgment.

"that they should be judged" (Aorist active infinitive of Krino – $K\rho i\nu \omega$).

- o These dead are the unbelieving dead.
- o They are resurrected to stand before the GWT, then cast into the lake of fire in physical bodies.

"and that thou shall give reward unto thy servants (OT saints) the prophets (OT Teachers) and to the saints (Trib. Believers, Millennium believers) them that fear thy name (believers alive) small and great (OT saints)".

- 1. Old Testament saints will be resurrected at the 2nd Advent and rewarded at the end of the Millennium.
- 2. Tribulational martyrs will be resurrected at the end of the Millennium.
- 3. Those who lived through the Tribulation will go into the Millennium in physical bodies; they will receive resurrected bodies, and be rewarded at the end of the Millennium.
- 4. Millennial saints (born and saved in the Millennium) will get resurrection bodies and reward at the end of the Millennium.

"and should destroy them" This is Satan and his fallen ones, which destroy the earth. Satan and his crowd are always trying to destroy, even by "improving". Fallen Angels will be cast into lake of fire.

Revelation 11:19a presents the Heavenly Temple – Millennial Temple – "ark'' = reminder of the Work of Christ on the Cross, and that God keeps His Word. Here we have the concept of Propitiation, and of God's faithfulness.

<u>Verse 19b</u> presents judgment to warn the human race of the importance of turning to the Lord Jesus Christ.