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↳ Seven Trumpet Judgments (Rev. 8-9; 11)

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Trumpet #1—The Earth (v. 7)

(see *Exodus 9:18-26*)

- 1/3 of earth burned up
- 1/3 of trees burned up
- ALL green grass burned up

There will also be "hail and fire mixed with blood."

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Trumpet #2–The Seas (v. 8-9)

(see *Exodus 7:19-21*)

- 1/3 of sea became blood
- 1/3 of sea creatures die
- 1/3 of ships destroyed

There will be something like
“a great mountain burning with fire” thrown into sea.

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Trumpet #3—The Fresh Water (v. 10-11)

(see *Exodus 7:20; 15:23-27*)

- 1/3 of fresh water (rivers and springs) will become bitter and many will die.

“Wormwood” is an extra bitter plant used for medicinal purposes.

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Trumpet #4–The Sky (v. 12)

(see *Exodus 10:21-23*)

- 1/3 of the day and night's light source is darkened (sun, moon, and stars)

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