

Allusions in Revelation 18:9–19:6

REVELATION 18:17

Ezekiel 27:28-29 The common-land will shake at the sound of the cry of your pilots.

²⁹ “All who handle the oar,
The mariners,
All the pilots of the sea
Will come down from their ships *and* stand on
the shore.

REVELATION 18:18

Ezekiel 27:30 They will make their voice heard because of you;
They will cry bitterly and cast dust on their heads;
They will roll about in ashes

REVELATION 18:21

Matthew 18:6 But whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in Me to sin, it would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck, and he were drowned in the depth of the sea.

Cf. Mark 9:42; Luke 17:2

REVELATION 18:23

Jeremiah 7:34 Then I will cause to cease from the cities of Judah and from the streets of Jerusalem the voice of mirth and the voice of gladness, the voice of the bridegroom and the voice of the bride. For the land shall be desolate.

Jeremiah 16:9 For thus says the LORD of hosts, the God of Israel: “Behold, I will cause to cease from this place, before your eyes and in your days, the voice of mirth and the voice of gladness, the voice of the bridegroom and the voice of the bride.

Jeremiah 25:10 Moreover I will take from them the voice of mirth and the voice of gladness, the

voice of the bridegroom and the voice of the bride, the sound of the millstones and the light of the lamp.

REVELATION 18:24

Jeremiah 51:49 As Babylon *has* caused the slain of Israel to fall,
So at Babylon the slain of all the earth shall fall.

Revelation 17:6 I saw the woman, drunk with the blood of the saints and with the blood of the martyrs of Jesus. And when I saw her, I marveled with great amazement.

Matthew 23:35-36 that on you may come all the righteous blood shed on the earth, from the blood of righteous Abel to the blood of Zechariah, son of Berechiah, whom you murdered between the temple and the altar. ³⁶ Assuredly, I say to you, all these things will come upon this generation.

REVELATION 19:3

Genesis 19:27-28 And Abraham went early in the morning to the place where he had stood before the LORD. ²⁸ Then he looked toward Sodom and Gomorrah, and toward all the land of the plain; and he saw, and behold, the smoke of the land which went up like the smoke of a furnace.

Revelation 14:11 And the smoke of their torment ascends forever and ever; and they have no rest day or night, who worship the beast and his image, and whoever receives the mark of his name.