

Passages About Mystery Babylon the Great of Revelation 17 & 18

Terms	Revelation	References	Description
Seated on Waters	17:1	Jer 51:13	The Prostitute sits over the nations of the earth - Rev 17:15
Immorality	17:2	Jer 51:7	Kings of the earth committed spiritual adultery through it
Aligned with Beast	17:3	Dan 7:7	It sits on the beast with 7 heads & 10 horns of Rev 13:1
Abominations	17:4	Jer 51:7	The Prostitute offers luxury to the nations and they accept
Babylon the Great	17:5	Nah 3:4	It is the symbol of man-made religio-political systems
Blood of Martyrs	17:6	Rev 6:9-10	Believers who went against it have been martyred - Rev 18:24
Seated on Waters	17:15	Jer 51:13	Its influence has infected all nations with city-state systems
Destruction	17:16	Jer 51:1	The Lord judges it but the beast carries out the sentence
Great City	17:18	Gen 10:8-12	The Great City is not literal but symbolic of city-state systems

Terms	Revelation	Ezekiel	Isaiah	Description
Sorcery-Divination	18:2		47:9-13	Nations, kings, etc., invite the demonic realm for gain
Trade-Wealth	18:3	27:33	47:5	Corrupt trade & spiritual practices by nations
Arrogance	18:7	27:3	47:8	Leaders live in luxury - they do not think it will end
Swift Judgment	18:8	27:27	47:9	Destruction of the Prostitute occurs in one day
Loss of Wealth	18:9	27:32		The destruction of the system results in great loss
Swift Judgment	18:10	27:27	47:9	Its destruction by the beast and 10 kingdoms is quick
Trade-Wealth	18:11-16	27:4-27	47:15	Wealth building; slave trade; merchants became rich
Loss of Wealth	18:18	27:32		Nations, the wealthy, and merchants mourn loss
Mourning Loss	18:19	27:30-31		Sackcloth & ashes - mourning over loss of wealth
Sorcery-Divination	18:21-23		47:9-13	The nations of the earth are deceived through divination
Judgment	19:1-3	28:18-19	47:3-4	The Lord lets the beast carry out His sentence (Rev 17:16)

Click on the blue colored hyperlinks to view the passages on the ESV Literal Word website