



Revelation's Final Visions and Old Testament Echoes

The Book of Revelation, the final book of the Bible, is rich in imagery and language drawn from the Old Testament. From Genesis to Malachi, echoes of earlier prophecies resound in John's visions. Far from being a new or disconnected revelation, the Apocalypse weaves together centuries of prophecy into one climactic conclusion.

Revelation shows the fulfillment of God's promises: judgment on the wicked, salvation for the faithful, and the renewal of creation. Its images draw heavily from the books of Daniel, Ezekiel, Isaiah, Zechariah, and the Psalms. This intertextuality reveals the unity of Scripture and demonstrates that the God who spoke through the prophets has brought His plan to completion in Christ. As John recorded: "These sayings are faithful and true" (Revelation 22:6).

This article explores the Old Testament echoes in Revelation's final visions, highlighting how prophecy finds its ultimate fulfillment in Christ's return and the new creation.