



## Life Group Discussions

### Revelation 9

**Opening Discussion Question:** What was the most horrific movie you have ever seen? You probably still remember some of the horrific scenes in the movie...

Read Revelation 9:1-20.

Review/Discuss sermon outline: "The Unleashing of the Demonic"

- I. God is s\_\_\_\_\_ over the demonic.
- II. The d\_\_\_\_\_ are real.
  - A. The d\_\_\_\_\_: a fallen angel.
  - B. Their d\_\_\_\_\_: the abyss.
  - C. The d\_\_\_\_\_ horde:
    1. P\_\_\_\_\_.
    2. P\_\_\_\_\_.
    3. P\_\_\_\_\_.
    4. P\_\_\_\_\_.
- III. Depraved man is unwilling to r\_\_\_\_\_.
  - A. Man loves i\_\_\_\_\_.
  - B. Man loves i\_\_\_\_\_.
- IV. S\_\_\_\_\_ is available today.

1) Most people say they believe in Jesus, angels and heaven while far less of them say they believe in the devil, demons, and hell. Since the Bible speaks of the reality of all of them, why do you think so many don't believe in the devil, demons, or hell?

2) What is your response to the description of the demonic locusts in verses 3-5 and 7-10?

3) Martin Luther (initiator of the Protestant Reformation) said, "The Devil is still God's Devil." His point was the Satan is evil and powerful, but he is still under the authority of our sovereign Lord. Do you agree with Luther's claim about the devil?

4) Are you surprised that people do not repent (verse 20) even after experiencing these horrific judgments of God?

5) Has there been a time in your life where you were slow to repent? Have you ever experienced the chastisement of the Lord? Why don't we immediately turn from our sins?

6) Do you see a relationship between demon worship and idol worship (verse 20)?

7) It has been said that "idolatry is at the core of an unrepentant heart." What does that mean? Do you agree?

8) Few people around us worship idols of stone, wood or metal (verse 20) but we do have our share of idols. What idols most often capture your affections (sometimes more than God)?

9) In light of horrific judgments of God in this chapter, let's pray that God would use us to call people to repentance and faith?

Who (lost person) are you praying for? \_\_\_\_\_

10) What is something that you learned from our study on Revelation 9?  
What are some applications for us from Revelation 9? (Repentance? Urgency? ...)

Who might be able to fill our empty chair next week? \_\_\_\_\_

**NEXT WEEK: Revelation 10**

**Logistics for next meeting:**