

# Armageddon!

*"And they assembled them at the place that in Hebrew is called Armageddon."  
Revelation 16:16 (English Standard Version)*

Many in \_\_\_\_\_ thought "Armageddon" was near. *What is it?*

## A Brief Overview Of Armageddon And Its History

### A. What is "Armageddon"?

1. Revelation 16:16 - The word occurs \_\_\_\_\_ here, and it seems to point to a coming \_\_\_\_\_.
2. "Har" means \_\_\_\_\_, "Megiddo" means a place of \_\_\_\_\_. About \_\_\_\_\_ major battles have been fought there.
3. 1 Kings 9:15 - \_\_\_\_\_ built a fortified city here, along with \_\_\_\_\_ for his \_\_\_\_\_.

### B. Megiddo, a battleground for God's people:

1. Judges 5:19 - \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ won a great battle over Sisera and the \_\_\_\_\_ army, despite not having comparable \_\_\_\_\_.
2. 2 Chronicles 35:20-22 - King \_\_\_\_\_ was killed at this place. (But \_\_\_\_\_ had warned him not to go.)

## What "Armageddon" Means For Christians

A. Revelation was written for \_\_\_\_\_ who were going through intense \_\_\_\_\_. They needed \_\_\_\_\_!

### B. Revelation 16, a vignette of victory:

1. Echols: "Revelation is the story of \_\_\_\_\_ - the eternal struggle ... for the \_\_\_\_\_ of all people."
2. 16:1 - \_\_\_\_\_ angels are told to pour out \_\_\_\_\_ of God's \_\_\_\_\_ upon the people of the earth.
2. 16:2-11 - The first five bowls point to \_\_\_\_\_; to \_\_\_\_\_ in the seas and in the \_\_\_\_\_ and springs; to \_\_\_\_\_ from the sun; and to total \_\_\_\_\_.
3. 16:12-16 - The sixth bowl shows the \_\_\_\_\_ dried up, and three \_\_\_\_\_ that gather kings for battle at Armageddon.
4. 16:17-20 - The seventh bowl brings a great \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The imagery of Revelation 16 would remind Christians of God's \_\_\_\_\_ over \_\_\_\_\_. "It is \_\_\_\_\_!", followed by an \_\_\_\_\_, pointed to Jesus' \_\_\_\_\_.

Ephesians 6:12 - We're in a \_\_\_\_\_ with forces of \_\_\_\_\_.

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