

Consecutive chapters (chronological)	Parenthetical Chapters (inserted)	<i>(The Collected Works of Witness Lee, 1932-1949, vol. 2, Witness Lee's Personal Notes and Diaries, chapter 3, p. 51, "Study Notes on Revelation, Shanghai, August 17, 1939, the sequence of events in the book of Revelation, by Watchman Nee")</i>
Chapter 4		The throne in heaven
Chapter 5		The situation of the Lamb in ascension
Chapter 6		1 <sup>st</sup> seal 2 <sup>nd</sup> seal 3 <sup>rd</sup> seal 4 <sup>th</sup> seal 5 <sup>th</sup> seal Rapture 6 <sup>th</sup> seal
	Chapter 7	The sixth seal speaks of wrath, and chapter 7 immediately speaks of the situation of two groups of people before the sixth seal. Rapture (the first time) takes place before the sixth seal. Verses 1-8 refer to the remnant of Israel preserved through the tribulation, that is, those who keep God's commandments in chapters 12 and 14. Verses 9-17 refer to all those who are resurrected and raptured in the church, not those resurrected or raptured at one specific time. Verses 15-17 describe the situation in eternity. These two portions (vv. 1-8, 9-17) describe what happens to God's two groups of people at the time of His judgment
Chapter 8 -9		Chapters 8 and 9 cover the seventh seal. Chapter 8 covers the first trumpet through the fourth trumpet, which are not given a specific time period. Chapter 9 covers the fifth and sixth trumpets, ie. The first and second woes, which are given specific time periods. A comparison of 8:5 and 11:19 indicates that the seventh seal begins and ends with thunders, lightnings and earthquake.
	Chapter 10	Chapter 7 is carried out by another Angel, as is chapter 10. Verses 1-6 open the previously sealed scroll. Verse 7 proclaims the value of the seventh trumpet. In verses 8-11 John is charged to prophesy again. Hence, the first part of chapter 10 follows chapter 5; the middle explains 11:15-18; and the last part connects to chapter 12 (strictly speaking, it connects to chapter 15, because chapters 12-14 are a further explanation of matters covered previously.
	Chapter 11, verses 1-13	Verses 1-13 cover the period from the beginning of the sixth seal until the times of the Gentiles are fulfilled. Verse 13 connects the end of this section to the seventh bowl (16:18-20).
Chapter 11, verses 14-19		Verse 14 begins to speak of the seventh trumpet, which is the third woe. Verse 18 reveals that the time of the seventh trumpet (10:7) is: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Of God's wrath (towards the Gentiles) – chs 15-16; 19:11-21</li> <li>2. For the judgment of the dead (toward the dead) – 20:4-15</li> <li>3. For the reward to the slaves (toward the slaves) – 19:5-10</li> <li>4. To destroy those who destroy the earth (Babylon in 19:2) – 17:1-19:4</li> <li>5. To bring in the eternal kingdom (11:15) – chs 21 – 22</li> </ol> Verse 19 is connected to 15:5 – <i>"the temple...was opened"</i> – the beginning of the seventh bowl. Chapter 11 shows the time of the death of the two witnesses, which is at the end of the thousand two hundred sixty days (v. 3). Therefore, the beginning of the seventh trumpet (vv. 14-19) is at the end of the three and a half years. The seven bowls come after the three and a half years. Thus the duration is probably very short.
	Chapter 12	Chapter 12 and what follows are the contents of what John "prophesied again" (connecting to 10:11). Thus, in terms of time, these chapters are supplementary and do not continue from the previous portion chronologically. This chapter mentions the dragon, rapture, and the three and a half years. Because chapter 11 already mentioned the three and a half years, the three and a half years in chapter 12 (vv. 6,14) are not another three and a half years that come after the seventh trumpet.
	Chapter 13	The beasts and the dragon of chapter 12 put together produce the great tribulation.
	Chapter 14	This chapter sums up the order of things previously mentioned.
Chapter 15 – 16		Chapter 15 and 16 speaks of the seven bowls, which are the contents of the seventh trumpet. 15:5a connects to 11:19
Chapter 17 - 18		Chapter 17 and 18 are connected with 16:19 and are the contents of the seventh bowl. All seven bowls speak of God's wrath. The seventh bowl speaks of the destruction of Babylon. God's wrath and the destruction of Babylon are both seen in points 1 and 4 in the notes on 11:18 above.