



Fifth Personage: Persecution of the Jewish Remnant  
Revelation 12: 13-17

## SCRIPTURE

### Chapter 12

<sup>13</sup> And when the dragon saw that he was cast unto the earth, he persecuted the woman which brought forth the man Child. <sup>14</sup> And to the woman were given two wings of a great eagle, that she might fly into the wilderness, into her place, where she is nourished for a time, and times, and half a time, from the face of the serpent. <sup>15</sup> And the serpent cast out of his mouth water as a flood after the woman, that he might cause her to be carried away of the flood. <sup>16</sup> And the earth helped the woman, and the

earth opened her mouth, and swallowed up the flood which the dragon cast out of his mouth. <sup>17</sup> And the dragon was wroth with the woman, and went to make war with the remnant of her seed, which keep the commandments of God, and have the testimony of Jesus Christ.

## COMMENTARY

Heaven rejoices as Satan, the accuser of the brethren, is cast down. Heaven rejoices, but woe to the people on earth. Satan knows that his time is short, and he is filled with great wrath. Satan is angry with Israel and now goes to war against her. Many will be martyred during these last three and a half horrible years of the Tribulation period, but God will protect His remnant of Israel. They will one day inherit the land promised to their father Abraham.