## #778 Constantine the Great and Woodrow Wilson, II – The Council of Laodicea, part 5, The Sabbath Day rest for the *Church*; The Sabbath Day rest for the *World*

The purpose of this Unsealing is to compare the difference between the Sabbath Day rest for the *Church* vs. the Sabbath Day rest for the *world*.

During this age, before the return of the Lord, only the Church can be in a true Sabbath Day rest with God, because only believers can cease from their own works through the power of the Holy Spirit.

Key Understanding: Sabbath days of rest. A Sabbath Day rest for the <u>Church</u> occurs during this age, through the <u>cross</u>, before the return of the Lord. The Sabbath Day rest for the <u>world</u> occurs <u>after</u> the Lord returns with his <u>sword</u>.

**Step 1: A Sabbath Day rest for the** <u>Church</u> occurs during this age, through the <u>cross</u>, before the return of the Lord:

## Hebrews 4:9-11 (NIV) <u>THERE REMAINS, THEN, A SABBATH-REST FOR THE PEOPLE</u> OF GOD;

10 for anyone who enters God's rest also rests from his own work, just as God did from his.
11 Let us, therefore, make every effort to enter that [Sabbath] rest, so that no one will fall by following their example of disobedience.



Step 2: The Sabbath Day rest for the world occurs after the Lord returns with his sword:

Revelation 19:14-15 (KJV) And the armies which were in heaven followed him upon white horses, <u>CLOTHED IN FINE LINEN</u>, <u>WHITE AND CLEAN</u>.

15 <u>AND OUT OF HIS MOUTH GOETH A</u>
<u>SHARP SWORD</u>, that with it he should smite the nations: and he shall rule them with a rod of iron: and he treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God.



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