

Tribulation verses in the New Testament

θλίψις thlipsis,
Strong's Greek Dictionary G02347

from 2346;

pressure (literally or figuratively):--afflicted(-tion), anguish, burdened, persecution, tribulation, trouble.

σκανδαλίζω skandalízō
Strong's Greek Dictionary G04624

from 4625;

to entrap, i.e. trip up (figuratively, stumble (transitively) or entice to sin, apostasy or displeasure):--(make to) offend.

G04625
σκάνδαλον skándalon, skan'-dal-on

("scandal"); probably from a derivative of 2578;

a trap-stick (bent sapling), i.e. snare (figuratively, cause of displeasure or sin):--occasion to fall (of stumbling), offence, thing that offends, stumblingblock.

Matthew 13:21 "But he has no root in himself, and is temporary. For when thlipsis (tribulation) or persecution arises on account of the word, he immediately skandalízō."

Matthew 24:9 "Then they will deliver you up to thlipsis (tribulation) and will kill you. And you will be hated of all nations for My name's sake. And then many will skandalízō, and will betray one another, and will hate one another."

μέγας mégas
G03173

big (literally or figuratively, in a very wide application):--(+ fear) exceedingly, great(-est), high, large, loud, mighty, + (be) sore (afraid), strong, X to years.

Revelation 2:21 "Behold, I will cast her (Jezebel) into a bed, and them (those Christians) that commit adultery with her into mégas thlipsis (great tribulation), except they repent of their deeds.

Revelation 7:13-14 " And one of the elders answered, saying unto me, What are these which are arrayed in white robes? and whence came they?

And I said unto him, Sir, thou knowest. And he said to me, These are they which came out of mégas thlipsis (great tribulation), and have washed their robes, and made them white in the blood of the Lamb."

New Testament mentions of persecution and tribulation experienced by Christians (vs. that of unbelievers)

| Persecution | Tribulation | Great Tribulation |
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| <u>Of Jesus</u> | <u>Of apostles or Christians</u> | Only three times does the |

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| <p>John 5:16</p> <p><u>Of Christians</u></p> <p>Matthew 5: 19 & 12 John 15:20 Acts 22:4 Acts 26:11 1 Corinthians 4:12 1 Corinthians 15:9 2 Corinthians 4:9 Galatians 1: 13 & 23 Galatians 4:29 Galatians 5:11</p> <p><u>Of the woman who gave birth to the Messiah</u></p> <p>Revelation 12:13</p> | <p>Matthew 13:21 (Parallel: Mark 4:17) Matthew 24:9, 21 & 29 (Parallel Mark 13:19, 24) John 16:33 Acts 11:19 Acts 14:22 Acts 20:23 Romans 5:3 Romans 8:35 Romans 12:12 2 Corinthians 1:4, 6 & 8 2 Corinthians 2:4 2 Corinthians 4:8 2 Corinthians 4:17 2 Corinthians 6:4 2 Corinthians 7:4-5 2 Corinthians 8:2 Ephesians 3:13 Philippians 1:16 Philippians 4:14 Colossians 1:24 1 Thessalonians 1:6 1 Thessalonians 3:3 1 Thessalonians 3: 4 & 7 2 Thessalonians 1:4, 6-7 2 Timothy 1:8 2 Timothy 3:11 2 Timothy 4:5 Hebrews 10:32-33 1 Peter 5:9 Revelation 1:9 Revelation 2:9-10, 22 Revelation 7:14</p> <p><u>Of all who do evil</u></p> <p>Romans 2:9</p> <p><u>The world as repayment For bringing tribulation Upon the saints</u></p> <p>2 Thessalonians 1:6</p> | <p>New Testament use the Greek word <i>megas</i> (great) to describe the intensity of the tribulation</p> <p><u>Of Christians</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Revelation 2:22 2. Revelation 7:14 <p>Of Christians? Or of Jews in A.D 70?</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Matthew 24:21 <p>(See Matthew 24:9, 21 & 29)</p> |
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