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Lu 21:11 And great earthquakes shall be in divers places, and famines, and pestilences; and fearful sights and great signs shall there be from heaven.

Fearful 5400 phobetron, fob'-ay-tron ...a frightening thing, i.e. **terrific portent**:--fearful sight.

5399 *phobeo*, fob-eh'-o from 5401; to frighten, i.e. (passively) to be alarmed; by analogy, to be in awe of, i.e. **revere**:--be (+ sore) afraid, fear (exceedingly), **reverence**.

Portent Oxford Dictionary n. *a sign or warning that something, especially something momentous or calamitous, is likely to happen.*

Revere Oxford Dictionary v. feel deep respect or admiration for (something).

Fearful sights and great signs are going to be experienced by the Multitude. We are told not to be fear.

Summarize Wars, Rumours of Wars, Famines, Pestilences, Troubles, Earthquakes in Diverse Places.

Matthew 24:8 All these are the beginning of sorrows.

Mr 13:8...these are the beginnings of sorrows.

Beginnings: 746 *arche*, ar-khay' from 756; (properly abstract) **a commencement**, or (concretely) chief (in various applications **of order, time, place, or rank**):--**beginning, corner, (at the, the) first (estate), magistrate, power, principality, principle, rule.**

756 *archomai*, ar'-khom-ahee middle voice of 757 (through the implication, of precedence); **to commence (in order of time)**:--(**rehearse from the) begin(-ning).**

757 *archo*, ar'-kho a primary verb; **to be first (in political rank or power)**:--**reign (rule) over.**

Sorrows: 5604 *odin*, o-deen' akin to 3601; **a pang or throe, especially of childbirth**:--pain, sorrow, travail.

3601 *odune*, od-oo'-nay from 1416; **grief (as dejecting)**:--**sorrow.**

1416 *duno*, doo'-no prolonged forms of an obsolete primary duo doo'-o **(to sink) to go "down"**:--**set.**

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Matthew 24:9-14, Mr 13:9-13, Lu 21:12-19 are all speaking about the persecution and killing of the Multitude.

Matthew 24:9-14 Then shall they deliver you up to be afflicted, *and* shall kill you: and ye shall be hated of all nations for my name's sake. And then shall many be offended, and shall betray one another, and shall hate one another. And many false prophets shall rise, and shall deceive many. And because iniquity shall abound, the love of many shall wax cold. But he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved. And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come.

Mr 13:9-13 But take heed to yourselves: for they shall deliver you up to councils; and in the synagogues ye shall be beaten: and ye shall be brought before rulers and kings for my sake, for a testimony against them. And the gospel must first be published among all nations. But when they shall lead you, and deliver you up, take no thought beforehand what ye shall speak, neither do ye premeditate: but whatsoever shall be given you in that hour, that speak ye: for it is not ye that speak, but the Holy Ghost. Now the brother shall betray the brother to death, and the father the son; and children shall rise up against their parents, and shall cause them to be put to death. And ye shall be hated of all men for my name's sake: but he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved.

Lu 21:12-19 But before all these, they shall lay their hands on you, and persecute you, delivering you up to the synagogues, and into prisons, being brought before kings and rulers for my name's sake. And it shall turn to you for a testimony. Settle it therefore in your hearts, not to meditate before what ye shall answer: For I will give you a mouth and wisdom, which all your adversaries shall not be able to gainsay nor resist. And ye shall be betrayed both by parents, and brethren, and kinsfolks, and friends; and **some** of you shall they cause to be put to death. And ye shall be hated of all men for my name's sake. But there shall not an hair of your head perish. In your patience possess ye your souls.

"But before all these" is referring to the end. This is the process by which the Multitude will be killed. "Some" was added in to make the sentence flow better. Remove "some" and it means all. None of the Multitude escape.

These passages are explaining what will happen to the Multitude. Betrayal by the Scorpions and turning them in to the Serpents. How is that going to happen? This is all focused on the recent past and current present of the political environment. Notice how it states in the above passages:

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Matthew 24:9 ...And then shall many be **offended**, and shall **betray** one another, and shall **hate** one another.

Mark 13:13 And ye shall be **hated** of all men for my name's sake:...

Luke 21:17 And ye shall be **hated** of all men for my name's sake.

Offended: 4624 skandalizo, skan-dal-id'-zo from 4625; **to entrap**, i.e. trip up (figuratively, stumble (transitively) or entice to sin, apostasy or displeasure):--(make to offend).

4625 skandalon, 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.

Betray: 3860 paradidomi, par-ad-id'-o-mee from 3844 and 1325; **to surrender, i.e yield up**:--betray, **bring forth**... commit, **deliver (up), give (over, up)...put in prison**...

3844 para, par-ah' a primary preposition; properly, **near**...

1325 didomi, did'-o-mee...**bring forth**, commit, **deliver (up)**...**smite (+ with the hand), strike (+ with the palm of the hand)**...

Hated: 3404 miseo, mis-eh'-o from a primary misos (hatred); **to detest (especially to persecute)**; by extension, to love less:--hate(-ful).

2Th 2:11 And for this cause God shall send them **strong delusion**, that they should believe a lie:

Delusion: 4106 plane, plan'-ay ... (as abstractly); ... fraudulence; subjectively, a straying from orthodoxy or piety:--deceit, to deceive, delusion, error.

4108 planos, plan'-os of uncertain affinity; roving (as a tramp), i.e. (by implication) an impostor or misleader; --deceiver, seducing.

Delusion: Merriam Webster: ... **something that is believed to be true or real but that is actually false or unreal**. delusion implies an inability to distinguish between what is

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*real and what only seems to be real, **often as the result of a disordered state of mind.***

2Ti 1:7 For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, **and of a sound mind.**

Lie: 5579 *pseudos*, *psyoo'-dos* from 5574; a falsehood:--lie, lying.

5574 *pseudomai*, *psyoo'-dom-ahee* middle voice of an apparently primary verb; to utter an untruth or attempt to deceive by falsehood:--falsely, lie.

2Th 2:11-12 And for this cause God shall send them **strong delusion**, that they should believe a lie: That they all might be damned who believed not the truth, but had pleasure in **unrighteousness.**

Unrighteousness: 93 *adikia*, *ad-ee-kee'-from* 94; **(legal) injustice** (...by implication, the act); **morally, wrongfulness (of character, life or act):--iniquity, unjust, unrighteousness, wrong.**

94 *adikos*, *ad'-ee-kos* from 1 (**as a negative particle**) and 1349; **unjust; by extension wicked; by implication, treacherous; specially, heathen:--unjust, unrighteous.**

1349 *dike*, *dee'-kay* probably from 1166; right (as self-evident), i.e. **justice (the principle, a decision, or its execution):--judgment, punish, vengeance.**