

Lesson 6A. Numbers commonly used In Revelation and their significance

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| 1 | Unity. |
| 2 | Responsibility, support. |
| 3 | Divine Perfection, the Trinity for example. |
| 4 | Used thirty times. Represents “Universality”; looking at all of the world or earth, or when largeness or breadth of view are being emphasized. It is the signature of man and earthly creation. |
| 6 | The number of human activity, as in work for six days. It is also symbolizes that man is one short of perfection, 7; thus it is often used to represent man. |
| 7 | Used 50 times in 22 chapters. It represents perfection, or it represents completion. |
| 12 | Occurs over 400 times in the Bible and 20 times in Revelation, and represents divine government or the perfect administration of it. |
| 24 | 2 times 12; fullness of authority and representation, power and judgment or law and grace for example. |
| 42 | 6 times 7; conveys the idea of limitation. Man’s imperfect number and God’s divine number, the working out of man’s opposition to God for example. |
| 1260 days | Time, times, and a half time; represents a period of three and one half years prophetically. |