

Ministry of Grace

The word “beast,” translated from the Greek *thērion*, occurs 39 times in the book of Revelation. It does not always refer to the same thing. Below is a list of the occurrences of the word and who, or what, it is referring to.

Verse	Who is it?
Revelation 11:7	Satan (see notes on Revelation 17:8)
Revelation 13:1	Revived Roman Empire
Revelation 13:2	Revived Roman Empire
Revelation 13:3	anti-Christ
Revelation 13:4 (3x)	anti-Christ
Revelation 13:5	anti-Christ
Revelation 13:11	False Prophet
Revelation 13:12	anti-Christ
Revelation 13:14 (2x)	anti-Christ
Revelation 13:15 (3x)	anti-Christ
Revelation 13:17	anti-Christ
Revelation 13:18	anti-Christ
Revelation 14:9	anti-Christ
Revelation 14:11	anti-Christ
Revelation 15:2	anti-Christ
Revelation 16:2	anti-Christ
Revelation 16:10	anti-Christ
Revelation 16:13	anti-Christ
Revelation 17: 3	Revived Roman Empire
Revelation 17:7	Revived Roman Empire
Revelation 17:8	Satan
Revelation 17:11	Satan
Revelation 17:12	anti-Christ
Revelation 17:13	anti-Christ
Revelation 17:16	anti-Christ
Revelation 17:17	anti-Christ
Revelation 18:2	a wild animal
Revelation 19:19	anti-Christ
Revelation 19:20	anti-Christ
Revelation 20:4	anti-Christ
Revelation 20:10	anti-Christ