

Sunday, August 5, 2018
Apocalypse Now: The Lion Roars
“When the Trumpets Sound”
Revelation 8:1-13
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In Revelation chapters 8 & 9 we come to the seven trumpets. In this sermon, we consider the first four trumpets, which come in quick succession like the four horsemen. Chapters 8 & 9 parallel chapters 6 & 7 and later chapter 11. Each of these are covering the span of time between the first and second comings of our Lord Jesus Christ, but from slightly different perspectives. They are looking at the same scene, if you will, but viewing it from slightly different angles; underlining different emphases; highlighting different ways in which God engages and acts in this world. The language of the trumpets is that of warning, surprise, alert. And these first four trumpets are warning us of the natural disasters introduced through the judgments of the trumpets.



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