

Daniel's

Dream

4 Beasts out of the Sea (Daniel 7)

Daniel 7:1-3 (NASB), 1 In the first year of Belshazzar, king of Babylon. Daniel had dreams and visions as he lay on his bed; then he wrote the dream down and related the following summary of it. 2 Daniel said, "I was looking in my vision by night, and behold, the four winds of heaven were stirring up the great sea. 3 And four great beasts were coming up from the sea, different from one another."

Forty-eight years after Nebuchadnezzar had his Dream, Daniel in a vision saw himself standing upon the shore of the "Great Sea" (the Mediterranean), and saw four "Great Beasts" come up out of the sea in succession.

Daniel's **Lion, Bear, and Leopard** are Modern-Day Countries

Chapter 7 Imagery "Foreview" fulfilled in
3 "Latter-day" Superpowers

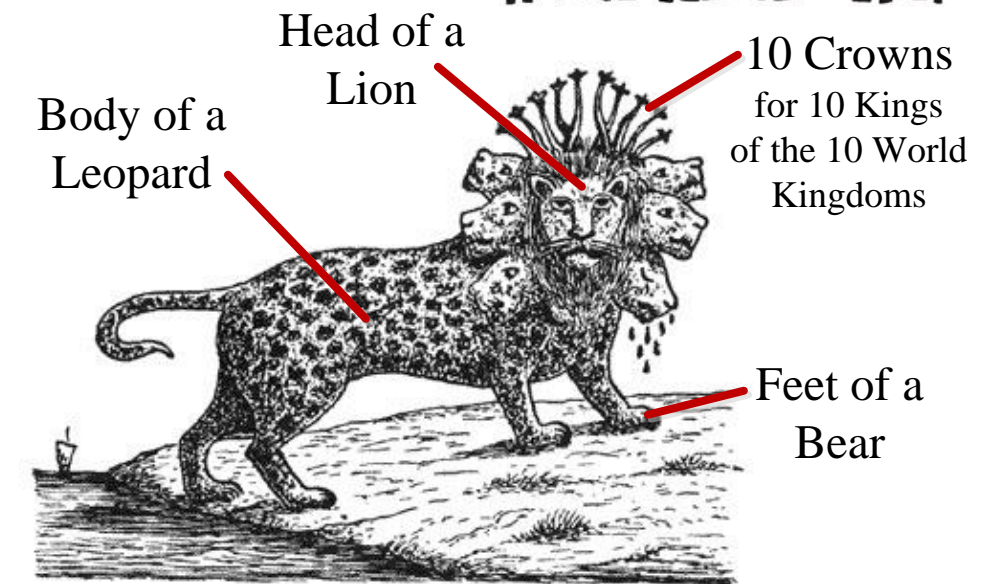
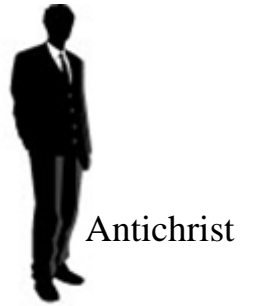
			
England	Russia	Germany	Iron & Clay
1. Lion with Eagles Wings Daniel 7:4	2. Bear Devour much flesh Daniel 7:5	3. Leopard 2 sets of wings 4 heads and dominion was given to it. Daniel 7:6	4. Future 10 Horns are 10 Kingdoms Little Horn Antichrist Daniel 7:7-8

- 2 sets of wings for – Germany tried in WWI & WW2 for world dominance
- 4 heads – One for each Reich (empire)
1st Reich Involved Holy Roman Empire & Charlemagne
2nd Reich Otto von Bismark 1871- 1918
3rd Reich Hitler's Nazi Germany 1933 – 1945
4th Reich 0 Still futuer (Angela Merkel ?)

John's

Vision

The Beast out of the Sea (Revelation 13)



The Beginning of the Great Tribulation

4 Pieces of Evidence that the Lion, Bear, Leopard are **Modern** Kingdoms

1st Piece of Evidence – from Dan.7:17 the use of the word "**ARISE**" ... note the time frame.

2nd Piece of Evidence – from Revelation 12-14 order of events shown in imagery of the birth of the man-child and His ascension into heaven. The Beast of Dan.7 Arise after Christ ascension.

3rd Piece of Evidence – The first three beasts can be found in the book of Revelation 13 as being part of the great beast that comes up out of the great sea. (head of Lion, body of Leopard, feet of the Bear)

4th Piece of Evidence – After the Antichrist is destroyed the three kingdoms will still exist. (Daniel 7:12)

5th Piece of Evidence – Sequence of Events given by the angel in v18. Connecting them with the 4th beast at the time when the saints of the Highest One receives a kingdom (Establishment of the Millennial Kingdom).