



## The Seventh Seal Silence



### Silence in Heaven

Revelation 8:1 “And when He had opened the seventh seal, there was silence in heaven for about half an hour”



he “Silence” that follows the breaking of the seventh seal, is in anticipation for what is to follow in the sounding of the “Trumpets” and the pouring out of the “Bowl Judgments.” This silence is throughout all of Heaven, for the Twenty-Four Elders stop their harp playing; the angels hushed their voices, the Cherubim and Seraphim and all the host of Heaven are silent. So great was the silence that all of Heaven was awed by it. Why the period of half an hour? It is the period of silent preparation for the awful judgments that were to burst forth onto the earth under the “Trumpet” and “Bowl” judgments.

