

Revelation Introduction, Part 2

-who was the author?

John the apostle/ John the elder/ pseudonym/ John of Patmos “unknown”

-what was the setting?

Toward the later part of the 1st Century A.D. under the Roman empire.

-when was the book written?

Possible dating ranges from A.D. 54-68 to A.D. 68-96

-which emperor was ruling at the time?

The two candidates are Nero or Domitian

-what are the four interpretive views?

Preterist/ Idealist/ Historicist/ Futurist

-what Biblical principal allows us to read the book outside these views?

Dual fulfilment

-what is the Biblical view of Revelation?

Let Scripture interpret Scripture.