

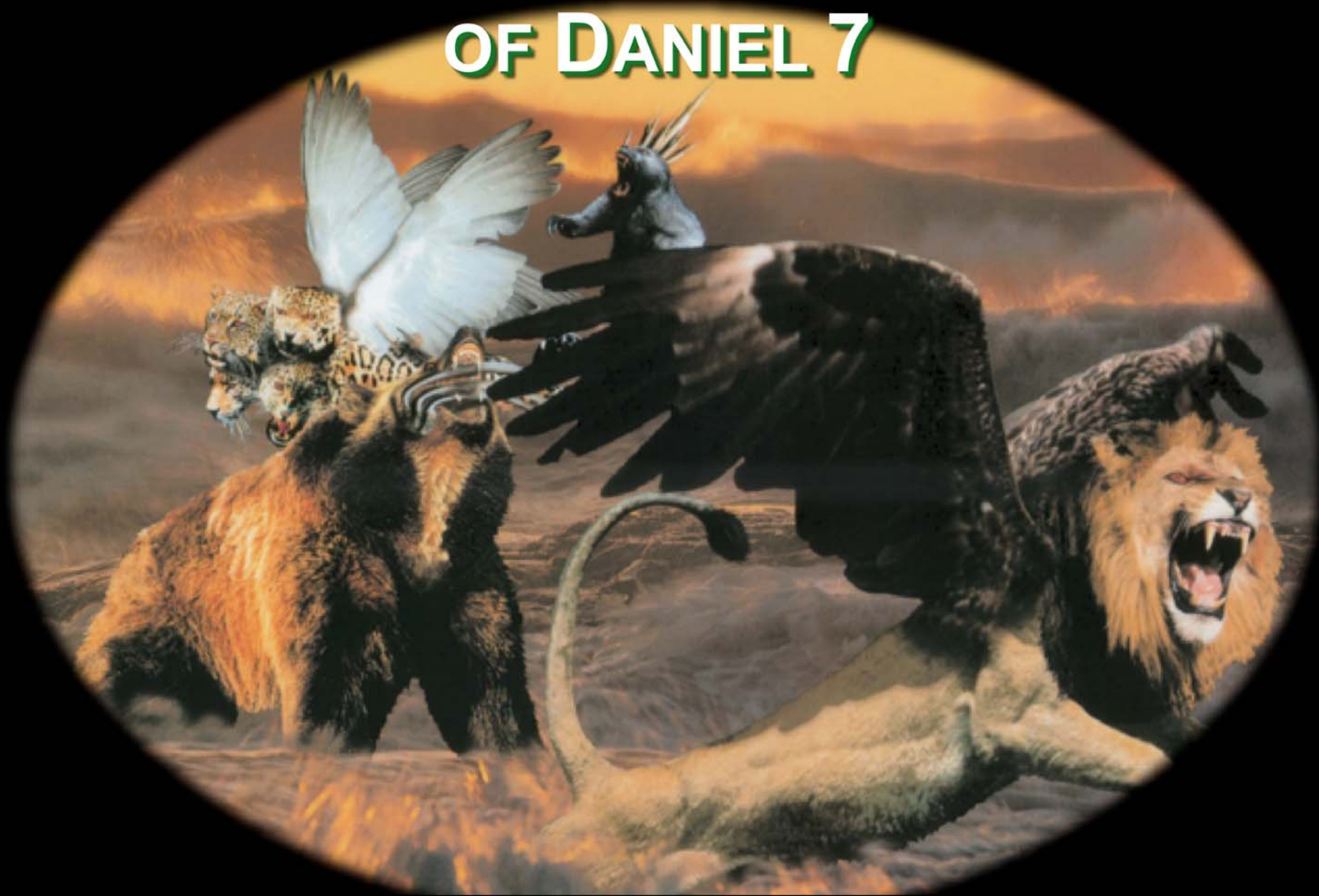
Rev. 13:1, "And I [vs. the dragon (NU)]
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Then I saw a beast coming up out of the sea,
having ten horns and seven heads, and on his
horns were ten diadems, and on his heads were
blasphemous names."

REVELATION 13

13:2, "And the beast which I saw was like a leopard, and his feet were like those of a bear, and his mouth like the mouth of a lion. And the dragon gave him his power and his throne and great authority."

THE BEASTLY KINGDOMS OF DANIEL 7





Babylon

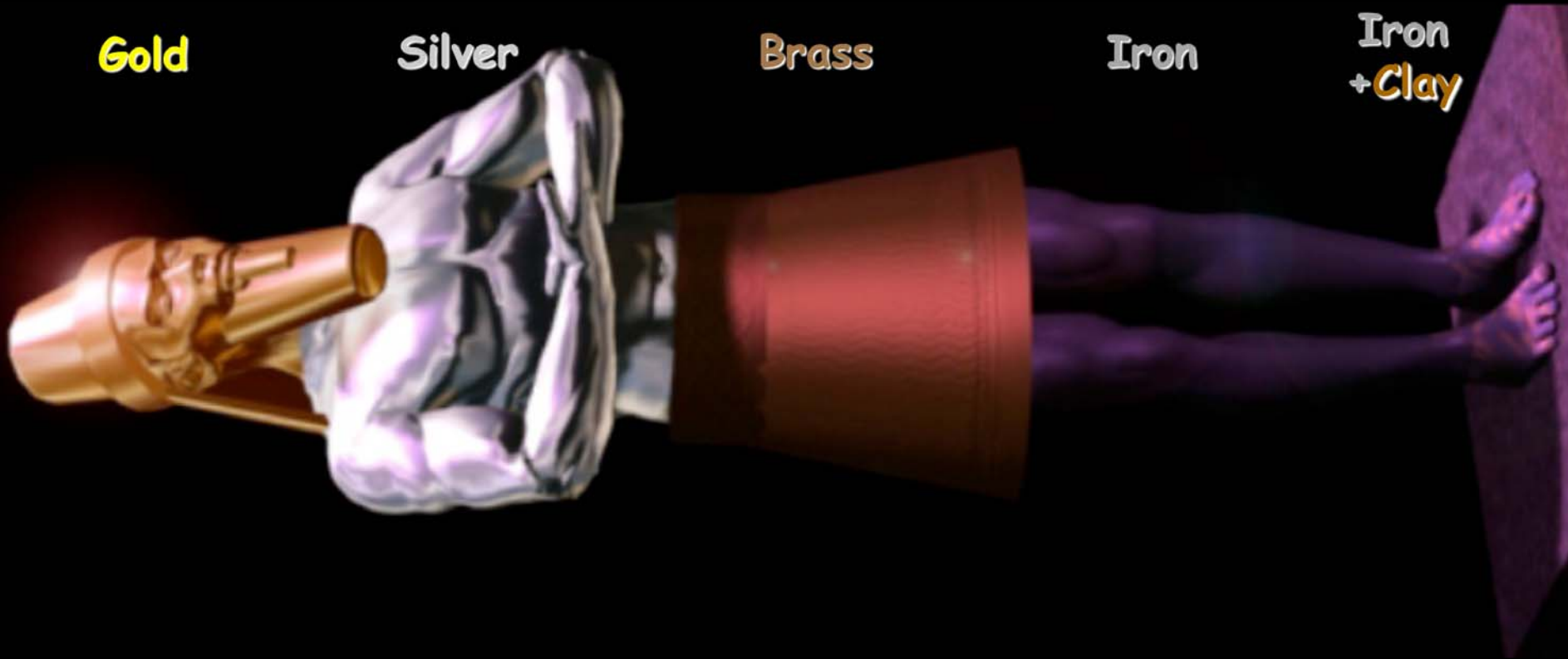
Medo-Persia

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Parallels Between Daniel 2 and 7

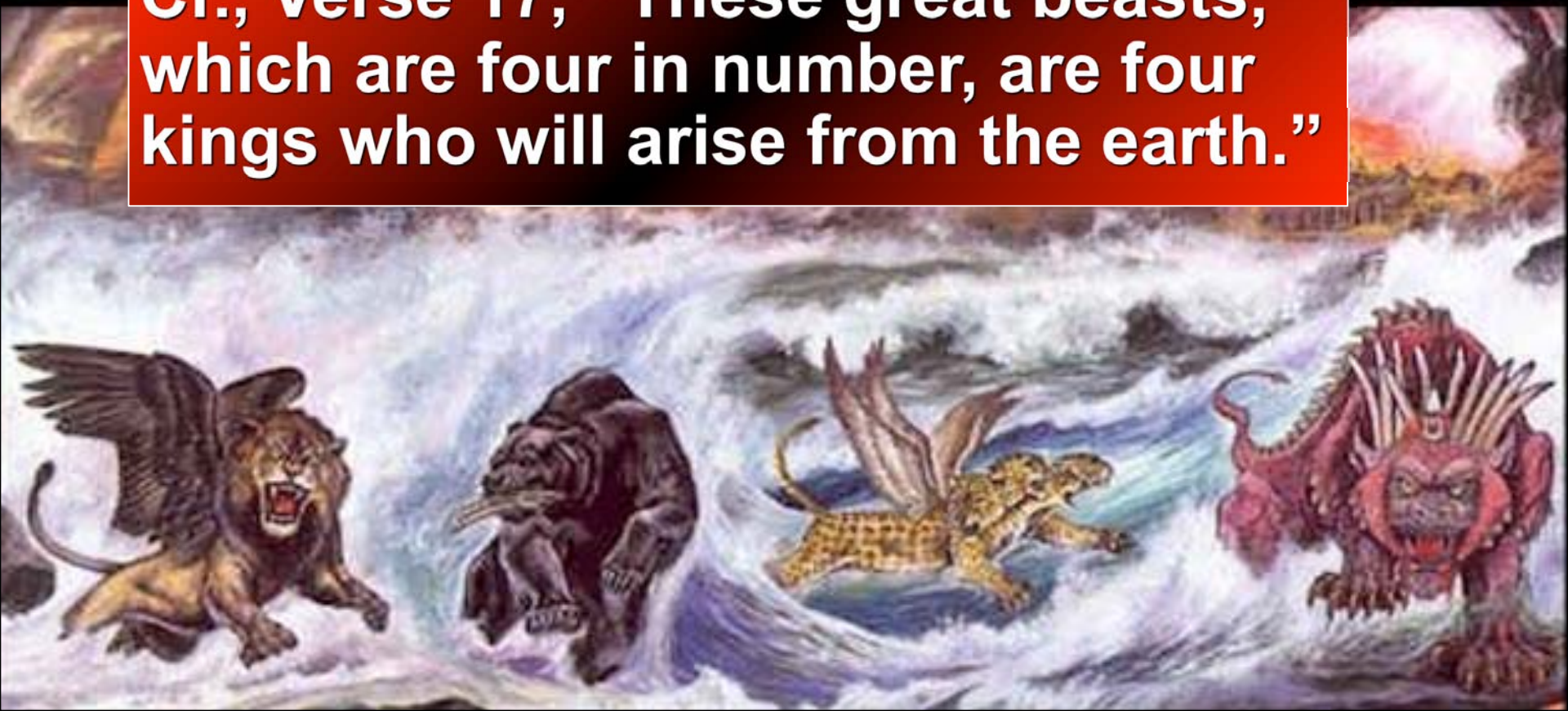
<p>612 B.C.</p> <p>Babylon</p> 	<p>539 B.C.</p> <p>Medo-Persia</p> 	<p>332 B.C.</p> <p>Greece</p> 	<p>68 B.C.</p> <p>Rome I</p>  <p>476 A.D.</p>	<p>???</p> <p>Rome II</p> 
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II. The Beasts (7:3–7)

“And four great beasts were coming up from the sea, different from one another.” (7:3)

Cf., Verse 17, “These great beasts, which are four in number, are four kings who will arise from the earth.”



A composite image featuring a lion with a large, dark brown mane standing on a dark beach. The lion's body is human-like, and it has two large, dark brown eagle wings extending outwards. The background is a dark blue, swirling, ethereal light pattern. The text is overlaid in yellow.

“The first was like a lion and had the wings of an eagle. I kept looking until its wings were plucked, and it was lifted up

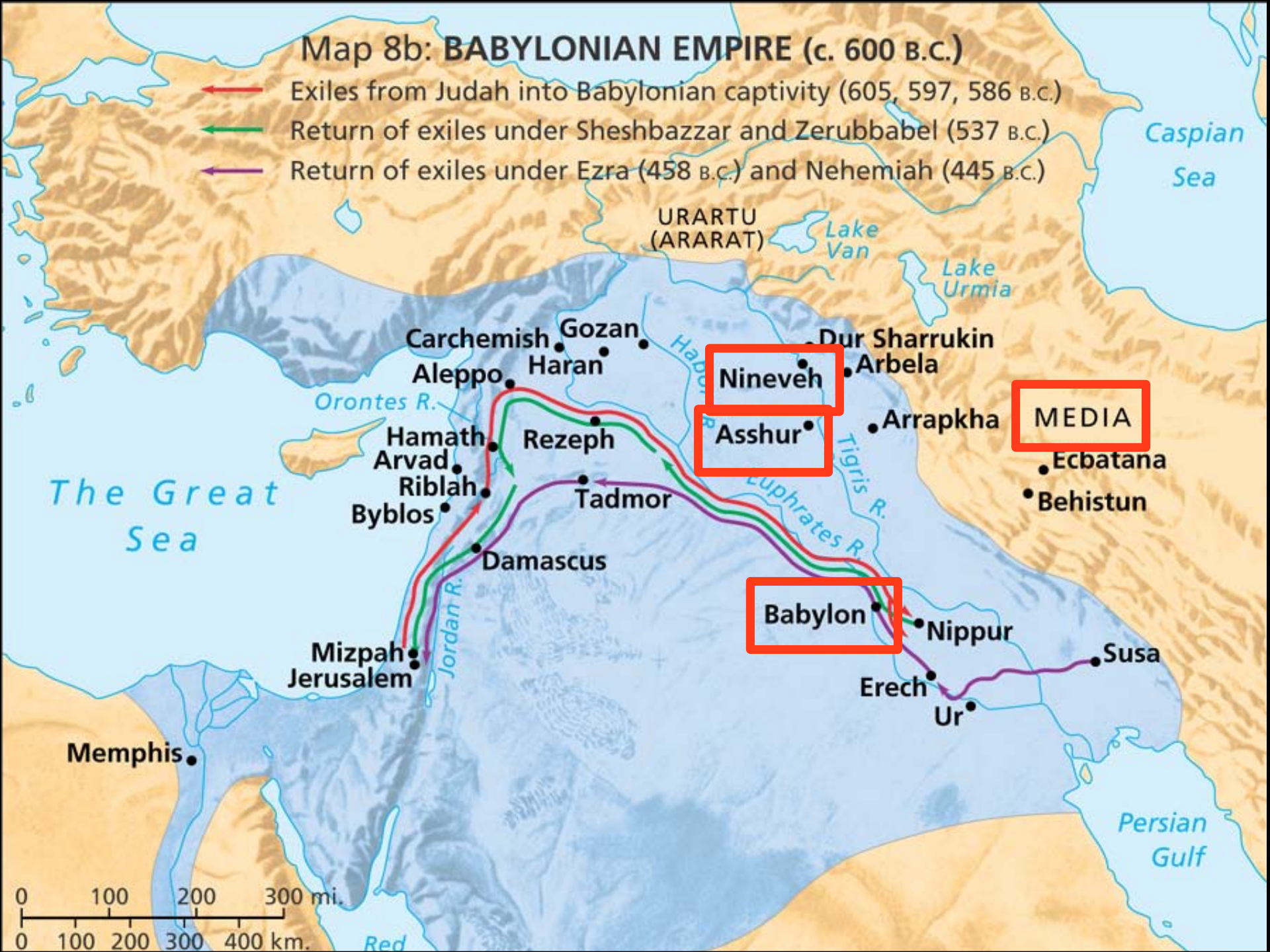
from the ground and made to stand on two feet like a man; a human mind also was given to it.” (7:4)

Babylon



Map 8b: BABYLONIAN EMPIRE (c. 600 B.C.)

- ← Exiles from Judah into Babylonian captivity (605, 597, 586 B.C.)
- ← Return of exiles under Sheshbazzar and Zerubbabel (537 B.C.)
- ← Return of exiles under Ezra (458 B.C.) and Nehemiah (445 B.C.)



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Caspian Sea

Carchemish, Gozan, Haran, Aleppo

Nineveh, Asshur

Dur Sharrukin, Arbela

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Hamath, Arvad, Riblah, Byblos

Rezep, Tadmor

Arrapkha

Ecbatana, Behistun

The Great Sea

Babylon

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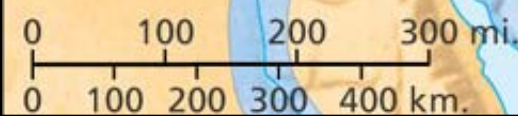
Susa

Mizpah, Jerusalem

Erech, Ur

Memphis

Persian Gulf



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**“The ram which you saw with the two
horns represents the kings of Media and
Persia.”**



Olbia

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THRACE

CHORASMIA

SCYTHIANS (SAKA)

Apollonia

Sinope

Phasis

Aral Sea

MACEDONIA

Byzantium

Trapezus

Caspian Sea

Black Sea

Cyropolis

SOGDIANA

LYDIA

Gordion

MOSCHI

MARGUS

GREECE

Ephesus

Sardis

Pieria

Melitene

Margiana

BACTRIA

USU

Marathon

Alexander

Iconium

Harar

Media

PARTHIA

Bactra

Sparta

Miletus

CARIA

Haly

Tarsus

Media

ARIA

Copien (Kabul)

Taxila

Crete

Rhodes

Thapsacus

Asshur

Media

DRANGIANA

ARACHOSIA

Cyrene

Cyprus

Hamath

Arvad

Media

GABAE

Yazd

Upper Sea

Tyre

Damascus

Tadmor

Media

PERPERSIS

Pasargadae

LIBYA

Sais

Jerusalem

Gaza

Media

PERPERSIS

GEDROSIA (MAKA)

HINDUSH (INDIA)

Temple of Amon (Siwa)

Memphis

Flath

Dumah

Media

PERPERSIS

Pura

Libyan Desert

ETHIOPIA (CUSH)

Tena

Dedan

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Gerrha

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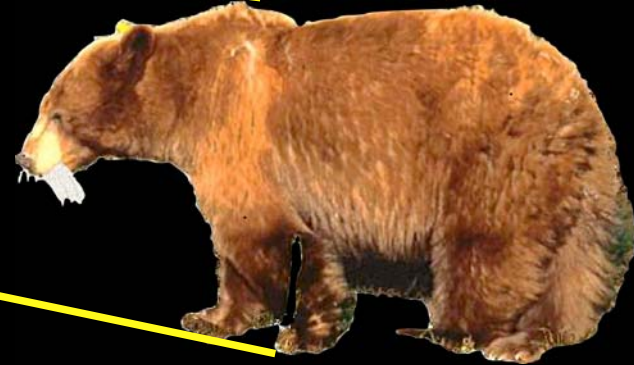
Probable ancient coastline



Babylon



Media-Persia



**“After this I kept looking, and behold, another one, like a leopard, which had on its back four wings of a bird; the beast also had four heads, and dominion was given to it.”
(7:6)**

FOUR HEADS

- 1) Ptolemy–South;
Egypt**
- 2) Seleucas–North,
Syria-Turkey**
- 3) Antigonus–West;
Persia**
- 4) Lysimachus–East;
Greece**





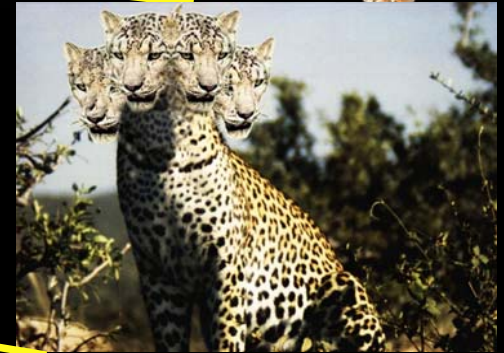
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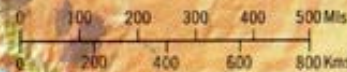
Greece





The Empire of Alexander

- Limits of Alexander's empire 323 B.C.
- Alexander's route
- Cities founded by Alexander
- ↖ Major battles
- - - - Nearchus' voyage



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The Hellenistic World

cities and empires in 240 BCE



- Major Cities
- Antigonid Empire
- Independent States
- Seleucid Empire
- Ptolematic Empire



Babylon



Media-Persia



Greece



Rome







**Lion with
Eagle's Wings**

**Lopsided
Bear**

**Four-
Headed
Leopard**

**Monstrous
Beast**

**Lion = king of
beasts**

3 ribs

4 wings

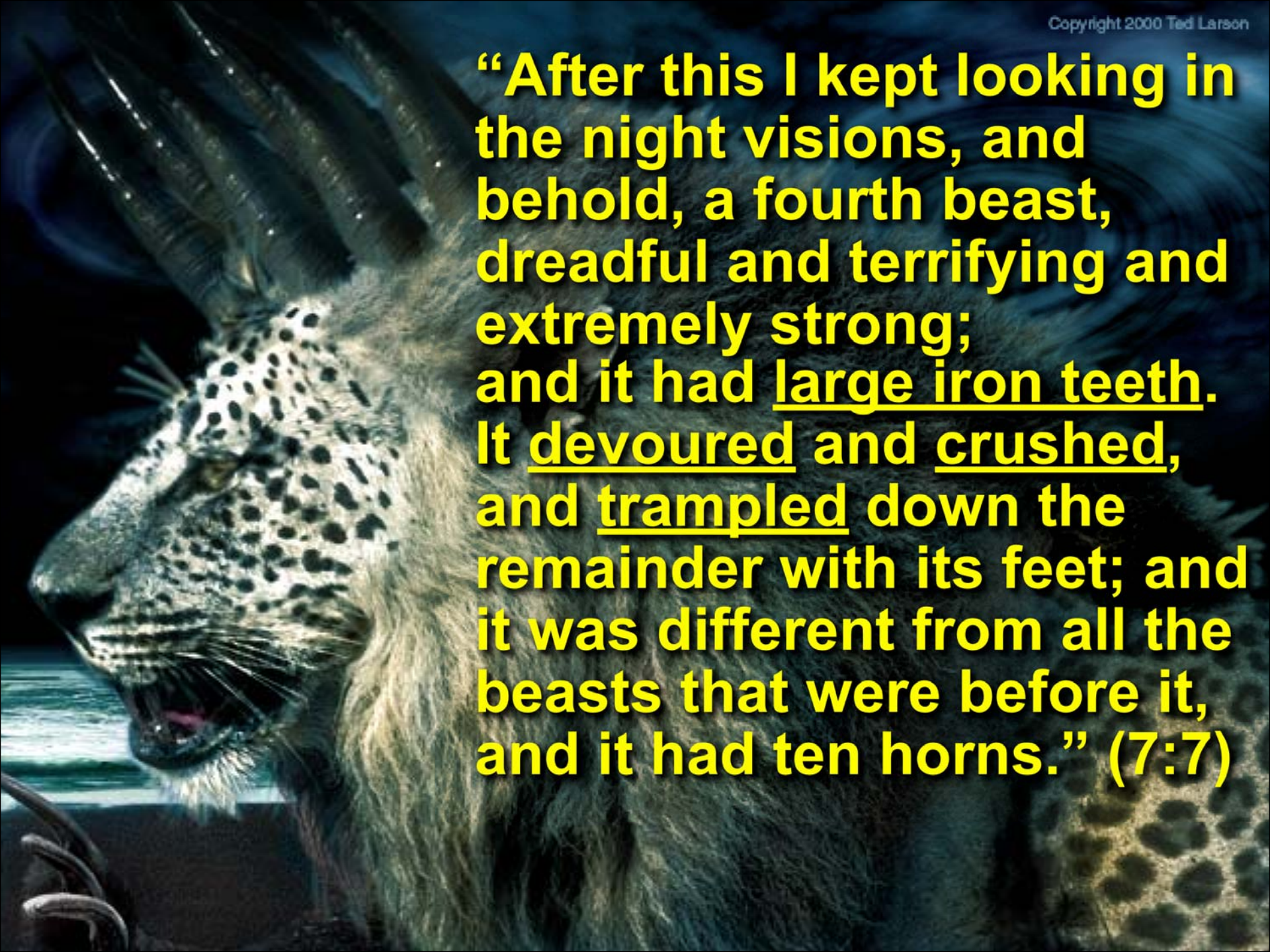
Ten horns

**Eagle = king
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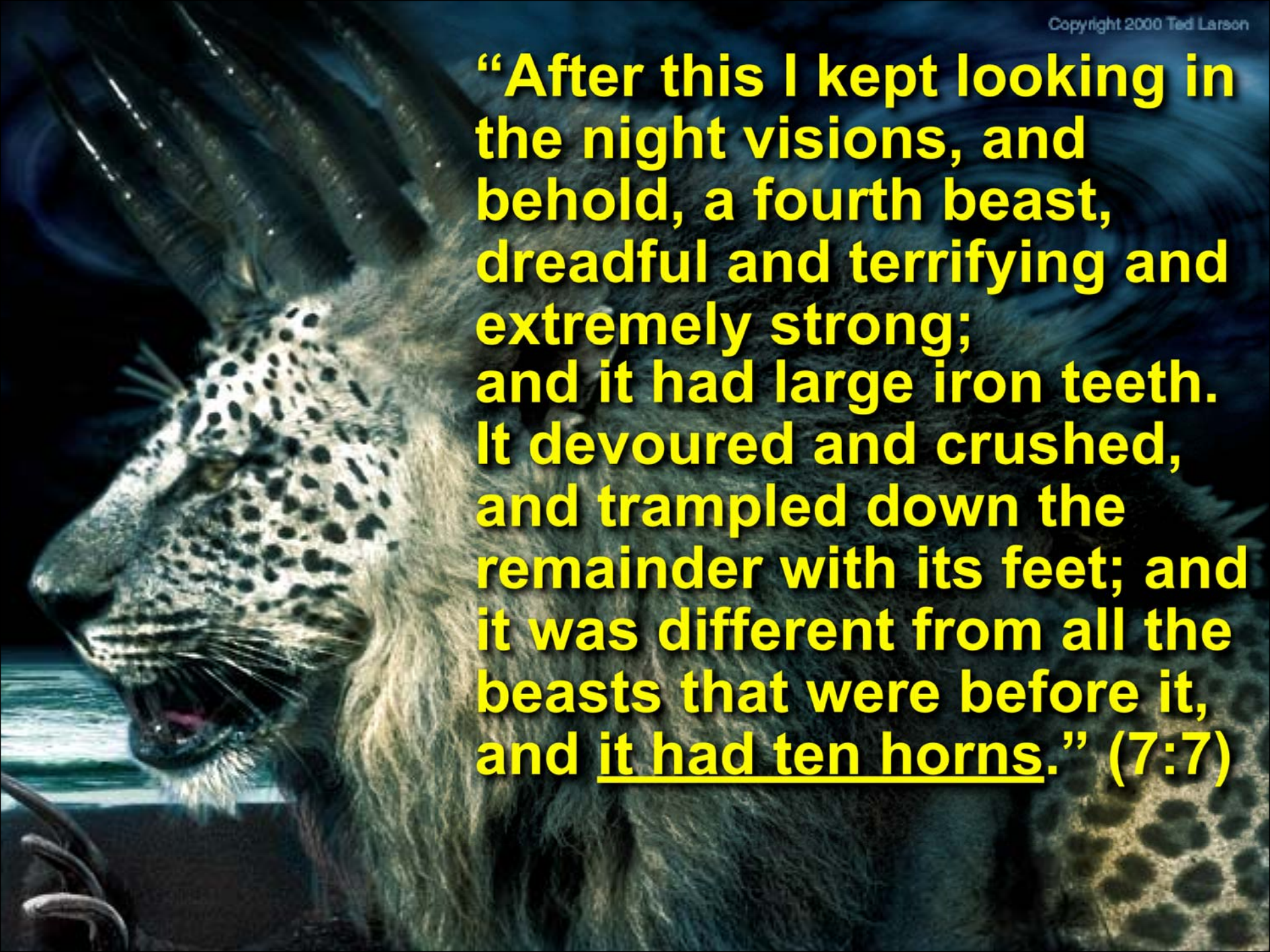
4 heads

The Focus is on the Fourth Beast





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A composite image of a leopard's head with ten horns, set against a dark, swirling background. The leopard's mouth is open, showing its teeth. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.

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- 1. What is distinct about this fourth kingdom?**
- 2. How does the expansion occur?**
- 3. Since the 10 kings of the fourth kingdom of Daniel 7 are yet future to 2009 and we in the 21st century are still within the time period of the fourth kingdom of Daniel 2:7, we should be able to discern this man-made feature 'x'. What is it?**

Once again, a
“prophetic
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Dan. 7:19, “Then I wished to know the truth about the fourth beast, which was different from all the others, exceedingly dreadful, with its teeth of iron and its nails of bronze, which devoured, broke in pieces, and trampled the residue with its feet;

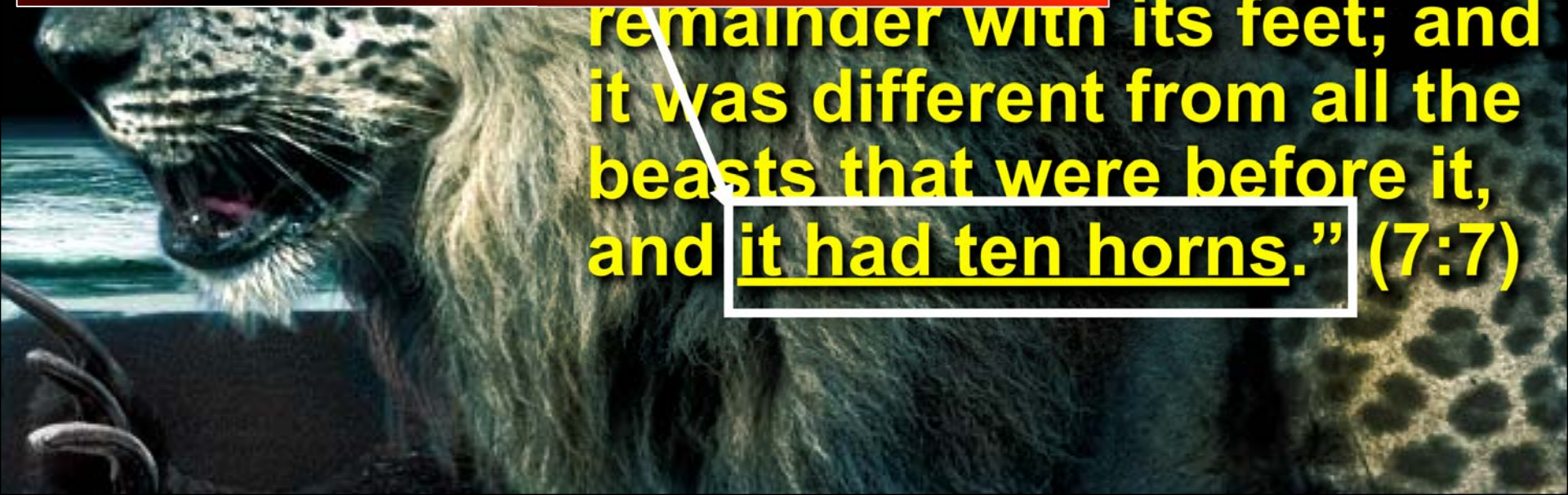
Dan. 7:20, “and the ten horns that were on its head, and the other horn which came up, before which three fell, namely, that horn which had eyes and a mouth which spoke pompous words, whose appearance was greater than his fellows.”

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The "Little Horn"

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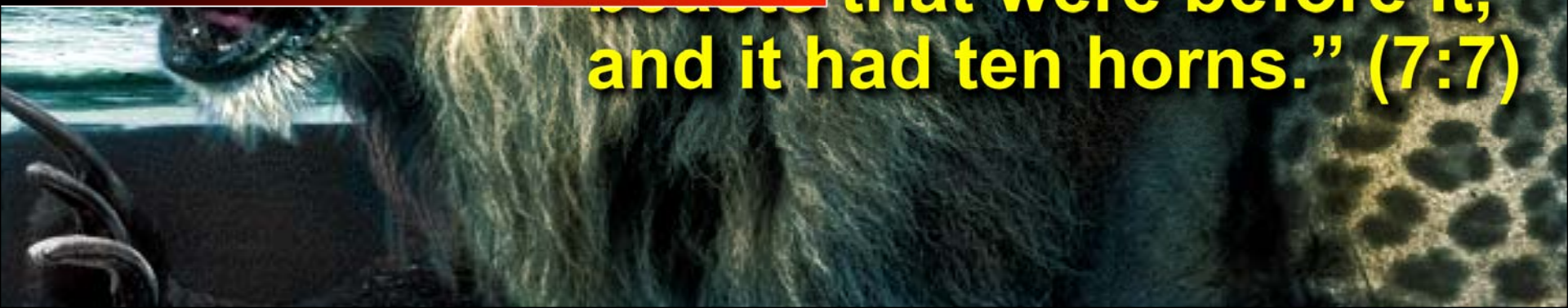
“And one of the seven angels who had the seven bowls came and spoke with me, saying, ‘Come here, I shall show you the judgment of the great harlot who sits on many waters,’”

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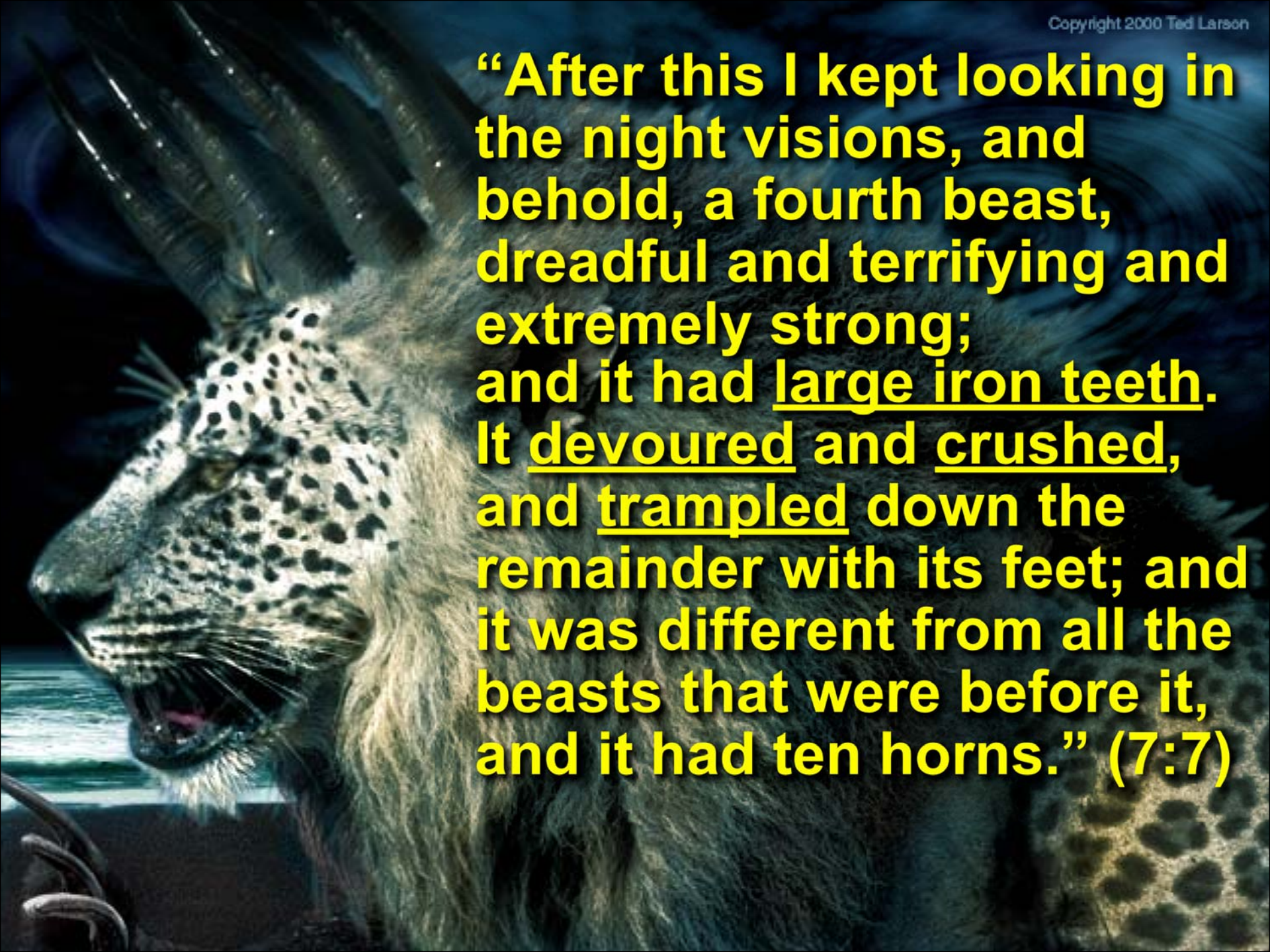
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The "little horn" in Daniel 7 is clearly the same as "the beast" in Rev. 13!

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17:12,
“The ten horns you saw are
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**Rev. 12:6 & 14 show that
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Rev. “Beast”

13:5, “The beast was given. . . to exercise his authority for forty-two months.”

Who is the “Little Horn”?

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**7:21, “I kept looking,
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Rev. “Beast”

13:7, “He was given power to make war against the saints and to conquer them.”

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DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

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- 1. He rises to power from within the fourth empire, in an empire made up of 10 nations – a revival of the Roman Empire**

DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

- 2. When he arises the 10 kings are already in place.**

DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

- 3. There is some unique quality about him
(7:28)**

DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

- 4. He is arrogant and challenges the Most High with “great” or boastful words (7:8, 11, 20).**

DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

5. He persecutes Tribulation saints.

DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

6. Rev. 13:7, 8, “He was given authority over every tribe, people, language and nation. All inhabitants of the earth will worship the beast. . .”

= Truly global government

DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

- 7. Rev. 13:16–18, “He also forced everyone, small and great, rich and poor, free and slave, to receive a mark on his right hand or on his forehead, so that no one could buy or sell unless he had the mark. . . If anyone has insight, let him calculate the number of the beast, for it is man’s number. His number is 666.”**

DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

- 8. He gains control of the world for only 3 1/2 years**

DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

- 9. He precipitates a war so ferocious that “If those days had not been cut short, no one would survive” (Matt. 24:22).**

DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

10. He commits an “abomination of desolation”

**= a unique act of blasphemy via
desecrating the temple**

DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

- 11. He lives in a day when Israel exists as a nation, and the temple has been rebuilt.**

DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

- 12. He seeks to change the Jewish ceremonial calendar.**

DANIEL 7

What we learn about the Beast, or Little Horn:

- 13. During his reign, God ends history as we know it, and establishes the kingdom of God.**