

Torah Portion Outline

#14: Va'era (וָאֵרָא) "and I appeared"

Torah ~ *Exodus 6:2-9:35*

Haftarah ~ *Ezekiel 28:25-29:21*

Brit Chadashah ~ *Revelation 16:1-21*

Portion Summary:

In our Torah reading Pharaoh refuses to free Israel; the plagues are unleashed; and Pharaoh's heart is hardened. The Haftarah speaks of the judgment upon Egypt. In the Brit Chadashah reading we see the future end time plagues which are parallel to that of Egypt.

Torah Outline:

Exodus 6:14 - The Genealogy of Moses

Exodus 6:28 - Moses Obeys ADONAI

Exodus 7:8 - Aaron's Miraculous Rod

Exodus 7:14 - Water Turned to Blood

Exodus 8:1 - Frogs, Gnats, and Flies

Exodus 9:1 - Livestock, Boils, Thunder and Hail

Haftarah Outline:

Ezekiel 28:25 - Future Blessing for Israel

Ezekiel 29:1 - Proclamation against Egypt

Ezekiel 29:17 - Babylonia Will Plunder Egypt

Brit Chadashah Outline:

Revelation 16:1 - The End Time Plagues