

## Revelation 7:14 - "The Great Tribulation" Word Study

Θλυσος - 1) trouble that inflicts distress - oppression/affliction/tribulation

2) Inward experience of distress - affliction/trouble

Matthew 13:21 - tribulation or persecution because of the word

24:9 - deliver you up to tribulation and kill you

24:29 - after tribulation of these days

Mark 4:17 - parallels Matthew 13:21

13:19 - these days there will be tribulation such as not seen in earth

13:24 - after tribulation - parallels Matthew 24:29

John 16:21 - she remembers no more the anguish/tribulation

16:33 - In the world you have tribulation

Acts 7:10 - God delivered Joseph from all his troubles/tribulation

11:19 - after the persecution/tribulation

14:22 - we must through many tribulations enter Kingdom of God

20:23 - Holy Spirit testifies chains and tribulations await Paul

Romans 2:9 - do not obey truth - indignation, wrath, tribulation and anguish

5:3 - glory in tribulation, knowing tribulation produces perseverance

8:35 - who shall separate us from love of God - tribulation, ...

12:12 - patient in tribulation, continue steadfastly in prayer

1 Cor. 7:28 - tribulation in the flesh - if they marry because of current trouble

2 Cor. 1:4 - God comforts us in all our tribulations so that we comfort those in any trouble/tribulation

1:8 - trouble/tribulation come to us in Asia

4:17 - light affliction/tribulation, only for a moment

6:4 - no shame in any of us - in all things, ministers of God: in tribulations

7:4 - exceedingly joyful in all our tribulation

8:2 - Macedonia - great trial of affliction/tribulation

8:13 - others shall be eased and you burdened/tribulated/oppressed

Ephesians 3:13 - tribulation for you (church in Ephesus)

Philippians 1:16 - to add affliction/tribulation to my chains

4:14 - shared in my distress/afflictions/tribulations

Colossians 1:24 - fill up in my flesh what is lacking in the afflictions/tribulations of Christ

1 Thessalonians 1:6 - record the word in much affliction/tribulation

3:3 - no one shaken by these afflictions/tribulations

3:7 - in all our affliction of distress & tribulations

2 Thessalonians 1:4 - faith in all your persecutions and tribulations that you endure

1:6 - repay with tribulation those who trouble you

Hebrews 10:33 - indeed great struggle with suffering - you were made a spectacle both by reproaches and tribulations

James 1:27 - to visit orphans and widows in their trouble/tribulations

Revelation 1:9 - John - partner in the tribulation and kingdom and expected of J.C.

2:9 - Jesus knows their tribulation

2:10 - tribulation for 10 days

2:22 - follow false teaching into great tribulation

7:14 - come out of the great tribulation

→ Rev 7:14 - τῆς θλίψεως τῆς μεγάλης - Has article - Tribulation the  
Matthew 24:21 - θλίψις μεγάλη - no article - great tribulation <sup>Great one</sup>  
Acts 7:11 - θλίψις μεγάλη - no article - great tribulation  
2 Cor 2:4 - πολλῆς θλίψεως - much/many tribulation  
1 Thess 1:6 - θλίψει πολλή - much/many tribulation  
Rev 7:17 - θλίψιν μεγάλην - no article - great tribulation

- Not necessarily "The" great tribulation - word is no longer used after Rev 7:14

- Used in NT - troubles/hardships/ may equal persecution in some verses

- Jesus uses it in end time teaching - Matt 24:9 & 29 / Mark 13:19 & 24

- Use Jesus' words to interpret Rev 7

Rev 7:1-8 - seals believe still alive after 6 seals -  
7:9-17 - believe who died during the 6 seals

