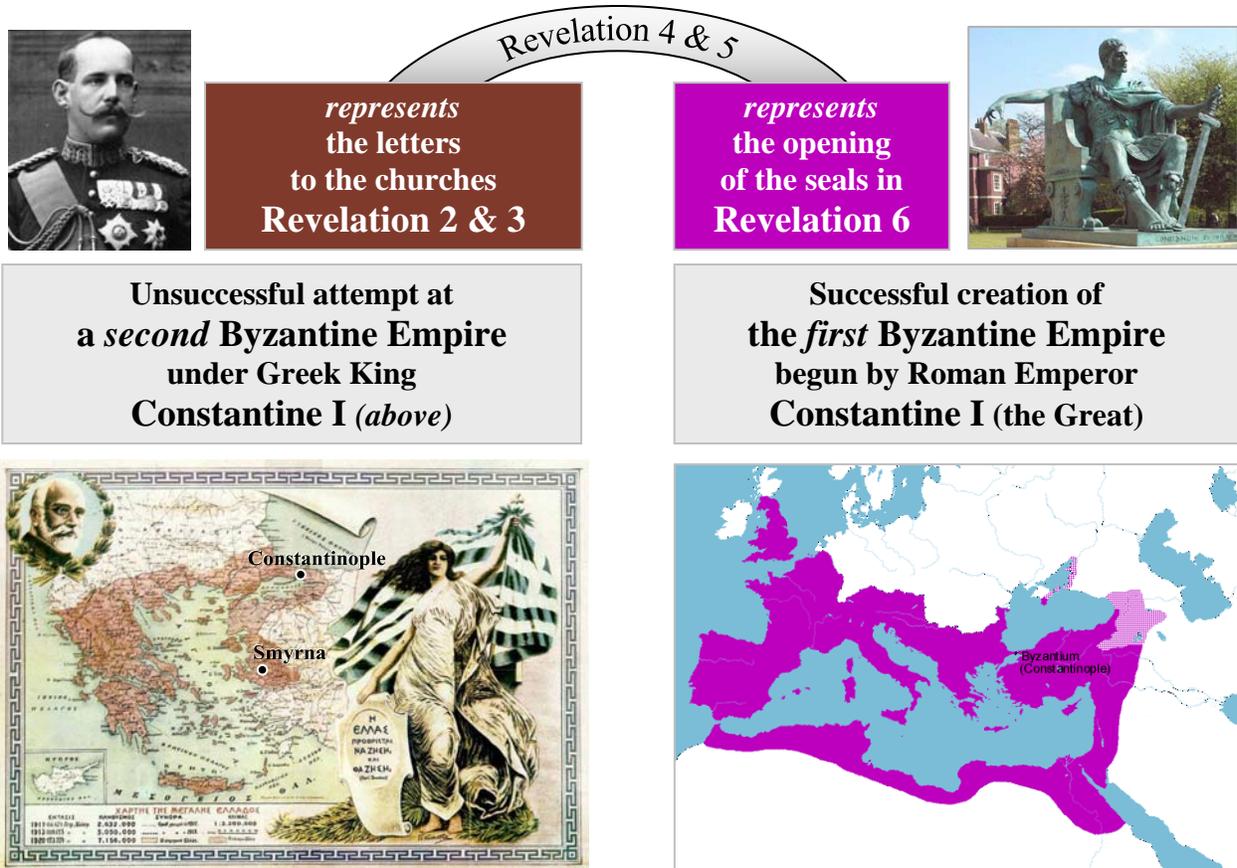


**#2502** The Yom Kippur War and the Abomination of Desolation – The post-World War II U.S. waxing great toward the South and toward the East as a *second* Syria/Antiochus IV Epiphanes, part 761, **Smyrna Jews, (xx), Connecting – through the Greek occupation of Smyrna on May 15, 1919 – (i) the letters to the Seven Churches in Revelation chapters 2 and 3 with (ii) the opening of the Seven Seals with Constantine in Revelation 6:1-2**

**Key Understanding:** *The occupation of Smyrna on May 15, 1919 – an occupation that was soon to be led by Greece’s King Constantine I – ties together the letters to the seven (7) churches in Revelation chapters 2-3 to the opening of the seals in Revelation 6:1-2. Similar to what was seen in Unsealings #755–#762 through the connecting of Revelation 3:21 and sitting on the Father’s throne with Revelation 6:1-2 and Constantine sitting on his father’s throne . . . the Greek occupation of Smyrna on May 15, 1919, which was a part of the Great Idea and vision of constructing a Greek state that could be likened in scope to a *second* Byzantine Empire, including a hoped-for reacquisition of Istanbul-Constantinople, and which is a part of the fulfillment of prophecy surrounding the letter to the church in Smyrna in Revelation 2:8-11, is easily connected *historically* and *prophetically* to the opening of the Seals in Revelation 6:1-2, which includes Constantine reuniting the Roman Empire and founding the *first* Byzantine Empire at Constantinople.*



**Revelation 2:8-10 (KJV)** And unto the angel of the church in Smyrna write; These things saith the first and the last, which was dead, and is alive;

9 I know thy works, and tribulation, and poverty, (but thou art rich) and **I KNOW THE BLASPHEMY OF THEM WHICH SAY THEY ARE JEWS, AND ARE NOT, BUT ARE THE SYNAGOGUE OF SATAN.**

10 Fear none of those things which thou shalt suffer: behold, the devil shall cast some of you into prison, that ye may be tried; and ye shall have tribulation ten days: be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life.

**Revelation 6:1 (KJV)** And I saw when **THE LAMB OPENED ONE OF THE SEALS** [the First Seal], and I heard, as it were the noise of thunder, one of the four beasts saying, Come and see.

**Revelation 6:2 (KJV)** And I saw, and behold **A WHITE HORSE**: and **HE** [Constantine the Great] **THAT SAT ON HIM HAD A BOW**; and **A CROWN** [of his father's (Constantius's) throne] **WAS GIVEN UNTO HIM**: and **HE WENT FORTH CONQUERING, AND TO CONQUER.**