## Bereans Bible Institute Module XI – Revelation Lesson 29 – Revelation 12:1-5

I. Revelation 12:1-5 gives and overview of history of the woman:

A. The "Woman" clothed with the sun, moon under her feet, crown of 12 stars, the Serpent 'Hydra' poised to strike.

1. Cosmic sign of "Rosh Hashanah" (see "Feasts" link, Rosh Hashanah)

a. Celebrates Day 1 of Creation Week

b. Celebrates the birth of Jesus Christ (Logos became flesh)

c. This year Sept. 10th (Blow Shofar Sept 9th sunset)

2. The Woman is Sarah, the "free woman" of Gal. 4:22,30

3. The Woman represents the restored "city" of Jerusalem w/Redeemed

a. The "elevated Jerusalem" is our mother (Gal. 4:26)

b. We seek the future Jerusalem (Heb. 12:18-24; Heb. 13:12-14)

c. The "New Jerusalem" of Rev. 21-22, the "Bride of the Lamb."

d. Isaiah's original concept: The "Daughter of Zion", the "Wife of the Master", formerly divorced, but remarried, mother of the Redeemed, a new name.

a. Isa. 40:1-2; Isa. 49:14 – 50:1; Isa. 51:1-3; Isa. 52:1-2; Isa. 54:1-17; Isa. 60:1-5, 10-22; Isa. 62:1-7; Isa. 63:1-10; Isa. 65:16-19; Isa. 66:6-14

4. The "Man-child" is Jesus Christ – Psalm 2 (Rod of Iron)

a. Satan's attack on the "Man-child" anticipated & hidden (1 Cor. 2:6-10)

5. Man-child caught up to God's throne – Psalm 110:1