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I. Introduction

- Thoughts about Advent
- Reflections on the power of sin

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- II. The judgment of man and beast
 - A Yahweh questions the man (3.9-12)
 - B Yahweh questions the woman (3.13)
 - C Yahweh judges the serpent (3.14-15)
 - B' Yahweh judges the woman (3.16)
 - A' Yahweh judges the man (3.17-19)

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III. Types of head crushers in Israel

- Jael nails Sisera's head to the ground
- Samson crushes the heads of the Philistine lords
- David cuts off the head of Goliath

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IV. The head crusher extraordinaire

- John 3.14-16
- John 12.31-33
- John 19.17-19

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V. The destruction of the dragon

- The dragon cast down to the earth (Rev. 12.7-12)
- The dragon on the sand of the seashore (Rev 13.1-2)
- The dragon bound in the abyss (Rev 20.1-3)
- The devil cast into the lake of fire (Rev 20.7-10)

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VI. The Christian and the power of sin

- Deliverance from the penalty of sin
- Deliverance from the power of sin
- Deliverance from the presence of sin