

## How Satan's True Alliance Tries to Counterfeit The Trinity

<b>Dragon/Satan</b>	<b>God The Father</b>
His place is in heaven (Rev. 12:3, 7-8)	God's dwelling place is in heaven (Rev. 4-5)
He has a throne (Rev. 13:2b; cf. 2:13)	He has a throne (Rev. 4-5; 7:9-15; 19:4)
Gives power, throne, and authority to the sea beast (Rev. 13:2, 4)	Gives power, throne, and authority to Christ (Matt. 28:18; Rev. 2:27; 19:4)
He is Worshipped (Rev. 13:4a)	He is Worshipped (Rev. 4:10; 15:4)
He is destroyed forever (20:9-10)	He lives and reigns forever (Rev. 4:9, 5:13, 11:15)

<b>The Sea Beast</b>	<b>Jesus Christ</b>
Comes from water to begin his activity (Rev. 13:1)	Comes from water to begin his ministry (Luke 3:21-23)
Resembles the dragon (Rev. 12:3; 13:1)	"He who has seen me has seen the Father" (John 14:9)
Has ten horns upon his heads (Rev. 13:1)	The Lamb with seven horns (Rev. 5:6)
Has ten diadems (Rev. 13:1)	Has many diadems (Rev. 19:12)
Receives power, throne, and authority from the dragon (Rev. 13:2, 4)	Receives power, throne, and authority from the Father (Matt. 28:18; Rev. 2:27; chaps 4-5)
Forty-two months of his activity (Rev. 13:5)	Three and half years of his ministry (as the Gospel of John indicates)
He was slain (Rev. 13:3)	He was slain (Rev. 5:6)
Came back to life (Rev. 13:3)	Resurrected (Rev. 1:18; Mat. 28:5,6)
Received worship after his mortal wound was healed (13:3-4, 8)	Received worship after his resurrection (Matt. 28:17)

<b>Sea Beast Cont.</b>	<b>Jesus Christ Cont.</b>
Was given universal authority over the earth after the healing of his mortal wound (13:7)	“All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth” (Matt. 28:18) after the resurrection
“Who is like the beast?” (13:4)	Michael [Meaning of name “Who is like God?”] (Rev. 12:7)
Global target (over all nations, tribes, tongues, and peoples; Rev. 13:7; cf. 17:15)	Global target (over all nations, tribes, tongues, and peoples; Rev. 5:9; 10:11; 14:6)

<b>The Earth Beast</b>	<b>The Holy Spirit</b>
Called the false prophet deceiving people (Rev. 16:13; 19:20; 20:10)	Called the Spirit of truth guiding people to salvation (John 16:13; Rev. 22:17)
Exercises all the authority of the sea beast (Rev.13:12a)	Exercises all the authority of Christ (John 16:13–14)
Lamb-like ( Rev. 13:12)	Christ-like (John 14:26; 16:14)
Directs worship to the sea beast (Rev. 13:12b, 15)	Directs worship to Christ (Acts 5:29–32)
Performs great signs (Rev. 13:13; 19:20)	Performs great signs (Acts 4:30–31)
Brings fire down from heaven (Rev. 13:13)	Comes in fire at the Pentecost (Acts 2)
Gives life/breath to the beast’s image (Rev. 13:15)	Gives life/breath of life (Rom. 8:11)
Applies the mark on the hand or forehead (13:16)	Applies the seal on the forehead (2 Cor. 1:22; Eph. 1:13; 4:30)

