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# Thursday Morning Bible Study

## REVELATION LESSON 1-JANUARY 22, 2020

THIS BOOK:

1. IS "The" REVELATION
2. IT REVEALS Jesus Christ IN HIS EXALTATION
3. God IS THE SOURCE OF THIS BOOK
4. GOD GAVE IT TO Jesus
5. JESUS GAVE IT TO HIS Bond Servants
6. IT WAS COMMUNICATED THROUGH AN angel
7. THE APOSTLE John RECORDED IT FOR US
8. IT IS A Prophetic BOOK
9. THERE IS AN urgency ASSOCIATED WITH IT
10. A blessing IS PROMISED TO THE ONE WHO READS, HEARS AND HEEDS ITS MESSAGE
11. THIS BLESSING IS FROM THE Trinity
  - (1) IT IS FROM God (HE IS ETERNAL)
    - "HE IS"- LOOKS AT THE present
    - "HE WAS"-LOOKS AT THE past
    - "HE IS TO COME"-LOOKS AT THE future
  - (2) IT IS FROM THE Holy Spirit

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ISAIAH 11:2 AND THE (1) SPIRIT OF THE LORD WILL REST ON HIM, (2) THE SPIRIT OF WISDOM AND (3) UNDERSTANDING, THE (4) SPIRIT OF COUNSEL AND (5) STRENGTH, THE (6) SPIRIT OF KNOWLEDGE AND THE (7) FEAR OF THE LORD.

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(3) IT IS FROM the Lord Jesus

- THE FAITHFUL witness (PAST)

JOHN 18:37 FOR THIS I HAVE BEEN BORN, AND FOR THIS I HAVE COME INTO THE WORLD, TO TESTIFY TO THE TRUTH.

- THE First Born OF THE DEAD-THE PREEMINENT ONE (HIS PRESENT ROLE)

PS. 89:27 "I ALSO SHALL MAKE HIM MY FIRSTBORN"

- THE Ruler OF THE KINGS OF THE EARTH (FUTURE)

REV. 19:6 CALLED KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORS

DAN. 4:37 CALLS HIM THE KING OF HEAVEN

MATT. 2:2 CALLS HIM THE KING OF THE JEWS

JOHN 1:49 CALLS HIM THE KING OF ISRAEL

1 TIM. 1:17 CALLS HIM THE KING OF THE AGES

PS. 24:7 CALLS HIM THE KING OF GLORY

REV. 15:3 CALLS HIM THE KING OF THE SAINTS

Speaks of His past  
→ present  
Future

REASONS FOR PRAISE TO GOD:

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- BECAUSE HIS LOVE IS A present REALITY
- BECAUSE HE SAVED US FROM OUR sins by his blood
- BECAUSE HE HAS MADE US TO BE A:

1. Kingdom

2. Priests TO HIS GOD AND FATHER

- WE HAVE Access TO GOD

- WE HAVE THE RIGHT TO ENTER INTO HIS presence (The Holy of Holies)

BEHOLD HE IS COMING!

- IS IN Present TENSE
- GIVES US THE FEELING THAT HE IS already ON THE WAY

DAN. 7:13-14 I KEPT LOOKING IN THE NIGHT VISIONS, AND BEHOLD, WITH THE CLOUDS OF HEAVEN, ONE LIKE A SON OF MAN WAS COMING AND TO HIM WAS GIVEN DOMINIONS

• "THE COMING ONE" WAS A TITLE GIVEN TO The Messiah

• A MAJOR THEME IN THE BIBLE

- \* 660 GENERAL PROPHECIES
  - \* 333 ARE ABOUT CHRIST
  - \* 109 FULFILLED IN HIS FIRST COMING
  - \* 224 39 FULFILLED AT HIS SECOND COMING
- OUT OF THE ~~48~~ BOOKS IN THE OT:
- \* 10 SPEAK OF HIS FIRST COMING
  - \* 36 SPEAK OF HIS SECOND COMING
  - \* OVER 1,500 OT PASSAGES REFER TO HIS 2<sup>ND</sup> COMING
  - \* JESUS REFERS TO HIS 2<sup>ND</sup> COMING 21 TIMES
  - \* OVER 50 TIMES WE ARE TOLD TO BE READY

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He will return

HE IS COMING WITH THE cloud

\* A SYMBOL OF glory (EX. 40, 1 KINGS 8, DAN. 1, MATT. 17, ACTS 1, MATT. 24.)

\* Everyone IN THE WORLD WILL SEE HIM

• 2 GROUPS:

1. THOSE WHO pierced HIM

JOHN 19:37 "THEY SHALL LOOK ON HIM WHOM THEY PIERCED."

*Quoting a Zechariah prophecy*

• THIS IS REFERRING TO THE Jews (Israel)

*- Jews*

ZECHARIAH 12:10 I WILL POUR OUT ON THE HOUSE OF DAVID AND ON THE INHABITANTS OF JERUSALEM, THE SPIRIT OF GRACE AND OF SUPPLICATION, SO THAT THEY WILL LOOK ON ME WHOM THEY HAVE PIERCED;

*going to save the Jews*

*→ Jews*

V. 11 IN THAT DAY THERE WILL BE GREAT MOURNING IN JERUSLEM, LIKE THE MOURNING OF HADADRIMMON IN THE PLAIN OF MEGIDDO. V. 12 THE LAND WILL MOURN, EVERY FAMILY BY ITSELF; THE FAMILY OF THE HOUSE OF DAVID BY ITSELF AND THEIR WIVES BY THEMSELVES; THE FAMILY OF THE HOUSE OF NATHAN BY ITSELF AND THEIR WIVES BY THEMSELVES; THE FAMILY OF THE HOUSE OF LEVI BY ITSELF AND THEIR WIVES BY THEMSELVES; THE FAMILY OF THE SHIMEITES BY ITSELF AND THEIR WIVES BY THEMSELVES; ALL THE FAMILIES THAT REMAIN, EVRY FAMILY BY ITSELF AND THEIR WIVES BY THEMSELVES.

*see zehron 35*

ACTS 2:22 MEN OF ISRAEL, LISTEN TO THESE WORDS: JESUS THE NAZARENE, A MAN ATTESTED TO YOU BY GOD WITH MIRACLES AND WONDERS AND SIGNS WHICH GOD PERFORMED THROUGH HIM IN YOUR MIDST, JUST AS YOU YOURSELVES KNOW—THIS MAN, DELIVERED OVER BY THE PREDETERMINED PLAN AND FOREKNOWLEDGE OF GOD, YOU NAILED TO A CROSS BY THE HANDS OF GODLESS MEN AND PUT HIM TO DEATH.

ACTS 3:14 BUT YOU DISOWNED THE HOLY AND RIGHTEOUS ONE AND ASKED FOR A MURDERER TO BE GRANTED TO YOU AND YOU PUT TO DEATH THE PRINCE OF LIFE.

ZECHARIAH 13:1 IN THAT DAY A FOUNTAIN WILL BE OPENED FOR THE HOUSE OF DAVID AND FOR THE INHABITANTS OF JERUSALEM, FOR SIN AND FOR IMPURITY

*going to cleanse Israel*

V. 9 AND I WILL REMOVE THE INIQUITY OF THAT LAND IN ONE DAY

ISAIAH 25:9 AND IT WILL BE SAID IN THAT DAY, "BEHOLD, THIS IS OUR GOD FOR WHOM WE HAVE WAITED THAT HE MIGHT SAVE US. THIS IS THE LORD FOR WHOM WE HAVE WAITED; LET US REJOICE AND BE GLAD IN HIS SALVATION.

ROMANS 11:26 AND SO ALL ISRAEL WILL BE SAVED. → *The day Jesus returns*

2 ALL THE tribes OF THE EARTH (THE GENTILES)

MATT. 24:30 THE SIGN OF THE SON OF MAN WILL APPEAR IN THE SKY AND ALL THE TRIBES OF THE EARTH WILL MOURN AND WILL SEE THE SON OF MAN COMING ON THE CLOUDS OF THE SKY WITH POWER AND GREAT GLORY

REV. 9:21-22 AND THEY DID NOT REPENT OF THE WORKS OF THEIR HANDS, SO AS NOT TO WORSHIP DEMONS, AND THE IDOLS OF GOLD AND SILVER AND OF BRASS AND OF STONE AND OF WOOD, WHICH CAN NEITHER SEE NOR HEAR NOR WALK; AND THEY DID NOT REPENT OF THEIR MURDERS NOR OF THEIR SORCERIES NOR OF THEIR IMMORALITY NOR OF THEIR THEFTS.

*the 2nd coming*

• Jehovah IS IN CHARGE OF THIS EVENT

*All knowledge*

• THREE OF HIS ATTRIBUTES EMPHASIZED HERE:

1. HIS omniscience (Alpha + Omega - the beginning + the end)
2. HIS omnipresence (The one who is, who was + who is to come)
3. HIS omnipotence (God Almighty) NO ONE MORE POWERFUL

*Eternal presence Everywhere*