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# SARDIS: YOUR CHURCH IS DEAD

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## Introduction:

### I. THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF THIS CHURCH (3:1)

Perform a Spiritual Autopsy:

1. A church never dies because an \_\_\_\_\_ on the outside tried to kill it.
2. A church never dies from \_\_\_\_\_.
3. A church never dies because God has \_\_\_\_\_ it.

A. It relied on its \_\_\_\_\_ successes. (1-2)

“Had a name” =

“Perfect” =

B. It allowed sin to \_\_\_\_\_ into its membership. (4)

C. It was not \_\_\_\_\_ to its own spiritual condition. (1)

The Church at Sardis had become a \_\_\_\_\_ rather than a \_\_\_\_\_.

### II. THE \_\_\_\_\_ FOR THIS CHURCH (2:3)

A. Remembrance of the \_\_\_\_\_. (3)

“Seven Spirits of God” =

B. Repentance in the \_\_\_\_\_ . (3)

"Repent" =

C. Readiness for the \_\_\_\_\_ . (2)

**III. THE \_\_\_\_\_ TO THIS CHURCH (3:4-6)**

A. \_\_\_\_\_ Few (4)

B. \_\_\_\_\_ Future (5-6)

1. Perfection through the \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ

"White" =

Two Kinds:

a. \_\_\_\_\_ Righteousness

b. \_\_\_\_\_ Righteousness

2. Security through the \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ

Two Books:

a. The \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ = registry of the living

b. The \_\_\_\_\_ Book of \_\_\_\_\_ = registry of the redeemed

3. Acceptance through the \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ.