APOCALYPSE

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INTRODUCTION: NO OTHER BOOK

No other book so fittingly brings conclusion to the written Word of God.

Genesis to Revelation

- 1. The Earth created (1:1).
- 1. The Earth passes away and a new earth is made (21:1).
- 2. Satan's first rebellion.
- 2. Satan's final defeat (20:3,7-10).
- 3. Sun to govern the day (1:16).
- 3. No need of the Sun (21:23).
- 4. Darkness called night (1:5).
- 4. "No night there" (22:5).
- 5. Waters called seas (1:10).
- 5. "No more seas" (21:1).
- 6. Entrance of sin (3).
- 6. End of sin (21:22).
- 7. Curse pronounced (3:14,17).
- 7. "No more curse" (22:3).
- 8. Death entered (3:19).
- 8. "No more death" (21:4).
- 9. Man driven out from Eden (3:24).
- 9. Man restored to paradise (22).
- 10. Man is refused the Tree of Life (3:24).
- 10. Man is restored to the Tree of Life (22:14).
- 11. Sorrow and suffering enter (3:17).
- 11. No more sorrow (21:4).

Key: The book of Revelation is from Jesus and about Jesus foretelling the blessing of His people and the judgment of His enemies.

I. THE REVELATION OF JESUS CHRIST

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A. THE REVELATION OF JESUS

- ? Which way should we take it?
- 1. God Gave The Revelation To Him
- 2. Jesus Took It And Sent It By An Angel
- 3. The Angel Gave It To John, Jesus' Slave

Daniel 12:4a

But as for you, Daniel, conceal these words and seal up the book until the end of time;

Revelation 22:10

5. John Gave It To Jesus' Slaves

Amos 3:7

Surely the Lord God does nothing Unless He reveals His secret counsel To His servants the prophets.

Psalm 25:14

The secret of the Lord is for those who fear Him, And He will make them know His covenant.

6. To Show What Must Soon Take Place

Point: The revelation of Jesus is His Word to us about what is and what must soon take place.

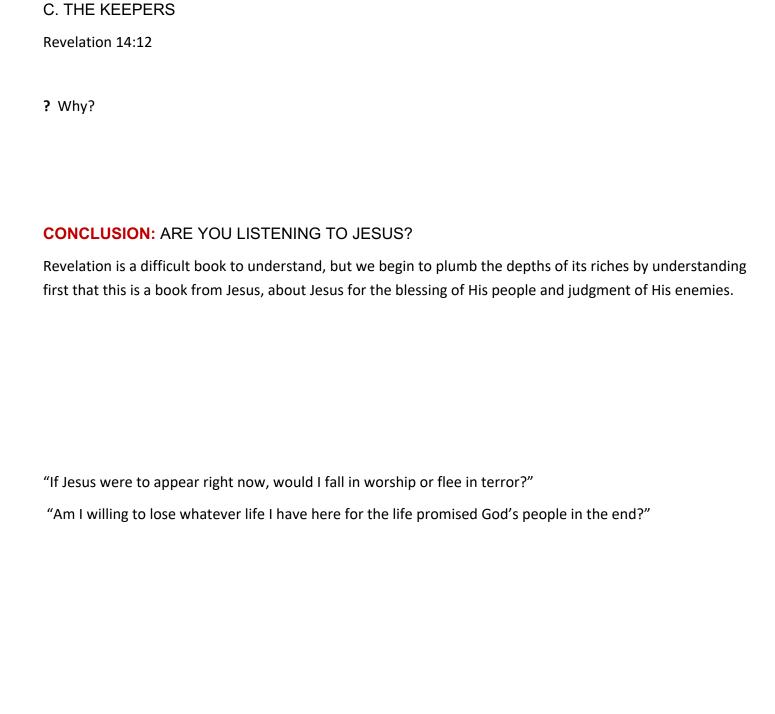
Revelation 1:17b-19; 2:1, 7, 8, 11, 12, 17, 18; 10:4, 8; 14:13; 16:1; 19:15; 22:20

B. THE REVELATION OF JESUS

Revelation 1:17; 2:5, 16; 5; 19; 22

Point: When Jesus appears, nothing remains the same.

II. THE BLESSING OF JESUS' PEOPLE



? Who is the blessing for?

A. THE READER

B. THE HEARERS