Suffering for Being a Saint – Smyrna

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Smyrna – **BITTERNESS**

- Our Lord Jesus is present for all. "first and last"
- Our Lord Jesus knows all. "I know"
- Our Lord Jesus <u>measures</u> all. (but you are rich)
- Our Lord Jesus foresees all. "you will have tribulation"
- Our Lord Jesus is controlling all. "Ten days."
- Our Lord Jesus encourages us to endure all. "Do not fear"
- Our Lord Jesus promises life after all. "be faithful until death and I will give you the crown of Life"

<u>John 16:33</u> These things I have spoken to you, that in Me you may have peace. In the world you will have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world."

You have heard the sermon but getting the message?