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FOREWORD

The Book of Revelation has been abused and neglected perhaps as no other book of the Bible. Some have urged their speculative theories and contradictory views with no small degree of dogmatism. Others have neglected the study of the book on the unwarranted assumption that there is no practical value in it. Both of these attitudes are contrary to plain and positive statements of the Lord.

It is "the Revelation of Jesus Christ"; it is from God (Rev. 1: 1). Therefore, it is sinful to neglect the study of it.

A solemn warning is given lest any one should add to or take from the words of the Book of Revelation (Rev. 22: 18, 19). Therefore, it is dangerous to mutilate or tamper with its teaching.

Blessings are promised to those who read and hear and keep the things written in the Revelation (Rev. 1: 3). Therefore, the book is of spiritual profit and practical value.

The purpose of these twenty-six lessons is to help the student acquire a knowledge of what the book actually says. What men have said about the Revelation is of little or no importance. But what the book itself says is of the greatest significance.

These studies contain no speculation, and they give no encouragement to the "interpretation" of symbolic and prophetic utterances which the Lord himself did not reveal; they are a definite warning against such.

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LESSON 1.**INTRODUCTION**

Read Rev. 1: 1-8

1. What does the word "Revelation" mean?
Ans. When applied to the Scriptures it means a making known or manifest, an uncovering of divine truth.
2. Give instances where Paul used the word in this same sense.
Ans. Rom. 16: 25, 26; Gal. 1: 12; Eph. 3: 3.
3. By whom was The Revelation written?
Ans. Rev. 1: 1, 4, 9; 22: 8.
4. By what other name may the words of the book of Revelation be called? Ans. Rev. 1: 3.
5. What did Peter say about the interpretation of prophecy?
Ans. II Pet. 1: 20.
6. Why is prophecy not of "private interpretation"?
Ans. II Pet. 1: 21.
7. What other books of the Bible did John write?
Ans. Search the New Testament.
8. Unto what office had Jesus appointed John?
Ans. Matt. 10: 2-4.
9. Where was John when these things were revealed to him?
Ans. Rev. 1: 9.
10. To whom is the book of Revelation addressed?
Ans. Rev. 1: 4, 11; 22: 16.
11. From whom did John receive the Revelation?
Ans. Rev. 1: 1, 17-19.
12. Of what three things does John bear witness?
Ans. Rev. 1: 2.
13. What does Christ "show unto his servants" in this book?
Ans. Rev. 1: 1.
14. Were these things signified—shown by signs and symbols—unto John, or were they revealed without symbolic language?
Ans. Rev. 1: 1.
15. Give two other instances where John uses the term "signify" in the same sense. Ans. Jno. 12: 33; 21: 18, 19.
16. Name three things man must do to receive the blessedness of this book. Ans. Rev. 1: 3.
17. What assurance do we have of the truth and trustworthiness of this book? Ans. Rev. 19: 9; 21: 5; 22: 6.

18. Name three titles which were applied to Christ.
Ans. Rev. 1: 5.
19. What has he done for us? Ans. Rev. 1: 5.
20. What did he make us to be? Ans. Rev. 1: 6.
21. How will Jesus come? Ans. Rev. 1: 7; Acts 1: 9-11; Lk. 21: 27.
22. Who shall see him at his coming? Ans. Rev. 1: 7; Matt. 24: 30.
23. What will all the tribes of the earth do?
Ans. Rev. 1: 7.
24. Who are "they that pierced him?"
Ans. Psalms 22: 16; Jno. 19: 33-37.
25. Can you show that "they who pierced him" will be alive and able to see him at his coming? Ans. Rev. 1: 7; Jno. 5: 28, 29.
26. What is the meaning of Alpha and Omega?
Ans. Rev. 1: 8; 21: 6; 22: 13.

FOR CLASS DISCUSSION

- I. Has it ever been possible for man to discover the fulfillment of a prophecy without the aid of inspiration? That is, did Peter, or John, or the two on the road to Emmaus (Lk. 24: 13-32), or the eunuch (Acts 8: 26-35), or any one else know that Jesus had fulfilled prophecy before the fulfillment was divinely revealed unto them?
- II. Discuss the difference between a prophecy and a mere warning of an impending calamity as a consequence of man's disobedience.

LESSON 2.

THE FIRST VISION

Read Rev. 1: 9-20

1. In what three things did John say he was a partaker with other brethren? Ans. Rev. 1: 9.
2. What kingdom were John and others in at that time?
Ans. Col. 1: 13; Matt. 16: 18, 19.
3. How do we know that John in Rev. 1: 9 refers to the present kingdom or church? Ans. Rev. 1: 6 (American Standard Version).
4. Give passages where the word "kingdom" means the final state or heaven. Ans. Acts 14: 22; II Pet. 1: 11.
5. Why was John in the isle of Patmos? Ans. Rev. 1: 9.
6. On what day of the week was John "in the Spirit?"
Ans. Rev. 1: 10.

7. Give the only other passage in which the Greek word translated "Lord's" in Rev. 1: 10 occurs in the New Testament.
Ans. I Cor. 11: 20.
8. On what day of the week did Jesus arise from the dead?
Ans. Matt. 28: 1-6; Lk. 24: 1-3.
9. Why did the early Christians meet on the first day of the week?
Ans. Acts 20: 7.
10. What did "a great voice" tell John to do?
Ans. Rev. 1: 10-11.
11. Name the seven churches of Asia. Ans. Rev. 1: 11.
12. How many golden candlesticks did John see?
Ans. Rev. 1: 12.
13. What do the candlesticks represent? Ans. Rev. 1: 20.
14. What was in the midst of the candlesticks? Ans. Rev. 1: 13.
15. Describe the person John saw in the midst of the candlesticks.
Ans. Rev. 1: 13-15.
16. What did he have in his right hand? Ans. Rev. 1: 16.
17. What do the seven stars represent? Ans. Rev. 1: 20.
18. Who are the "angels of the seven churches"?
Ans. No one knows; it has not been revealed.
19. What proceeded out of the mouth of the majestic person of this vision? Ans. Rev. 1: 16.
20. What is the "sword of the spirit"?
Ans. Eph. 6: 17; Heb. 4: 12.
21. What effect did this vision have on John? Ans. Rev. 1: 17.
22. How was John given assurance to hear the things which would be revealed? Ans. Rev. 1: 17, 18.
23. What three classes of things was John told to write?
Ans. Rev. 1: 19.

FOR CLASS DISCUSSION

- I. Discuss the expression, "Keys of death and Hades." (See Lk. 16: 23; Acts 2: 27; Rev. 20: 13; Matt. 16: 18, 19.)

LESSON 3.

MESSAGE TO THE CHURCH IN EPHESUS

Read Rev. 2: 1-7

1. The first letter is addressed to which of the seven churches?
Ans. Rev. 2: 1.
2. Who told John what to write? Ans. Rev. 2: 1.
3. What did he say he knew about the Ephesians?
Ans. Rev. 2: 2.

4. What does he know about all men? Ans. Jno. 2: 24, 25.
5. What attitude did the Ephesians take toward evil men?
Ans. Rev. 2: 2.
6. What did they do about the false apostles among the brethren?
Ans. Rev. 2: 2.
7. What other good qualities did this church possess?
Ans. Rev. 2: 3.
8. What did the Lord hold against them? Ans. Rev. 2: 4.
9. What is the evidence of love to Jesus? Ans. Jno. 14: 15.
10. What were they told to remember? Ans. Rev. 2: 5.
11. Name two things they were commanded to do. Ans. Rev. 2: 5.
12. What did the Lord threaten to do, if they did not repent?
Ans. Rev. 2: 5.
13. What did they hate, which the Lord also hated?
Ans. Rev. 2: 6.
14. They were told to hear what? Ans. Rev. 2: 7.
15. How does the Spirit speak to the churches now?
Ans. I Cor. 2: 12, 13; I Tim. 4: 1.
16. What promise was made "to him that overcometh"?
Ans. Rev. 2: 7.

HISTORY OF THE CHURCH AT EPHESUS

17. From whom had this church received another letter many years before? Ans. Eph. 1: 1:
18. What eloquent preacher had visited them early in the church's history there? Ans. Acts 18: 24.
19. On what point was his teaching inaccurate? Ans. Acts 18: 25, 26.
20. Why did Paul re-baptize about twelve men at Ephesus?
Ans. Acts 19: 1-7.
21. About how long did Paul teach and preach in Ephesus?
Ans. Acts 19: 8-10.
22. How did the disciples there dispose of their books on magical arts?
Ans. Acts 19: 17-20.
23. Who stirred up a mob against Paul and why?
Ans. Acts 19: 23-34.
24. Who dispersed the mob, and how? Ans. Acts 19: 35-41.
25. Give the substance of Paul's address to the elders of the church at Ephesus. Ans. Acts 20: 16-35.

26. Why had Paul on one occasion exhorted Timothy to tarry in Ephesus?
Ans. I Tim. 1: 3, 4.
27. Who else did a great work in Ephesus? Ans. II Tim. 1: 16-18.

FOR CLASS DISCUSSION

- I. Discuss "The Tree of Life."
(See Rev. 2: 7; 22: 2, 14; Gen. 2: 9; 3: 22.)

LESSON 4.

MESSAGE TO THE CHURCH IN SMYRNA

Read Rev. 2: 8-11

1. To which of the seven churches was the second letter addressed?
Ans. Rev. 2: 8.
2. Through what experience had the speaker of the words of this letter passed which were peculiar to him only? Ans. Rev. 2: 8; 1: 18.
3. What afflictions were the disciples suffering at Smyrna?
Ans. Rev. 2: 9.
4. Who had a complete knowledge of all their trials and needs?
Ans. Rev. 2: 9.
5. What should be the Christian's attitude toward trials and tribulations? Ans. Jas. 1: 2-4; I Pet. 4: 12-16; Matt. 5: 11, 12.
6. What was the result of Paul's afflictions? Ans. Phil. 1: 12.
7. Contrast the poverty and riches of the church at Smyrna with the poverty and riches of the Laodiceans. Ans. Rev. 2: 9; 3: 17, 18.
8. Of what kind of people is the church of Christ chiefly composed?
Ans. Jas. 2: 5; I Cor. 1: 26.
9. Through whose poverty were the children of God made rich?
Ans. II Cor. 8: 9.
10. Where should Christians lay up their treasures?
Ans. Matt. 6: 19-21.
11. Name some heavenly qualities in which all should be rich.
Ans. a. Faith (Jas. 2: 5).
b. Good works (I Tim. 6: 18).
c. Humility and fear of God (Prov. 22: 4).
d. The word of Christ (Col. 3: 16).
12. What false claims for themselves were some making?
Ans. Rev. 2: 9.
13. To whose synagogue did they belong? Ans. Rev. 2: 9.
14. What sin were they committing? Ans. Rev. 2: 9.

15. Who are Abraham's seed, or Jews in a spiritual sense?
Ans. Gal. 3: 27-29; Rom. 2: 28, 29; 9: 6-8; Jno. 8: 39.
16. What were they told not to fear? Ans. Rev. 2: 10.
17. Whom should we fear? Ans. Matt. 10: 28.
18. What afflictions from Satan were they about to suffer?
Ans. Rev. 2: 10.
19. How long would their tribulations continue? Ans. Rev. 2: 10.
20. How long, and unto what event must they be faithful in order to receive the reward? Ans. Rev. 2: 10.
21. What reward would the faithful receive? Ans. Rev. 2: 10.
22. What is this "crown of life" called elsewhere?
Ans. II Tim. 4: 8; I Pet. 5: 4; I Cor. 9: 25.
23. What was Smyrna commanded to hear, which Ephesus also was commanded to hear? Ans. Rev. 2: 7, 11.
24. Who will not be hurt by the second death? Ans. Rev. 2: 11.
25. What is the second death? Ans. Rev. 20: 14; 21: 8.

LESSON 5.

MESSAGE TO THE CHURCH IN PERGAMUM

Read Rev. 2: 12-17

1. To which of the seven churches is the third letter addressed?
Ans. Rev. 2: 12.
2. What weapon is in the possession of the author of this letter?
Ans. Rev. 2: 12.
3. Out of what did this sword proceed? Ans. Rev. 1: 16.
4. By what other name is this weapon called? Ans. Rev. 2: 16.
5. With what will the Lord Jesus slay the lawless one?
Ans. II Thess. 2: 8.
6. With what will the Lord smite the earth and slay the wicked?
Ans. Isa. 11: 4.
7. What kind of weapons are forbidden in Christian warfare?
Ans. Matt. 26: 51-53; II Cor. 10: 4; Jno. 18: 36.
8. Do the Scriptures forbid a kingdom of this world from taking up arms in its defense? Ans. Jno. 18: 36.
9. Who had his throne, or controlling influence, at Pergamum?
Ans. Rev. 2: 13.
10. What were the Lord's people holding fast? Ans. Rev. 2: 13.
11. What name had been given to them? Ans. Acts 11: 26.

12. In what name should the Lord's people bear their afflictions and glorify God? Ans. I Pet. 4: 14-16.
13. What had they not denied? Ans. Rev. 2: 13.
14. Name three things all should do regarding the faith of Jesus?
Ans. Acts 6: 7; II Tim. 4: 7; Jude 3; Rev. 14: 12.
15. What can you say of Antipas? Ans. Rev. 2: 13.
16. What did the Lord have against the church at Pergamum?
Ans. Rev. 2: 14, 15.
17. Why did Balak send for Balaam? Ans. Num. 22: 2-6.
18. Tell of Balaam's journey to the city of Moab. Ans. Num. 22: 21-40.
19. What did Balak think of Balaam's prophecies?
Ans. Num. 24: 10-13.
20. How did Balaam teach Balak to bring a curse on Israel?
Ans. Rev. 2: 14; Num. 31: 16.
21. Why did Balaam do this? Ans. II Pet. 2: 15; Jude 11.
22. How were Balaam and the Midianites punished for this?
Ans. Num. 31: 1-11.
23. What were the guilty commanded to do? Ans. Rev. 2: 16.
24. What did the Lord threaten to do, if they did not repent?
Ans. Rev. 2: 16.
25. Give the three-fold blessing promised to "him that overcometh."
Ans. Rev. 2: 17.
26. What does the "white stone" represent?
Ans. God has not revealed it, therefore no one knows.
27. Who alone may know what this "new name" is?
Ans. Rev. 2: 17.

LESSON 6.

MESSAGE TO THE CHURCH AT THYATIRA

Read Rev. 2: 18-29

1. To whom is this letter addressed? Ans. Rev. 2: 18.
2. Give the name of a Godly woman who once lived in Thyatira.
Ans. Acts 16: 14.
3. Tell of her conversion. Ans. Acts 16: 13-15.
4. The eyes and feet of the Son of God were likened unto what?
Ans. Rev. 2: 18.
5. Name five good qualities which the Son of God knew about this church. Ans. Rev. 2: 19.

6. In what way were their "last works" unlike the church at Ephesus?
Ans. Rev. 2: 19; 2: 4, 5.
7. What did the Lord have against Thyatira? Ans. Rev. 2: 20.
8. What did Jezebel call herself? Ans. Rev. 2: 20.
9. What did she teach and seduce God's servants to do?
Ans. Rev. 2: 20.
10. What was she given time to do? Ans. Rev. 2: 21.
11. What does God want all sinners to do? Ans. II Pet. 3: 9; Acts 17: 30.
12. How will she and those who sin with her be punished, except they repent? Ans. Rev. 2: 22.
13. How would her children be killed? Ans. Rev. 2: 23.
14. What then would all the churches know about the Lord?
Ans. Rev. 2: 23.
15. How will each be rewarded? Ans. Rev. 2: 23; II Cor. 5: 10.
16. Upon whom would the Lord cast no additional burden?
Ans. Rev. 2: 24.
17. What were they to hold fast, and how long?
Ans. Rev. 2: 25. (For the things they were to hold fast see verse 19.)
18. To whom is promised "authority over the nations"?
Ans. Rev. 2: 26.
19. How will he "rule the nations"? Ans. Rev. 2: 27.
20. Who is the "morning star"? Ans. Rev. 22: 16; 2: 28.

FOR CLASS DISCUSSION

- I. Discuss the rule of the saints over the nations.

Note: In discussing this subject it is well to remember:

- (1) That the Greek word for "rule" means to "shepherd."
- (2) That Jesus is the supreme ruler (Matt. 28: 18), the chief Shepherd of souls (I Pet. 2: 25).
- (3) That elders in the church rule by their teaching and righteous example (I Pet. 5: 2, 3; Heb. 13: 7).
- (4) That all the faithful rule in this life by the influence of their lives (Rom. 5: 17).
- (5) That through the influence of the righteous some are saved (I Tim. 4: 16), and others are condemned (Heb. 11: 7).
- (6) That the word, the sword of the Spirit (Eph. 6: 17), is as strong and inflexible as iron (Jer. 23: 29; II Cor. 10: 3-6).

LESSON 7.**MESSAGE TO THE CHURCH IN SARDIS**

Read Rev. 3: 1-6

1. To whom is this letter addressed? Ans. Rev. 3: 1.
2. What two characteristics of Christ are mentioned, about which John had already learned? Ans. Rev. 3: 1; Rev. 1: 4, 16.
3. John had been told that the Revelation would come from whom?
Ans. Rev. 1: 4.
4. What had Jesus said the Spirit would do?
Ans. Jno. 15: 26, 27.
5. What do the seven stars represent? Ans. Rev. 3: 1; Rev. 1: 20.
6. What was the spiritual condition of the majority in this church?
Ans. Rev. 3: 1.
7. In what sense can one be "dead" while one "liveth"?
Ans. Eph. 2: 1; I Tim. 5: 6; Lk. 15: 24.
8. What two things were they commanded to do?
Ans. Rev. 3: 2.
9. In what condition were the "things that remain"?
Ans. Rev. 3: 2.
10. What did the Lord say about their works? Ans. Rev. 3: 2.
11. What were they told to remember? Ans. Rev. 3: 3.
12. What did Jesus say about the manner of his coming upon them?
Ans. Rev. 3: 3.
13. Who knows when the Lord will come? Ans. Matt. 24: 36.
14. Describe the condition of the world at the coming of Christ.
Ans. Matt. 24: 37-41.
15. What are all commanded to do? Ans. Matt. 24: 42.
16. What had a few in Sardis not done? Ans. Rev. 3: 4.
17. What promise was made to them? Ans. Rev. 3: 4.
18. Name a three-fold blessing for him "that overcometh."
Ans. Rev. 3: 5.
19. Where are the names of all the people of God written?
Ans. Rev. 3: 5; Lk. 10: 20; Phil. 4: 3; Heb. 12: 23.
20. What will God do with the names of his people who sin against him?
Ans. Ex. 32: 33; Psalms 69: 28.
21. What is the final destiny of all whose names are not in the book of life at the judgment? Ans. Rev. 20: 15.
22. Who only shall enter heaven? Ans. Rev. 21: 27.
23. Before whom will Jesus confess the names of the righteous?
Ans. Rev. 3: 5.
24. What must we confess in order for Jesus to confess us before the Father? Ans. Matt. 10: 32.

LESSON 8.**MESSAGE TO THE CHURCH IN PHILADELPHIA**

Read Rev. 3: 7-13

1. To whom is this letter addressed? Ans. Rev. 3: 7.
2. What does the word "Philadelphia" mean?
Ans. It means "brotherly love."
3. In what respect did this church differ from the other six?
Ans. Jesus presented no adverse criticism of it—only commendation.
4. What characteristics of Christ are mentioned in this letter?
Ans. Rev. 3: 7.
5. Give the prophetic utterance regarding the key to David.
Ans. Isa. 22: 22.
6. The Christ had to be the son of what great king?
Ans. II Sam. 7: 12; Jno. 7: 42.
7. Who is the promised son of David?
Ans. Rom. 1: 3; II Tim. 2: 8.
8. On whose throne was he to reign?
Ans. Ps. 89: 3, 4; 132: 11; Luke 1: 31-33.
9. What did Peter point to as a fulfillment of God's promise to David?
Ans. Acts 2: 30-33.
10. On whose throne did David and Solomon sit? Ans. I Chron. 29: 23.
11. Where has he established his throne?
Ans. Psalms 11:4; 103: 19.
12. What had the Lord set before this church? Ans. Rev. 3: 8.
13. What had they kept? Ans. Rev. 3: 8.
14. What will those of the synagogue of Satan be compelled to do?
Ans. Rev. 3: 9.
15. From what would the Lord keep this church, and why?
Ans. Rev. 3: 10.
16. Upon whom was this "hour of trial" to come? Ans. Rev. 3: 10.
17. What were they to hold fast, and why? Ans. Rev. 3: 11.
18. Give the two-fold blessing promised "to him that overcometh."
Ans. Rev. 3: 12.
19. Name three things to be written upon those who overcome.
Ans. Rev. 3: 12.
20. What is the most important thing any ear can hear?
Ans. Rev. 3: 13.

FOR CLASS DISCUSSION

- I. Discuss the meaning of "key" as used in the Bible. (See Judg. 3: 25; Isa. 22: 22; Lk. 11: 52; Matt. 16: 19; Rev. 1: 18; 9: 1; 20: 1.)

LESSON 9.**MESSAGE TO THE CHURCH IN LAODICEA**

Read Rev. 3: 14-22

1. To whom was this letter addressed? Ans. Rev. 3: 14.
2. How does this letter differ from the others?
Ans. It contains no commendation; all censure.
3. Give three titles applied to Christ in this letter. Ans. Rev. 3: 14.
4. What is meant by the expression, "the beginning of the creation of God"? Ans. Jno. 1: 1-3; Col. 1: 15-17.
5. What can you say of the spiritual condition of the Laodiceans?
Ans. Rev. 3: 15, 16.
6. Explain the difference between a church that is "cold," a church that is "hot," and a church that is "lukewarm."
Ans. Rev. 3: 15, 16.
7. Which of the three conditions is the worst? Ans. Rev. 3: 15, 16.
8. What did the Lord threaten to do with this church?
Ans. Rev. 3: 16.
9. What is the final destiny of all half-hearted, double-minded, lukewarm church members? Ans. Jas. 1: 7, 8; Matt. 25: 30.
10. What was this church's opinion of itself? Ans. Rev. 3: 17.
11. What warning is given to all? Ans. Rom. 12: 3; Gal. 6: 3.
12. What did the Laodiceans not know about themselves?
Ans. Rev. 3: 17.
13. What three things did the Lord counsel them to do?
Ans. Rev. 3: 18.
14. What blessings would they obtain by doing each of these three things? Ans. Rev. 3: 18.
15. Whom does the Lord reprove and chasten?
Ans. Rev. 3: 19; Prov. 3: 11, 12.
16. Why does God chasten his people?
Ans. Heb. 12: 10, 11; I Cor. 11: 32.
17. What should be the Christian's attitude toward the chastening of the Lord? Ans. Heb. 12: 6-9.
18. This stinging rebuke should have caused the Laodiceans to do what two things? Ans. Rev. 3: 19.
19. The Lord represents himself as standing where, and doing what?
Ans. Rev. 3: 20.
20. Upon what condition will the Lord enter in? Ans. Rev. 3: 20.

21. How does one "open the door" unto the Lord? Ans. Jno. 14: 23.

22. What is promised to all "that overcometh"? Ans. Rev. 3: 21.

FOR CLASS DISCUSSION

1. Discuss the loss each one of the seven churches would suffer by failing to overcome:

- a. What Ephesus would forfeit, Rev. 2: 7. b. What Smyrna would lose, Rev. 2: 10, 11. c. What Pergamum would not receive, Rev. 2: 17.
- d. What Thyatira would not be permitted to do, Rev. 2: 26, 27.
- e. What would happen to Sardis, Rev. 3: 5. f. What Philadelphia would lose, Rev. 3: 12. g. What Laodicea could not do, Rev. 3: 21.

LESSON 10.

THE THRONE IN HEAVEN

Read Rev. 4

1. After this what did John see? Ans. Rev. 4: 1.
2. How did the first voice sound which John heard? Ans. Rev 4: 1.
3. What did the voice say John would be shown? Ans. Rev. 4: 1.
4. Then what did he see? Ans. Rev. 4: 2.
5. Describe the throne and him that sat upon it. Ans. Rev. 4: 3
6. This throne was encircled by how many thrones? Ans. Rev. 4: 4.
7. Describe the twenty-four elders who sat on these seats or thrones.
Ans. Rev. 4: 4.
8. What proceeded out of the throne? Ans. Rev. 4: 5.
9. When and where was there a similar manifestation of the divine presence? Ans. Ex. 19: 16-18; Heb. 12: 18-21.
10. What do the seven lamps of fire represent? Ans. Rev. 4: 5.
11. What was before the throne? In the midst and round about the throne? Ans. Rev. 4: 6.
12. Describe each of the four living creatures. Ans. Rev. 4: 6-8.
13. What were they saying continuously? Ans. Rev. 4: 8.
14. Name three things which the living creatures give to him who sat on the throne. Ans. Rev. 4: 9.
15. Then what was done by the twenty-four elders? Ans. Rev. 4: 10.
16. What did they say? Ans. Rev. 4: 11.
17. Who else had had "visions of God"? Ans. Ezk. 1: 1.
18. Where was Ezekiel when he had these visions?
Ans. Ezk. 1: 1; 10: 15, 22.
19. Describe the four living creatures that Ezekiel saw.
Ans. Ezk. 1: 5-14.

20. How did the living creatures that Ezekiel saw differ from the four living creatures that John saw? Ans. Ezk. 1: 5-14; Rev. 4: 6-8.
21. Tell of Micah's vision of the throne. Ans. I Kings 22: 19.
22. Describe the throne as Isaiah saw it. Ans. Isa. 6: 1-4.
23. Tell of Daniel's vision of the throne. Ans. Dan. 7: 9, 10.
24. What was Stephen permitted to see? Ans. Acts 7: 55, 56.
25. What do the twenty-four elders, the sea of glass, and the four living creatures of John's vision represent?
Ans. No one knows, because God has not revealed what these things mean. Man should not go beyond what is written (I Cor. 4: 6).

LESSON 11.

THE SEALED BOOK

Read Rev. 5

1. Describe the book in the hand of him who sat on the throne.
Ans. Rev. 5: 1.
2. What question was asked by the "strong angel"?
Ans. Rev. 5: 2.
3. Who was not able to open the book, nor to look thereon?
Ans. Rev. 5: 3.
4. What caused John to weep? Ans. Rev. 5: 4.
5. What did one of the elders say to John? Ans. Rev. 5: 5.
6. Which of Jacob's sons was compared to a lion?
Ans. Gen. 49: 9.
7. Give Jacob's prophecy regarding the reign of Judah.
Ans. Gen. 49: 10.
8. To which of the tribes of Israel did Jesus belong?
Ans. Heb. 7: 14.
9. Who is the "Root of David"? Ans. Rev. 22: 16.
10. Describe the Lamb that John saw. Ans. Rev. 5: 6.
11. Who is the Lamb of God? Ans. Jno. 1: 29, 36.
12. What do the seven eyes represent? Ans. Rev. 5: 6.
13. From whom did he receive the book? Ans. Rev. 5: 7.
14. What then was done by the four living creatures and the twenty-four elders? Ans. Rev. 5: 8.
15. What did each have in his hand? Ans. Rev. 5: 8.
16. What do the bowls of incense represent? Ans. Rev. 5: 8.

17. Give the words of the "new song." Ans. Rev. 5: 9, 10.
18. What did the Lamb of God purchase with his blood?
Ans. Rev. 5: 9; Acts 20: 28.
19. What were his people, or his church, made to be?
Ans. Rev. 5: 10; Lk. 22: 29, 30.
20. Where do they reign? Ans. Rev. 5: 10; Rom. 5: 17.
21. Whose voice did John hear next? Ans. Rev. 5: 11.
22. What were they saying? Ans. Rev. 5: 12.
23. What then did all created things in every place do?
Ans. Rev. 5: 13.
24. What did the four living creatures say, and what did the elders do?
Ans. Rev. 5: 14.

LESSON 12.

OPENING THE SEALED BOOK

Read Rev. 6

1. Whose voice did John hear at the opening of the first seal?
Ans. Rev. 6: 1.
2. What did John see? Ans. Rev. 6: 2.
3. Describe the rider on the white horse. Ans. Rev. 6: 2.
4. Who spoke to John when the second seal was opened?
Ans. Rev. 6: 3.
5. What emerged when this seal was opened? Ans. Rev. 6: 4.
6. What was given to the rider of the red horse? Ans. Rev. 6: 4.
7. Describe the horse and rider that appeared at the opening of the third seal. Ans. Rev. 6: 5, 6.
8. What was said by the voice in the midst of the four living creatures?
Ans. Rev. 6: 6.
9. Who spoke when the fourth seal was opened? Ans. Rev. 6: 7.
10. What was the color of this fourth horse? Ans. Rev. 6: 8.
11. What was the name of the rider and what followed with him?
Ans. Rev. 6: 8.
12. What power was given unto them? Ans. Rev. 6: 8.
13. Describe the four "living creatures" that spoke to John at the opening of these first four seals. Ans. Rev. 4: 6-8.
14. What did John see when the fifth seal was opened?
Ans. Rev. 6: 9.
15. What question did they ask? Ans. Rev. 6: 10.
16. What was given to each? Ans. Rev. 6: 11.

17. What were they told to do, and for how long? Ans. Rev. 6: 11.
18. What happened to the sun, the moon and stars at the opening of the sixth seal? Ans. Rev. 6: 12, 13.
19. How were the heaven and the earth affected? Ans. Rev. 6: 14.
20. Who hid themselves in caves and rocks? Ans. Rev. 6: 15.
21. Why did they want the mountains and the rocks to fall on them?
Ans. Rev. 6: 16, 17.

FOR CLASS DISCUSSION

- I. Discuss the danger of applying a symbol which God has not interpreted. Has God revealed the meaning of the four horses, and the significance of their four colors?

LESSON 13.

THE VISION OF THE REDEEMED COMPANIES

Read Rev. 7

1. Between the opening of what two seals does the vision of this chapter appear? Ans. Rev. 6: 12; Rev. 8: 1.
2. How many redeemed companies did John see?
Ans. Rev. 7: 4; Rev. 7: 9.
3. Tell of the four angels that John saw. Ans. Rev. 7: 1.
4. From where did another angel ascend? Ans. Rev. 7: 2.
5. What did this angel say to the four angels?
Ans. Rev. 7: 2, 3.
6. Where were the servants of God to be sealed? Ans. Rev. 7: 3.
7. What was the total number that were sealed? Ans. Rev. 7: 4.
8. Name the tribes of Israel and tell how many were sealed from each tribe. Ans. Rev. 7: 5-8.
9. From whom did these tribes derive their names?
Ans. Ex. 1: 1-5.
10. How many were in the second company that John saw?
Ans. Rev. 7: 9.
11. From what nations and tribes had this company come?
Ans. Rev. 7: 9.
12. Describe them. Ans. Rev. 7: 9.
13. What was their song? Ans. Rev. 7: 10.
14. Then what did all the angels do? Ans. Rev. 7: 11, 12.
15. What question did one of the elders ask John and what was John's reply? Ans. Rev. 7: 13, 14.

16. Who did the elder say they were? Ans. Rev. 7: 14.
17. Describe the great white-robed multitude, stating the position they occupy, the work they do, how and from what they were protected and how they were shepherded and guided. Ans. Rev. 7: 15-17.

FOR CLASS DISCUSSION

- I. Discuss the eternal rewards of the redeemed.

LESSON 14.

SOUNDING THE TRUMPETS

Read Rev. 8: 1 to Rev. 9: 21

1. What followed the opening of the seventh seal?
Ans. Rev. 8: 1.
2. How many angels stood before God and what was given to them?
Ans. Rev. 8: 2.
3. Where did another angel stand and what did he do?
Ans. Rev. 8: 3.
4. What ascended before God from the angel's hand?
Ans. Rev. 8: 4.
5. What do the bowls of incense represent? Ans. Rev. 5: 8.
6. What followed when the angel cast fire on the earth?
Ans. Rev. 8: 5.
7. Then what did the seven angels prepare to do?
Ans. Rev. 8: 6.
8. Tell how the earth was affected by the sounding of the first angel.
Ans. Rev. 8: 7.
9. What happened to the sea, to the creatures in the sea, and to the ships when the second angel sounded? Ans. Rev. 8: 8, 9.
10. What was affected by the sounding of the third angel?
Ans. Rev. 8: 10.
11. What was the name of this star? Ans. Rev. 8: 11.
12. What was smitten when the fourth angel sounded?
Ans. Rev. 8: 12.
13. The sounding of the other three trumpets was prefaced by what announcement? Ans. Rev. 8: 13.
14. What fell from heaven when the fifth angel sounded?
Ans. Rev. 9: 1.
15. What did this fallen star do? Ans. Rev. 9: 2.
16. What came out of the smoke from the abyss? Ans. Rev. 9: 3.

17. What were the locusts forbidden to harm? Ans. Rev. 9: 4.
18. How were they to punish those who "have not the seal of God on their forehead?" Ans. Rev. 9: 5, 6.
19. Describe the locusts. Ans. Rev. 9: 7-10.
20. Who was the king of these locusts? Ans. Rev. 9: 11.
21. How many woes were then past and how many were to follow?
Ans. Rev. 9: 12.
22. Tell of the death and destruction that followed the sounding of the sixth angel. Ans. Rev. 9: 13-19.
23. What of those who were not killed with these plagues?
Ans. Rev. 9: 20, 21.

LESSON 15.

THE ANGEL WITH THE LITTLE BOOK

Read Rev. 10: 1 to Rev. 11: 14

1. Between the sounding of what two trumpets does this vision appear?
Ans. Rev. 9: 13; Rev. 11: 15.
2. Describe the angel that John saw coming down out of heaven.
Ans. Rev. 10: 1.
3. What did he have in his hand? Ans. Rev. 10: 2.
4. To what is his voice compared? Ans. Rev. 10: 3.
5. What was John forbidden to write? Ans. Rev. 10: 4.
6. What announcement did the angel confirm with an oath?
Ans. Rev. 10: 5-7.
7. What was John told to do with the little book, and what effect did it have on him? Ans. Rev. 10: 8-10.
8. What then was John told he must do? Ans. Rev. 10: 11.
9. He was told to measure what? Ans. Rev. 11: 1.
10. What was he told not to measure? Ans. Rev. 11: 2.
11. What city was to be trodden under foot, and for how long?
Ans. Rev. 11: 2; Matt. 27: 53.
12. What were the "two" witnesses to do and for how long?
Ans. Rev. 11: 3.
13. Who are the "two witnesses"? Ans. Rev. 11: 4.
14. What of those who desire to hurt these witnesses?
Ans. Rev. 11: 5.
15. The "two witnesses" have power to do what?
Ans. Rev. 11: 6.

16. When and how were they to be killed? Ans. Rev. 11: 7.
17. What would be done with their dead bodies?
Ans. Rev. 11: 8-10.
18. After three days and a half what would happen to these dead bodies?
Ans. Rev. 11: 11.
19. Tell of their ascension. Ans. Rev. 11: 12, 13.
20. How many of the three "woes" were now past? Ans. Rev. 11: 14.

LESSON 16.

SOUNDING THE LAST TRUMPET

Read Rev. 11: 15-19

1. This lesson deals with the sounding of which of the seven angels?
Ans. Rev. 11: 15.
2. Give the message proclaimed at this time by the "great voices in heaven." Ans. Rev. 11: 15.
3. What was done by the twenty-four elders?
Ans. Rev. 11: 16.
4. Why did they give thanks to God? Ans. Rev. 11: 17.
5. What was to be finished at the sounding of the seventh angel's trumpet? Ans. Rev. 10: 7.
6. What was the "mystery" which Paul connected with the sounding of the last trumpet? Ans. I Cor. 15: 51, 52.
7. Name another event which Paul connected with the sounding of the last trumpet. Ans. I Thess. 4: 16.
8. Give two events which Paul connects with the coming of Christ.
Ans. a. Punishment of the wicked (II Thess. 1: 7-9).
b. Christ glorified in his saints (II Thess. 1: 10).
9. What two classes of people are to be raised in the same hour?
Ans. Jno. 5: 28, 29.
10. Name three great events which John connects with the sounding of the seventh trumpet.
Ans. a. The dead judged (Rev. 11: 18).
b. The righteous rewarded (Rev. 11: 18).
c. The wicked punished (Rev. 11: 18).
11. Whose will the "kingdoms of the world" become after the sounding of the seventh angel? Ans. Rev. 11: 15.
12. Who has a kingdom on this earth from Pentecost to the sounding of the last trumpet? Ans. Jno. 18: 36; Col. 1: 13; Rev. 1: 5-9.

13. Unto whom will the kingdom of Christ be given after the judgment?
Ans. I Cor. 15: 24-26.
14. After the kingdom has been delivered up to the Father unto whom will Christ be subject? Ans. I Cor. 15: 28.
15. How can the kingdom be called both God's and Christ's after Christ has returned it to God the Father? Ans. Jno. 17: 10.
16. Give passages which refer to Christ's kingdom as belonging to both the Father and the Son.
Ans. (Matt. 6: 33; Jno. 18: 36) (Matt. 20: 21; Matt. 21: 43).
17. Give passages which refer to the final reign in heaven as belonging to both God and Christ. Ans. Eph. 5: 5; Rev. 22: 1.
18. What was opened in heaven and what was seen?
Ans. Rev. 11: 19.

LESSON 17.

THE WOMAN AND THE DRAGON

Read Rev. 12

1. Describe the woman arrayed with the sun. Ans. Rev. 12: 1, 2.
2. Describe the great red dragon. Ans. Rev. 12: 3.
3. How did the dragon cast down a third part of the stars?
Ans. Rev. 12: 4.
4. Why did he stand before the woman? Ans. Rev. 12: 4.
5. Who was born of the woman? Ans. Rev. 12: 5.
6. How was the child saved from the dragon? Ans. Rev. 12: 5.
7. Where did the woman flee? Ans. Rev. 12: 6.
8. How long was she nourished there? Ans. Rev. 12: 6.
9. Between whom was there war in heaven? Ans. Rev. 12: 7.
10. Who was victorious in this conflict? Ans. Rev. 12: 8, 9.
11. To what place were the dragon and his angels cast down?
Ans. Rev. 12: 9.
12. Give four other names applied to the dragon. Ans. Rev. 12: 9.
13. What did a great voice in heaven say had now come?
Ans. Rev. 12: 10.
14. How was the dragon overcome? Ans. Rev. 12: 11.
15. Why was this an occasion for rejoicing in heaven and for sorrow on earth? Ans. Rev. 12: 12.
16. Whom did the dragon persecute after he was cast down to earth?
Ans. Rev. 12: 13.
17. How did the woman escape the dragon? Ans. Rev. 12: 14.

18. How then did the dragon attempt to destroy the woman?
Ans. Rev. 12: 15.
19. How did the woman escape this attempt of the serpent?
Ans. Rev. 12: 16.
20. Upon whom did the dragon then make war? Ans. Rev. 12: 17.

LESSON 18.

THE BEASTS COMING OUT OF THE SEA AND OUT OF THE EARTH

Read Rev. 13

1. From where did the first beast come? Ans. Rev. 13: 1.
2. Describe this beast, giving the number of horns, how many heads, what was on the horns, and on the heads, and the different animals he resembled. Ans. Rev. 13: 1, 2.
3. What did this beast receive from the dragon?
Ans. Rev. 13: 2.
4. What have we already learned about this dragon?
Ans. Rev. 12.
5. What happened to one of the heads of this beast?
Ans. Rev. 13: 3.
6. How long was the beast's authority to continue?
Ans. Rev. 13: 5.
7. What did the beast blaspheme? Ans. Rev. 13: 6.
8. Against whom did he make war? Ans. Rev. 13: 7.
9. Over whom did he have authority? Ans. Rev. 13: 7.
10. Who worshiped the dragon and the beast? Ans. Rev. 13: 4, 8.
11. Who is admonished to give heed to these things?
Ans. Rev. 13: 9.
12. What of those who lead others into captivity?
Ans. Rev. 13: 10.
13. What of those who kill with the sword? Ans. Rev. 13: 10.
14. What similar law was given soon after the flood?
Ans. Gen. 9: 6.
15. What did Jesus say about those who take up the sword?
Ans. Matt. 26: 52.
16. Describe the beast that came up out of the earth.
Ans. Rev. 13: 11.
17. What can you say of the extent of his authority?
Ans. Rev. 13: 12.

18. By what signs or miracles did he deceive many?
Ans. Rev. 13: 13-15.
19. What did he cause men to do, and how did he compel them to do it? Ans. Rev. 13: 16-17.
20. What is the number of the beast? Ans. Rev. 13: 18.

LESSON 19.

THE LAMB AND THE HEAVENLY PROCLAMATIONS

Read Rev. 14

1. Where did John see the Lamb standing? Ans. Rev. 14: 1.
2. Who was with him? Ans. Rev. 14: 1.
3. What was written on their foreheads? Ans. Rev. 14: 1.
4. The voice from heaven sounded like what three things?
Ans. Rev. 14: 2.
5. The one hundred and forty-four thousand sang the new song before whom? Ans. Rev. 14: 3.
6. Who alone could learn that new song? Ans. Rev. 14: 3.
7. Who are the one hundred and forty-four thousand singers?
Ans. Rev. 14: 4, 5.
8. What was the mission of the angel flying in the midst of heaven?
Ans. Rev. 14: 6.
9. What was his message? Ans. Rev. 14: 7.
10. Give the proclamation of the angel that followed.
Ans. Rev. 14: 8.
11. Give the message proclaimed by the third angel.
Ans. Rev. 14: 9-11.
12. What two things are the saints to keep? Ans. Rev. 14: 12.
13. What was John told to write concerning the righteous dead?
Ans. Rev. 14: 13.
14. Describe the one who sat on a "white cloud." Ans. Rev. 14: 14.
15. What did the angel from the temple tell him to do?
Ans. Rev. 14: 15, 16.
16. From where, and with what, did another angel come?
Ans. Rev. 14: 17.
17. What was the angel with the sharp sickle told to do?
Ans. Rev. 14: 18.
18. What then was gathered in? Ans. Rev. 14: 19.
19. What can you say of the amount of blood that came from the trodden winepress? Ans. Rev. 14: 20.

LESSON 20.**THE SEVEN BOWLS OF WRATH**

Read Rev. 15 and 16

1. What great and marvelous sign was seen in heaven?
Ans. Rev. 15: 1.
2. Who was seen standing by the sea of glass? Ans. Rev. 15: 2.
3. What song did they sing? Ans. Rev. 15: 3, 4.
4. What was opened in heaven? Ans. Rev. 15: 5.
5. Who came out from the temple? Ans. Rev. 15: 6.
6. What did one of the four living creatures give to the seven angels?
Ans. Rev. 15: 7.
7. With what was the temple filled? Ans. Rev. 15: 8.
8. What were the seven angels told to do? Ans. Rev. 16: 1.
9. Tell what happened when the first bowl was poured out.
Ans. Rev. 16: 2.
10. How was the sea affected by the pouring out of the second vial?
Ans. Rev. 16: 3.
11. Into what was the third bowl poured? Ans. Rev. 16: 4.
12. What did the "angel of the waters" say? Ans. Rev. 16: 5, 6.
13. What statement came from the altar? Ans. Rev. 16: 7.
14. Tell of the pouring out of the fourth bowl. Ans. Rev. 16: 8, 9.
15. On what was the fifth bowl poured, and what effect did it have?
Ans. Rev. 16: 10, 11.
16. On what was the sixth bowl poured? Ans. Rev. 16: 12.
17. What came out of the mouths of the dragon, the beast and the false prophet? Ans. Rev. 16: 13.
18. Who were these "spirits"? Ans. Rev. 16: 14.
19. For what great battle were they preparing? Ans. Rev. 16: 16.
20. What timely admonition is given here? Ans. Rev. 16: 15.
21. Tell all that occurred at the pouring out of the seventh bowl of wrath. Ans. Rev. 16: 17-21.

LESSON 21.**THE WOMAN ON THE SCARLET-COLORED BEAST**

Read Rev. 17

1. What did one of the seven angels promise to show John?
Ans. Rev. 17: 1.
2. Whom had this woman caused to sin? Ans. Rev. 17: 2.
3. Where did the angel take John? Ans. Rev. 17: 3.
4. Describe the beast on which the woman sat. Ans. Rev. 17: 3.
5. How was the woman dressed? Ans. Rev. 17: 4.
6. What name was written on her forehead? Ans. Rev. 17: 5.
7. On what was the woman drunken? Ans. Rev. 17: 6.
8. What mystery did the angel say he would reveal to John?
Ans. Rev. 17: 7.
9. What was there peculiar about this beast's existence?
Ans. Rev. 17: 8.
10. Who would wonder at the peculiarity of this beast?
Ans. Rev. 17: 8.
11. What do the seven heads of the beast represent? Ans. Rev. 17: 9.
12. What is said of the seven kings? Ans. Rev. 17: 10, 11.
13. What do the ten horns represent? Ans. Rev. 17: 12, 13.
14. Against whom would they wage war? Ans. Rev. 17: 14.
15. What will be the result of this war? Ans. Rev. 17: 14.
16. What do the waters "where the woman sitteth" represent?
Ans. Rev. 17: 15.
17. How and by whom will the woman be destroyed?
Ans. Rev. 17: 16.
18. Who put it in their hearts to do this? Ans. Rev. 17: 17.
19. Who is this woman? Ans. Rev. 16: 19; 17: 5, 18; 18: 2, 10.

LESSON 22.**THE FALL OF BABYLON**

Read Rev. 18

1. Tell of the angel that was seen after the vision of chapter 17.
Ans. Rev. 18: 1.
2. He announced the fall of what? Ans. Rev. 18: 2.
3. Babylon would become the habitation of what? Ans. Rev. 18: 2.
4. For whose sins was this Babylon responsible? Ans. Rev. 18: 3.
5. What did another voice from heaven urge God's people to do?
Ans. Rev. 18: 4.

6. Give two reasons why they should come out of Babylon.
Ans. Rev. 18: 4.
7. Who knew all her iniquities? Ans. Rev. 18: 5.
8. By what was Babylon's punishment to be measured?
Ans. Rev. 18: 6, 7.
9. Of what had she boasted? Ans. Rev. 18: 7.
10. What can you say of the suddenness of her destruction?
Ans. Rev. 18: 8.
11. What would her destruction cause kings to do and say?
Ans. Rev. 18: 9, 10.
12. Why would merchants weep and mourn over her?
Ans. Rev. 18: 12-16.
13. How would the men of the sea express their grief at her destruction?
Ans. Rev. 18: 17-19.
14. But the destruction of Babylon would be a cause for rejoicing for whom? Ans. Rev. 18: 20.
15. How did a strong angel illustrate the fall of Babylon?
Ans. Rev. 18: 21 (See Jer. 51: 63, and 64 regarding ancient Babylon).
16. Name five things which would never appear in the great city again, and tell why these things would be there no more.
Ans. Rev. 18: 22, 23.
17. Whose blood was found in her? Ans. Rev. 18: 24.

LESSON 23.

GOD IS PRAISED AND THE KING OF KINGS APPEARS

Read Rev. 19

1. After the fall of Babylon unto whom did the voice of a heavenly multitude ascribe salvation, glory and power? Ans. Rev. 19: 1.
2. With what kind of judgment did God judge the great harlot?
Ans. Rev. 19: 2.
3. Whose blood did he avenge? Ans. Rev. 19: 2.
4. What did the heavenly multitude say a second time?
Ans. Rev. 19: 3.
5. Tell what the twenty-four elders and the four living creatures said and did. Ans. Rev. 19: 4.
6. What was said by the voice from the throne? Ans. Rev. 19: 5.
7. Describe the voice that uttered the third Hallelujah.
Ans. Rev. 19: 6.

8. Give two reasons why the heavenly host should rejoice and glorify God at this time. Ans. Rev. 19: 7.
9. In what was the wife arrayed? Ans. Rev. 19: 8.
10. What is the "fine linen" with which she is clothed? Ans. Rev. 19: 8.
11. What was John told to write? Ans. Rev. 19: 9.
12. Whose words were these? Ans. Rev. 19: 9.
13. Then what did John endeavor to do, and how was he prevented? Ans. Rev. 19: 10.
14. Who alone should be worshiped? Ans. Jno. 4: 24; Matt. 4: 10.
15. What appeared when the heaven was opened? Ans. Rev. 19: 11.
16. Describe the person on the white horse. Ans. Rev. 19: 12, 13.
17. Who followed him? Ans. Rev. 19: 14.
18. What was the weapon of his warfare, and what was the instrument of his rule? Ans. Rev. 19: 15.
19. What was his name and where was it written? Ans. Rev. 19: 16.
20. What were all the birds commanded to do by the angel standing in the sun? Ans. Rev. 19: 17, 18.
21. For what purpose did the beast, the kings of the earth, and their armies gather together? Ans. Rev. 19: 19.
22. How were the beast and the false prophet disposed of? Ans. Rev. 19: 20.
23. How were the rest destroyed? Ans. Rev. 19: 21.

FOR CLASS DISCUSSION

- I. Discuss the church as the bride of Christ, paying special notice to the duties and responsibilities implied by the marriage illustration.

LESSON 24.

THE THOUSAND YEARS AND THE FINAL JUDGMENT

Read Rev. 20

1. Who was seen coming down out of heaven? Ans. Rev. 20: 1.
2. What did the angel have in his hand? Ans. Rev. 20: 1.
3. Whom did he bind and for how long? Ans. Rev. 20: 2.
4. Where was Satan confined and for how long? Ans. Rev. 20: 3.
5. What would Satan not be able to do and for how long? Ans. Rev. 20: 3.
6. For how long would Satan be loosed after the thousand years were finished? Ans. Rev. 20: 3.

7. What was given to those who sat on the thrones?
Ans. Rev. 20: 4.
8. Whose "souls" did John see? Ans. Rev. 20: 4.
9. What did these "souls" do for a thousand years? Ans. Rev. 20: 4.
10. What of the rest of the dead? Ans. Rev. 20: 5.
11. What is the "first resurrection?" or, what is the antecedent of "this" in the sentence, "*This* is the first resurrection?"
Ans. See the last clause in Rev. 20: 4.
12. What blessings and privileges are bestowed on the "souls" that have a part in the first resurrection? Ans. Rev. 20: 6.
13. What shall Satan do when the thousand years are finished?
Ans. Rev. 20: 7, 8.
14. Against whom were Satan and his hosts planning to make war?
Ans. Rev. 20: 9.
15. How was this prevented? Ans. Rev. 20: 9.
16. What is Satan's final destiny? Ans. Rev. 20: 10.
17. How long shall the devil, the beast, and the false prophet be tormented in the lake of fire and brimstone? Ans. Rev. 20: 10.
18. From whose face did the heaven and the earth flee away?
Ans. Rev. 20: 11.
19. Who was seen standing before the throne? Ans. Rev. 20: 12.
20. Out of what, and according to what, were the dead judged?
Ans. Rev. 20: 12.
21. Name three things that gave up their dead. Ans. Rev. 20: 13.
22. Into what were death and Hades cast? Ans. Rev. 20: 14.
23. What is the "second death?" Ans. Rev. 20: 14.
24. Who else was cast into the "lake of fire?" Ans. Rev. 20: 15.

FOR CLASS DISCUSSION

- I. Is there anything in this chapter that teaches that the "souls" who lived and reigned with Christ a thousand years were on earth while reigning?
- II. Is there anything that teaches that these "souls" were in resurrected bodies while reigning a thousand years?
- III. Discuss the danger of reading into this chapter what is not there.

LESSON 25.**A NEW HEAVEN AND A NEW EARTH**

Read Rev. 21: 1 to Rev. 22: 5

1. What appeared after the final judgment? Ans. Rev. 21: 1.
2. To what does John compare the new Jerusalem?
Ans. Rev. 21: 2.
3. What message was proclaimed by a great voice out of the throne?
Ans. Rev. 21: 3.
4. Name some things that shall pass away. Ans. Rev. 21: 4.
5. What did the one on the throne order John to do?
Ans. Rev. 21: 5.
6. What is promised to those who thirst? to those who overcome?
Ans. Rev. 21: 6, 7.
7. Who shall have their part in the lake of fire and brimstone?
Ans. Rev. 21: 8.
8. Who promised to show John the bride, the wife of the Lamb?
Ans. Rev. 21: 9.
9. Where then was John carried and what did he see?
Ans. Rev. 21: 10.
10. Describe the new Jerusalem.
To what is her light compared?
How many gates, where located, and what was written on them?
How many foundations and what was written on them?
Give the dimensions of the city.
Tell of the walls of the city.
Ans. Rev. 21: 11-18.
11. Name the twelve kinds of stone that composed the wall.
Ans. Rev. 21: 19, 20.
12. Describe the twelve gates and the street. Ans. Rev. 21: 21.
13. How was the city lighted? Ans. Rev. 21: 23; 22: 5.
14. Why will the gates of the city never be shut? Ans. Rev. 21: 25.
15. What will not enter the city? What will enter?
Ans. Rev. 21: 27.
16. Give a full description of the river of the water of life.
Ans. Rev. 22: 1, 2.
17. Whose throne will be in the new Jerusalem?
Ans. Rev. 22: 3, 4.

LESSON 26.**THE LAST WARNINGS, COMMANDS, AND PROMISES**

Read Rev. 22: 6-21

1. What assurance was given of no deception in the words of the Revelation? Ans. Rev. 22: 6.
2. What had John already been commanded to write regarding these words? Ans. Rev. 21: 5.
3. By whom was the angel sent to reveal these things?
Ans. Rev. 22: 6, 16.
4. When were these things to come to pass? Ans. Rev. 22: 6; 1: 1.
5. At the time John wrote the symbols of this book were they a prophecy or history? Ans. Rev. 22: 7.
6. What did John attempt to do when he had heard and seen these things. Ans. Rev. 22: 8.
7. Why did the angel prevent him? Ans. Rev. 22: 9.
8. What was he told not to seal up and why? Ans. Rev. 22: 10.
9. What is meant by "sealing up" a book or event?
Ans. Rev. 10: 4.
10. What is said of the unrighteous, the filthy and their opposites?
Ans. Rev. 22: 11.
11. How will each person be rewarded at the coming of Christ?
Ans. Rev. 22: 12.
12. What is meant by Alpha and Omega? Ans. Rev. 22: 13.
13. On what does the reception of the blessings of the eternal city depend? Ans. Rev. 22: 14.
14. What classes of persons will not be allowed admittance?
Ans. Rev. 22: 15.
15. To what are all invited by the Spirit and the bride?
Ans. Rev. 22: 17.
16. What warning is given to all who would add to the record of this Book? Ans. Rev. 22: 18.
17. What of those who would take away from the words of this Book?
Ans. Rev. 22: 19.
18. Does this principle apply to the rest of the Bible?
Ans. Deut. 4: 2; Gal. 1: 6-9.
19. How does Jesus place his stamp of approval upon the book of Revelation? Ans. Rev. 22: 20.
20. Repeat the benediction which ends God's written revelation to man.
Ans. Rev. 22: 21.

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