

# No More Delay Notes

Revelation 10:1-11

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**Main Point:** Because God reveals His majesty, mystery, and mission, believers are to worship Him, trust His timing, and take His Word to the world.

**Majesty:** \_\_\_\_\_ in Awe of the Majesty and Authority of God (1-3).

1. He is not one of the seven or the four that have already been mentioned.
  - He is “\_\_\_\_\_” one, which means “of the same kind.”
  - He is “\_\_\_\_\_,” which means “powerful and strong.”
2. Clouds are often associated with God’s \_\_\_\_\_ and with judgment.
3. The rainbow represents \_\_\_\_\_ (Habakkuk 3:2).
4. His face was bright like the sun and his legs were firm and \_\_\_\_\_.
5. The “pillars of fire” remind us how the Lord led Israel by \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The “little scroll” was likely a smaller section of the large scroll introduced in chapter 5.
7. His right foot on the sea and his left foot on the land show his total \_\_\_\_\_ as he claims both land and sea.
  - This is God’s way of showing He is \_\_\_\_\_ the earth.
8. His voice was loud, “like a lion roaring,” which may be a reference to “the \_\_\_\_\_ of the tribe of Judah.”
9. Thunder accompanies the opening of the seventh seal (8:5), the sounding of the seventh trumpet (11:19), and the pouring out of the seventh bowl (16:17-18).
10. Applications
  - \_\_\_\_\_ God as majestic and holy.
  - Anchor your life to the \_\_\_\_\_ of God.

**Mystery: Trust God Even When His Ways are Mysterious and \_\_\_\_\_ (4-7)**

1. God has revealed everything we need to know, but not everything we \_\_\_\_\_ to know.
  - There are mysteries in Scripture meant to \_\_\_\_\_ us, not frustrate us.
  - Where God speaks clearly, we should speak \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Where God is silent, we should walk \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Where God leaves mystery, we should respond with humility and \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Then, this angel “raised his right hand to heaven” as if taking an \_\_\_\_\_ (vs. 6-7).
3. There will “be no more \_\_\_\_\_.”
  - This answers the question, “How \_\_\_\_\_, O Lord,” by many believers and specifically shouted out by the martyrs in 6:10.
  - The answer is fleshed out in 11:18.
4. In the Bible, the word “mystery” refers to that which was previously unknown but now \_\_\_\_\_.

- The word “mystery” is used of the kingdom of God (Matthew 13:11), the incarnation (1 Timothy 3:16), the ultimate conversion of the Jews and the fullness of the Gentiles (Romans 11:25), God’s purpose for the church (Ephesians 3:3-11), the mystery of the rapture (1 Corinthians 15:51), and of Christ Himself (Colossians 4:3).

5. Application

- \_\_\_\_\_ what God says even when it doesn’t make sense.
- Confess God as the eternal \_\_\_\_\_ (John 1:3).
- Be \_\_\_\_\_ as you wait for God’s plan.
- Allow the \_\_\_\_\_ of God to move you to worship (Deuteronomy 29:29, John 16:12).

**Mission: \_\_\_\_\_ in God’s Word and Go with the Gospel (8-11)**

1. To “take” means “to \_\_\_\_\_.”
2. To “eat it” means to absorb, appropriate, and \_\_\_\_\_ the message.
3. The Bible is bittersweet because it is sweet like honey and it also smacks like a hammer sometimes (Psalm 119:103, Jeremiah 23:29).
4. Verse 10 shows us John’s \_\_\_\_\_.
  - John must go and prophesy about the coming worldwide \_\_\_\_\_.
  - John is told to preach “again” because it’s easy to lose focus by only thinking of ourselves and forgetting the \_\_\_\_\_ around the world.
5. Application
  - Daily \_\_\_\_\_ and assimilate the Bible (Psalm 34:8).
  - Embrace the sweetness and \_\_\_\_\_ of Scripture.
    - God’s Word is always good, but its message will not always make us happy.
    - There’s value in hearing the good news of our salvation, but we also need the bad news about our \_\_\_\_\_.
    - Faith that’s only sweet in the mouth and to the ears may never reach the \_\_\_\_\_ where life change takes place.
  - Go \_\_\_\_\_ with the gospel.