The Final Invitation Notes

Revelation 22:16-21

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Main Point: It's time to come to Christ because the timing of His coming will be quick.

Identity

1. Revelation is a book about the _____ of Jesus Christ as it presents Him with numerous powerful names and titles, which highlight His identity, authority, and redemptive work.
2. Christology found in these closing verses.
    - Jesus.
        - Jesus _____ the entire Book of Revelation.
        - He was given the name "Jesus" because "He will _____ His people from their sins" (Matthew 1:21).
        - His name means, "The LORD saves" or "the LORD is _____."
        - This book was given by Jesus especially "for the _____."
    - Root of David.
        - The word "root" points to the preexistence of Jesus as the one who _____ David, called him, established his throne, and promised that his kingdom would endure forever.
    - Descendent of David.
        - Jesus is also the _____ of David.
        - He is before David as God and is descended from David as _____ (Matthew 1:1).
    - Bright Morning Star.
        - The word "bright" means "dazzling, _____, resplendent."
        - To call someone a star was to _____ him.
        - The "morning star," which is most often the planet Venus, appears just before the _____ light of dawn.
        - It signals that the darkness is about to break and a _____ day is coming.

Invitation (vs. 17)

1. This is both a prayer for Christ to come and a plea for unbelievers to _____ to Christ.
    - The Holy Spirit says come!
    - The bride, the church of Jesus, says come!
    - The one who hears tells others to come!
    - The one who is thirsty is invited to come!
2. Notice how the "Spirit and the Bride" partner _____ to make this evangelistic appeal.
    - Evangelism is the Spirit's work through the church's _____.

3. The word “come” implies _____ and could be translated as, “come to Christ right now” (2 Corinthians 6:2).
4. Notice how those who “hear” can’t help but _____ others to come to Christ.
5. We also see the importance of being “_____.”
    - The only qualification to be saved is to realize you are spiritually _____ and sinfully depraved.
6. The invitation is for everyone “who _____.”
7. We must balance God’s sovereignty and human _____.
8. It doesn’t matter what you’ve done or how long you’ve been doing it. The key is to simply “_____ the water of life without price.”
9. This offer is _____ given as a gift of grace, but you do have to come and take it.

Inspiration

1. God’s Word can be trusted because it is _____ (vs. 18-19).

Imminence

1. Christ’s return could happen at ____ time, so we should live accordingly and expectantly.
2. It comes from the Latin which means, “to hang _____” or “to impend.”
3. The word “surely” means “verily and _____.
4. The phrase “coming soon” means “promptly, swiftly, speedily, and _____.
5. The word “Amen” means “_____, so be it.”

Impartation

1. Even though the Tribulation will unleash the holy wrath of God and His righteous judgment, the book ends with the impartation of _____ (vs. 21).
2. This grace is imparted to “_____” which means the totality of those who trust in Christ.