



HTC SMALL GROUP

Discussion Questions

Sermon Title: THE BEGINNING AND THE END

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Scripture: REVELATION 1

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READ Chapter 1

1. The book of Revelation comes from the word “reveal” in verse one. What else do we see in the first few verses that shows the Lord’s heart to communicate? What are the different ways the Lord communicates with people?
2. Has the Lord shown His desire to communicate with you personally? Examples?
3. Do you live as if the Lord will return “soon”? In what way?
4. Verse 3 promises a blessing in connection with the book of Revelation. What is required to receive it?
5. How do verses 4-5 speak of or present the Trinity?
6. In what way did Jesus show His love for us based on the second part of verse 5? If Christ “freed us from our sins” why does it seem so many Christians are still captive?
7. When you picture the Lord “coming with the clouds” (Vs. 7) what do you imagine that moment will be like? Why will the people of the earth at that time “mourn because of Him”?
8. What points about Jesus’ return are made in the following parables? Mark 13:32-37 and Matthew 25:1-13.
9. In verses 4 and 8 the phrase, “who is, and who was, and who is to come” is stated. How does this description of God show His power?
10. What are other ways the Lord’s power is described in chapter 1?
11. Why is Jesus described the way He is in verses 13-16? Discuss the symbolic meaning behind the descriptions.
12. John’s reaction to seeing Jesus and Jesus’ response to John says much. What can we learn from this moment?
13. What hopes do you have for our study of Revelation? What hopes do you think God has for you?