

NOTES & QUESTIONS

THE WORSHIP OF THE LAMB: PART 1

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REVELATION 1

1. The Visionary (Revelation 1:9-11)

2. The Vision (Revelation 1:12-16)

Among the lampstands (Revelation 1:20)

Son of Man (Daniel 7:12-14)

Robe with golden sash (Exodus 28; Hebrews 4:15; Daniel 10:5)

Hair white like wool and snow (Daniel 7:9; Mark 9:3)

Eyes like blazing fire (Daniel 10:6; Revelation 19:12)

Feet like bronze (Ezekiel 1:7)

Voice like rushing water (Ezekiel 1:24; 43:2)

Holding seven stars (Revelation 1:19)

Double-edged sword (Hebrews 14:12; Revelation 2:26; 19:15,21)

Face like the sun (Numbers 6:25; Exodus 34:29-35)

3. Our current reality (Revelation 1:17-18)

4. A look ahead (Revelation 1:19-20)

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS FOR FAMILY, FRIENDS & GROUPS

1) Choose a word that best describes what has been your general approach to the book of Revelation and explain why you chose the word you did? Avoidance, confusion, fear, hope, preoccupation, unimportant.

2) Read Rev 1:12-16. There's a lot in there! Pick out each description of Jesus and discuss what each one means. (hint- refer to your sermon notes).

3) Of all the descriptions, which one or two currently mean the most to you and why?

4) What, if anything, has changed about your view of Jesus after reading Revelation 1?

5) How have you personally experienced any of the descriptions of Jesus in Rev 1:12-16? Be specific and it may require some vulnerability.

6) The description of Jesus in Revelation 1 is the current Jesus. Why do you think that matters?

7) Read Revelation 1:17-18. If Jesus reached out to you and told you to not be afraid, what would he most likely be talking about? In other words, what causes you to be fearful? How might knowing the real Jesus help alleviate those fears?

PRAYER PROMPT: Take turns as a group filling in the blanks to this prayer using the descriptions found in Revelation 1:12-16. Jesus, I praise you because you _____. That matters to me because _____.