Revelation: Hope for the Last Days

Rev. 4:1-11 - December 2, 2021

Come and see - God is! (v1)
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• "after this" (c.f. Rev. 1:19)

"the things that you have seen"	"those that are"	"those that are to take place after this"
Past	Present	Future
The vision of Christ	The letters to the 7 Churches	The visions of future things
Rev. 1	Rev. 2-3	Rev. 4-22

- The door of heaven _____!
- These are things that _____ take place!

Come and know - God is _____! (v2-8a)

- A throne is a symbol of ______
- Who are the 24 elders? (v4)
 - 1. The title "presbuteros"
 - 2. The position seated on thrones
 - 3. The crowns (Rev. 2:10)
 - 4. The clothing (Rev. 3:5, 18; 19:8)
 - 5. The song (Rev. 5:8-13)
 - 6. The distinction (Rev. 5:11)
 - 7. The number
- The 4 living creatures... (v6b-8a; Ezek. 1:5-18, 10:14-15)

Come and bow - God is	! (v8b-10a)
"Holy" (c.f. Isaiah 6:3)	
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•by	God Is!
Come and worship - God is	! (v10b-11)
"Worthy"	
•by	God did!
My Next Steps	
□ I choose to focus on	these things take place.
$\hfill\Box$ I choose to elevate the priority of	in my life.
$\hfill\Box$ I choose to focus my life on	ı God.
□ I choose to my	to the Lord God Almighty.
Discussion Questions	
1. How does John's vision of heaven com	pare with our view of heaven?

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- 2. What do you picture when you hear "the throne room of heaven?"
- 3. How much is my life captivated by heaven & worshipping God?
- 4. What should I do to focus more of our attention on God?
- 5. How have I responded to the welcome of God?

For further study

- 1. Amir Tsarfati prophecy updates & teaching videos (www.beholdisrael.org)
- 2. Dr. Constable's Notes on Revelation (https://planobiblechapel.org/tcon/notes/pdf/revelation.pdf)
- 3. www.pre-trib.org (The website of the Pre-Trib Research Center, Dr. Tommy Ice)
- 4. The End, a book by Mark Hitchcock

(For next week, please read Revelation chapter 5)