

The Breath of Life in the Church

Revelation 3:1-6

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Intro:

1. Sardis resembled a museum more than the body of Christ. (vs. 1b)
2. The remnant needs spiritual resuscitation. (vs. 2-3b)
 - a. Recognize the deadness of our deeds. (vs. 2b)
 - b. Spiritual slumber must end. (vs. 2a)
 - c. Strengthen what remains. (vs. 2a)
 - d. Rehearse and remember the truth we do know. (vs. 3a)
 - e. Keep the gospel. (vs. 3a)
 - f. Yield to the Spirit and the Word in repentance. (vs. 3a)
3. Respect the warning of discipline and judgment. (vs. 3b)
4. Long for the Rewarder. (vs. 4-5)
 - a. You have received the reward of purity. (vs. 4-5)
 - i. Justification (vs. 4b)
 - ii. Progressive sanctification (vs. 4a, 5a)
 - iii. Glorification (vs. 4b)
 - b. You have received the reward of security. (vs. 5)
 - i. The promise of security (vs. 5b)
 - ii. The promise of Christ's confession is our standing (vs. 5c)

5. Are we listening? (vs. 6)