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SEQUOIA NOTES

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Big Idea: The Great <u>Co-Vision</u> precedes the Great <u>Commission</u>

Revelation 7:9-12

⁹ After this I saw a vast crowd, too great to count, from every nation and tribe and people and language, standing in front of the throne and before the Lamb. They were clothed in white robes and held palm branches in their hands. ¹⁰ And they were shouting with a great roar,

"Salvation comes from our God who sits on the throne and from the Lamb!" ¹¹ And all the angels were standing around the throne and around the elders and the four living beings. And they fell before the throne with their faces to the ground and worshiped God. ¹² They sang,

"Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honour and power and strength belong to our God forever and ever! Amen."

Gods vision is truly **<u>Breathtaking</u>**.

"...a vast crowd, too great to count, from every nation and tribe and people and language" (Revelation 7:9a)

Gods vision is of a truly **<u>Global Family.</u>**

"For you were slaughtered, and your blood has ransomed people for God from every tribe and language and people and nation." (Revelation 5:9)

Gods vision is **<u>Certain.</u>**

"And the Good News about the Kingdom will be preached throughout the whole world, so that all nations will hear it; and then the end will come." (Matthew 24:14)

Gods vision is **Not the current reality.**

What might God do if we were to fully embrace the Great Co-Vision?

The Translation of the Bible Scriptures used in today's 10:10 service are from the New Living Translation (NLT).