

The Golden Key To Revelation

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INTRODUCTION

NOTES

When God instructed John to write the Book of Revelation, He told him to write what he had seen, what currently is, and what is to come in the future. Understanding each of these components is the key to understanding Revelation and the message God has for us in this important book.

KEY POINTS

1. The Past

In Revelation 1:9–20, John describes his vision of Christ in His majesty and glory, emphasizing His authority and divine attributes. Jesus appears in His glorified body, reminding us of His role as judge, redeemer, and ruler. This vision serves as a reminder of Christ’s ultimate victory and authority.

2. The Present

Revelation 2–3 contains letters to seven churches in Asia Minor, addressing both their strengths and weaknesses. These letters emphasize Christ’s presence among His churches and His attentiveness to their faithfulness. The messages remain relevant today, challenging churches to evaluate their unity, love, and commitment to God’s mission.

3. The Future

Revelation 4–22 unveils the events that will take place after the church age, including the tribulation, Christ’s return, and the ultimate defeat of Satan. This section emphasizes living in readiness and victory, knowing that Christ will triumph and establish His eternal kingdom.

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QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER

1. How does understanding the structure of Revelation (past, present, future) help you approach the book with more confidence?
2. What lessons can we learn from the letters to the seven churches about our personal faith and the health of the church today?
3. How can the promise of Christ's ultimate victory shape the way you live and serve God in the present?
