

The Book of Revelation – Study Review

Chapters 1 – 3

Chapter 1

1. The title of the book is taken from the first verse. What is another way to say “The Revelation”?
2. What does the word “signified” mean? What does it tell us about the message about to be unveiled?
3. What words or phrases are used in the first three verses that indicate the time frame in which these events would take place? How do these compare with modern ideas about the book?
4. To whom was the book addressed? What is the significance of the number seven?
5. Compare Revelation 1:7 and Matthew 24:30. What might “coming with clouds” mean?
6. Why would a lamp-stand be used to symbolize a church?

Chapter 2

7. What does it mean when Jesus says that Ephesus had lost its first love?
8. What does the two-edged sword symbolize?
9. In one word, describe the doctrine of Balaam.
10. What is manna (see Exodus 16)? What might hidden manna symbolize?
11. The word translated “vote” or “voice” in Acts 26:10 is the same word translated “stone” in Revelation 2:17. What might the white stone symbolize?
12. How does a Christian have “power over the nations”?

Chapter 3

13. What does it mean to have “a name that you are alive, but you are dead”?
14. What do white garments symbolize?
15. Compare Revelation 3:9 and Isaiah 60:14. Why did Jesus say the synagogue of Satan would worship before the feet of those in Philadelphia?
16. Compare Revelation 3:10 and Matthew 24:21. What is being discussed in these passages?
17. What does it mean to be “hot” or “cold”?
18. If Jesus overcame and sat down on His throne, does that mean He is reigning presently? Can a king reign without a kingdom?