



## DAILY READINGS

**Church Reset** – There was a moment when John was in quarantine on the island of Patmos and his time there was interrupted by an encounter with Jesus. Jesus told John that he wanted to reset the values, the priorities and the very heartbeat of the local church.

Each week we will spend time in a letter to one of the churches. In our current season of quarantine, when our normal routines have been disrupted, let's spend time in His Word and ask Him what else He would ask us to reset.

Before your reading each day, meditate on Revelation 1:17-18 , pray for one person to know Christ  and pray for one person to grow in Him .

### Memorization & Meditation:

*When I saw him, I fell at his feet as though dead. But he laid his right hand on me, saying, "Fear not, I am the first and the last, and the living one. I died, and behold I am alive forevermore, and I have the keys of Death and Hades." – Revelation 1:17-18*

### WEEK 1

#### Sunday, June 28th

- [July 1] Revelation 1:1-3 | Revelation is designed to motivate us to faithfulness and obedience by revealing the "things that must take place." How does the promise of the Kingdom coming motivate you in your walk with God?
- [2] Revelation 1:4-8 | Several names for God are listed in v.8. What are some other names of God revealed in scripture? Which name do you connect with the most?
- [3] Revelation 19:11-16 | Rev. 1:7 says "Behold, he is coming with the clouds." What are your thoughts and emotions as you read this more detailed passage describing the return of Jesus Christ?
- [4] What is one thing God has highlighted in your heart this week as you have been reading? Write it down. Spend time today in prayer and ask God how He would want you to act on that.

### WEEK 2

#### Sunday, July 5th

- [6] Revelation 1:9-11 | John calls himself our "brother and partner in tribulation and the Kingdom and patient endurance in Jesus." Write down an example of a time you endured patiently on behalf of Christ.
- [7] Revelation 1:12-16 | What part of John's description stands out to you the most? Why?
- [8] Revelation 1:17-20 | What is your reaction to Christ's response to John in v.17?
- [9] Revelation 5:1-14 | How does this passage challenge or expand your view of who Jesus is?
- [10] Daniel 7:9-14 | What parallels are there between Daniel 7 and Revelation 1? What do these suggest about who Christ is?
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### WEEK 3

#### Sunday, July 12th

- [13] Revelation 2:1 | Christ describes himself as the one who walks among the lampstands (churches). He is with us. He cares for us. How does this give you comfort for the trials in your life?
- [14] Revelation 2:2-3 | What does Christ affirm about the church at Ephesus? Write an example of something in your life that Christ would affirm in the same way.

- [15] Revelation 2:4-5 | Reflect on the place you first fell in love with Christ. What works marked that period of time in your spiritual journey?
- [16] Revelation 2:6-7 | Each letter ends with a promise drawn from the end of Revelation. Here, it says, "to the one who conquers." How would you explain what it means to be a "victor" or an overcomer in the Christian life?
- [17] Ephesians 5:1-2 | How would you apply these verses to your Christian walk?
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### WEEK 4

#### Sunday, July 19th

- [20] Revelation 3:14 | What can we learn about Jesus from His description of himself in v.14?
- [21] Revelation 3:15-16 | How would you feel if you heard the Lord Jesus say, "You make me sick!"? What would your response be?
- [22] Revelation 3:17-18 | What is the proper response when the Lord exposes spiritual immaturity or disobedience in our lives?
- [23] Revelation 3:19-20 | Why is discipline actually a sign of love? What role has discipline played in your own life?
- [24] Revelation 3:21-22 | How do we as believers benefit from Jesus' victory and reign?
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### WEEK 5

#### Sunday, July 26th

- [27] Revelation 2:8-11 | How does the eternal nature of Jesus (v.8) help provide comfort to those who are experiencing persecution or opposition?
- [28] Revelation 2:9 | How could the church at Smyrna be considered "rich" while experiencing tribulation and poverty?
- [29] Revelation 2:10 | Read James 1:12 as well. What encouragement is Jesus offering the church at Smyrna?
- [30] Revelation 2:11 | How would you explain "the second death" in your own words?
- [31] Revelation 2:8-11 | Think of a time you experienced discouragement, persecution, or suffering. What encouragement did you need? How do Jesus' words to the church at Smyrna encourage you?



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**Pray for one person to know Christ this week.**