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Bible Study Outline
11:00 AM

October 17, 2018

Subject: "A Journey Through the Book of Revelation" Part III

Introduction: The word Revelation in Greek is translated as "apokalypsis." From this word comes the English "apocalypse." The word apokalypsis or apocalypse means unveiling or disclosure. According to Baker Encyclopedia of the Bible, "the Books of Daniel and Revelation are the two apocalypses in the Bible. Apocalyptic thought was dominated by the conviction that, no matter how bad the circumstances might be, at any given moment, God and His people would ultimately triumph over their enemies. Apocalyptic determinism was not fatalistic conviction that everything happened by a kind of mindless necessity; rather, it clung to Hope in a sovereign God who would cause his people to experience ultimate victory over all temporal and spiritual enemies."

The Book of Revelation deals with the things that are happening now and the things that will happen later. For the entire fourth quarter, our Bible Study will take us on a journey through the Book of Revelation.

Scriptures: Revelation 3:1-22

Points to Ponder:

- The Church in Sardis

- The Church in Philadelphia

- The Church in Laodicea

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Bible Study Motto/Creed

"Bible Readers MAKE Bible Believers. Bible Believers MAKE Strong Christians.
Strong Christians MAKE a Strong Church. A Strong Church MAKES a better city, state, and world."