

SERMON STUDY QUESTIONS

SEPTEMBER 17, 2017

1. Read Revelation 1:4-8
2. What does the number seven signify in Revelation? What does this tell us about who this letter was written to? What are the implications of this?
3. The letter comes from God. Why does He refer to Himself as “Him who is and who was and who is to come”?
4. Why is the Holy Spirit referred to as the Seven Spirits of God?
5. Jesus is referred as the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of kings on earth. What does this mean? Why is He introduced in this way?
6. John extols God saying, “To Him who loves us.” What is the foremost thought that comes into your mind about God when you think about Him?
7. John says that God made us a kingdom, priests to our God. What does it mean that we are a kingdom? What does it mean that we are priests to our God, and what are the implications of this?
8. G.K. Beale says, “Christ’s coming in the Apocalypse is understood better as a process occurring throughout history; the so-called Second Coming is actually a final coming concluding the whole process of comings.” What does this mean and in what ways does He come?
9. How does the visible Second Coming impact the way you live? How should it impact you?
10. Pray!