

Unfolding the Revelation

Text Guide #3

- Rev. 1:1** The book of Revelation is the revelation of Jesus Christ.
- Rev. 1:1** It was given by God to Jesus, and by Jesus to the apostle John.
- Rev. 1:3** Those who read, hear and obey this prophecy will be blessed.
- Rev. 1:5** Revelation introduces Jesus as the Saviour of the world.
- Rev. 1:7** Revelation promises that Jesus will come again.
- Rev. 1:13** Revelation depicts Jesus in the midst of His people.
- Rev. 5:5-6** As a Lion and a Lamb, Jesus is conqueror and sacrifice.
- Rev. 14:7** Revelation reveals Jesus as the Creator.

: *There are two major powers presented in the book of Revelation.* :

- Rev. 5:6; 12:11; 14:1; 15:3** Jesus is the Lamb of the book of Revelation.
- Rev. 13:1-8; 14:9-11** The Beast is the other major power in Revelation.
- Rev. 14:6-7** God urges the world to worship Jesus, the Lamb.
- Rev. 13:3-4, 15-17** Virtually the entire world will follow after the Beast.

: *Notice the similarities between the Lamb (Jesus) and the Beast.* :

- Matt. 3:16; Rev. 13:1** Both rise out of water.
- Matt 3:16; 27:50; Rev. 13:5** Both exercise power 3 and a half years.
- Matt. 27:35; Rev. 13:3** Both receive deadly wound.
- Matt. 28:6; Rev. 13:3** Both come back to life.
- Rev. 5:8-14; 13:4** Both receive worship and honour.
- Rev. 14:7; 13:3** Both seek to receive all the world.
- Rev. 7:3; 14:9** The Lamb has a seal, while the Beast has a mark.
- Rev. 22:1-5** Revelation concludes with God's people saved in His Kingdom.
- Rev. 22:17** Jesus invites you to be part of that everlasting Kingdom.