

PLAYLIST – Bring your heart and voice 'Heaven's Song – What we're training for'

Revelation 4:6-11, 7:9-12, 19:6-8

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

The following questions are intended to use in discussion and application of the past week's sermon.

Listening

What part of the sermon was most helpful to you or challenged you to think and/or live differently? How will you apply this message to your life?

Engaging

Begin Reading Revelation 4 at the beginning of the chapter (leading up to verse 6 where we picked up in the sermon). Try to pick up symbols or aspects of the vision that might draw from Hebrew history and literature. Discuss how connecting the imagery with the Old Testament can better position us to understand John's Revelation.

Revelation 19 follows the downfall of Babylon, representing the final end of human institutions opposed to the Kingdom. This is the climax that the people of the Old and New Testament (represented by the 24 elders) has awaited and endured for! Marvel at this promised day!

Applying

Revelation 14:13 says, "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord... for their deeds follow them." Along with what we read out of 19:6-8, what do you think it means that the works and efforts we do in this life will 'follow us'? How can we keep this in front of us to spur greater faithfulness and passion for the righteous works of the Lord in and through our lives?

What has been your experience (or lack thereof) with the book of Revelation? As a culminating sermon in our Playlist series, has musical engagement become more developed in your life of faith (why or why not)? How might 'bringing our heart and voice in worship' continue?

Praying

In light of this message and discussion:

How can we pray for each other?
Where do you feel challenged or convicted?

What can we praise God for?
How can we pray for our church?



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