

NIV MEMORY VERSE: Revelation 7:17**PROPHECY/REVELATION 18-1**

For the Lamb at the center of the throne will be their shepherd; he will lead them to springs of living water. And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."

"SEALED FROM JUDGMENT"
Revelation 7:1-17

1. Share a thought from last week's lesson / lecture.
2. Chapter 7 contrasts two groups of people: those sealed on earth (vs.1-8) and the redeemed standing in heaven before God (vs. 9-17).
 - a. What were the four angels that John saw doing?
 - b. What do we learn from Isaiah 11:12 about the four corners of the earth?
 - c. What image comes to your mind as you read about this total stillness?
3. a. The angel of verse 2 had the seal of _____.
 - b. What do we know about Him from these Scriptures?
Matthew 16:13-16?

Acts 14:15?

Hebrews 10:31?
4. a. In Scripture, a seal indicates ownership and protection. How and why are God's people sealed today from Ephesians 1:13,14?
 - b. What took place in Ezekiel 9:1-11 before judgment fell?
 - c. Why were the four angels in Revelation 7:2,3 halted in their assignment of judgment?
5. a. How many Jews were sealed from each of the twelve tribes of Israel and what was the total count?

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5. b. What promise did God give Israel (referred to as Jacob) in Jeremiah 30:7?

c. What mystery did Paul want the Christians to understand from Romans 11:25-29?

6. a. Describe the multitude John saw in Revelation 7:9,10. What were they . . .
. . . wearing?

. . . holding?

. . . saying?

b. What was the crowd in John 12:12,13 carrying?

. . . shouting?

Palm branches in the ancient world signified victory. Rejoice! Your Lord is victorious . . . you will be victorious!

7. a. The angels worshipped God and proclaimed His praise. How do these Psalms echo their praise?

Praise: Psalm 68:4

Glory: Psalm 8:1

Wisdom: Psalm 104:24

Thanks: Psalm 107:1

Honor: Psalm 45:17

Power: Psalm 150:2

Strength: Psalm 59:17

b. Share a personal praise to God with your group. Someone needs to hear it.

8. a. Who were those in white robes (7:14)?

b. How did their robes become white?

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8. c. Why won't righteous acts cleanse us spiritually according to Isaiah 64:6?
 - d. What is the washing we need from Titus 3:5?
9. Where will this great multitude assemble according to Revelation 7:15?
10. a. List the great blessings that are received in verses 15-17.
 - b. Which blessing for redeemed citizens of heaven brings the greatest anticipation to your heart?
11. How do you think chapter 7 is an encouragement midst the seven seals of judgment?
12. How has the Holy Spirit spoken to your "heart" in this lesson?

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LECTURE NOTES:

PRAYER REQUESTS: