

Series: The Unveiling

“Bright Hope In Dark Times”

Revelation 7:1-17

The Big Idea:

Even in the darkest of times, in Christ we have the brightest hope.

(Revelation 7:1-17)

The Bright Hope God Ensures In the Dark Times

1. God ensures an _____ remnant. (Revelation 7:1-8)

Lessons From God’s Earthly Remnant:

A. It’s possible to be an effective _____ even in the
midst of intense persecution and tribulation.

B. You’re not _____ in the darkness.

C. God is always _____ to His promises.

2. God ensures _____ praise. (Revelation 7:9-17)

The Rewards of the Redeemed

A. God’s _____. (Revelation 7:15)

B. God’s _____. (Revelation 7:15-16)

C. God’s _____. (Revelation 7:17)

D. God’s _____. (Revelation 7:17)

Revelation 7:1-17 Study Guide

1. The Lord singles out 144,000 from the Jewish nation and redeems them (7:1-8). What does that say about His ability and determination to keep His promises? Which of God's specific promises have you had difficulty trusting?

2. The angels ascribe to God "blessing, glory, wisdom, thanksgiving, honor, power, and might" (7:11; cf. 5:12). While we might have a tendency to just breeze over these attributes pause and unpack what each one means. Which of these is most meaningful to you? Why?

3. What does it mean to be "washed in the blood of the Lamb" (7:14)? Do you think most non-Christians understand this phrase? Why can't you just get to heaven by being a good person? What would you say to a co-worker who said, "I have lived a pretty good life; I think God will let me in"?

4. Do you worship God like the "great multitude" described in 7:9-17? Why or why not?

5. This chapter concludes with ten eternal blessings enjoyed by this great multitude (7:15- 17). Which blessing will you appreciate the most? Why?

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