

THE REVELATION

OF

JESUS

CHRIST

Wednesdays @ 7PM



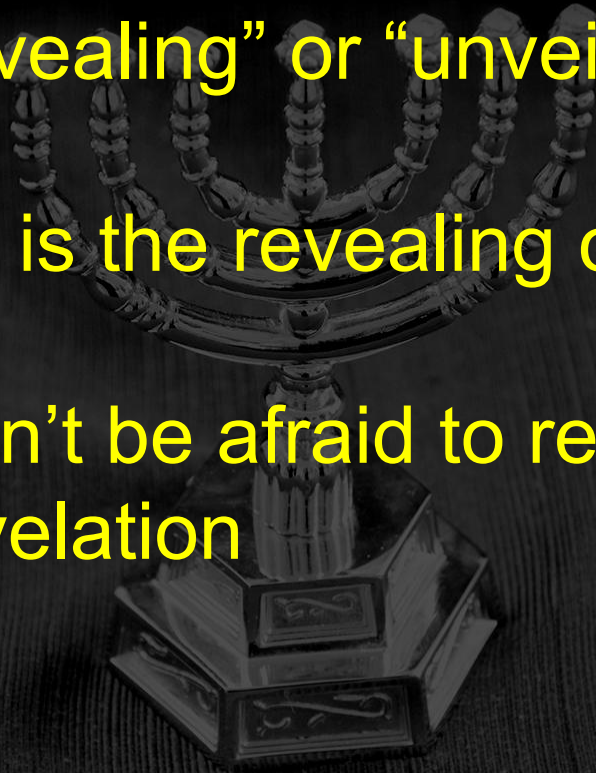
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What does “Revelation” mean?

“Revelation” means “revealing” or “unveiling”

The book of Revelation is the revealing of Jesus Christ!

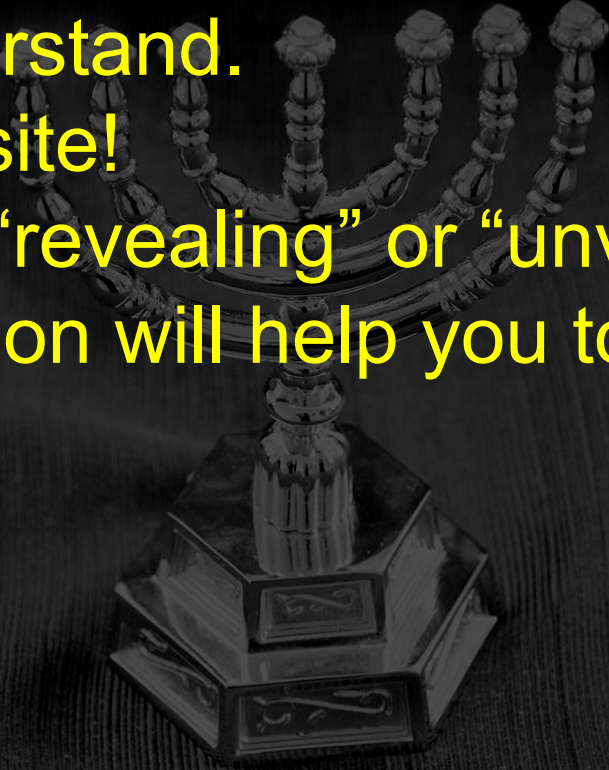
- Therefore we shouldn't be afraid to read, study, teach and share Revelation



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Some consider Revelation a book of secrets or things you cannot understand.

- It's exactly the opposite!
- “Revelation” means “revealing” or “unveiling”
- The book of Revelation will help you to know Jesus better



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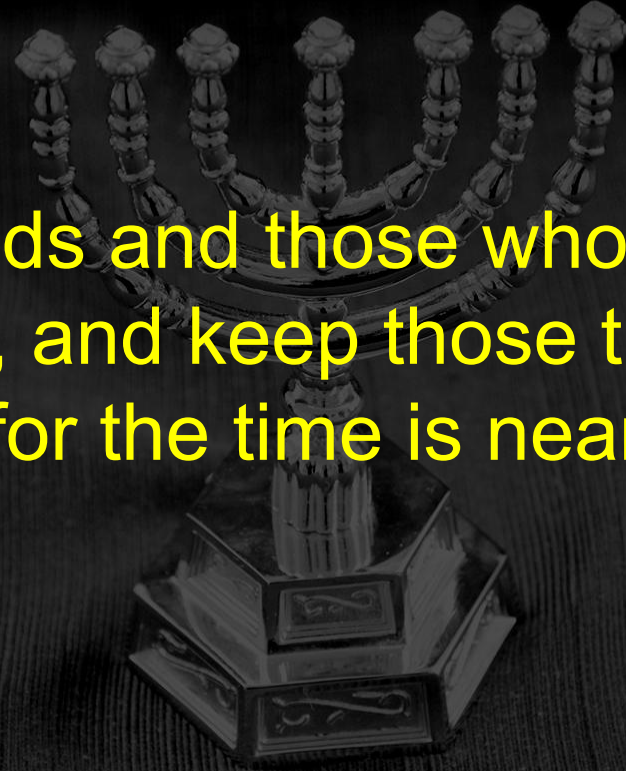
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Revelation is the 1 book that contains a special blessing for you!

“Blessed is he who reads and those who hear the words of this prophecy, and keep those things which are written in it; for the time is near.”
(Revelation 1:3)



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When was the book written?

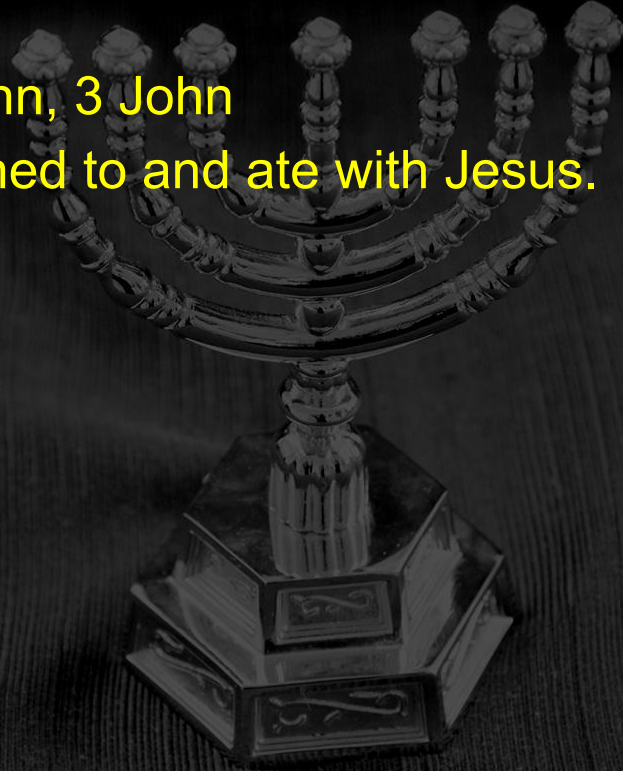
Around 95AD-96AD



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Who wrote it? John the Apostle

- Brother of James
- Also wrote John, 1 John, 2 John, 3 John
- John walked, sat, talked, listened to and ate with Jesus.



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Who wrote it? John the Apostle

- In John 21:20-23 - after Jesus' resurrection, Peter asked Jesus how John would die. Jesus answered, "If I will that he remain till I come, what *is that* to you? You follow Me."
 - Rumor got out that John was never going to die (John 21:23).
 - All (11) Apostles were martyred besides John! (torn apart, skinned, hanged, beaten to death, burned @ the stake)
 - According to history, they tried to persecute John by boiling in oil
 - John was oldest living Apostle ~ dying of old age

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Where was it written?

On the island of Patmos where John was banished to.

“I, John, both your brother and companion in the tribulation and kingdom and patience of Jesus Christ, was on the island that is called Patmos for the word of God and for the testimony of Jesus Christ.” (Revelation 1:9)



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How will we be teaching Revelation?

- In our Eschatology we are:
 - Pretribulational and Premillennial
- See Calvary Chapel At The Cross Statement of Faith at AtTheCross.org



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How will we be teaching Revelation?

- Our Statement of Faith states: “We await the pre-tribulation rapture of the church, and we believe in the literal Second Coming of Christ with His saints to rule the earth, which will be personal and visible. This motivates us to holy living, heartfelt worship, committed service, diligent study of God’s Word, regular fellowship, participation in adult baptism by immersion and Holy Communion.”

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