

JESUS IS KING

SMALL GROUP GUIDE

WEEK 1

The Big Idea

Ever opened the book of Revelation only to find yourself even more confused? Are you unsettled by all the economic, political, and civil unrest around the world? Have you recently been asking questions about the future you've never asked before? The Book of Revelation should give us peace about future, not fear. Jesus is King.

Tweetable Moments

“Jesus reigns and those who believe in Him will overcome.”

“Jesus is truth, Jesus is life, Jesus is King.”

Next Steps

- Put a reminder in your phone to pray tonight that God would help us surrender our past, present, and future to Him – trust Him – and not be afraid in tough times.
- Part of trusting God means living in obedience to Him. If you haven't been baptized yet, let's talk this week about what taking that first step of obedience to Jesus looks like!

Key Verses

Revelation 1:3, John 1:14, Revelation 14:6

Discussion Questions

1. **Discuss** Growing up, did you ever think about the end of the world? Did it scare you or fascinate you? Why?

2. **Read** Matthew 24:36

Discuss Have you ever seen or heard people who claim they know the exact time or day that the world is going to end? Why do you think we sometimes get tricked by conspiracy theories like that when the Bible says not even the angels know?

3. **Read** Revelation 12:11

Discuss Do you always feel like you are overcoming? If those who believe in Jesus overcome, why doesn't it always feel like it?

4. **Read** John 14:6

Discuss “The world” sometimes finds it unloving when Christians say things like, “The only way to Heaven is through Jesus”. Why? Is it? How can we speak the truth in love?

5. **Read** Revelation 1:17

Discuss Regardless of what we believe about the book of Revelation, we don't have to be afraid. How does this help you see the end of the world less through a lens of fear and more through the lens of Jesus' love? How might this command to “not be afraid” apply to the world right now?

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TEACHING NOTES

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Introduction to the Apocalypse

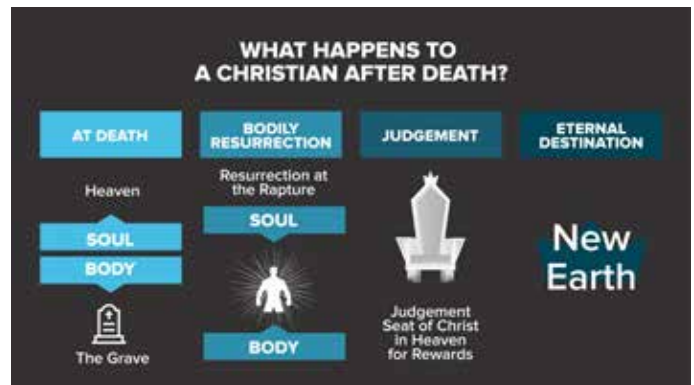
Why study the book of Revelation?

1. _____
2. _____
Revelation 1:3
3. _____



A Revelation about Jesus

1. Jesus is _____.
Revelation 1:5, John 1:14
2. Jesus is _____.
Revelation 1:5, John 14:6
3. Jesus is _____.
Revelation 1:5



What Should We Do?

1. Do not _____.
Revelation 1:17
2. _____ conformity.
Revelation 12:11