

Visions of Grace

Revelation 2-3 (NKJV)

1. The seven letters contain _____ truth

A. Ephesus: the _____ church

Revelation 2:4 "...I have this against you, that you have left your first love."

B. Smyrna: the _____ church

Revelation 2:10a "Do not fear any of those things which you are about to suffer.

Revelation 2:8 "These things says the First and the Last, who was dead, and came to life."

C. Pergamos: the _____ church

Revelation 2:14 "...you have there those who hold the doctrine of Balaam, who taught Balak to put a stumbling block before the children of Israel, to eat things sacrificed to idols, and to commit sexual immorality. 15 ...you also have those who hold the doctrine of the Nicolaitans, which thing I hate."

D. Thyatira: the _____ church

Revelation 2:20 "Nevertheless I have a few things against you, because you allow that woman Jezebel, who calls herself a prophetess, to teach and seduce My servants to commit sexual immorality and eat things sacrificed to idols."

E. Sardis: the _____ church

Revelation 3:1b "I know your works, that you have a name that you are alive, but you are dead."

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F. Philadelphia: the _____ church

Revelation 3:8 "...I have set before you an open door, and no one can shut it; for you have a little strength, have kept My word, and have not denied My name."

G. Laodicea: the _____ church

Revelation 3:15 "I know your works, that you are neither cold nor hot. I could wish you were cold or hot. 16 So then, because you are lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will vomit you out of My mouth."

Galatians 2:20 "I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in

me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me.”

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Perennial Issues with the Church

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

1 Peter 5:2 Shepherd the flock of God which is among you, serving as overseers, not by compulsion but willingly, not for dishonest gain but eagerly: **3** nor as being lords over those entrusted to you...

4) _____

5) _____

6) _____

7) _____

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