

NOON BIBLE STUDY: REVELATION 11 (PART 2)

THE FIRST TWO WOES WERE THE PLAGUES OF THE 5TH & 6TH TRUMPETS. NOW, THE FINAL "WOE" IS GOING TO BEGIN AT THE SOUNDING OF THE 7TH TRUMPET. THERE IS A LOT THAT IS INVOLVED WITH THIS TRUMPET BLAST, AS WE WILL SEE. WE ARE GOING TO LEARN OF THE EFFECTS OF THE SEVENTH TRUMPET FOR THE NEXT NUMBER OF CHAPTERS, BUT TO QUICKLY PREVIEW, AN EVENTUAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE 7TH TRUMPET IS THE POURING OUT OF 7 BOWLS OF WRATH (**REVELATION 16**). JUST LIKE THE BREAKING OF THE 7TH SEAL STARTED 7 TRUMPETS, THE 7TH TRUMPET WILL START THE 7 BOWLS (EVENTUALLY), AMONGST OTHER THINGS. THUS, THE 3RD AND FINAL "WOE."

THE 7TH ANGEL SOUNDS THE 7TH TRUMPET

IT SEEMS LIKE IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE WE HEARD A TRUMPET BLAST, BUT AT LAST THE SEVENTH AND FINAL ANGEL BLOWS HIS TRUMPET. THE SEVEN TRUMPETS WERE ORIGINALLY HANDED OUT WAY BACK IN REVELATION 8 WITH THE BREAKING OF THE 7TH SEAL.

HERE'S A REVIEW OF THE TRUMPETS

1 - HAIL & FIRE MIXED WITH BLOOD - 1/3RD OF THE EARTH, TREES & GREEN GRASS BURNED (**REVELATION 8:7**)

2 - SOMETHING LIKE A GREAT MOUNTAIN BURNING WITH FIRE - SEA BECAME BLOOD, 1/3RD OF CREATURES IN THE SEA DIE, AS WELL AS 1/3RD OF SHIPS. (**REVELATION 8:8-9**)

3 - GREAT BURNING STAR FROM HEAVEN FALLS ON 1/3RD OF RIVERS AND SPRINGS OF WATER, MAKING 1/3RD OF THE WATERS BITTER (LIKE WORMWOOD), MANY MEN DIE FROM BITTER WATERS (**REVELATION 8:10-11**)

4 - 1/3RD OF SUN, MOON AND STARS STRUCK AND AS A RESULT DO NOT SHINE (**REVELATION 8:12**)

5 - BOTTOMLESS PIT/ABYSS OPENED BY A "STAR FROM HEAVEN FALLEN TO THE EARTH" AND SMOKE RISES UP ALONG WITH POWERFUL LOCUSTS WHICH TORMENT HUMANS FOR 5 MONTHS WITH A SCORPION LIKE TORMENT THAT WILL NOT LEAD TO DEATH (**REVELATION 9:1-11**)

6 - FOUR ANGELS RELEASED WHICH KILL 1/3RD OF MANKIND. THE 4 ANGELS LEAD A MASSIVE ARMY OF HORSEMEN WHICH HAVE FIRE, SMOKE AND BRIMSTONE OUT OF THEIR MOUTHS AND TAILS LIKE SERPENTS. (**REVELATION 9:13-19**)

THE FOCUS OF THESE TRUMPETS HAS BEEN PRIMARILY JUDGMENT UPON THE EARTH. THERE HAS BEEN NATURAL CALAMITY AS A RESULT OF THESE TRUMPETS AND ALSO HARM TO HUMANS THEMSELVES. YET HUMANITY HAS REMAINED DEFIANT:

REVELATION 9:20-21 (NLT) - BUT THE PEOPLE WHO DID NOT DIE IN THESE PLAGUES STILL REFUSED TO REPENT OF THEIR EVIL DEEDS AND TURN TO GOD. THEY CONTINUED TO WORSHIP DEMONS AND IDOLS MADE OF GOLD, SILVER, BRONZE, STONE, AND WOOD

-- IDOLS THAT CAN NEITHER SEE NOR HEAR NOR WALK! 21 AND THEY DID NOT REPENT OF THEIR MURDERS OR THEIR WITCHCRAFT OR THEIR SEXUAL IMMORALITY OR THEIR THEFTS.

AND AS WE LOOKED AT THE FIRST PART OF REVELATION 11, WE SEE GOD BRINGING A POWERFUL PROPHETIC WITNESS TO THE EARTH THROUGH THE TWO WITNESSES OF REVELATION 11:3-13. IF THIS SECTION IS CHRONOLOGICAL, IT WOULD SEEM THAT THE MINISTRY OF THE TWO WITNESSES IS AFTER THE JUDGMENTS OF THE 6TH TRUMPETS IN A FINAL APPEAL FOR REPENTANCE FROM HEAVEN TO THE INHABITANTS OF THE EARTH.

AND YET THE RESPONSE TO THE SHORT MINISTRY OF THE TWO WITNESSES IS RECORDED TO BE POOR. THE INTERPRETATION OF THOSE ON THE EARTH IS THAT THESE TWO WITNESSES ARE "TORMENTING" THEM (11:10) AND THE EARTH WILL REJOICE WHEN THEY ARE KILLED.

SO OFTEN IN THE BIBLICAL STORY WE SEE GOD APPEALING TO HIS PEOPLE OR THE WORLD IN GENERAL, APPEALING TO THEM TO TURN FROM THEIR SIN AND RECEIVE HIS MERCY AND GRACE. OFTEN THOSE WHO HEAR THIS INVITATION RESPOND AND TURN, AND OFTEN THEN REJECT THE OFFER. AND THEN TIME WILL PASS AND GOD WILL CALL TO THEM AGAIN AND WARN THEM AND PLEAD WITH THEM TO REPENT. THE LORD IS LONGSUFFERING, HE IS PATIENT AND SLOW TO ANGER. PETER WRITES:

2 PETER 3:9 - THE LORD IS NOT SLOW ABOUT HIS PROMISE, AS SOME COUNT SLOWNESS, BUT IS PATIENT TOWARD YOU, NOT WISHING FOR ANY TO PERISH BUT FOR ALL TO COME TO REPENTANCE.

BUT THE BIBLE TEACHES US SOMETHING CRITICALLY IMPORTANT. GOD'S MERCY IS DEEP AND WIDE... *BUT* THERE IS AN END TO THE TIME OF GRACE. THERE IS A DAY WHEN THE CALLS TO TURN BACK AND THE WARNINGS ABOUT SIN WILL END. IN GOD'S JUSTICE, MERCY ENDS. IF GOD ENDLESSLY CONTINUES TO EXTEND MERCY ON THE SINNER, THEN HE NEVER BRINGS JUDGMENT UPON THE SINNER. AND THAT IS WHAT WE BEGIN TO READ ABOUT. BECAUSE AS MUCH AS REVELATION IS A STORY IS ABOUT GOD'S WARNINGS TO THE SINNER AND THE EVIL PEOPLE OF THIS AGE, IT IS ALSO A STORY ABOUT THE RESCUE AND REDEMPTION OF THOSE WHO HAVE TURNED BACK TO HIM - AND THAT DAY WILL AND MUST COME.

REVELATION 6:10 (NLT) - "O SOVEREIGN LORD, HOLY AND TRUE, HOW LONG BEFORE YOU JUDGE THE PEOPLE WHO BELONG TO THIS WORLD AND AVENGE OUR BLOOD FOR WHAT THEY HAVE DONE TO US?"

THE DAY OF FINAL JUDGMENT UPON THE WORLD AND THE DAY OF VENGEANCE FOR GOD'S SERVANTS BEGINS WITH THE SOUNDING OF THE 7TH TRUMPET. THERE ARE GOING TO BE SOME PAUSES AND VISIONS AND DETAILS THAT WE'RE STILL GOING TO READ IN THE CHAPTER AHEAD BUT SOMETHING HAPPENS AT THE SOUNDING OF THIS SEVENTH TRUMPET WITH SIGNALS THE END.

REVELATION 11:15-18 - THE SEVENTH TRUMPET & SONG

THE SEVENTH TRUMPET SOUNDS AND LOUD HEAVENLY ACCLIMATIONS BEGIN. OUR EYES RETURN TO THE HEAVENLY THRONE ROOM AND WE SEE THE 24 ELDERS AGAIN WORSHIPING.

"AS WITH THE SEVENTH SEAL (8:1-6), THE SCENE NOW SHIFTS FROM WOES ON EARTH TO WORSHIP IN HEAVEN." (ESV STUDY BIBLE, REVELATION 11:15-18).

HERE IS WHAT HEAVEN'S THRONE IS SAYING/SINGING:

1 - "THE KINGDOM OF THE WORLD HAS BECOME THE KINGDOM OF OUR LORD AND OF HIS CHRIST; AND HE WILL REIGN FOREVER AND EVER." (REVELATION 11:15)

2 - "WE GIVE YOU THANKS, O LORD GOD, THE ALMIGHTY, WHO ARE AND WHO WERE, BECAUSE YOU HAVE TAKEN YOUR GREAT POWER AND HAVE BEGUN TO REIGN. (REVELATION 11:17)

3 - "AND THE NATIONS WERE ENRAGED, AND YOUR WRATH CAME, AND THE TIME CAME FOR THE DEAD TO BE JUDGED, AND THE TIME TO REWARD YOUR BOND-SERVANTS THE PROPHETS AND THE SAINTS AND THOSE WHO FEAR YOUR NAME, THE SMALL AND THE GREAT, AND TO DESTROY THOSE WHO DESTROY THE EARTH." (REVELATION 11:18)

THREE BIG IDEAS FROM THESE PROCLAMATIONS:

1 - **THE KINGDOM OF GOD (AND CHRIST) IS BEGINNING.** GOD IS TAKING OVER THE KINGDOMS OF THE WORLD. ACTUALLY, THE TEXT SAYS THAT "THE KINGDOM (*SINGULAR*) OF THE WORLD" IS BECOMING THE KINGDOM OF GOD AND HIS CHRIST. SCRIPTURE TELLS US THAT EVEN THROUGH THE NATIONS OF THE EARTH HAVE THEIR BOUNDARIES AND DOMINIONS LED BY THEIR VARIOUS LEADERS (PRESIDENTS, KINGS, DICTATORS, PRIME MINISTERS, ETC), THEY ARE ALL PART OF THE "KINGDOM OF THIS WORLD", RULED BY HUMANS, INFLUENCED AND DIRECTED BY SATAN, WHO IS THE "RULER OF THIS WORLD" (JOHN 12:31; 16:11; 2 CORINTHIANS 4:4, ETC.)

2 - **GOD IS WORTHY OF THANKS AND PRAISE FOR ESTABLISHING THE KINGDOM.** NO MORE PARTIAL INFLUENCE, NO MORE INVISIBLE AUTHORITY, GOD HAS "TAKEN HIS GREAT POWER AND BEGUN TO REIGN." THIS DOESN'T MEAN GOD HASN'T BEEN SEATED ON HIS THRONE OR RULING THE UNIVERSE UNTIL NOW, BUT IT IS THE TIME WHEN HE IS EXERTING HIS FULL AUTHORITY OVER HIS CREATION. HE PLACED HUMANS IN CHARGE OF THE PLANET, THEY DID A TERRIBLE JOB OF MANAGING AND STEWARDING THE CREATION, AND NOW THE TRUE KING IS HERE TO BEGIN RESTORATION.

3 - **AS A RESULT OF GOD'S FULL REIGN BEGINNING, THE WICKED ARE GOING TO BE JUDGED AND THE RIGHTEOUS WILL BE REWARDED.** THE HEAVENLY SONG ANNOUNCES NOT ONLY THE INAUGURATION OF THE KINGDOM, BUT THE EFFECTS OF ITS ARRIVAL. RIVAL RULERS ARE GOING TO BE CONFRONTED AND DEALT WITH AND GOD'S PEOPLE (HERE DESCRIBED AS HIS SERVANTS THE PROPHETS, THE SAINTS (HOLY ONES) AND THOSE WHO FEAR GOD'S NAME) ARE GOING TO BE VINDICATED AND REWARDED. A SHORTHAND VERSION OF THE COMING JUDGMENT IS THAT GOD IS GOING TO "DESTROY THOSE WHO DESTROY THE EARTH" - IN OTHER WORDS RENDERING TO EACH PERSON WHAT IS DUE THEM. AND THE NATIONS ARE NOT HAPPY (AKA "ENRAGED", CP PSALM 2) ABOUT THIS. EVEN THOSE WHO HAVE DIED IN THE PAST WILL BE JUDGED.

"GOD'S KINGDOM CAN NEVER BE ESTABLISHED SO LONG AS HOSTILE NATIONS ARE ALLOWED TO DEFEY HIS RULE AND TO OPPRESS HIS PEOPLE. THE VISITATION OF GOD'S WRATH IS ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL TO THE ESTABLISHING OF HIS GRACIOUS RULE IN THE WORLD" (GEORGE LADD, "A COMMENTARY ON THE REVELATION OF JOHN, PAGE 162)

AND WHEN IS THIS ALL GOING TO BEGIN? AT THE SOUNDING OF THE 7TH TRUMPET. LET'S TALK A LITTLE ABOUT THE 7TH AND FINAL TRUMPET. LET'S SURVEY THE INCLUSION OF A "TRUMPET" IN OTHER REFERENCES TO THE END OF THE AGE AND THE COMING OF CHRIST.

MATTHEW 24:29-31 - "BUT IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE TRIBULATION OF THOSE DAYS THE SUN WILL BE DARKENED, AND THE MOON WILL NOT GIVE ITS LIGHT, AND THE STARS WILL FALL FROM THE SKY, AND THE POWERS OF THE HEAVENS WILL BE SHAKEN. 30 "AND THEN THE SIGN OF THE SON OF MAN WILL APPEAR IN THE SKY, AND THEN ALL THE TRIBES OF THE EARTH WILL MOURN, AND THEY WILL SEE THE SON OF MAN COMING ON THE CLOUDS OF THE SKY WITH POWER AND GREAT GLORY. 31 "AND HE WILL SEND FORTH HIS ANGELS WITH A GREAT TRUMPET AND THEY WILL GATHER TOGETHER HIS ELECT FROM THE FOUR WINDS, FROM ONE END OF THE SKY TO THE OTHER.

Q - WHAT DO YOU SEE FROM THESE VERSES WHICH RELATES TO WHAT WE HAVE READ IN REVELATION 11:15-17?

NOTICE THAT THE SOUNDING OF THE TRUMPET COMES AFTER THE "TRIBULATION OF THOSE DAYS" AS DESCRIBED IN THE PREVIOUS VERSES OF MATTHEW 24 - WHICH CERTAINLY PARALLEL THE 7 SEALS (GENERAL HUMAN AND HISTORICAL TROUBLES/TRIALS) AND THE FIRST 6 TRUMPETS (SPECIFIC AND TARGETED NATURAL AND HUMAN CALAMITY THAT HAPPEN BEFORE THE END). WHAT HAPPENS AFTER THE "TRIBULATION OF THOSE DAYS?" THE SIGN OF THE SON OF MAN APPEARS, THE "TRIBES OF THE EARTH WILL MOURN" AND "A GREAT TRUMPET" SOUNDS AS GOD'S PEOPLE ARE GATHERED TOGETHER TO CELEBRATE AND WELCOME THE COMING KING. THOUGH GOD'S PEOPLE WILL ENDURE THE TIME OF TRIBULATION (AKA THE "GREAT TRIBULATION"), THE TIME OF THIS HEIGHTENED TROUBLE WILL BE SHORT AND WILL HAVE A DEFINITE END.

SIDE NOTE: SOME CHRISTIAN AUTHORS AND CHURCHES PROMOTE THE IDEA THAT JESUS WILL RETURN *PRIOR* TO THE TRIBULATION THUS SAVING THE CHURCH FROM ENDURING THE TRIALS AND PERSECUTION THAT JESUS DESCRIBES IN MATTHEW 24, ETC. THERE'S A LOT OF DISCUSSION OF THIS TOPIC IN MANY GOOD AND RELIABLE BIBLICAL SOURCES. HOWEVER, IT IS WORTH NOTING THAT THE VIEW OF A "SECRET RAPTURE OF THE CHURCH" WAS NOT A PROMINENT OR COMMONLY ACCEPTED VIEW BY CHRISTIANS UNTIL THE 1800'S. IT IS A VIEW THAT WAS PROMOTED BY JOHN NELSON DARBY AND OTHER WELL KNOWN BIBLE TEACHERS OF THE LATE 1800'S-EARLY 1900'S. DARBY INFLUENCED A NUMBER OF OTHER TEACHERS IN THE BRETHREN MOVEMENT AND A LARGE NUMBER OF PENTECOSTAL CHURCHES EMBRACED THE TEACHING. FAMOUS PROPONENTS INCLUDE CHARLES SCOFIELD, JIMMY SWAGGERT, TIM LAHAYE, JOHN HAGEE AND MORE.

HOWEVER, THE LACK OF SUPPORT BOTH BIBLICALLY AND HISTORICALLY LEAVES THIS VIEW WANTING. IF WE FOLLOW THE CONSISTENCY OF THE "TRUMPET" LANGUAGE, WE SEE THAT THE RETURN OF CHRIST - WHICH IS WHEN THE PEOPLE OF GOD ARE RAISED/GATHERED/SAVED - HAPPENS AFTER THE TRIBULATION AT THE SOUNDING OF THE FINAL/7TH TRUMPET. (JUST THE FACT THAT THE OTHER TRUMPETS SOUND FIRST IS STRONG BIBLICAL EVIDENCE...BUT I DIGRESS..)

BACK TO THE SURVEY OF THE TRUMPETS:

1 CORINTHIANS 15:51-53 - BEHOLD, I TELL YOU A MYSTERY: WE WILL NOT ALL SLEEP, BUT WE WILL ALL BE CHANGED, 52 IN A MOMENT, IN THE TWINKLING OF AN EYE, AT THE LAST TRUMPET: FOR THE TRUMPET WILL SOUND, AND THE DEAD WILL BE RAISED IMPERISHABLE, AND WE WILL BE CHANGED. 53 FOR THIS PERISHABLE MUST PUT ON THE IMPERISHABLE, AND THIS MORTAL MUST PUT ON IMMORTALITY.

WHEN DOES THE RESURRECTION OF GOD'S PEOPLE HAPPEN? IN AN INSTANT, AT THE "LAST TRUMPET". THOSE WHO HAVE DIED IN CHRIST WILL BE RAISED AGAIN TO ETERNAL LIFE AND THOSE WHO REMAIN ALIVE AT THE RETURN OF KING JESUS WILL BE TRANSFORMED/CHANGED TO BECOME IMMORTAL. NOTICE THAT THIS HAPPENS IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE SOUNDING OF THE "LAST TRUMPET". WE KNOW FROM REVELATION THAT THE LAST TRUMPET IS THE 7TH TRUMPET.

1 THESSALONIANS 4:13-18 - BUT WE DO NOT WANT YOU TO BE UNINFORMED, BRETHREN, ABOUT THOSE WHO ARE ASLEEP, SO THAT YOU WILL NOT GRIEVE AS DO THE REST WHO HAVE NO HOPE. 14 FOR IF WE BELIEVE THAT JESUS DIED AND ROSE AGAIN, EVEN SO GOD WILL BRING WITH HIM THOSE WHO HAVE FALLEN ASLEEP IN JESUS. 15 FOR THIS WE SAY TO YOU BY THE WORD OF THE LORD, THAT WE WHO ARE ALIVE AND REMAIN UNTIL THE COMING OF THE LORD, WILL NOT PRECEDE THOSE WHO HAVE FALLEN ASLEEP. 16 FOR THE LORD HIMSELF WILL DESCEND FROM HEAVEN WITH A SHOUT, WITH THE VOICE OF THE ARCHANGEL AND WITH THE TRUMPET OF GOD, AND THE DEAD IN CHRIST WILL RISE FIRST. 17 THEN WE WHO ARE ALIVE AND REMAIN WILL BE CAUGHT UP TOGETHER WITH THEM IN THE CLOUDS TO MEET THE LORD IN THE AIR, AND SO WE SHALL ALWAYS BE WITH THE LORD. 18 THEREFORE COMFORT ONE ANOTHER WITH THESE WORDS.

FINALLY, THE LAST NEW TESTAMENT REFERENCE TO THIS TRUMPET REAFFIRMS WHAT WE SAW IN 1 CORINTHIANS - THE RETURN OF JESUS AND THE RESURRECTION OF THE FAITHFUL BOTH OCCUR WHEN A TRUMPET IS BLOWN, THE LAST TRUMPET IN FACT.

LET'S PUT THIS ALL TOGETHER:

AS THE END OF THE AGE APPROACHES, THERE WILL BE TROUBLES, DIFFICULTIES AND TRIBULATIONS FOR ALL OF HUMANITY - THIS IS SOMETHING THAT BELIEVERS AND UNBELIEVERS ALIKE WILL EXPERIENCE. JESUS TALKS ABOUT THIS IN MATTHEW 24 AND JOHN REVEALS THESE THINGS THROUGH IMAGERY OF SEALS AND TRUMPETS. DURING THIS TIME OF TROUBLE, GOD WILL BE MAKING MANY APPEALS FOR MEN AND WOMEN OF THE EARTH TO TURN TO HIM AND BE FORGIVEN. YET, AT THE APPOINTED TIME DURING THESE DAYS OF TROUBLE, GOD WILL END HIS LONG SUFFERING AND STEP IN AS JUDGE OF THE UNIVERSE. HOW WILL THIS HAPPEN? THERE WILL BE THE SOUNDING OF A TRUMPET AND THE FATHER WILL SEND HIS SON, JESUS THE CHRIST, BACK TO THE EARTH AS SAVIOR AND KING. WITH THE TRUMPET SOUND AND A HEAVENLY SHOUT FROM THE LORD, THE PEOPLE OF GOD WILL BE RAISED FROM THE DEAD (OR CHANGED IF ALIVE AT THIS TIME) AND BE GIVEN NEW, IMMORTAL AND IMPERISHABLE BODIES. THE NATIONS OF THE EARTH WILL BOTH MOURN AND BE ENRAGED AS THEIR TIME OF JUDGMENT AND THE END OF THEIR REIGN BOTH BEGIN. THE HEAVENLY THRONE ROOM WILL BE REJOICING THAT AT THIS TIME THE *"KINGDOM OF THIS WORLD HAS BECOME THE KINGDOM OF OUR GOD AND OF HIS CHRIST - AND HE WILL REIGN FOREVER AND EVER!"* THIS IS THE DAY OF SALVATION FOR GOD'S SERVANTS AND THE DAY OF JUDGMENT FOR THE SINNER. THE TIME FOR REPENTANCE IS DONE. THE TIME FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE GOSPEL IS OVER. THE TIME FOR MERCY HAS EXPIRED.

THIS IS GOOD NEWS FOR THE CHRISTIAN AND GOOD NEWS FOR THE SINNER. TODAY IS THE DAY OF SALVATION - TODAY MERCY IS HERE AND GRACE IS FREE. GOD IS RULING THE WORLD BUT HAS NOT CUT OFF THE SUPPLY OF HIS KINDNESS TO ALL OF HUMANITY. SO HOW WILL WE RESPOND TO THIS INFORMATION? A FEW QUICK THOUGHTS:

1 - REJOICE IN THE HOPE THAT THERE WILL BE AN END TO THESE TROUBLES. KEEP YOUR EYES THERE SO THAT YOU DON'T GET DISTRACTED OR DISCOURAGED.

2 - PREACH THE GOSPEL TO ALL THE WORLD

3 - PRAY FOR HEARTS TO BE OPEN TO THE GOSPEL AND THE LOVE OF GOD

4 - DO NOT GET ENTANGLED IN THE TRAPPINGS OF THIS LIFE, ESPECIALLY THE STICKY MATTERS OF THE KINGDOM OF THIS WORLD.

5 - LOVE THAT WHICH IS GOOD AND HATE THAT WHICH IS EVIL. STOP SINNING. STOP MAKING EXCUSES FOR EVIL IN YOUR LIFE.

6 - SING, WORSHIP, PRAY, FELLOWSHIP, CELEBRATE, EAT TOGETHER, READ THE BIBLE, LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR, CARE FOR THE POOR, BE GENEROUS, BE HOSPITABLE, FORGIVE, SERVE....

7 - REMEMBER YOURSELF AND REMIND OTHERS THAT GOD'S WILL IS GOING TO BE DONE AND THAT THE KINGDOM WILL COME. WE MAY SEE IT IN OUR LIVES OR WHEN WE ARE RAISED FROM THE DEAD - BUT THIS TRUTH, THE COMING OF CHRIST AND THE GLORIOUS KINGDOM OF GOD IS WORTH LIVING FOR AND GIVING YOUR ALL TOWARDS NOW AND OUR GLORIOUS AND PERFECT AND NEEDED HOPE FOREVER AND EVER AMEN.

MAY WE ALL HEAR WHAT THE SPIRIT IS SAYING TO THE CHURCHES TODAY. AMEN.