

“Book of Revelation—Part 1”

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BIG SANDY, Texas—At our Bible study on Wednesday night, I began a nine-part series about the book of Revelation. Part 1 was about the Father and Son in the book of Revelation. Notice the following seven sections.

References to God

There are approximately 100 references to the word *God* in the book of Revelation.

References to God and Jesus Christ

- Revelation 1:1—The Revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave Him to show His servants.
- Revelation 1:2—John bore witness to the Word of God and to the testimony of Jesus Christ.
- Revelation 1:5-6—To Jesus Christ (the faithful witness; the firstborn from the dead; the Ruler over the kings of the earth; Him who loved us and washed us from our sins in His own blood; who made us kings and priests to His God and Father) be glory and dominion forever and ever.
- Revelation 1:9—John was on the island of Patmos for the Word of God and for the testimony of Jesus Christ.
- Revelation 12:17—The dragon went to make war with the offspring—who keep the commandments of God and have the testimony of Jesus Christ.
- Revelation 14:12—The saints are those who keep the commandments of God and the faith of Jesus.
- Revelation 20:4—These were beheaded for their witness to Jesus and for the Word of God—they lived and reigned with Christ for 1,000 years.

References to Jesus Christ

- Revelation 17:6—John saw the woman drunk with the blood of the saints and with the blood of the martyrs of Jesus.
- Revelation 19:10—The testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy.

- Revelation 22:16—Jesus is the Root and the Offspring of David, and the Bright and Morning Star.

- Revelation 22:20—“Even so, come, Lord Jesus!”

- Revelation 22:21—“The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.”

Reference to the Son of God

- Revelation 2:18

References to the Son of Man

- Revelation 1:13

- Revelation 14:14

References to the Lamb

- Revelation 5:6—In the midst of the throne stood a Lamb—as though it had been slain.

- Revelation 5:8—The four living creatures and the 24 elders fell down before the Lamb.

- Revelation 5:12—“Worthy is the Lamb.”

- Revelation 6:1—The Lamb opened the first seal—He actually opened all seven seals.

- Revelation 7:9—A great multitude will stand before the Lamb in white robes.

- Revelation 7:14—Those who come out of tribulation will be made white in the blood of the Lamb.

- Revelation 12:11—They overcame the serpent by the blood of the Lamb.

- Revelation 13:8—Those who worship the Beast do not have their names written in the Book of Life of the Lamb—who was slain from the foundation of the world.

- Revelation 14:1—The Lamb was standing on Mount Zion with the 144,000.

- Revelation 15:3—They sang the song of Moses and the song of the Lamb.

- Revelation 17:14—The 10 kings make war with the Lamb, and the Lamb will overcome them.

- Revelation 19:7—The marriage of the Lamb has come.

- Revelation 19:9—Blessed are those who are called to the marriage supper of the Lamb.

- Revelation 21:14—On the wall of the city were the names of the 12 apostles of the Lamb.

References to God and the Lamb

- Revelation 5:13—Blessing, honor, glory and power be to Him [God] who sits on the throne and to the Lamb forever and ever.

- Revelation 6:16—The people will seek to hide from the face of Him [God] who sits on the throne and from the wrath of the Lamb.
- Revelation 7:10—“Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne and to the Lamb!”
- Revelation 7:17—The Lamb will shepherd them and lead them to living waters—and God shall wipe away every tear from their eyes.
- Revelation 14:10—The Beast shall drink of the wrath of God and shall be tormented in the presence of the Lamb.
- Revelation 21:22-23—There will be no temple because the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb are the temple—the glory of God illuminated it, and the Lamb was the light.
- Revelation 22:1, 3—A river of living water shall proceed from the throne of God and of the Lamb.