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# "Introductory Keys to Understanding The Book of Revelation"

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"Behold, I come quickly: blessed is he that keepeth the sayings of the prophecy of this book." **{Revelation 22:7}** 

"Blessed is he that readeth, and they that hear the words of this prophecy, and keep those things which are written therein: for the time is at hand." {Revelation 1:3}

#### Key 1. Receiving the blessing and understanding the timing of God.

"And, behold, I come quickly; and my reward is with me, to give every man according as his work shall be. I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end, the first and the last." {Revelation 22:12-13}

"Behold, the Lord God will come with strong hand, and His arm shall rule for Him: Behold His reward is with Him, and His work before Him." **{Isaiah 40:10}** 

#### Key 2. Ruling and Reigning with His authority and power.

"I Jesus have sent mine angel to testify unto you these things in the churches. I am the root and the offspring of David, and the bright and morning star." {Revelation 22:16}

"And one of the elders saith unto me, Weep not: behold, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, hath prevailed to open the book, and to loose the seven seals thereof." **{Revelation 5:5}** 

## Key 3. Increasing in Kingly authority to release judgment on the antichrist systems of this world.

"He which testifieth these things saith, Surely I come quickly. Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus." {Revelation 22:20}

"Behold, I come quickly: hold that fast which thou hast, that no man take thy crown." **{Revelation 3:11}** 

# Key 4. The power of our confession releasing agreement with the perfect will of God for the last days.

#### From these Keys we will find:

- 1. Jesus is training His End Time Church to rule and reign with Him over all the nations. {Note that for many of you, the Holy Spirit has put in your heart a connection to specific nations.}
- 2. The power of the Holy Spirit that will flow through the End Time Church is fully revealed in the Book of Revelation with instructions on how this is going to take place.
- 3. The Book of Acts describes the power of the Holy Spirit that gave birth to the early church; the Book of Revelation describes the power of the Holy Spirit that will cause the End Time Church to fulfill its divine assignment.

- 4. The judgments, plagues, and tribulation in the Book of Revelation do not happen to the End Time Church as helpless victims of satan; but rather are released through the End Time Church against the forces of evil.
- 5. The Keys released and received will help the End Time Church to understand the calling, the battle plan, divine assistance, angelic protection and intervention; and the prophetic ministry that will destroy the kingdom of darkness.
- 6. The Book of Revelation will serve as the End Time Church intercession and prayer manual empowering us to pray and be in agreement with the perfect will of God.
- 7. The End Time Church will clearly proclaim and reveal who Jesus really is, because the unveiling will be intensified by the Holy Spirit as we read, perceive, and keep the words of this prophecy. **{Read John 16:13-14}**