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Message Series: Revelation: The Drama of Good vs. Evil

Today's Message: The Victory Is WON

1. The Future Victory Over Satan

Revelation 7:9-14

<u>Victory Reality</u>: Even during this Tribulation period, millions upon millions come to Christ, to the <u>Glory</u> of God's Grace!

Revelation 7:15-17

<u>In Desperate Danger</u>: the faithful <u>served</u> and <u>shared</u> the <u>Gospel of Christ to others</u>.

Revelation 12:11

<u>Sweet Truth</u>: The more the Beast (Anti-Christ) fans the flames of violence and repression—the more the <u>Holy Spirit</u> fans the flames of <u>revival!</u>

Revelation 7:10

◆ The Beast (Anti-Christ) is given <u>permission</u> from God and the <u>power</u> ("<u>exousia</u>" Gk.), <u>not unlimited</u> <u>power</u> ("<u>dunamis</u>") which is God's <u>unlimited power</u>.

Note: This is an ongoing War of Miracles — God vs. Satan

Revelation 13:4

Revelation 13:5-10

Revelation 13:10 "This calls for patient endurance and faithfulness on the part of God's people."

Revelation 7:9-17

2. The True Christ-Follower's Victory Life Today

1) Learning to Rest In God

Matthew 8:23-27

⇒ "We can give such joy to God by <u>remaining absolutely confident in Him</u>, no matter what we're facing."

<u>The Truth</u>: We reveal upon whom we <u>really rely</u> when a crisis comes: If we've <u>become One</u> in Him, profound joy <u>will be His</u> and <u>ours!</u>

2) Becoming One With God

1 Thessalonians 5:1, 2, 16-19

⇒ "Whenever the <u>Spirit prompts</u> you to <u>stop</u> something, <u>Stop</u> and get <u>things right</u>... <u>God must be</u> <u>allowed</u> to hurt <u>whatever</u> it may be."

3) Stamping Out Stubbornness

Hebrews 12:3-5 (NLT)

Hebrews 12:5 (KJV)

<u>Question</u>: "Am I <u>prepared</u> and <u>willing</u> to allow God to grip me by <u>His power</u> and to do a <u>work in</u> and <u>thru</u> <u>me</u> that will bring <u>great Glory to Him</u>?"