



FOR THE SERMON PREACHED ON: Sunday, October 24, 2021

TITLE: The Author in His Glory

PASSAGE: Revelation 1:9-20

SERIES: The Book of Revelation: Worthy is the Lamb

1. Think about the most wondrous thing you have ever witnessed. Try to capture that moment and communicate its majesty in a sentence or two. How difficult was it to communicate that glorious event?
2. Where is John (v9)? Why is he there (v9)? What was he doing when Jesus appeared (v10)? What were his instructions (v11)?
3. What describing words and phrases does John use to communicate the awesomeness of Christ (v12-16)?
4. How does John respond to the wondrous appearing of his Saviour (v17a)? What does this response tell you about John? What does it communicate about Jesus?
5. How is your response and posture when entering into the presence of Jesus similar to John's? How is it different?
6. Jesus responds to John by communicating several facts about Himself. Write down everything you learn about Jesus (17b-20).
7. What is the significance of Jesus holding the keys of Death and Hades (v18)?
8. John was engaged in the battle, Kingdom focused, and persevering. What is *the battle*? How are you engaged?
9. John persisted despite it being difficult and despite facing opposition. How did you respond to your most recent difficulty or opposition?
10. What encourages you as you think on your response to that recent difficulty or opposition? What do you wish you would have done differently? What steps can you take to aid you in responding better next time?
11. When Jesus instructed John to write, John obeyed. What is the revealed will of God for you? Will you obey? (Consider: Romans 12:2, Philippians 2:12-13, 1 Thessalonians 4:3-7, 5:16-18, 1 Pet 2:13-17.)