

DATE: Sunday, October 24, 2021 **TITLE**: The Author in His Glory

SERIES: The Book of Revelation: Worthy is the Lamb

PASSAGE: Revelation 1:9-20

Let me introduce the authors...

John: an obedient servant to the true Author (v9-11)

Here as a brother in Christ Here for the sake of Christ Here for the purpose of Christ

4 Things We Can Learn from John's Example:

- Faithfully on Mission
- Undeterred by Suffering
- Obedient
- Humble

Jesus: The True Author (v12-20)

A) The Authors Awesome Appearance (v13-16, 20)

"but with righteousness he shall judge the poor, and decide with equity for the meek of the earth; and he shall strike the earth with the rod of his mouth, and with the breath of his lips he shall kill the wicked." Isaiah 11:4

"For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart" Hebrews 4:12

B) The Authors Supernatural Power (v17-19)

"I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?" John 11:25-26

"And you killed the Author of life, who God raised from the dead... Repent therefore, and turn back, that your sins may be blotted out, that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord, and that he may send the Christ appointed for you, Jesus" Acts 3:15, 19-20