

## Introduction to Seven Eyes

We are convinced there are no greater truths we can know than what is revealed in the book of Revelations. God chose to give us the most astounding revelation about our relationships with Him. If we've been lagging in diligence, then the seven Spirits of God will take us to new heights with Him. This Revelation reveals that God's substance and our substance is one Spirit; and that the trumpet of God as in Rev 1:4 is the most powerful evidence in the bible regarding the Rapture of the Church, absolutely demonstrating a Pre-Tribulation departure from the earth. The most important thing to follow is the Seven Lamps/The Seven Spirits of God, always taking note of the Phrase: "**After These Things**"; which is indicative of a sequence of events.

Rev 1:4-5 John to the **seven churches** that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from Him who is, and who was, and who is to come, and from the **seven Spirits who are before His throne**, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To Him who loves us and released us from our sins by His blood.

Rev 1:10-13 I was in the Spirit on the Lord's day, and **I heard behind me a loud voice like of a trumpet saying** "Write in a book what you see, and send *it* to the **seven churches**: to Ephesus and to Smyrna and to Pergamum and to Thyatira and to Sardis and to Philadelphia and to Laodicea." **Then I turned** to see the voice that was speaking with me. And **having turned** I saw **seven golden lamp stands**; and **in the midst of the lamp stands** I saw one like a son of man, clothed in a robe reaching to the feet, and girded across His chest with a golden sash.

Rev 1:16 In His right hand **He held seven stars**, and out of His mouth came a sharp two-edged sword; and His face was like the sun shining in its strength.

**Rev 1:20 "As for the mystery of the seven stars which you saw in My right hand, and the seven golden lamp stands: the seven stars are the messengers of the seven churches, and the seven lamp stands are the seven churches.**

To understand these things, one needs to know that the Seven Stars are the Pastors of these Churches; and better put, these represent Pastors throughout the world serving the Lord to edify the Body of Christ during the Church Age.

Daniel 12:3 "Those who have insight will shine brightly like the brightness of the expanse of heaven, and those who lead the many to righteousness, are like the stars forever and ever.

Pastors are God's messengers for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness, enabling Christians to become mature; enabling us to effectively serve the Lord. Likewise, the Seven Lamp

stands represent the Church/The Body of Christ as a whole throughout the full duration of the Church age, until the Body of Christ leaves the earth. Jesus gives instructions relative to the particular conditions of each Church group, knowing the challenges faced by these would be the same to the end.

Rev 2:1 "To the angel of the Church in Ephesus write: The One who holds the seven stars in His right hand, the One who walks among the seven golden lamp stands, says this:

Notice that the Stars are in His right hand: this is indicative that the pastors are a principal source of the strength God provides for the building up of the saints in truth.

Rev 2:7 **'He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes,** I will grant to eat of the tree of life which is in the Paradise of God.'

Seven times Jesus says this Salutation challenging us to listen carefully; adding promises for those who **overcome**; and warnings for those lagging behind.

1Jn 5:4-5 **Everyone who is born of God overcomes the world;** and this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. Who is the one who overcomes the world, but he who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

Rev 2:8 "And to the Messenger of the church in Smyrna write: The first and the last, who was dead, and has come to life, says this:

Rev 2:10-12 'Do not fear what you are about to suffer. Behold, the devil is about to cast some of you into prison, so that you will be tested, and you will have tribulation for ten days. Be faithful until death, and I will give you the crown of life. **'He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.** He who **overcomes** will not be hurt by the second death.' "And to the Messenger of the church in Pergamum write:

The One who has the sharp two-edged sword says this: Rev 2:17 **'He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes,** to him I will give *some* of the hidden manna, and I will give him a white stone, and a new name written on the stone which no one knows but he who receives it.'

Rev 2:18 "And to the angel of the church in Thyatira write: The Son of God, who has eyes like a flame of fire, and His feet are like burnished bronze, says this: Rev 2:26 **'He who overcomes, and he who keeps My deeds until the end, TO HIM I WILL GIVE AUTHORITY OVER THE NATIONS;** Rev 2:27-29 **AND HE SHALL RULE THEM WITH A ROD OF IRON, AS THE VESSELS OF THE POTTER ARE BROKEN TO PIECES, just as I also have received from My**

**Father; and I will give him the morning star. 'He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.'**

**“To those who overcome will rule the nations with a rod of Iron”.**

Rev 3:1 "To the Messenger of the church in Sardis write: **He who has the seven Spirits of God and the seven stars,** says this: 'I know your deeds, that you have a name that **you are alive, but you are dead.** Rev 3:5-6 **'He who overcomes** will thus be clothed in white garments; and I will not erase his name from the book of life, and I will confess his name before My Father and before His angels. **'He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.'**

Rev 3:7 "And to the angel of the church in Philadelphia write: He who is holy, who is true, **who has the key of David,** who opens and no one will shut, and who shuts and no one opens, says this: Rev 3:12-13 **'He who overcomes,** I will make him a pillar in the temple of My God, and he will not go out from it anymore; and I will write on him the name of My God, and the name of the city of My God, the new Jerusalem, which comes down out of heaven from My God, **and My new name.** **'He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.'**

Rev 3:14 "To the angel of the church in Laodicea write: The Amen, the faithful and true Witness, **the Beginning of the creation of God,** says this: Rev 3:21-22 **'He who overcomes, I will grant to him to sit down with Me on My throne, as I also overcame and sat down with My Father on His throne. 'He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.'**

The following verses are representative of the extent of what it means to be the Body of Christ: thus, are present and future being ONE in Him.

1Cor 3:21-23 Let no one boast in men, because all things belong to you. Whether it be Paul or Apollos or Cephas or the world or life or death or things present or things to come; all things belong to you, and you belong to Christ; and Christ belongs to God.

1Cor 6:2-3 Or do you not know that the saints will judge the world? If the world is judged by you, are you not competent to constitute the smallest law courts? Do you not know that we will judge angels? How much more matters of this life?

Rom 16:20 The God of peace will soon crush Satan **under your feet.** The grace of our Lord Jesus be with you.

**“AFTER THESE THINGS”**

**(Trumpet Rapture) The simulator of the future events!!**

Rev 4:1-2 **After these things** I looked, and behold, a door open in heaven, and **the first voice which I had heard, like that of a trumpet speaking with me**, said, "**Come up here**, and I will show you what must take place **after these things.**" **Immediately I was in the Spirit;** and behold, a throne was standing in heaven, and One sitting on the throne.

Rev 4:5 Out from the throne come flashes of lightning and sounds and peals of thunder. And there was **seven lamps of fire burning before the throne,** **which are the seven Spirits of God**

Lightning and peals of thunder are always indicative of a great change; **notice that the Seven Lamps are now in heaven before the throne. [[[Remember those lamps are the Seven Churches; and now these lamps are said to be the Seven Spirits of God!!!]]]**

Rev 5:6 And I saw in the throne (with the four living creatures) and the elders **a Lamb standing, as if slain, having seven horns and seven eyes,** **which are the seven Spirits of God, that were sent out into all the earth.**

Now it's demonstrating even greater realities; **The Seven Horns and Seven Eyes are the Seven Spirits of God that were sent out into all the earth;** The Seven Horns are indicative of authority over the nations. Remember Jesus said whoever overcomes would rule the nations with a rod of iron. Now remember again the Seven Churches are the Seven Spirits of God; and now they're said to have been sent out to all the earth. Seven eyes are indicative of omnipresence.

**Rev 21:7 "He who overcomes will inherit these things, and I will be his God and he will be My son.**

Rev 21:23-24 And **the city** has no need of the sun or of the moon to shine on it, **for the glory of God has illumined it, and its** **[[[lamp is the Lamb.]]]** The nations will walk by its light, and the kings of the earth will bring their glory into it.

Notice that the lamp is the Lamb illuminating the nations; and by the following we see that lamb is the Lord God.

Rev 22:5 And there will no longer be night; nor will they have need of the light of a lamp or the light of the sun, **because the Lord God will illumine them; and** **[THEY] will reign forever and ever.**

**Matthew 5:14 "You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden;**

Psa 18:28 You light my **lamp**; the LORD my God illumines my darkness.

Psa 119:105 Your **Word is a Lamp** to my feet and a light to my path.

Psa 132:17 "There I will cause the **horn of David** to spring forth; I have prepared a **lamp** for **Mine anointed**.

Pro 6:23 The **commandment** is a **lamp** and the **teaching is light**; and **reproofs for** discipline are the way of **life**.

Pro 20:27 **The Spirit** of man is the **lamp of the LORD**, Searching all the innermost parts of his being.

1Cr 2:10-13 To us God revealed *them* through the Spirit; because the Spirit searches all things, even the depths of God. Who among men knows the *thoughts* of a man except the Spirit of the man which is in him? Even so the *thoughts* of God no one knows except the Spirit of God. Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the Spirit who is from God, so that we may know the things freely given to us by God, which things we also speak, not in words taught by human wisdom, but in those taught by the Spirit, combining the Spiritual with the Spiritual.

Rom 8:26-27 In the same way the Spirit also helps our weakness; because we do not know how to pray as we should, but the Spirit Himself intercedes us with groanings too deep for words; and He who searches the hearts knows what the mind of the Spirit is, because He intercedes for the saints according to God.

The following verse is so important when you leave out the words **NOT** found in the Greek

**1Cr 6:17 The one who joins himself to the Lord is one Spirit**

1Cr 6:19 Or do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God, and that you are not your own? You have been bought with a price: therefore glorify God in your body. 1Cr 6:19-20

**Sanctification**

1Jo 5:8 the **Spirit** and the **Water** and the **Blood**; and these three are ONE.

All three speak of sanctification from ONE GOD.

1 Jo 5:4-5 Everyone who is born of God overcomes the world; and this is the victory that has overcome the world—our faith. Who is the one who overcomes the world, but he who believes that Jesus is the Son of God?

The Blood of God Is Spirit; The Body of God is His Word.