

Revelation 2

The Churches Reviewed By God

Revelation 2:1-29

A. The Church at Ephesus (Revelation 2:1-7)

1. The Good

1 Unto the angel of the church of **Ephesus**(_____) write; **These things** saith he that holdeth the seven stars in his right hand, who walketh in the midst of the seven golden candlesticks;

a. You're a Hard _____ Church

2 I know thy works, and thy labour, and thy patience(_____),

b. You're a _____ to God Church

and how thou canst not bear(_____) them which are evil: and thou hast tried(_____) them which say they are apostles, and are not, and hast found them liars:

c. You're a _____ Church

3 And hast borne(_____), and hast **patience**, and for my name's sake hast laboured, and hast not fainted.

2. The Bad – You left the first, _____ love! (Love is now a _____ only)

4 Nevertheless I have somewhat against thee, because thou hast left thy first love(agape – _____).

3. The Fix

a. _____ what you were

5 **Remember** therefore from whence thou art fallen, and **repent**,

b. Do the First Work – (Serve God _____)

and **do the first works**; or else I will come unto thee quickly, and **will remove thy candlestick** out of his place, except thou repent.

c. Continue the _____

6 But this thou hast, that thou **hatest the deeds** of the Nicolaitans(_____ of people), which I also hate.

4. Reward – _____

7 He that hath an ear, **let him hear** what the Spirit saith unto the churches; To **him that overcometh**(_____) will I **give to eat of the tree of life, which is in the midst of the paradise of God.**

B. The Church at _____ (Revelation 2:8-11)

8 And unto the angel of the church in **Smyrna**(_____) write; These things saith the first and the last, **which was dead, and is alive;**

1. The Good - You're a _____ Church

9 I know thy works, and **tribulation**, and **poverty**, (but thou art rich)

2. The Bad - You're a verbally _____ d Church

and I know the **blasphemy**(_____ **speech**) of them which say they are Jews, and are not, but are the synagogue of Satan.

3. The Fix – _____

10 Fear none of those things which thou shalt suffer: behold, the devil shall cast some of you into prison, that ye may be tried; and ye shall have tribulation ten days: be thou faithful unto death,

4. The Reward – _____

and I will give thee a crown of life.

11 He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches; **He that overcometh shall not be hurt of the second death.**

C. The Church of _____ (Revelation 2:12-17)

1. The _____

12 And to the angel of the church in **Pergamos**(height, or _____) write; **These things saith he which hath the sharp sword with two edges;**

a. You're a physically _____ Church

13 I know thy works, and where **thou dwellest**, even where **Satan's seat is:**

b. You're a _____ Church

and **thou holdest fast my name**, and **hast not denied my faith**, even in those days wherein **Antipas was my faithful martyr**, who was slain among you, where Satan dwelleth.

2. The Bad

a. You've allowed yourself to be _____

14 But I have a few things against thee, because thou hast there them that hold the doctrine of **Balaam**(_____), who taught **Balac** to cast a **stumblingblock** before the children of Israel, **to eat things sacrificed unto idols**,

b. You've taught _____
and to **commit fornication**(_____ **sins**).

15 So hast thou also them that hold the doctrine of the Nicolaitans, which thing I hate.

3. The Fix – _____ = change your mind!

16 Repent; or else I will come unto thee quickly, and **will fight against them with the sword of my mouth**.

4. The Reward

a. Special _____ – The Food of Angels

17 He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches; **To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the hidden manna**,

b. Special _____ - A White Stone with a new name
and will give him a white stone, and in the stone a new name written, which no man knoweth saving he that receiveth it.

D. The Church at _____ (Revelation 2:18-29)

18 And unto the angel of the church in Thyatira(odor of _____) write;
These things saith the Son of God, who hath his **eyes like unto a flame of fire**, and his feet are **like fine brass**;

1. The Good

a. You're a _____ Church

19 I know thy works,

b. You're a _____ Church

and **charity**,

c. You're a _____ Church

and **service**, and **faith**,

d. You're a _____ Church

and thy **patience**, and thy **works**(_____); and the last to be more than the first.

2. The Bad

a. Allowed _____ teaching

[20] Notwithstanding I have **a few things against thee**, because thou **sufferest** that woman **Jezebel**, which calleth herself a prophetess, **to teach** and **to seduce my servants to commit fornication**, and to **eat things sacrificed unto idols**.

b. _____ **to repent**

21 And I gave her space to repent of her fornication; and **she repented not**.

22 Behold, I will cast her into a bed, and them that commit adultery with her into **great tribulation**, except they **repent** of their deeds.

23 And **I will kill her children with death**; and all the churches shall know that I am he which searcheth the reins and hearts: and **I will give unto every one of you according to your works**.

3. The Fix

a. _____

24 But unto you I say, and unto the rest in Thyatira, as many as have not this doctrine, and which have not known the depths of Satan, as they speak; **I will put upon you none other burden**.

25 But that which ye have already **hold fast till I come**.

b. _____ **&** _____

26 And he that **overcometh**, and **keepeth my works** unto the end,

4. The Reward

a. **God will** _____

to him will I give power over the nations:

27 And **he shall rule them** with a rod of iron; as the vessels of a potter shall they be broken to **shivers**(_____ **depending on God**): even as I received of my Father.

b. **Given a** _____

28 And I will give him the morning star.

29 He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches.