

Revelation 3

Letters to the last 3 assemblies

	 <p>Sardis 3:1-6</p>	 <p>Philadelphia 3:7-13</p>	 <p>Laodicea 3:14-22</p>
Age	Reformation Era 1518 -1750 AD	Missionary Church 1750-1900	Apostate Church of the Last Days 1900-present +
Speaker Title	"He who has the seven Spirits of God and the seven stars."	"He who is holy, He who is true. He who has the Key of David, He who opens and no one shuts, and shuts and no one opens."	"the Amen, the Faithful and True Witness, the Beginning of the creation of God."
Praise	NONE! (did find a few who had not "soiled their clothes" and they would walk with Him in white)	Works, have a little strength (influence, ability), kept His word, not denied His Name. Kept command to persevere* (Missionary church)	NONE!
Problems	Works indicated they had a reputation for being alive, but they were dead. He did not find their "works" complete or perfect before God.	NONE!	Neither hot nor cold (wished they were cold or hot); lukewarm. Say they are rich, have need of nothing, but He says they are wretched, miserable, poor, blind and naked.
Counsel or Warning	Be watchful, strengthen what remains (is about to die!) Remember what you heard, hold fast to it, repent OR ELSE I will come as a thief (suddenly) to take away what remains.	<i>(This letter informs more than warns)</i> Will make those of synagogue of Satan come and worship before their feet and know that He has loved them. "I am coming quickly!" Hold fast what you have so no one can take your crown.	Will vomit you out of my mouth! Buy from Me gold refined in fire (that you may be rich) white garments (that you may be clothed), anoint your eyes with eye salve (that you may see) As many as I love I rebuke and chasten. Be zealous and repent. Open door to Him!
Promise	Clothed in white garments, will not blot name from Book of Life, will confess name before Father and His angels. <i>(covered with righteousness of Christ, remain in Book of Life, right to be with God)</i>	*will keep them from hour of trial coming upon whole world to test those "who dwell on the earth" Make him a pillar in temple of God, will go out no more, will write on him name of God, name of city of God, New Jerusalem, which comes down out of heaven from God..will write on him My new name. <i>(eternally have access to God's place, identified with His city, identified with Jesus)</i>	Will sit with Me on My throne. <i>(will share in ruling over Millennial kingdom)</i>
Problem in a nutshell	Complacency , spiritually dead, more interested in material riches	NONE	Lukewarm, pride , more concerned about material wealth than spiritual wealth