

HEARING, SEEING, KNOWING

REVELATION 15:1- 16:11

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The letter is written to the 7 churches in Asia Minor, with a common theme.

HEARING IS CRITICAL - "Anyone with ears to hear must listen to the Spirit and understand what He is saying to the Churches." Rev. 2:7, 11, 17, 29, 3:6, 13, 22

SEEING IS CRITICAL – See Matthew 13, Mark 8, Luke 8

"Then I saw in heaven another marvelous event of great significance." 15:1a (NLT)

WHAT DID THESE CHURCHES NEED TO KNOW

- The truth about themselves.

They are Victorious Overcomers, not defeated losers.

They are on the Correct side, they worship the only True God.

- The truth about their God

God is Sovereign. He has not lost control of anything.

God is Righteous. He is the Holy Judge.

God is Merciful and Gracious. He wants all people to come to Him.

- The truth about Their eternity

I must know the truth about who I Belong to. There are only two choices.

I must focus on my relationship with God, not what the world is doing.

Can you believe it?

2 Great Tragedies

- 1) The world (Those without Christ.) Refuses to HEAR the Word of God.
- 2) The church (Those with Christ.) Refuses to OBEY the Word of God.

We are amazed as Children of God in Christ that the world would reject the desire of God for all people to be saved, while at the same time, totally ignoring what God has called us to do.

The calling of God in the lives of the followers of Christ can be summed up in two words - LISTEN ! Hearing is critical! REMAIN ! Do not give up.

John 15:4-10, 8:31, 13:34-35, Matthew 24:13, Mark 13:33-37, Luke 12:35-40,
1 John 2: 6, 27-28, 3:4, 4:13, Revelation 2-3