QUESTIONS FOR ADDITIONAL STUDY

1. Tell your story. Describe how you feel about the events that are

 presently taking place in our society. How are you responding to

 these events as a believer?

2. Why do you think people want to know about future events?

3. Read the following verses and note what the Bible says about

 the reading the Word of God:

 a) Joshua 1:8

 b) Psalm 119:11

 c) Psalm 119:18

 d) Psalm 119:105

 e) Luke 11:28

 f) Romans 15:4

 g) II Timothy 3:16-17

4. What blessings does God offer to the believer in Revelation?

5. What practical application are you going to make from this week’s

 message? (*Share your decision with another person*.)

* I am going to read through the entire book of Revelation.
* I am going to read through all the blessings in Revelation (see Revelation 1:3; 14:13; 16:15; 19:9; 20:6; 22:7; 22:14)
* I am going to memorize Luke 11:28.

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Revelation 1:1-3 Study Series # 01

***The Book of Revelation – An Introduction***

**I. Introduction**

 A. The Parable of the Theater

 B. The Reality of Our Present World

 (See Isaiah 5:20; II Thessalonians 2:7; I John 3:4;

 Matthew 24:12; II Thessalonians 2:1-3; Matthew 24:36;

 Mark 13:32; Matthew 16:3)

**II.** **The Book of Revelation**

 A. The Title

 (See Revelation 1:1; Daniel 2:24-45; Daniel 7:9-28;

 Matthew 24:1-44; Mark 13:1-37; Luke 21:8-36; John 5:38;

 John 1:14; Revelation 16:16)

 B. The Author

 (See Revelation 1:1; Revelation 1:4; Revelation 1:9;

 Revelation 22:8; Matthew 20:20-28; Acts 12:1-2)

 C. The Recipients

 (See Revelation 1:1; Matthew 24:8; Mark 13:8)

 D. The Time

 (See Revelation 1:9; Revelation 2:10; Revelation 2:13;

 II Peter 3:8)

 E. The Blessing

 (See Revelation 1:3; Matthew 5:1-12; Revelation 1:3;

 Revelation 14:13; Revelation 16:15; Revelation 19:9;

 Revelation 20:6; Revelation 22:7; Revelation 22:14;

 Revelation 22:18-19; Psalm 119:11; Proverbs 4:23;

 John 20:31; I John 5:13)

**IV. Conclusion**

If you would like to know more about what it means to be a Christian, or if you would like to talk with someone or have someone pray for you, please contact the church office and the pastor will contact you.

**Passage of Study**

Revelation 1:1-3

1 The Revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave Him to show to His bond-servants, the things which must soon take place; and He sent and communicated *it* by His angel to His bond-servant John, **2**who testified to the word of God and to the testimony of Jesus Christ, *even* to all that he saw. **3**Blessed is he who reads and those who hear the words of the prophecy and heed the things which are written in it; for the time is near.

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