

MYSTERIES OF THE APOCALYPSE

THE LAST DAYS OF PLANET EARTH AND
THE RETURN OF JESUS CHRIST

THE LAST DAYS AND THE LUKEWARM CHURCH

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“Write what you see in a book 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.” REVELATION 1:11

1. Sardis: The _____ Church (3:1-6)

“And to the angel of the church in Sardis write: ‘The words of him who has the seven spirits of God and the seven stars. ‘I know your works. You have the reputation of being alive, but you are dead.’” REVELATION 3:1

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2. Philadelphia: The _____ Church (3:7-13)

“You have kept my word and have not denied my name.” REVELATION 3:8

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“And to the angel of the church in Philadelphia write: ‘The words of the holy one, the true one, who has the key of David, who opens and no one will shut, who shuts and no one opens.’” REVELATION 3:7

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“I know your works. Behold, I have set before you an open door, which no one is able to shut. I know that you have but little power, and yet you have kept my word and have not denied my name.” REVELATION 3:8

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“Behold, I will make those of the synagogue of Satan who say that they are Jews and are not, but lie—behold, I will make them come and bow down before your feet, and they will learn that I have loved you. ¹⁰Because you have kept my word about patient endurance, I will keep you from the hour of trial that is coming on the whole world, to try those who dwell on the earth. ¹¹I am coming soon. Hold fast what you have, so that no one may seize your crown.” REVELATION 3:9-11

3. Laodicea: The _____ Church (3:14-22)

“I know your works: you are neither cold nor hot. Would that you were either cold or hot! ¹⁶So, because you are lukewarm, and neither hot nor cold, I will spit you out of my mouth.” REVELATION 3:15-16

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