

Re 1:9-12
Setting the Scene: *John's Vision of Jesus*



I. Review-

Application Points from last Study...

1. Pray for moves of our community of faith to be divinely_____
2. Pray for our unity in the_____and our resolve to be_____in God's mission for our community of faith
3. _____that the past and future are embraced in God's eternal present
4. Gain great encouragement, by knowing the truth.... Jesus_____ you
5. _____the freedom to follow Christ,_____our sinful nature
6. _____ kingdom minded and_____ _____priests of the most high
7. _____that God is in control

(Pray, Read, Observations, Unpack & Apply)

II Re 1:9-12

- 9 I, John, your brother and companion in the suffering and kingdom and patient endurance that are ours in Jesus, was on the island of Patmos because of the word of God and the testimony of Jesus.
- 10 On the Lord's Day I was in the Spirit, and I heard behind me a loud voice like a trumpet,
- 11 which said: "Write on a scroll what you see and send it to the seven churches: to Ephesus, Smyrna, Pergamum, Thyatira, Sardis, Philadelphia and Laodicea."
- 12 I turned around to see the voice that was speaking to me. And when I turned I saw seven golden lampstands,

Initial Observations? 1.

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III. A Few Points we can apply to our lives...

1. Be encouraged by _____
2. Celebrate your fellow _____ in the kingdom and encourage one another with _____
3. Increase in your value of God's _____ and stand up and _____ about _____
4. Seek God's _____ and His _____ in your worship with others
5. _____ to Jesus speaking to you, through visions of _____ or _____, during worship with others
6. Testify when God speaks _____ and _____ to you
7. _____ within your own community of faith and give _____ to others, when they are being challenged with issues that need to be addressed

Your response...?

Which of these points of application is the Holy Spirit speaking to you about?

How will you "take to heart" what He has spoken to you?

What step of obedience will you take?