LAUNCHINGPOINT

"WEEP NO MORE; BEHOLD, THE LION OF THE TRIBE OF JUDAH, THE ROOT OF DAVID, HAS CONQUERED..."

REV. 5:5



The 2nd Interlude:

What is the purpose of prophecy?



"If you're a believer, do you think of yourself as someone who was a slave until God redeemed you from slavery? If you're a believer in Jesus, that's your identity, and that identity matters more than your image, your style, and your reputation. The defining truth about who you are, about your identity is that you are someone whom God has gone to extravagant lengths to redeem."

James Hamilton Jr., Revelation: The Spirit Speaks to the Churches

Chapter 10: The Angel & Little Scroll

- "Another Mighty Angel"
- Clouds, Rainbow, Sun, & Fire descriptions
- Little Scroll is open, in his hand
- Right foot Sea, Left foot Land
- Voice of a Roaring Lion

Chapter 10: No More Delay

- Seven Thunders Sealed up
- Angel raises hand to heaven
- Oath to "Him who lives forever and ever"
- There is NO MORE DELAY 7th trumpet
- Mystery to be fulfilled

Chapter 10: The Little Scroll

- John involved in the action
- Take the Scroll eat it
- Bitter to stomach, but sweet in mouth
- More to Prophesy 1:19

"It is a very sad thing indeed when truth is simply held in the intellect with no particular bearing upon life...It is a truth that should affect the believer at every angle of his life. Anyone who really believes it cannot afterward live for self or for the world. If one professes to hold the second coming of Christ and yet lives like the world, it but evidences the fact that, whatever he may hold mentally, the truth of the Lord's coming does not hold him. That truth believed makes carnal Christians spiritual, it makes worldly people heavenly, it makes covetous people generous, and it makes careless people earnest. I want to be very frank with you. If you do not desire to let this truth have its sway over your lives, it might be better to cease studying this book of Revelation right here because all of God's truth has been made known for the obedience of faith..."

"...And I am certain that these truths are either going to change the lives of some people completely or harden them in their waywardness and be the means of searing their consciences as with a hot iron."

H.A. Ironside, Revelation

God's Word was meant to be ingested into the life, not pass through the ears! Takeaway Thought.

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