## **REVELATION 3 vs 7**



the 7 congregations of Revelation are typical of what will be until the Gentiles time ends; which means they exist today! Only 2 need not reconsider: evidence they are the true church Jesus is building; who the 5 others are, is a mystery, Daniel says, they will go through great testing.

<sup>7</sup> And to the angel of the church in Philadelphia / the messenger, whoever has the message, the good news of the Lord; Peter says: we are to be a priesthood; we = me and you, not complicated is it? in the city, the community of brotherly love;

write; Thus says the holy One, the true One / and quotes Isaiah, chapter 22,



## he who has the key of David and who opens, and

**no one will shut; and shuts, and no one will open** / the symbol of authority; now days, the roman tradition thinks they are the only ones with that authority; but John is writing, NOT to the church of Rome, but to the church of Philadelphia. Not to inquisitors or murderers; not to pedophiles or hocus pocus priests; not to the church of Adolph Hitler, nor to any fascists... but to the Brotherly love church.

- <sup>8</sup> I know your works, Look, I set before you an open door, that no one can shut: for you have little strength, yet you have kept / guard to protect, My word, and have not denied My name.
- <sup>9</sup> Look / pay attention, I will make those from the synagogue of Satan, who claim they are Jews but are lying / remember, John who is writing was Jewish. If he were writing now, he might have wrote, who claim they are Christian and are not, they are frauds.

I will make them come and bow down at your feet and you will know that I have loved you / even those from the synagogue of Satan; and isn't that about the most shocking expression of a congregation to imagine? What church do you go to? I go to the church of the number one enemy of God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. those thought the worst will come and worship.

10 because you kept / you guarded, the word of My endurance / they guarded the record of the Lord's longsuffering, what He put up with when He came and taught us. His enduring patience seen at the congregation in the city of brotherly love, those busy guarding & defending what the Lord taught us.

Because they did that, listen to what the Lord has promised...

I will also keep you / guard you, from the hour of temptation which will come upon all the world, to test all who dwell on the earth / from the severe and thorough test that will come on the whole world.

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This promise is to those in the assembly in the city of Brotherly Love. He knows our works; He knows we are weak. But we can: keep His word... and not deny His name. And we don't keep His word for ourselves; we don't keep His word from the people; we keep it and we guard it, for the people who have never heard, that they too might come and worship Him.

<sup>11</sup> Behold, I come quickly: so, hold-fast to what you have that no one takes your victory crown / when He comes it will be sudden, so continue doing these things.

the one who conquers I will make a pillar in the temple of My God and he will never go out again / the one who is victorious - he will never leave it; and never want to in the sacred place the Lord is building; notice John does not describe a place of brick and stone:

And like a caring mother is our great God and Savior; pinning vital information on the lapel of her child in case he gets lost.

I will write upon him: the name of My God,

and the name of the city of My God...

new Jerusalem, which comes down from heaven from My God:

**and My new name** / no one can mistake the destination and citizenship of this victorious one. And did you notice? the Lord doesn't tell us His new name is it Jesus? is it Yeshua? is it Jesu? When we hear it, we will never forget it, because like Him, it will be altogether lovely just like our Friend.

<sup>13</sup> He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the church. / do you have one ear that is working? use it and hear!

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