### GOING HOME Revelation 4 April 7, 2019

# THE BIG REVEAL—REVELATION (THE UNVEILING) ...The Unveiling of Jesus!

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Jesus will return shortly to take you home where at least 6 things will happen:

#### 1. YOU WILL MEET GOD

"After this I looked, and behold a door standing open in heaven! And the first voice, which I had heard speaking to me like a trumpet, said, 'Come up here, and I will show you what must take place after this.' At once I was in the Spirit and behold a throne stood in heaven, with one seated on the throne. And he who sat there had the appearance of jasper and camelian, and around the throne was a rainbow that had the appearance of an emerald." Rev. 4:1-3

- A. By Experiencing His <u>POWER</u>! (vs. 1-2a)
- B. By Feeling His PRESENCE! (vs. 2b)
- C. By Knowing PERFECTION ! (vs. 3a)
- D. By Seeing His PLAN ! (vs. 3b)
- E. By Living His PROMISES ! (vs. 3c)

#### 2. YOU WILL JOIN THE SAINTS

"Around the throne were twenty-four elders, clothed in white garments, with golden crowns on their heads." Rev. 4:4

- A. In <u>INTIMACY</u> (vs. 4a)
- B. In AUTHORITY (vs. 4b)
- C. In <u>PURITY</u> (vs. 4c)
- D. In <u>VICTORY</u> (vs. 4d)

# 3. YOU WILL EXPERIENCE THE <u>SPIRIT</u> "From the throne came flashes of lightning, and rul

"From the throne came flashes of lightning, and rumblings and peals of thunder, and before the throne were burning seven torches of fire, which are the seven spirits of God,..." Rev. 4:5

...As the storm clouds of <u>JUDGMENT</u> are gathering in heaven, you will live forever in the <u>FULNESS</u> of the Spirit.

## 4. YOU WILL STAND ON GOD'S WORD

"...and before the throne there was as it were a sea of glass, like crystal." Rev. 4:6a

...The WORD of <u>GOD</u> is forever settled in heaven.

# 5. YOU WILL UNDERSTAND THE MYSTERIES OF GOD

"And around the throne, on each side of the throne, are four living creatures, full of eyes in front and behind: the first living creature like a lion, the second living creature like an ox, the third living creature with the face of a man, and the fourth living creature like an eagle in flight. And the four living creatures, each of them with six wings, are full of eyes all around and within..."

Rev. 4:6b-8a

...The four living <u>CREATURES</u> are God's messengers to <u>CREATION</u> and are qualified, as the guardians of God's <u>HOLINESS</u>, to answer all your <u>QUESTIONS</u>.

### 6. YOU WILL WORSHIP GOD

"...and day and night they never cease to say, 'Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, who was and is and is to come!' And whenever the living creatures give glory and honor and thanks to him who is seated on the throne, who lives forever and ever, the twenty-four elders fall down before him who is seated on the throne and worship him who lives for ever and ever. They cast their crowns before the throne, saying, 'Worthy are you, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honor and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created."

Rev. 4:8b-11

...When you are in the presence of God, in heaven or right now, the only appropriate response is to WORSHIP Him:

- A. For His <u>PRESENCE</u>! (vs. 8b)
- B. For His <u>POWER</u>! (vs. 9-10)
- C. For His PURPOSE ! (vs. 11)