



Sermon Guide Questions

"Behold, A Throne in Heaven!"

Revelation 4

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1. John reports that he heard a voice. What does the voice instruct him to do?
For what reason is this instruction, or invitation, extended to him? (V 1)
2. When he is granted entrance into heaven, what is the first thing he sees?
How does John describe what he sees [see Psalm 113:4-6]? (V 2)
3. How did John describe the one sitting on the throne (v 3)?
What encircled or surrounded the throne (vv 3-4)?
4. What came from the throne (v 5)? What did John see in front of the throne vv 5-6)?
5. How were the four living creatures around the throne similar? What attribute of God did the four living creatures praise again and again? (V 8)
6. How did the twenty-four elders worship the Lord God (vv 9-10)? Why did the elders say God was worthy of their worship (v 11)?

Practical Application:

7. How does this passage add to what you have already imagined about heaven? What is most striking? Do the final verses 8-11 move you to pray or worship the Lord God in any different kind of way? If so, how?
8. In what ways can you be open to prayer and worship in different ways? Perhaps you as a group can learn together the prayer in verse 11 and agree to repeat it throughout the week. As another idea, perhaps you would like to kneel down and pray together. See if introducing a change like these above adds to your devotional life during the sermon series on Revelation.