

Revival Christian Fellowship
The Church Victorious
Revelation 5:1-14 - O Worship The Redeemer
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Main Point: A picture of worship in the throne room of God.

Introduction

- What is your favorite way to worship?

Understanding

1. The Scroll of Redemption. Read Revelation 5:1.

- a. What things did John see in verse 1?
- b. Of the things he saw, what did the scroll represent and foretell?
- c. Pastor John referred to a kinsman redeemer or *goel*. What is a kinsman redeemer? Why is Jesus Christ the perfect kinsman redeemer?
- d. What happens in the later chapters of Revelation when a seal is broken?

2. The Search for the Redeemer. Read Revelation 5:2-3.

- a. What did the angel proclaim?
- b. Why would no one in heaven or earth or under the earth be able to open the scroll? Read Romans 3:23 to support your answer.

c. What else can we learn from these verses?

i. Philippians 2:9-11

ii. John 14:5-7

3. Sobbing for a Redeemer. Read Revelation 5:4.

a. Why did John cry when no one could open the scrolls?

4. The Savior. Read Revelation 5:5-7.

a. Why did the elder tell John to stop crying?

b. Have you ever felt immense sadness thinking God's plans and purposes will not be fulfilled? What gives you hope in those times?

c. The elder refers to the Lion of the tribe of Judah and the Root of David. What insight do the following verses give us on these two titles?

i. Genesis 49:9-10

ii. Isaiah 11:1

- d. How does John the Baptist refer to Jesus in John 1:29-31? Why is this distinction important?

- e. What does it mean that Jesus is both a Lion and a Lamb? What does this mean for your life?

- f. What do these symbols tell us about the Lamb of God?
 - i. Seven horns

 - ii. Seven eyes

 - iii. Seven spirits

5. Songs to the Redeemer. Read Revelation 5:8-14.

- a. What three groups of worshippers are represented in these verses?

- b. Summarize the words of worship offered to the Lamb in this passage.

- c. What is the dual role for those who are redeemed for God (vv. 9-10)?

- d. Does it excite you to think of people from every tribe, tongue, and nation gathering around the throne and praising God? Explain.

Application

- How might your worship of God change after reading this chapter?