

Baldwin Hills Baptist Church

Sunday, October 1, 2023

Sermon Scriptures

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Rev. 2:1 ¶ “To the angel of **the church in Ephesus** write: ¶ The One who holds the seven stars in His right hand, the One who walks among the seven golden lampstands, says this:

Rev. 2:4 ‘But I have *this* against you, that you have left your first love.

Rev. 2:5 ‘Therefore remember from where you have fallen, **and repent** and do the deeds you did at first; or else I am coming to you and **will remove your lampstand out of its place — unless you repent.**

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Rev. 2:12 ¶ “And to the angel of **the church in Pergamum** write: ¶ The One who has the sharp two-edged sword says this:

Rev. 2:14 ‘But I have **a few things against you**, because you have there some who hold **the teaching of Balaam**, who kept teaching Balak to put a stumbling block before the sons of Israel, **to eat things sacrificed to idols and to commit acts of immorality.**

Rev. 2:15 ‘So you also have some who in the same way **hold the teaching of the Nicolaitans.**

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Rev. 2:16 ‘Therefore repent; or else I am coming to you quickly, and **I will make war against them with the sword of My mouth.**

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Rev. 2:18 ¶ “And to the angel of **the church in Thyatira** write: ¶ The Son of God, who has eyes like a flame of fire, and His feet are like burnished bronze, says this:

Rev. 2:20 ‘But I have *this* against you, that you tolerate the woman **Jezebel**, who calls herself a prophetess, and she teaches and leads My bond-servants astray **so that they commit acts of immorality and eat things sacrificed to idols.**

Rev. 2:21 ‘I gave her time to repent, and she does not want to repent of her immorality.

Rev. 2:22 ‘Behold, I will throw her on a bed *of sickness*, and those who commit adultery with her into great tribulation, unless they repent of her deeds.

Rev. 2:23 ‘And I will kill her children with pestilence, and all the churches will know that I am He who searches the minds and hearts; and I will give to each one of you according to your deeds.

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Rev. 3:1 ¶ “To the angel of **the church in Sardis** write: ¶ He who has the seven Spirits of God and the seven stars, says this: ‘I know your deeds, that you **have a name that you are alive, but you are dead.**

Rev. 3:2 ‘Wake up, and strengthen the things that remain, which were about to die; for I have not found your deeds completed in the sight of My God.

Rev. 3:3 ‘So remember what you have received and heard; and keep *it*, and repent. **Therefore if you do not wake up**, I will come like a thief, and you will not know at what hour I will come to you.

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Rev. 3:14 ¶ “To the angel of **the church in Laodicea** write: ¶ The Amen, the faithful and true Witness, the Beginning of the creation of God, says this:

Rev. 3:15 ¶ ‘I know your deeds, **that you are neither cold nor hot**; I wish that you were cold or hot.

Rev. 3:16 ‘So because you are lukewarm, and neither hot nor cold, I will spit you out of My mouth.

Rev. 3:17 ‘Because you say, “I am rich, and have become wealthy, and have need of nothing,” and you do not know that you are wretched and miserable and poor and blind and naked,

Rev. 3:18 I advise you to buy from Me gold refined by fire so that you may become rich, and white garments so that you may clothe yourself, and *that the shame of your nakedness will not be revealed*; and eye salve to anoint your eyes so that you may see.

Rev. 3:19 ‘Those whom I love, I reprove and discipline; **therefore be zealous and repent.**