



THE RETURN OF THE **KING**

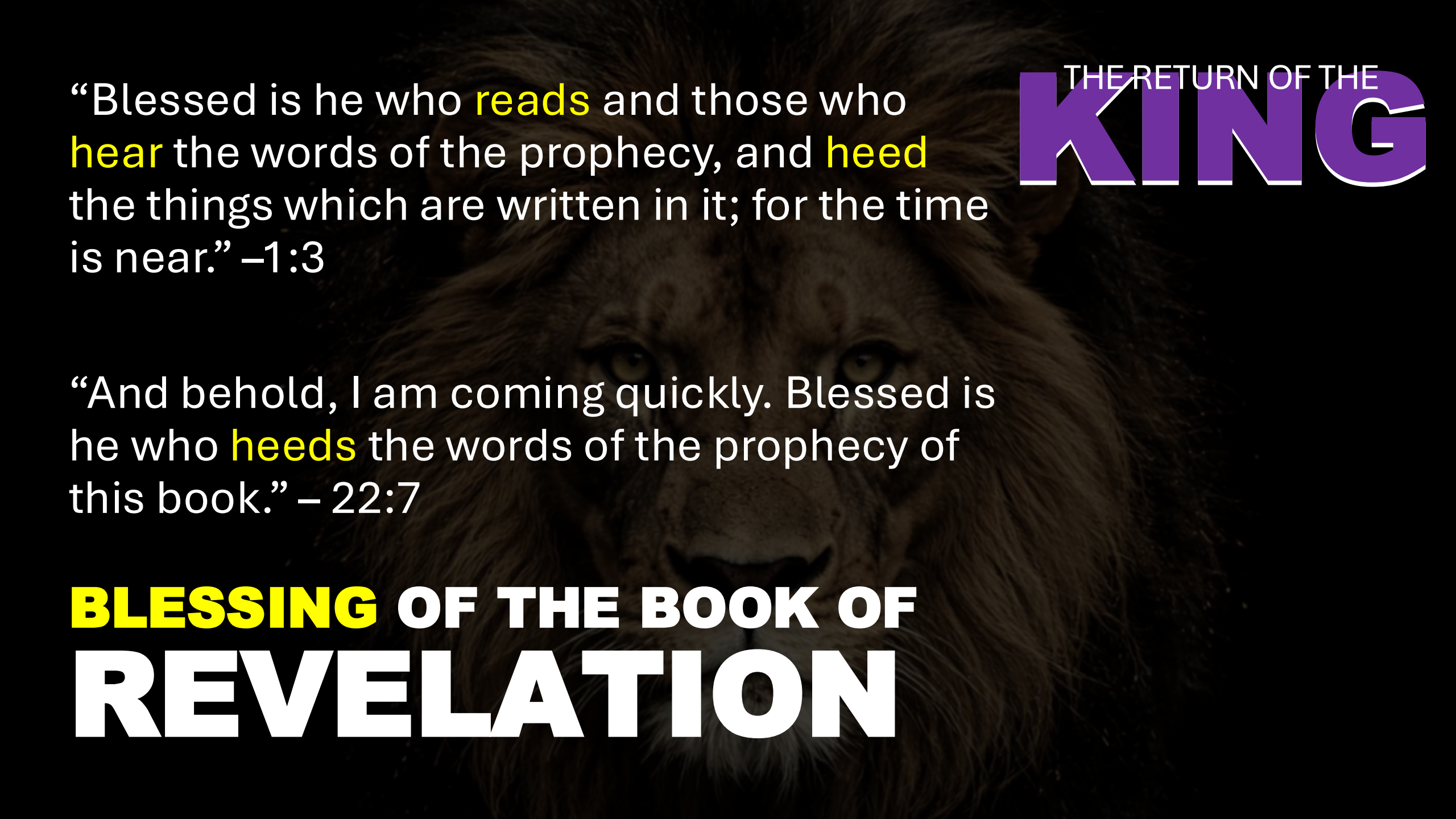
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REVELATION

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CHAPTER 16



“Blessed is he who **reads** and those who **hear** the words of the prophecy, and **heed** the things which are written in it; for the time is near.” –1:3

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“And behold, I am coming quickly. Blessed is he who **heeds** the words of the prophecy of this book.” – 22:7

BLESSING OF THE BOOK OF **REVELATION**



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- It completes God's written revelation (communication) 22:18-21
- It is testimony "for the churches" (22:16)

PURPOSE OF THE BOOK OF **REVELATION**

- John assumes the LGH
 - (what value is a testimony if they can't understand it? [22:16])
 - Note his clear distinction between metaphorical and non-metaphorical language
- John assumes the reader has a rich knowledge of Scripture (particularly Daniel and Hebrew prophets)
- The genre is prophecy
- These three things provide the framework for understanding

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UNDERSTANDING THE BOOK OF **REVELATION**



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WORLDVIEW OF THE BOOK OF **REVELATION**

- “Write therefore the things **which you have seen**, and the things **which are**, and the things **which shall take place** after these things” – 1:19

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			2:12-17	To Pergamum
			2:18-29	To Thyatira
			3:1-6	To Sardis
			3:7-13	To Philadelphia
			3:14-22	To Laodicea
The Things Which Shall Take Place After These Things (part 1)	4-11	The Book and the Lamb: The Seven Seals	4 The Twenty Four Elders & the Four Beasts	
			5 The Lamb Worthy to Open the Book	
			6:1-2	1 st Seal: Conquering
			6:3-4	2 nd Seal: War
			6:5-6	3 rd Seal: Famine
			6:7-8	4 th Seal: Death
			6:9-11	5 th Seal: Martyrs Cry for Vengeance
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				7 The Remnant (Israel/Nations)
			8-11 7 th Seal (7 Trumpets)	8:1-7 1 st Trumpet: Scorched Earth
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					12:3-4	The Dragon (Satan)		
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			14:14-20	Reaping				
			Conclusion Of the Tribulation 15-19		The 7 Angels	The 7 Bowls of Wrath	15	Their Commission
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							16:4-7	3: Polluted Waters
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							16:10-11	5: Darkness & Pain
							16:12-16	6: Assembling at Armageddon
							16:17-19:4	7: Judgment of Babylon
					19:5-10	Marriage of the Lamb		
19:11-16	The 2 nd Coming							
19:17-21	Armageddon							
20:1-6					The Millennial Kingdom			
20:7-10					Satan's Last Stand			
20:11-15					Final Judgment: The Great White Throne			
Eternity 21-22		21:1-8	New Heaven & New Earth					
		21:9-22:5	New Jerusalem					
		22:6-21	Conclusion					

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THE TRIBULATION JUDGMENTS



From Thomas Constable, 2023 viewed at
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tof0fwdxGjg>

What are the seven bowls of wrath? 16:1, 15:7

What is significant about the *kinds* of judgments in the bowls? 16:5-7

How do people respond to these judgments? 16:9, 11, 21

Is it possible to counterfeit signs, miracles, and wonders? 16:13-14

What is significant about HarMegiddo? 16:16

Is there a parallel between what Jesus said on the cross and what the 7th angel says? 16:17

What is Babylon the Great? 16:19

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