

REVELATION

LESSON 5: Revelation 2-3 - Jesus Letters to the Churches: Intro

1. What do the two parts of the lampstands represent (Re 2:1; Mt 5:14-16) ?

Lamp (Mt 5:14) _____

Stand (Mt 5:15) _____

2. What are the stars / angels? Explain (Re 2:1). _____

3. Why is the reader so important? (Re 1:3, 22:18) _____

4. The seven churches are suffering from two kinds of pressure.

Outside Pressure = _____

Inside Pressure = _____

5. How does apocalyptic literature and imagery help (2nd Key)? _____

6. There are three ways to explain the seven churches. Explain each:

a. Literal: _____

b. Church ages: _____

c. Types of Christians: _____

7. Explain the 4 parts of each letter:

a. The Address: _____

b. The Revelation: _____

c. The Exhortation: _____

d. The Conclusion: _____

8. Each letter concludes with "**He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.**" What is the significance of this? _____

9. What can learn about these churches that will help us in our Bible understanding? _____

10. We valuable lessons or encouragement can we apply to our own lives and churches from these letters? _____
