

Study Notes: What Would Jesus Tweet?

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"Church of the Walking Dead"

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Revelation 3:1-6—

- An undeserved _____ in the church can be worse than false doctrine or sexual immorality.
- The church at Sardis was the perfect model of _____.

What must the spiritually dead congregation do?

1. The church must _____. [v.2]
2. The church must _____ to Christ. [v. 3]
 - a. This may be the most difficult thing for a _____ to do.
"When our Lord and Master Jesus Christ said, "Repent", He intended that the entire life of believers should be repentance."
 - b. Far worse than persecution from the outside, is _____.
 - c. The Sardis attitude overtakes us whenever we begin to take _____.
 - d. It's better to be an out-and-out pagan than to go through life as a _____ not really knowing Christ.

This week ask yourself:

1. How long has it been since I've done a personal spiritual inventory? What is my "spiritual reputation"? What is my "spiritual reality"?
2. Pastor Kevin said, "There is something that can be much worse than false doctrine or sexual immorality or trouble in the church... and that is... having a good reputation... that is undeserved." What do I think about that statement?
3. Do I need to, "Wake Up"? If so, what steps must I take? Do I need to, "Repent"? Again, if so, what steps must I take?

Action step:

Isaiah 64:6 says, "We are all infected and impure with sin. When we display our righteous deeds, they are nothing but filthy rags. Like autumn leaves, we wither and fall, and our sins sweep us away like the wind."

Rewrite this text to make it personal.

Now read Acts 15:11— "We believe that we are all saved the same way, by the undeserved grace of the Lord Jesus."

What do you see when you examine these two verses together?