



Sermon Discussion Guide¹

Rev 7:9-17 | Kevin DeYoung

“A Great Multitude”
Sunday Morning, October 15th, 2023

1. Looking back over this sermon series, what things from Revelation have jumped out at you that you didn’t notice before?
2. **Militant & Triumphant:** Kevin referred to the subjects in v. 1-8 as the Church “militant” and the subjects of v. 9-17 as the Church “triumphant.” In what way do we need both halves of this chapter? How might each inform your faith for this week?
3. **Victory:** Read 1 Jn 4:4. How does Christ’s victory over the world give you courage?
4. **Tribulation:** Christians are kept safe *in* tribulation, but not *from* it.
 - a. Read 2 Tim 3:13. How can the church be prepared for tribulation?
 - b. Who are some missionaries in harm’s way that the group can lift up to the Lord in prayer?
5. **Psalm 91:** It is worth taking the time to read Psalm 91. How does this psalm enlarge your understanding of God’s promised reward to those who come out of the great tribulation?
6. **Reward:** Three categories of *reward* are promised in verses 13-17. What are they?² How do each of these give hope to Christians in tribulation?
7. **Lamb:** How we see the Lamb, described at the end of chapter 6 and, differently, at the end of chapter 7 is so significant. What did you learn? How might this help you to pray for the lost? For your own faith?
8. **Lamb & Shepherd:** The Lamb in Revelation 7:17 is also a shepherd. What does this description teach us about the Lord Jesus Christ?

¹ SDGs from the Sunday morning sermon are available on the [small groups page](#) of the church website.

² Protection, provision, presence

General Outline

3 Questions:

1. Who is the great multitude?
2. What is the great tribulation?
3. What is our great reward?
 - a. Protection
 - b. Provision
 - c. Presence