

## Revelation 1:7

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Our church just finished a verse by verse bible study in the book of Revelation. Whenever a church does a study in Revelation, everyone's ears seem to perk up, as all want to know what it says and means.

So why are we so intrigued with the book of Revelation anyway? I think it's because we all want to know the future. There are these "900" numbers that you can call to listen to a physic tell you about your future. But these are from the pit of hell. There are also, so called "prophets" who try to predict the future, but they all seem to get it wrong and are really false prophets, and we know this because they are not 100% accurate.

But the book of Revelation is 100% accurate, and we know that because we know that God's word is true and that God cannot lie. Do you believe that? You may be thinking, "*Well of course I do.*" Good, then read today's devotional verse again.

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If you believe the bible is 100% true and accurate, then why are you not telling others that Jesus is coming back? If you read the book of Revelation, you will read of seven years of God's wrath upon this earth. Now who do you really want to go through that, or do you really want others to go through that?

You may not be able to stop someone from going through the seven year tribulation period, but you can warn them about it, and tell him or her how not to have to suffer these things that WILL happen. It may be today, or tomorrow or next year, but if you believe that God's word is true, then you know that it WILL happen.

If you don't know who to tell, or if you are afraid to tell others, pray about it and ask the Lord to give you the boldness that you need to tell others about Jesus. After all, it's one of the last things that Jesus told us to do before He ascended up into heaven. Also, remember, it's not our job to save them (notice it doesn't say we have to make them believe or force them too) but rather, we are to just tell them how they can be saved. As we do, the God will save them.

‡ ***Mark 16:15-16 And He said to them, "Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature. He who believes and is baptized will be saved; but he who does not believe will be condemned."***

‡ ***1 Corinthians 3:6 I planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the increase.***

† **Psalm 68:20 (NLT2)** *Our God is a God who saves! The Sovereign LORD rescues us from death.*