

"Then I saw in the right hand of him who sat on the throne a scroll with writing on both sides and sealed with seven seals." **Revelation 5:1, NIV**

THEN I SAW..._____ SEE THE: ______

"One on the throne with a scroll in His right hand" God is still in control & He has a plan

"And I saw a mighty angel proclaiming in a loud voice, "Who is worthy to break the seals and open the scroll?" But no one in heaven or on earth or under the earth could open the scroll or even look inside it. I wept and wept because no one was found who was worthy to open the scroll or look inside." **Revelation 5:2-4, NIV**

THEN I SAW...______ SEE THE: ______

"Who is worthy to open the scroll or look inside?" Who is able to unfold God's perfect plan?

"Then one of the elders said to me, 'Do not weep! See, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has triumphed. He is able to open the scroll and its seven seals." **Revelation 5:5, NIV**

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"See the Lion of the Tribe of Judah, the Root of David" He is ABLE to open the scroll and look inside "Then one of the elders said to me, 'Do not weep! See, the Lion of the tribe of Judah, the Root of David, has triumphed. He is able to open the scroll and its seven seals.' Then I saw a Lamb, looking as if it had been slain, standing at the center of the throne, encircled by the four living creatures and the elders. The Lamb had seven horns and seven eyes, which are the seven spirits of God sent out into all the earth." (Revelation 5:5-6, NIV)

THE LAMB WAS _____

John saw Jesus coming toward him and said, "Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world! John 1:29

The Lamb who was slain from the creation of the world. Revelation 13:8

"He went and took the scroll from the right hand of him who sat on the throne. And when he had taken it, the four living creatures and the twenty-four elders fell down before the Lamb. Each one had a harp and they were holding golden bowls full of incense, which are the prayers of God's people." **Revelation 5:7-8, NIV**

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"He went and took the scroll from the right hand of him who sat on the throne" There is a heavenly revolution happening through the reign of the lamb

"Revelation 5 reveals... The Lamb reigns as the Lamb, not as the Lion. That is the secret of history. The Lion, the Almighty, reigns in the world as the Lamb. Not as the ferocious lion who hurts people to assert his rule, but who takes into himself the hurts of others, thereby making his rule happen. The secret of God's victory on the cross is the secret of all other victories. God overcomes by suffering, suffering with and for the world Jesus Christ reigns now the way he did during his incarnation. He reigns by entering into and taking into himself the suffering of the world. He reigns from the cross." (Darell W. Johnson)

GRACE REIGNS!!! Apocalypse Now! See The Lamb!

"So that, just as sin reigned in death, so also grace might reign through righteousness to bring eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord." **Romans 5:21, NIV**



LIVING IN THE RULE OF GRACE

See the lamb when...

1. You see ______ (Roman 8:1 - No Condemnation - _____)

- 2. You see your _____ (Isaiah 1:18 Though your sins are as scarlett)
- 3. You see your _____ (Phil 3:10 To know Christ and the fellowship)
- 4. You see your _____ (Rom 8:38 Who shall separate us from the love)
- 5. You see ______ (2 Cor 5:16 We view no one from a worldly view)
- 6. You see the _____ (Matt 28:18 Go into all the earth/ Ps 72:8 He shall)
- 7. You see the _____ (Col 1:15 He is the image of the invisible God)

3 APOCALYPTIC QUESTIONS:

1. Am I keeping "the scroll" (the will/plan) of God in full view in this season of my life? Or am I living like it's been dropped (Chaos)?

2. When I see (conceive of) God, do I see the lamb? (Grace) Has the apocalypse of Jesus transformed your vision of what God is like?

3. Am I operating under the reign of grace? (With myself, with others, with the world?)