

The King on His Throne

Revelation 4: 1-11

Take-Home Truth: *The King sits on the throne where he rules the universe.*

Christ-Connection: *Jesus invites us to see the end of the story he has written.*

Hook: *(Ice-breaker question. Get the group talking!)*

1. Have you ever met someone of importance? How did you react?

Engage: *(Observe the passage and engage with the text)*

2. What are some of the natural elements (thunder, sea, etc.) observed in the passage? How are they used to illustrate the King's majesty?

3. Revelation 4:8-11 is a picture of worship. What attributes of God from these verses are the elders and creatures worshipping?

Reflect: *(Reflect upon the key take-aways from the sermon)*

4. How does this amazing scene (8-11) challenge or inform your view of worship?

5. Richard said *"The greatest remedy for pain is to look at the magnificence of God's power and love. It's impossible to suffer with hope apart from a big vision of a beautiful God."* Is this hard for you to believe? Why or why not?

Respond: *(Apply the truths of God's Word to your heart, affections, and actions)*

7. Richard said the purpose of life is worship, mimicking heaven. Explain how and why the purpose of life is to worship the source in all we do, say and think.

8. Richard taught that corporate worship is rehearsal for eternity. What area of corporate worship do you most need to grow in?