A Throne, A Scroll and A Lamb

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Revelation 4:8-11

'Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty,....
"You are worthy, our Lord and God,
to receive glory and honor and power,
for you created all things,

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Revelation 5

(1) 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. (2) And I saw a mighty angel proclaiming in a loud voice, "Who is worthy to break the seals and open the scroll?"

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(4) I wept and wept because no one was found who was worthy to open the scroll or look inside.

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Revelation 5

(5) 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."

Genesis 49:9-11 (paraphrase)

From Judah will come a **King** who will reign with the strength of **lion**

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Isaiah 11 (paraphrase)

From the <u>family of David</u> will come a king who who will revive God's <u>broken nation</u>

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Revelation 5

(6) 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. (7) He went and took the scroll from the right hand of him who sat on the throne.

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Revelation 6

(15) Then the kings of the earth, the princes, the generals, the rich, the mighty, and everyone else, both slave and free, hid in caves and among the rocks of the mountains.

(16) They called to the mountains and the rocks, "Fall on us and hide us from the face of him who sits on the throne and from the wrath of the Lamb! (17) For the great day of their wrath has come, and who can withstand it?"

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Revelation 5

(7) He went and took the scroll from the right hand of him who sat on the throne. (8) 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. (9) And they sang a new song, saying:

Revelation 5:9

"You are worthy to take the scroll and to open its seals, because you were slain, and with your blood you purchased for God persons from every tribe and language and people and nation.

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John 1

(29) "Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!

Isaiah 53

(6) We all, like sheep, have gone astray, each of us has turned to our own way; and the Lord has laid on him the iniquity of us all. (7) He was oppressed and afflicted, yet he did not open his mouth; he was led like a lamb to the slaughter.

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Why is Jesus Christ worthy to open the scroll that brings the world to an end?

Because He is a Lion that became a Lamb.

Because He is a Lamb that gives Life.

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Revelation 5:9

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Mark 10

(45) For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many."

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The price of sin is high. But the payment God requires is the payment God supplies.

Exodus 12:1-17

The Lord said to Moses ...in Egypt...each man is to take a lamb a for his family... year-old males without defect...slaughter them at twilight. Then they are to take some of the blood and put it on the sides and tops of the doorframes of the houses.

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Revelation 5

"You are worthy to take the scroll and to open its seals, because you were slain, and with your blood you purchased for God <u>persons</u> <u>from every tribe and language and people and nation.</u>

(10) You have made them to be a kingdom and priests to serve our God, and they will reign on the earth."

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All oppressors will one day be crushed, all liars will one day be silent, and all the arrogant will one day be powerless. And those who have loved the Lamb of God will reign over all the earth.