

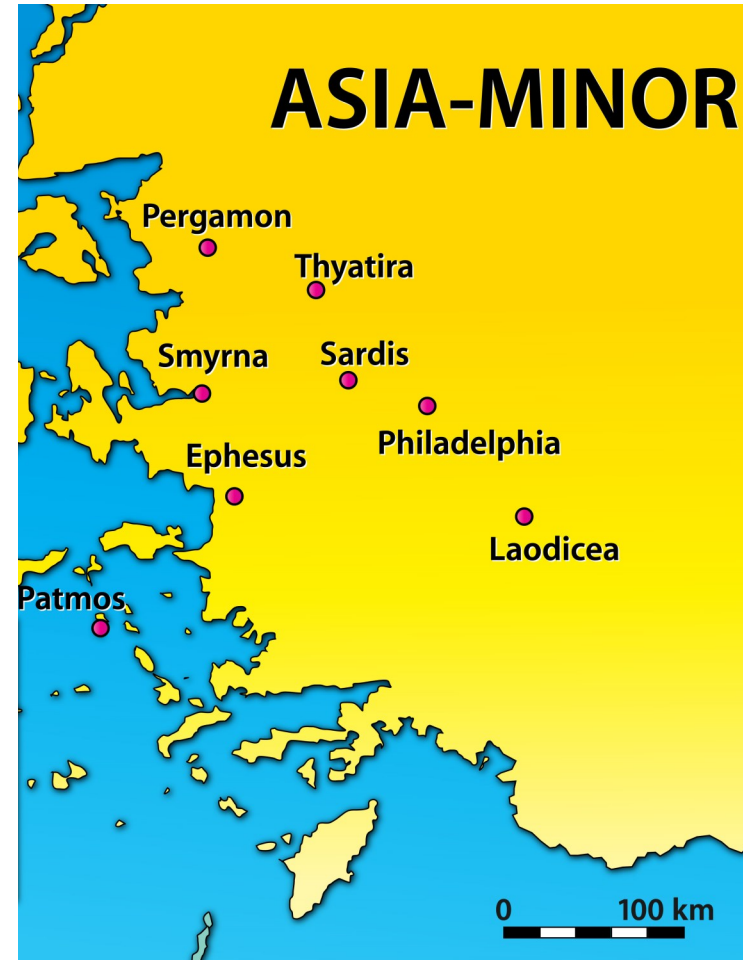
Seven Churches of Revelation Study Guide

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Church Character	The <u>TESTING</u> Church	The <u>POOR</u> Church	The Church in a <u>BAD NEIGHBORHOOD</u>	The <u>SERVING</u> Church	The <u>DEAD</u> Church	The <u>ENDURING</u> Church	The <u>RICH</u> Church
LOCAL SITUATION	False apostles in the area	Synagogue of Satan there in their city	Satan's throne is there in the city	Jezebel is there attacking the church.	Church has a good reputation in the local community	Synagogue of Satan full of false Jews	Not mentioned
IMAGE OF CHRIST	Holds 7 stars and walks around the lampstands	1st and last, He was dead and is now alive	Double edge sword from his mouth	Eyes like fire, feet like bronze, looks like son of God	Holds 7 spirits and 7 stars in his hand	Key of David which opens door and cannot be closed	The Amen, the faithful witness, the source of creation
STRENGTHS (I Know)	Hard work, patience, suffering endured do not tolerate evil people, false apostles tested	Spiritually rich, endurance in persecution, suffering and poverty do not stop them	Faithful, member martyred endurance	Love, faith, endurance, now doing more than before	A few have remained faithful & will be dressed in white	Obedied His word, and did not deny Him.	NONE!
WEAKNESSES (Complaints)	Don't love like they used to	NONE	Some are following teachings of Balaam (idolatry & Immorality) Nicolaitans also here	Tolerate prophetess Jezebel. Sexual immorality & idolatry because of food	Appear alive on the outside but on the inside are dead. Just like Pharisees	NONE	Lukewarm, neither hot or cold, unaware of their own sinfulness
GUIDANCE	Turn back and do the works done at first. Repent or lose your lampstand (church)	Reject the fear of poverty and suffering. Death brings crown of life and rewards.	Repent or face the Word of God as their judge.	Repent and turn away from Jezebel's teachings. Her children will die. Hold on strong.	Repent, wakeup & revive what is dying. Not living up to God's standards.	Hold on you will be protected, remember Jesus is coming quickly.	Repent before he spits you out of his mouth. Jesus is knocking on the door.
PROMISE (to Anyone who hears)	Will give fruit from the tree of life in the paradise of God.	2nd death will not hurt them	Give hidden manna & white stone with secret name on it	Given authority to rule over nations. Will give them the morning star	Dress in white, Name stays in the book of life. Will confess your name before the father.	Will be pillar in God's temple. Receive name of God as a personal Gift.	Victorious will set with Jesus on throne.

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Revelation 1.9-20

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2. Where is he writing from? (vs. 9) _____
3. Why is he there? (vs. 9) _____
4. Who is he writing to? (vs. 11) _____
5. What does he see first? (vs.12) _____
6. Who does he see next? (vss. 13-15) _____
List six qualities used to describe him
 1. _____
 2. _____
 3. _____
 4. _____
 5. _____
 6. _____
7. What does he have in his right hand? (vs. 16) _____
8. What is coming out of his mouth? _____ see also Heb. 4.12
9. What do the seven stars represent? (vs. 20) _____
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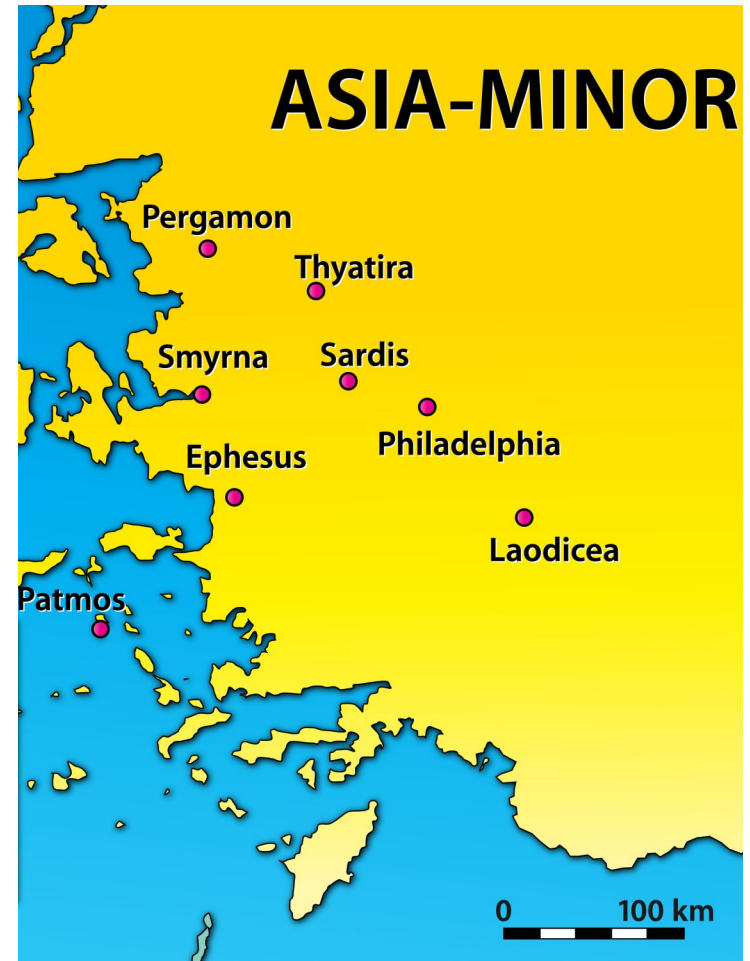
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1. Who is writing the book of Revelation? (vs. 9) *John the apostle*
2. Where is he writing from? (vs. 9) *the island of Patmos*
3. Why is he there? (vs. 9) *for preaching the good news of about Jesus*
4. Who is he writing to? (vs. 11) *7 churches of Asia Minor*
5. What does he see first? (vs.12) *7 candlesticks*
6. Who does he see next? (vss. 13-15) *someone like the son of man*
List six qualities used to describe him
 1. *A long Robe*
 2. *Golden sash around his chest*
 3. *Hair white like wool or white as snow*
 4. *Eyes like flames of fire*
 5. *Feet like polished bronze refined in a furnace*
 6. *Voice like mighty ocean waves*
7. What does he have in his right hand? (vs. 16) *seven stars*
8. What is coming out of his mouth? *Double edged sword* see also Heb. 4.12
9. What do the seven stars represent? (vs. 20) *angels, messengers, pastors*
10. What do the seven lampstands represent? (vs. 20) *the churches*
11. Summarize what this section is describing. *Jesus is standing in the center of the 7 churches with the pastors of the churches in his hand. For the pastors this is either the best or worst place to be.*



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