



Revelation Week 6
September 22 | Weekly Devotionals

OPEN with prayer.

Begin this devotional exercise by finding a quiet place where you can spend time with God in his word. Before reading, pray that the Holy Spirit would open your eyes and heart to what God wants to say to you.

READ Revelation 5:1-14.

- What do you learn about the scroll and its seven seals in Revelation 5:1-5? Why do you think John weeps over no one being able to open it? What do you think it contains? Who alone is able to open it and what qualifies him as such?
- How does John describe the Lamb in Revelation 5:6? List out everything you see. What do you think it means that the Lion is actually a Lamb? And that he's a lamb "looking as if it had been slain?"
- Read Revelation 5:9. What are the things that are specified here that qualify the Lamb as being able to open the scroll? To whom is all of this referring to?
- What is the effect of the Lamb's work in Revelation 5:10 for Christians?

- What are the seven things the Lamb is worthy to receive in Revelation 5:12 according to the angels?

- And what are the four things the Lamb is worthy to receive from all creatures according to Revelation 5:13?

REFLECT

- Consider for a moment that you've been "purchased" by God (Revelation 5:9). How does it make you feel that God loves you so much that he would pay a great price to have you?

- Now take a few moments and consider your own unworthiness to open the scroll because of your sin. Are there any areas you need to "weep" because of the sin in your life?

- When was the last time you worshiped Jesus? What helps cultivate a sense of awe and worship in you towards him? What would it look like for you to be worshipful towards him right now? Spend a few moments in adoration of him.

PRAY

Take anything that you reflected on above and spend time praying that to God. Take a few moments to reflect on Jesus' worthiness to open the scroll. Write a prayer thanking him and praising him for his work and worthiness in opening it!