

Sunday March 6, 2011

What's So Great About Heaven?

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Rev. 21:1-14

Small Group Questions

1. Why is it important to God that he creates a "new earth"?
2. What does question one say about our sacramental distinctive?
3. Why is it good news that "there is no longer any sea"?
4. How has this text challenged old views of "heaven", or served to reinforce old views? Ex. The fact that the New Jerusalem come down out of Heaven to us, not the typical "us going up to Heaven"?
5. What do the 12 gates and 12 foundation stones tell us about Heaven?
6. What does the text say about Heaven being a Person? Or a "presence"?
7. So who do you think has a better chance of getting in to Heaven: Gaddafi or Gandhi? Why? What was the point on Sunday?
8. Describe what Revelation says about "over comers" (vs. 7). Who are they? Why do they overcome?