



# The Revelation to John

**M**Y UNCLE THE RADIO PREACHER  
SAYS JESUS IS COMING BACK  
AT PRECISELY 12:01 AM, JAN. 1, 2027.

GREAT? WE'RE TALKING  
PLAGUES! EARTHQUAKES!  
FAMINE! PESTILANCE!  
DESTRUCTION OF ALL WE  
HOLD DEAR!



WE'RE TALKING THE

**END OF THE  
WORLD**

HOW CAN YOU CALL THAT GREAT?

**AS WE  
KNOW IT!**

**NO MORE  
DIET!**



Malcolm



## SHARE

**your highs and lows**

Break into pairs.  
Listen carefully and  
record your partner's  
thoughts in the space  
provided. Then return  
to small group and  
share your friend's  
highs and lows.

MY HIGH THIS WEEK

MY LOW THIS WEEK

MY FRIEND'S HIGH THIS WEEK

MY FRIEND'S LOW THIS WEEK



## READ

**and highlight  
the theme verse  
in your Bible**

"I was in the spirit on the Lord's day, and I heard behind me a loud voice like a trumpet saying, "Write in a book what you see..." To him who loves us and freed us... by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God... to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him... So it is to be."

Revelation 1:10-11a, 5b-7



## TALK

**about how the  
Bible reading  
might relate to  
your highs  
and lows**

Choose from the options below to enrich your Talk Time. Invite group members to take turns leading one or more of the following:

## IMAGES

1. Choose either the cover photos, cartoon or painting by Dr. He Qi (back page).
2. Where are you in this work of art?
3. How might the art and the theme verse relate to each other?
4. How might the art relate to your highs and lows?

## ROLE PLAY

Assign roles and take turns acting out the following:

1. A friend is going through cancer treatments. "Why is God doing this to me?" she asks. How do you answer her?
2. A friend tells you secretly that he is thinking a lot about suicide. "Ever since my mom died, I don't want to live. I want to be with her." Respond.

## QUESTIONS TO PONDER

1. If you could have any dream for yourself, what would it be? If you could have any dream for the world, what would it be?
2. What door is Jesus talking about in Revelation 3:20, and how do we open it?
3. Why do we need both warning and encouragement when facing tough times?

## QUOTATIONS

Choose a quotation (right column) and share your thoughts and questions about it.

*It ain't over till it's over.*

**Yogi Berra**

*Do not take life too seriously. You will never get out of it alive.*

**Elbert Hubbard**

*Let nothing disturb you.  
Let nothing frighten you.  
Everything passes away  
except God.*

**St. Theresa of Jesus**

*Don't be afraid your life  
will end; be afraid that it  
will never begin.*

**Grace Hansen**

*Whether the end of the  
world happens in three  
days or three million  
years, the fact is, the end  
of your world will happen  
in your lifetime. Be ready.*

**Rich Melheim**





Write a definition...

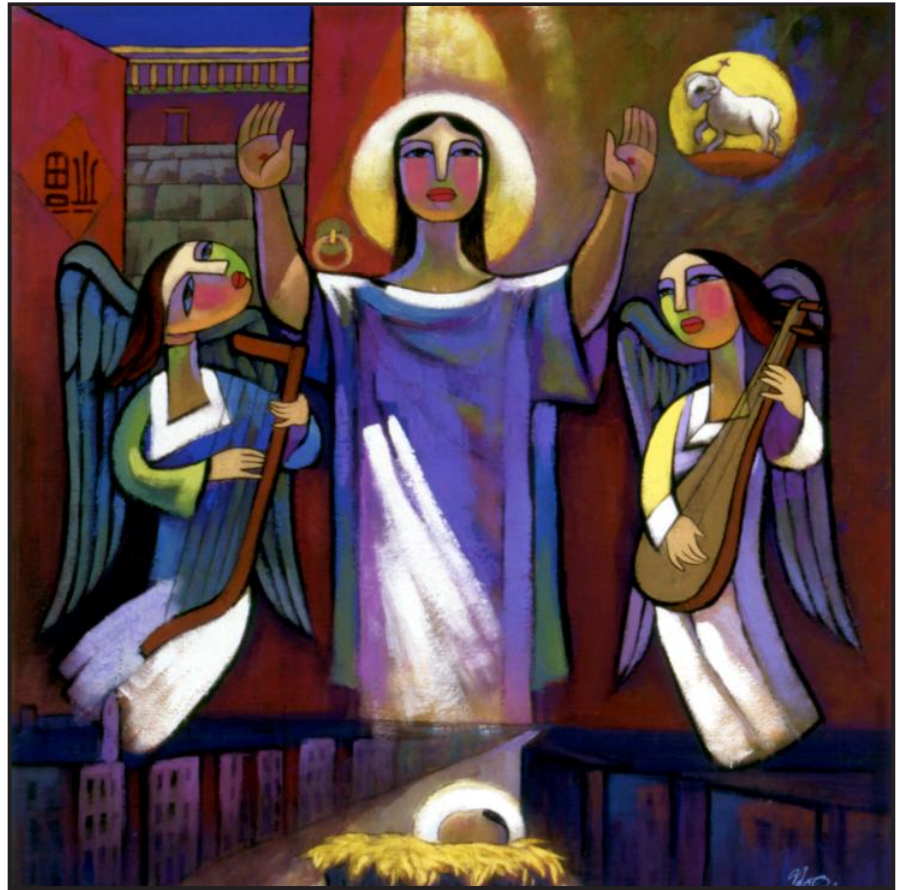
**ALPHA AND OMEGA**

**APOCALYPTIC**

**JOHN OF PATMOS**

**THE REVELATION TO JOHN**

**REVELATIONS**



The Messiah by Dr. He Qi (www.heqigallery.com)



**PRAY**  
for one another's  
highs and lows

Gather in a circle. Praise and thank God for your highs. Ask the Holy Spirit to be with you in your lows. Pray for your friend's highs and lows and for your world. Close in Jesus' name.

**Prayers for Highs**

**Prayers for Lows**



**BLESS**  
one another

Trace the sign of the cross on one another's foreheads or palms.

**REMEMBER  
1 THING**

Jesus is calling to each one of us. Can we turn down the iPod and silence the distractions long enough to hear him?



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