144,000 Sealed - Revelation 7:1-8

Topics: Angels, Earth, Judgment, Last Days, Serving

Open It

* 1. What forms of identification do you typically carry?
  2. How do you protect or mark items that you don't want to lose or to have stolen?
  3. How might you prove ownership of your valued possessions?

Explore It

  4. Who did John see after the breaking of the first six seals? (7:1)
  5. Where were the four angels located? (7:1)
  6. What were the four angels at the four "corners of the earth" doing? Why? (7:1)
  7. What did John see coming from the east? (7:2)
* 8. What did the angel from the east have in his possession? (7:2)
  9. What power or authority did the four angels possess? (7:2)
  10. What did the angel from the east say to the other four angels? (7:3)
* 11. When were the angels given permission to "harm the land and the sea"? (7:3)
* 12. What people were marked? How? (7:4)
  13. How many individuals were sealed in John's vision? (7:4)
  14. How many individuals were sealed from each of the 12 tribes of Israel? (7:4-8)

Get It

* 15. How has God marked or sealed His people?
  16. Whom does God protect?
  17. How will God protect His people during the coming judgment?
  18. In what ways does God protect His people now?
  19. Why is it important for us to know that God's servants will be sealed before God afflicts the land and the sea with the final judgments?
  20. Who are the 144,000 sealed servants?
  21. What are some ways angels are at work in the world today?
  22. What can we do to reflect the fact that we are servants of God who bear His mark (or seal) of ownership?
* 23. What mark of ownership is there in your life-style that shows God's possession of your life?

Apply It

  24. What mark of ownership do you need to place in your life today to show your obedience to God?
  25. What Bible-study tools could you get in the next couple of weeks that would help you gain a better understanding of Revelation and the rest of Scripture?
* 26. How do you need to alter your routine to reflect the fact that God owns every area of your life?