

Beatitudes & Imperatives in Revelation

Beatitudes:

1:3

"Blessed is the one who reads, and those who hear the words of the prophecy and keep the things which are written in it; for the time is near."

14:13

"Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on!"

"Yes," says the Spirit, "so that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow with them."

16:15

"Blessed is the one who stays awake and keeps his clothes, so that he will not walk about naked and people will not see his shame."

19:9

"Blessed are those who are invited to the wedding feast of the Lamb."

20:6

"Blessed and holy is the one who has a part in the first resurrection; over these the second death has no power, but they will be priests of God and of Christ, and will reign with Him for a thousand years."

22:7

"Blessed is the one who keeps the words of the prophecy of this book."

22:14

"Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they will have the right to the tree of life, and may enter the city by the gates."

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Present Imperatives

(i.e. Things you should continually be doing.)

- 1:17** “Do not be afraid.”
- 2:5** Remember from where you have fallen (always remember God’s amazing grace).
- 2:10** Do not fear what you are about to suffer. Be faithful unto death.
- 3:2** Be constantly alert.
- 3:3** Remember what you received and heard, and keep it.
- 3:11** Hold firmly to what you have (in Christ).
- 3:19** Be zealous.
- 5:5** “Stop weeping.” (because Jesus fulfills God’s plan of salvation).
- 12:12** Rejoice...(because the dragon was defeated in heaven).
- 18:20** Rejoice...because God has pronounced judgment in your favor and against “Babylon.”
- 19:5** Give praise to our God.
- 19:10** Do not worship anyone or anything but God.
- 22:9** Do not worship anyone or anything but God.
- 22:17** Come. (continual invitation for the lost to come to the only source of salvation).

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Aorist Imperatives

(i.e. You should have done this already, if not, check it off your list at the first opportunity.)

- 2:5** Repent, and do the deeds you did at first.
- 2:7** Hear what the Spirit says to the churches.
- 2:11** Hear what the Spirit says to the churches.
- 2:16** Repent.
- 2:17** Hear what the Spirit says to the churches.
- 2:25** Hold firmly what you have.
- 2:29** Hear what the Spirit says to the churches.
- 3:2** Strengthen the things that remain.
- 3:3** Repent.
- 3:6** Hear what the Spirit says to the churches.
- 3:13** Hear what the Spirit says to the churches.
- 3:19** Repent.
- 3:22** Hear what the Spirit says to the churches.
- 13:18** Calculate the number of the beast (know what to expect from those against God).
- 14:7** "Fear God and give Him glory."
- 18:4** Come out of her, my people.
- 22:11** Practice righteousness. Keep Holy.
- 22:17** Take the water of life without cost.