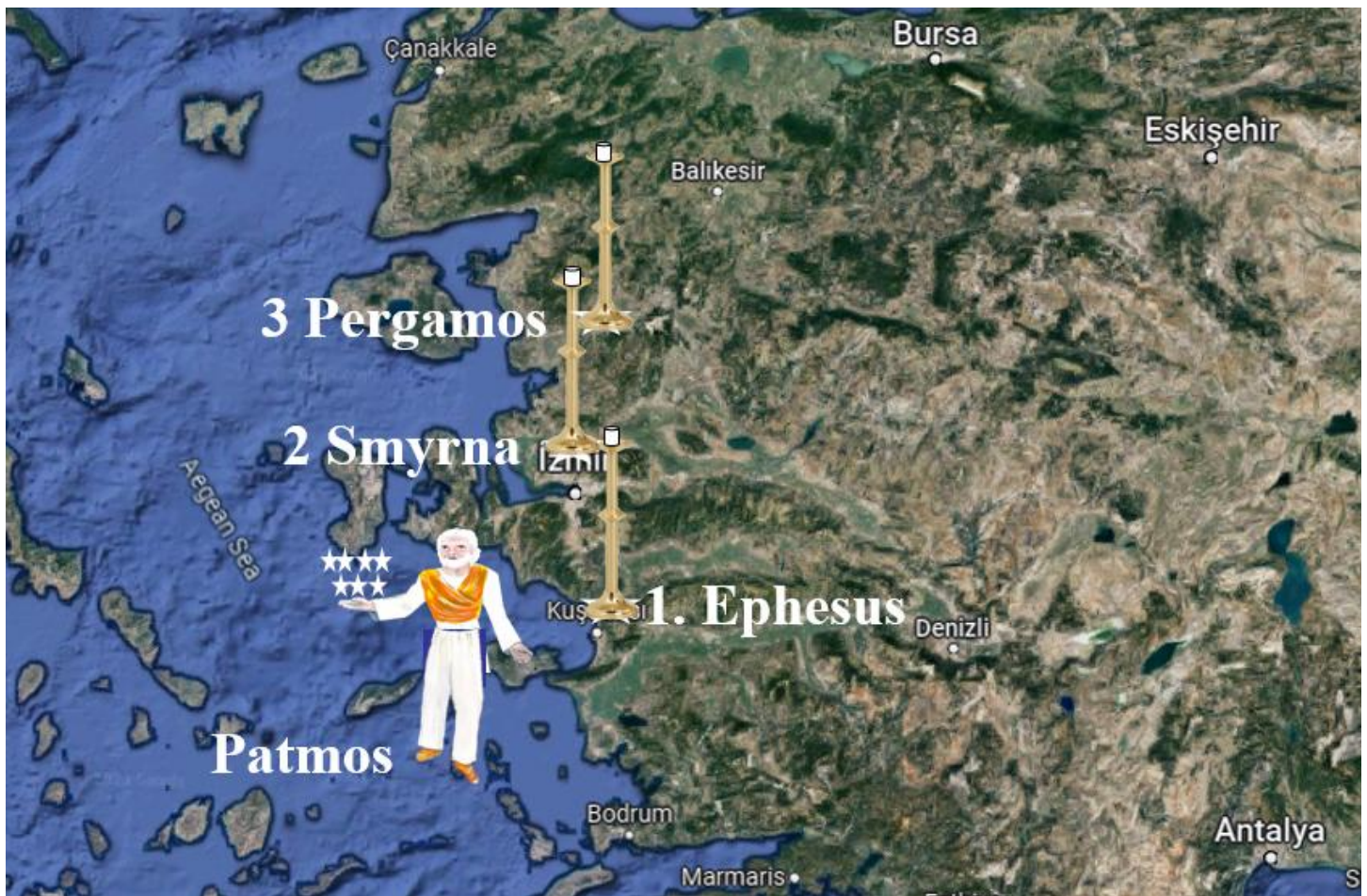


Revelation Lesson 6

The Church at Pergamos



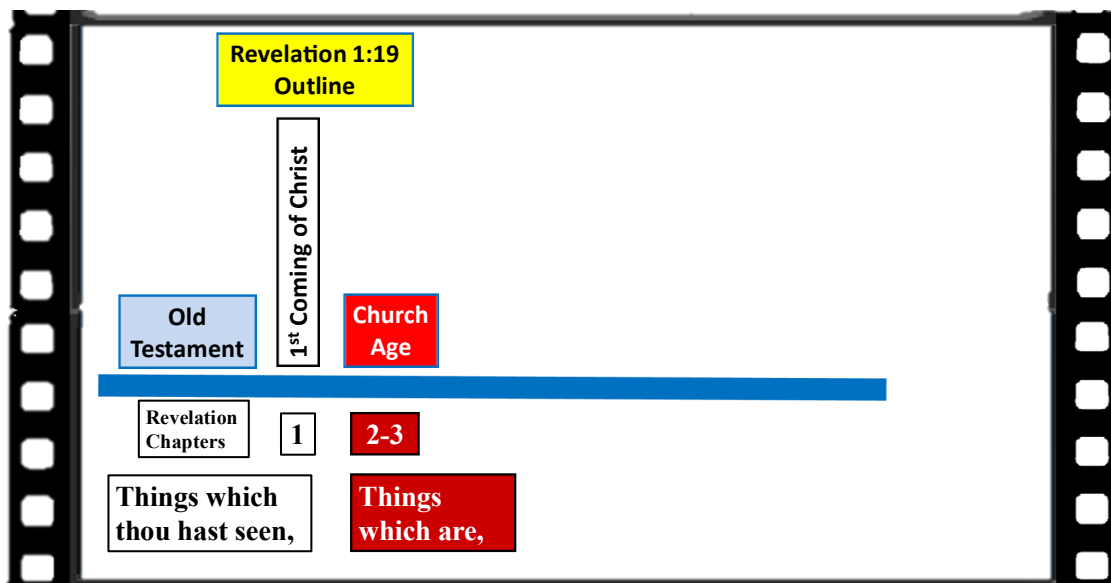
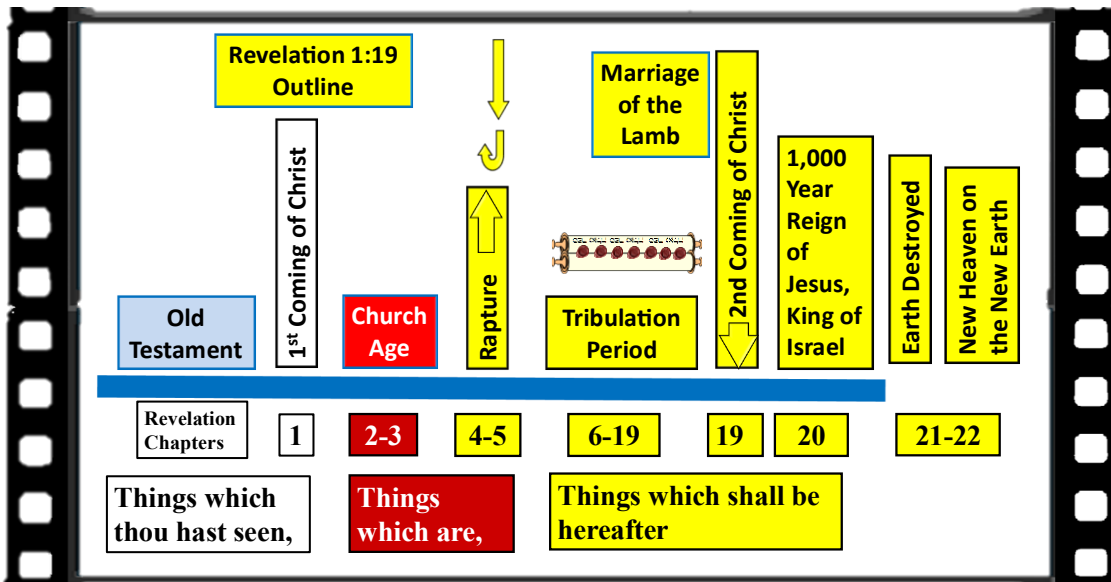
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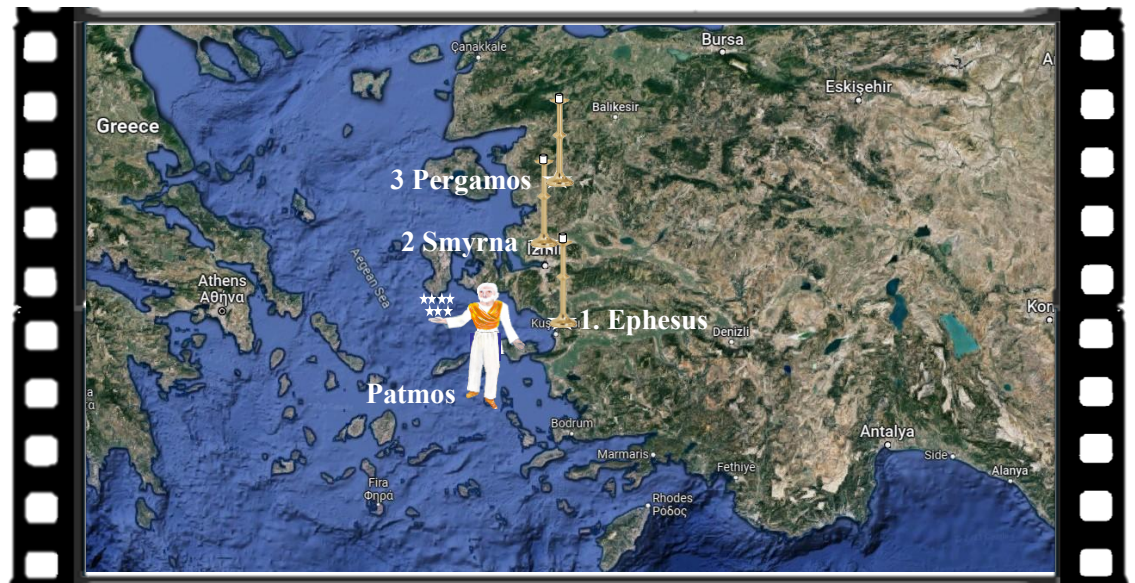
Revelation

Revelation 1:19 “Write the things which thou hast seen, and the things which are, and the things which shall be hereafter;”

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Notes



Revelation 2:12 “And to the angel of the church in Pergamos write; These things saith he which hath the sharp sword with two edges;”

1. Jesus identifies himself as the one who has the sharp _____ with two edges.

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Revelation 2:13 “I know thy works, and where thou dwellest, even where Satan’s seat is: and thou holdest fast my name, and hast not denied my faith, even in those days wherein Antipas was my faithful martyr, who was slain among you, where Satan dwelleth.”

2. Does Jesus know their works? _____

Revelation 2:14 “But I have a few things against thee, because thou hast there them that hold the doctrine of Balaam, who taught Balac to cast a stumblingblock before the children of Israel, to eat things sacrificed unto idols, and to commit fornication.

15 “So hast thou also them that hold the doctrine of the Nicolaitans, which thing I hate.”

3. Does Jesus have anything against this church? _____

4. The problem with this church was _____ .

- A. They had the doctrine of Balaam.
- B. They had the doctrine of the Nicolaitans.
- C. All the above.

Encyclopedia of The Bible – Nicolaitans

“They were a people who used Christian liberty as an occasion for the flesh, against such Paul warned (Gal 5:13). The enticement to such a course of action was the pagan society in which Christians lived where eating meat offered to idols was common. Sex relations outside marriage were completely acceptable in such a society.

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Encyclopedia of The Bible – Nicolaitans

“The Nicolaitans attempted to establish a compromise with the pagan society of the Graeco-Roman world that surrounded them. The people most susceptible to such teaching were, no doubt, the upper classes who stood to lose the most by a separation from the culture to which they had belonged before conversion.”

Revelation 2:16 “Repent; or else I will come unto thee quickly, and will fight against them with the sword of my mouth.”

5. This church was to _____ or Jesus would fight against them with sword of his _____, which is the Bible.

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6. “He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches;”

This statement means _____

- A. This letter is only for the members of that church.
- B. This letter is for anyone who will hear.

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7. Those who overcome will eat of the _____ manna, and receive a _____ stone, and in the stone a _____ name.

8. Do we have any churches today that teach false doctrine (“Some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils.” 1 Timothy 4:1-3)? _____