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7 Churches pt. 8

Thyatira –(2:12-17)

“Core Problems”

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**The Lord Comes to His Churches...
...to Speak to Them About**

- **Where They Are...**
- **Where He Wants Them to Be...**
- **He Comes to Them w-...
...a Message Of Comfort**



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SEVEN
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SARDIS | PHILADELPHIA | LAODICEA

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**SEVEN
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Thyatira

Jesus Eyes Thyatira...

...Finds Wormy Fruit!

SARI

Thyatira

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Different Type of Message

Ephesus...

- Had Grown Cold
...Needed to “Warm Up”

Smyrna...

- Had Faced the “Heat”
...Needed to “Cool Down”

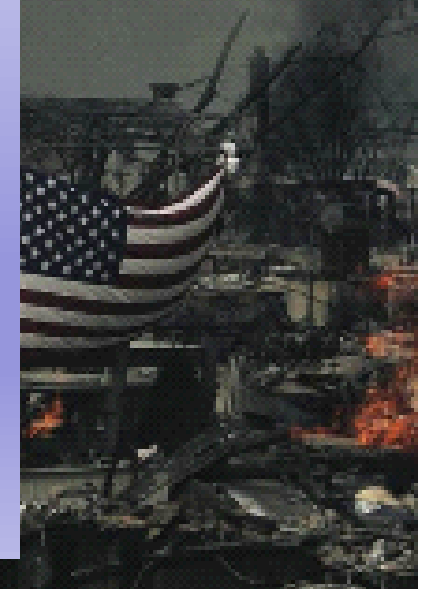
Pergamos...

- Had Allowed the Heat to Get to Them
...Needed to “Shake It Off”

Thyatira...

- ...Needed a “Fruit Inspection”

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7 Letters for
7 Churches



THYATIRA

Jesus Presents Himself In Three Ways

The Saving One – “*The Son Of God*”

He is the Savior and He alone is worthy of worship.

The Searching One – “*eyes like unto a flame of fire*”

He comes as one Who sees all

The Sovereign One – “*feet like fine brass*”

Brass, or bronze = symbolic of judgment

Jesus Not Only Comes as One Able to See All...

...He Also Comes as One Able to Judge All

One Word that Describes the Situation...

“Compromise”

**The
Good**

The

*I know thy works,/ charity,/ service,/ faith,/ thy
patience,/ thy works;/ the last to be more than
the first. (2:19)*

- Loving Church
- Laboring Church
- Loyal Church
- Longsuffering Church
- Lifting, Growing Church

**The
Bad**

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They Willingly Allowed...

- **Harmful Leadership**
- **Destructive Doctrine**
- **Became Participants**

The Ugly

Message to the Cult

²¹ And I gave her space to repent of her fornication; and she repented not. ²²

Behold, I will cast her into a bed, and them that commit adultery with her into great tribulation, except they repent of their deeds. ²³ And I will kill her children with death; and all the churches shall know that I am he which searcheth the reins and hearts: and I will give unto every one of you according to your works. **Revelation 2:21-23**

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Opportunity of Grace

But where sin abounded, grace did much more abound: Romans 5:20 (KJV)

Opportunity Not Taken

Grace Can Cover Anything But...

Our Refusal to Accept it

The Best

Message to the Church

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Restraining Power of Grace

Take Comfort Because...

Satan May Have His Finger on the Trigger...

...But God Has His Hand on the Throttle

Message to the Conquerors

²⁶ And he that overcometh, and keepeth my works unto the end, to him will I give power over the nations: ²⁷ And he shall rule them with a rod of iron; as the vessels of a potter shall they be broken to shivers: even as I received of my Father. ²⁸ And I will give him the morning star. ²⁹ He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches. Revelation 2:26-29

Promotion of Grace

Stay True and God's Grace Will...

...Lift You to New Heights

Lessons from Thyatira



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Don't Be Afraid to Stand Out

