

QUESTIONS FOR ADDITIONAL STUDY

1. Tell your story. Describe a time when you were triumphant in a sport, a competition, or some personal struggle in life?

2. How is the world's definition of "success" different from that of a Christian's definition?

3. Read the following verses and note what the Bible says about victory in the Christian life:
 - a) Deuteronomy 20:4
 - b) Psalm 108:13
 - c) II Corinthians 12:9-10
 - d) II Corinthians 2:14
 - e) II Timothy 4:7-8
 - f) James 1:12
 - g) I John 5:4-5

4. What does it mean to be "blameless" before God?

5. What practical application are you going to make from this week's message? (*Share your decision with another person.*)
 - I am going to make a list of the "victories" God has given me in life and thank Him for them.
 - I am going to actively encourage another believer this week who is going through a difficult struggle.
 - I am going to memorize II Corinthians 2:14.

Cornerstone Church
Revelation 14:1-5

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Study Series # 29

The Triumph of the 144,000

I. Introduction

A. A Story of Triumph

B. The Triumph of Jesus Christ

(See Zechariah 9:9; II Corinthians 2:14; Matthew 12:20; I Corinthians 15:57)

II. The Triumph of the 144,000

A. Their Identity

(See Revelation 14:1; Revelation 13:11; John 1:29; Psalm 2:6-8; Revelation 7:4-8; Revelation 13:16-17; Isaiah 55:11)

B. Their Song

(See Revelation 14:2-3; Revelation 5:9-10; Ezekiel 43:2; Revelation 1:15; Revelation 19:6; Revelation 5:5-11; John 16:33; James 1:2; Psalm 40:1-3; Psalm 98:1; Exodus 15:1-21; Acts 16:16-34)

C. Their Purity

(See Revelation 14:4; II Thessalonians 2:6-7; I Thessalonians 4:3; II Timothy 2:22; Proverbs 25:26)

Passage of Study

Revelation 14:1-5

¹ Then I looked, and behold, the Lamb *was* standing on Mount Zion, and with Him 144,000 who had His name and the name of His Father written on their foreheads. ² And I heard a voice from heaven, like the sound of many waters and like the sound of loud thunder, and the voice which I heard *was* like *the sound* of harpists playing on their harps. ³ And they sang a new song before the throne and before the four living creatures and the elders; and no one was able to learn the song except the 144,000 who had been purchased from the earth. ⁴ These are the ones who have not defiled themselves with women, for they have kept themselves chaste. These *are* the ones who follow the Lamb wherever He goes. These have been purchased from mankind as first fruits to God and to the Lamb. ⁵ And no lie was found in their mouths; they are blameless.

D. Their Obedience

(See Revelation 14:4; John 10:27; Matthew 16:24; I John 2:6)

E. Their Service

(See Revelation 14:4; Revelation 5:9; I Peter 1:18-19; Acts 20:28; I Corinthians 6:20; I Corinthians 7:23; Deuteronomy 26:1-11; Deuteronomy 18:3-5; Romans 11:25-27)

F. Their Honesty

(See Revelation 14:5; Psalm 15:1-2; Zephaniah 3:13; II Thessalonians 2:9-11; Isaiah 53:9; I Peter 2:22; Ephesians 4:15; Ephesians 4:25; II Corinthians 4:2)

G. Their Integrity

(See Revelation 14:5; I Kings 8:46; Job 15:14-16; Psalm 143:2; Proverbs 20:9; II Corinthians 5:21; I John 3:5; Genesis 6:9; Job 1:1; Daniel 6:22; Colossians 1:22; I Peter 1:15-16; Jude 1:24-25)

III. Conclusion

If you would like to know more about what it means to be a Christian, or if you would like to talk with someone or have someone pray for you, please contact the church office and the pastor will contact you.

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