

EYE WITNESSES OF THE END TIMES—10d

“Jesus as LEADER in the midst of the churches”

Revelation 2:2-3:22

Introduction. _____

IV. FOURTHLY, OBSERVE THE LEADER AS HE VISITS THE CHURCH AT THYATIRA—THE _____ CHURCH (2:18-29).

A. First, notice what the Lord _____ this church (2:18-19).

1. First, note what our Lord _____ about His Person (2:18c).

a. First, it discloses his _____ (2:18c).

b. Secondly, it displays His _____ (2:18d).

2. Secondly, note what our Lord _____ about His people (2:19).

B. Secondly, consider what the Lord _____ about this church (2:20-23).

It is explained in four steps:

1. First, He explains its _____ (2:20b).

2. Secondly, He exposes its _____ (2:20c).

3. Thirdly, He expresses her _____ (2:20c-21).

4. Fourthly, He exhibits His _____ (2:22-23a).

C. Thirdly, note what He _____ about this church (2:14-19).

Two promises to the faithful:

1. First, they would be given a _____ (2:26c).

2. Secondly, they would be given a _____ (2:28).

APPLICATION: Three things to keep in mind:

1. **First, big _____ can occur in small churches.**

2. **Secondly, wrong _____ can be taught by gifted teachers.**

3. **Thirdly, the _____ of one person’s sin can destroy the effectiveness fo an entire church.**