

# Fall 2019: 2:42 Life Group Week 4

“Babylon is Fallen”

Revelation 17 & 18

## Getting to know each other:

- 1) People are passionate about many things: Sports teams, hobbies, fitness, family, politics and religion. In America, we are free to express our opinions. But as followers of Jesus Christ, we need to be careful to do so in a loving, truthful and respectful way. After all, we have a dual citizenship...on earth and in heaven. And so, feel free to express your opinions concerning these verses. Phil.3:20-21...James 1:26-27...2Cor.5:17-21...Rom.13:1-7...Prov.15:1-2...Ps.19:14...Acts 4:18-20.

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## Getting into the Word:

- 2) In Rev.17 we find the epitome of a corrupt religious system. All true Christians will have been raptured by this time, and so what is left is wicked. But God has always wanted humans to be in a relationship with Him. And He has accomplished this through His Son, Jesus. But religion is man's attempt to reach God apart from Jesus. What do the following verses say about these things? Matt.23:25-27...Col.2:16-23...2Tim.3:1-9...Gal.3:21-29...Eph.3:14-21...Rom.8:12-17.

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- 3) In Rev.18 we see the corruption and the destruction of the economic system that controls politicians and worldly governments. They in turn, try and control humanity. How do the following verses encourage us to live in this corrupt world? 1John 2:15-17...2Cor.6:17-18...1TIm.2:1-4...1Tim.6:6-12 & 17-19...1Pet.3:13-17...Matt.10:16-20 & 27-31...Matt.22:15-21...Acts5:28-32.

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"Therefore the LORD will wait, that He may be gracious to you; And therefore He will be exalted, that He may have mercy on you. For the LORD is a God of justice; Blessed are all those who wait for Him." Isa.30:18