

Revelation 3:7-13 The Church in Philadelphia

Prophetic Time Period: Around 1793 A.D. – The Rapture			
The_	Church		
Church Name: Philadelphia = "the friendly city" or "brotherly love"			
V.7:	The title Jesus gives Himself is a reminde	r that He is	
	holy, true, gives us to	the Father,	
	and has the o Kingdom at His disposal.	f the	
V.8: The "open door" refers to missionary work. For a great and effective <u>door</u> has opened to me 1 Cor 9:16			
Com	nmendation: They	God's Word.	
"I have manifested Your name to the men whom You have given Me out of the world. They were Yours, You gave them to Me, and they have kept Your word." - John 17:6			
"By this all will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another." - John 13:35			
Commendation: They love the of Jesus.			

"You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain" - Exodus 20:7

vain = emptiness, vanity, falsehood, nothingness, lying, emptiness of speech, worthlessness (of conduct)

But there were also false prophets among the people, even as there will be false teachers among you, who will secretly bring in destructive heresies, even denying the Lord who bought them, and bring on themselves swift destruction. – 2 Peter 2:1

V.10 // Commendation:		
They've stayed	to Jesus.	
Jesus promises to keep them	The Tribulation	
"hour" = hōra (an hour, a day, a season "from" = ek (out of, from, by, away from "dwell" = katoikeō (to dwell permanentl)	
But you, brethren, are not in darkness, so that this Day should overtake you as a thief 1 Thessalonians 5:4		
For God did not appoint us to wrath, but to obtain salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ 1 Thessalonians 5:9		
Criticism:		
V.11 // Exhortation: "		
V.12: Jesus promises the overcomin His eternal Kingdom.	ner	