

Revealed: Revelation 12 | Discussion Questions August, 30, 2015

"There is more than meets the eye". This phrase was at the heart of several illustrations that show sometimes there is more to it than what we see. Share an illustration you remember or one of your own.

When you think of Christmas, what comes to mind?

Try to remember the pictures of Jesus from week 1 and 2. What was the picture and what did you learn about Jesus?

Read Revelation 12:1-6. "Jesus took an extraordinary risk by entering into a world that had fallen into enemy hands."

What does this statement mean based on the reading?

Soren Kierkegaard tells a parable of a king who loves a woman and dressed as a beggar to try to win her love. How does this parable relate to the Christmas story?

Read Revelation 12:3, 4, 7-9. In this passage, we know the dragon is defeated. The dragon is the Devil. How powerful is Satan and how should believers think about him?

Knowing there was a battle raging behind the scenes during the Christmas story, what do you think goes on behind the scenes of your day to day?

Revelation 12:10 states, "It has come at last – salvation and power and the kingdom of God, and the authority of his Christ." What does this first mean to you?

Revelation 12:10 reminds us that a victory has been won. In light of this victory...

A. How should a believer live?

B. How should a believer react when life is difficult here on earth?

Read John 1:1-14.

Based on what you have learned this week, how should your Christmas experience this coming year be different?