Community Small Group Discussion Questions
Week #2  “The Finish Line- Don’t be Afraid”
Revelation 1:9-19

Accountability
1. Was there an opportunity this past week to help someone have a new awareness of Christ and his power?

2. Did you succeed living each day with a continual expectancy of Christ’s return?
   How did that attitude impact your behavior?

   Discussion (read Revelation 1:9-19)

3. Why do you think the churches are symbolized as lampstands?

4. Describe the amazing appearance of the Son of Man in John’s vision (vv.13-18).
   What do these images convey about Christ?

5. How do you think John felt to see Christ again (see John 13:23 and 16:16)?

6. Why was John told to write down the things he saw?

7. Read Matthew 24:2-30 and 25:31. What do these passages add to your understanding of the second coming of Christ?

8. Read John 11:25 and 14:6. What do these verses say about Christ being “He who lives” (Rev. 1:18)?

Reflection/Application
9. In what way is John’s vision in Revelation different from the image of Jesus in your mind?

10. Do you see more reasons why we no longer need to fear death after reading this week’s passage?

11. How can this vision be an encouragement if you are facing difficult times?

12. In light of this vision, how will you live differently?