

STUDY NOTES FROM KAREN HOERDEL'S "REVELATION" TEACHING SERIES

Revelation Laodicea: The Lukewarm Church Study Notes Chapter 3:14-22

1900 - ?

Laodicea = "the people" + "judge; decide"

v. 14 - The Amen = truly or truth (verily) = JESUS
I Corinthians 1:18-21 - Jesus fulfills all that God has spoken
Beginning = beginner or author
John 1:1-3
Colossians 1:16-17

v. 15 - Cold = completely spiritually dead; unbeliever
Hot = true believer, zeal; boil; "on fire"

v. 16 - Lukewarm = neutral; outward form only
Spue = to vomit (cp. Isaiah 19:14)
I Kings 18:21 and Joshua 24:14-15, 20 - neutrality is unacceptable before God

v. 17 - James 5:1-4 - self satisfaction = deception

v. 18 - "Buy" - Isaiah 55:1-2 - free but it costs
1) Refined gold = true faith
Job 23:8-10
Proverbs 17:3
I Peter 1:7
2) White clothing = righteousness, holiness
Revelation 19:8 - not self-righteousness
3) Eye salve = enlightenment by Spirit and Word
Psalm 19:8
Ephesians 1:18
I John 2:27

Jesus is knocking - Open your heart!