

# The Challenge to the Churches

Revelation 1-2-3

From: \_\_\_\_\_ Himself, the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Church (1:11-20)

To: The "\_\_\_\_\_ of the church" - \_\_\_\_\_

Subject: Our \_\_\_\_\_ (positive and negative)

*The only real failure is the failure to listen and respond!*

## Interpretations

1. H \_\_\_\_\_ – L \_\_\_\_\_
2. R \_\_\_\_\_ of & I \_\_\_\_\_ to churches through all of the church age time period
3. P \_\_\_\_\_ of the church age – each church represents one of the seven time \_\_\_\_\_ of church history

I believe it is both \_\_\_ and \_\_\_, but not \_\_\_ (Rev 1:19, 4:1)

*Church testimonies have varied by time, location, etc and it is very difficult to place all churches into each description at the same time. For instance, not all churches in early church history "lost their first love" and certainly not all churches now are "laodiceans"*

## Instructions (\*basic points from Keith & Marilyn Kaynor notes)

1. C \_\_\_\_\_
2. C \_\_\_\_\_
3. C \_\_\_\_\_
4. C \_\_\_\_\_

## Impact

1. C \_\_\_\_\_ – the \_\_\_\_\_ church \_\_\_\_\_
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ – the Christians who make up the local \_\_\_\_\_

**We must:**

L \_\_\_\_\_ & L \_\_\_\_\_  
R \_\_\_\_\_, R \_\_\_\_\_, R \_\_\_\_\_, R \_\_\_\_\_