

**WARNINGS TO THE CHURCH**  
**Revelation Chapters 2 & 3**  
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Differences between the Western and the Eastern Hemispheres

I. Ephesus (Rev. 2:1-7) \_\_\_\_\_  
Matthew 22:37

II. Smyrna (Rev. 2:8-11) \_\_\_\_\_  
1 Peter 4:12  
John 10:12-13

III. Pergamum (Rev. 2:12-17) \_\_\_\_\_  
Ephesians 6:17

IV. Thyatira (Rev. 2:18-29) \_\_\_\_\_

V. Sardis (Rev. 3:1-6) \_\_\_\_\_  
Matthew 7:21-23  
1 John 2:19

VI. Philadelphia (Rev. 3:7-13) \_\_\_\_\_

VII. Laodicea (Rev. 3:14-22) \_\_\_\_\_  
Hebrews 12:5B-7

Summary: \_\_\_\_\_

Our Bahamas Today: \_\_\_\_\_

**Discussion Questions:**

1. Which ancient church are we (CBC) most in danger of resembling? Why?

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2. Which specific diagnostics and cures should CBC have in place so as not to look like any of the warned churches which are addressed in Revelation chapters 2 & 3?

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3. Which ancient church do the churches in Nassau most resemble? Why?

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4. Why are the overall expressions of the Church in the Western and in the Eastern Hemispheres somewhat different from one another?

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5. How would you explain the details of Revelation chapters 2 & 3 to a young child?

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6. How would be explain the details of Revelation chapters 2 & 3 to an unbeliever?

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7. Which metaphors does the New Testament use for the church? How do these metaphors fit into all of Revelation chapters 2 & 3?

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