

Dear Sardis... Wake Up! Scripture: Revelation 3:1-6

1. Stop pretending – v.1

2. <u>Wake</u> up - vv.2-3

3. <u>Press</u> on - vv.4-6

ONE THING

Thank you Jesus for the blood applied
Thank you Jesus, it has washed me white
Thank you Jesus, You have saved my life
Brought me from the darkness into glorious light

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At Home Study Guide For the week of May 21, 2023

"The church in the world is called to overcome (Revelation 2-3), that she might be the bride of Christ in glory in the new heaven and new earth (Revelation 21-22)" (James Hamilton). In these seven letters at the beginning of the book, John challenges and encourages us, the church, to live faithfully in anticipation of the

| victory that we will have through the Lamb of God. |
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| 1. Why does Jesus describe himself the way he does in Rev. 3:1 (Look at Rev. 1:16, 20; 4:5; 5:6)? What do you learn from the fact that Jesus is always watching? |
| 2. In history, Sardis was defeated twice because they did not defend part of the cit- they thought impregnable. In what ways have you let down your guard in your own life? How do you need to strengthen your defenses? |
| 3. What is promised to the one who conquers and is victorious through Christ (see also Rev. 19:7-8; 21:2, 9-10; 21:27)? |
| 4. How does this letter help you live a more victorious life through Christ? |

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