

## REVELATION 1; December 27; The True Appearance of Jesus Christ

### ANALYSIS::

1. Why did God give to Jesus Christ the Revelation that John wrote down? \_\_\_\_\_
2. In verse 5 what are the other names mentioned of the Lord Jesus Christ? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Where was John when he received the Revelation? \_\_\_\_\_  
And why was he there? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What kind of a sword did the Son of Man have in John's vision?  
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5. What did the seven stars and the seven golden candlesticks represent in this chapter? \_\_\_\_\_

### THINGS TO THINK ABOUT:

The vision that John saw of the glorified Son of Man, the Lord Jesus Christ, was totally overwhelming to his natural senses. The Bible tells us that when John saw the Son of Man, he fell at his feet as dead. What a stunning contrast the risen and glorified Savior presents compared to the manger scenes of an earthly baby that the world chooses to remember at this time of year. He is no longer in the manger; nor is he a helpless baby. He is the Alpha and the Omega; the beginning and the ending; the first and the last. He is the Almighty, which is, which was, and which is to come. He has the keys of hell and of death. He is the King of kings and the Lord of lords. And He is our Savior, Redeemer, Avocate, High Priest, and our personal Loving Friend! Amen!

The Apostle John was in the Isle of Patmos for the word of God and for the testimony of Jesus. He had been banished to this remote island in the Mediterranean Sea for his love for, and defense of, the Lord Jesus Christ and the written scriptures. Are you willing to support and defend the scriptures and gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ? May our lives and our words be always in defense of God's truth and our Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ.

### HELP:

1. "to shew unto his servants things which must shortly come to pass" (v 1).
2. "the faithful witness, and the first begotten of the dead, and the prince of the kings of the earth" (v 5).
3. He was on the Isle of Patmos; for the word of God, and for the testimony of Jesus Christ (v 9).
4. "out of his mouth went a sharp twoedged sword" (v 16).
5. "The seven stars are the angels (pastors) of the seven churches, and the seven candlesticks...are the seven churches" (v 20).