Valley Bible Church Sermon Notes for February 21, 2010

The Worthy One Revelation 5:1-14

First, we see a search for the worthy one (Revelation 5:1-4).

Why is this search conducted? John tells us that a <u>worthy</u> one is needed to open a book with seven seals.

What is the problem that is presented? A problem ensued as no created being was found, who was <u>worthy</u> to break the seals and open the book.

What was John's reaction? John responds to this news by weeping greatly.

Second, we see the selection of the worthy one (Revelation 5:5-7).

The Worthy One is described as a <u>lion</u>.

The Worthy One is described as a <u>root</u>.

The Worthy One is described as a <u>lamb</u>.

Third, we hear <u>songs</u> to the worthy one (Revelation 5:8-14).

Hymn #1—A hymn of redemption.

Hymn #2—A hymn of worthiness.

Hymn #3—A hymn of blessing.

My hope is that each one of us will be motivated to humble ourselves before God and exalt Him as the only one who is <u>worthy</u> to be praised.