

## *Valley Bible Church - Sermon Study Questions*

### **Study Aid for the Sermon from October 2, 2011 From Silence To Storm Revelation 8:1-5**

#### **Observing the text**

What is the immediate result of the breaking of the seventh seal in Revelation 8:1?

Who does John see standing before the throne of God in Revelation 8:2, and what are they given?

Describe what is taking place in Revelation 8:3-4. What do you think this symbolizes?

What is the result of the angel's action in Revelation 8:5?

#### **Applying the sermon**

What principle can be applied to our lives as a result of the silence in heaven when we compare Revelation 8:1 with Psalm 76:8; Habakkuk 2:20; and Zephaniah 1:7?

What principles of prayer are highlighted in Revelation 8:3-4, and how can these impact your daily prayer life?

What does Revelation 8:1-5 reveal about God's character, and how should this impact your life?

How should a knowledge of God's future judgment upon the earth and the believer's reward of eternal life motivate you in your thoughts, words and actions?