

Tolerating Traitorous Teaching

Revelation 2:18-29

Our Study

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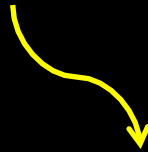
- v. 18a** *Address*
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Address

Verse 18a

“Angel”

*... refers to the **lead elder** of the church*



... then the church.

Thyatria



Ruins of Thyatiria

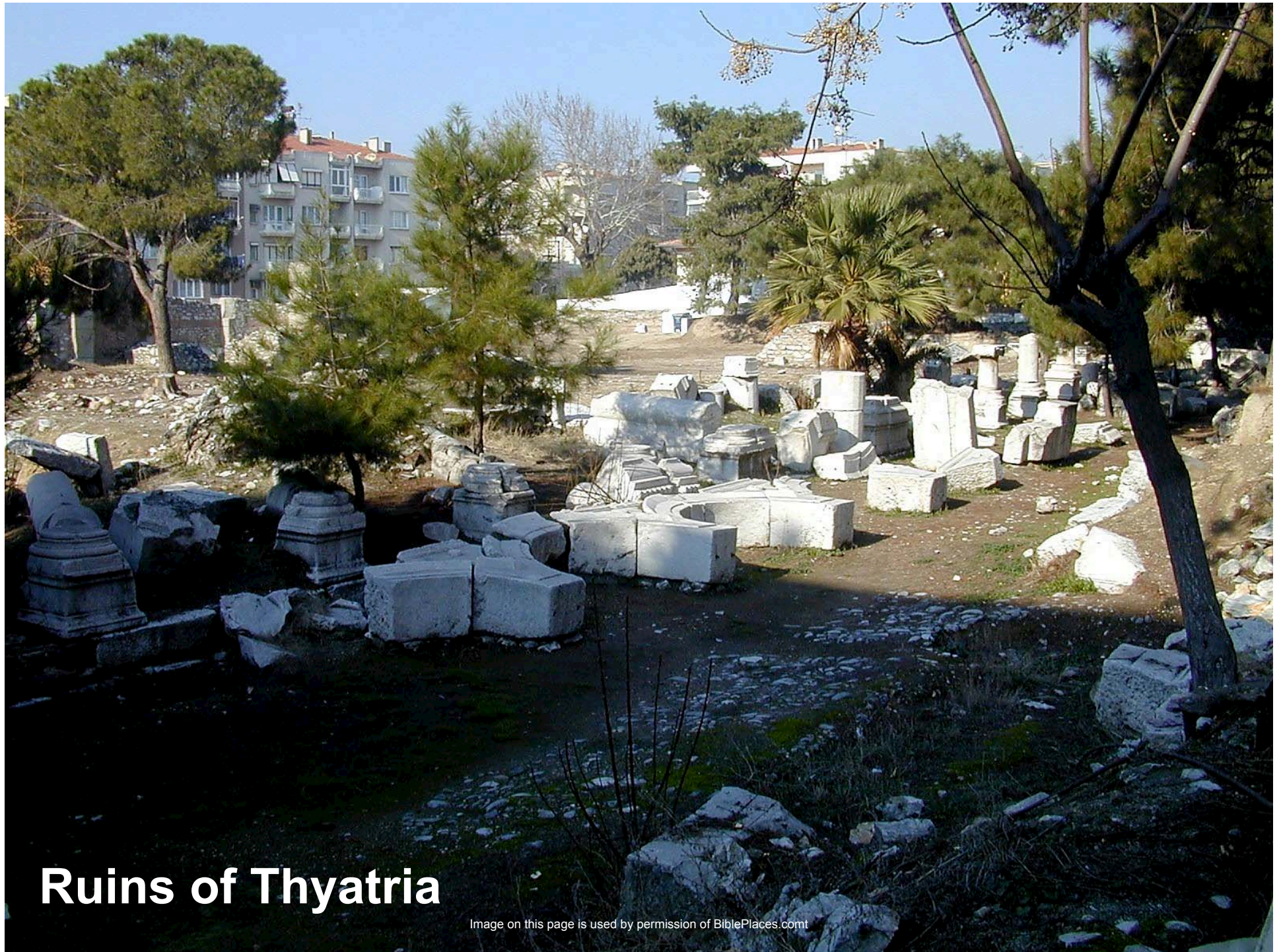


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The Speaker

Verse 18b

“The Son of God . . . eyes like a flame of fire . . . feet like burnished bronze . . . ”

. . . refers to Jesus Christ

. . . Revelation 1:14 - 15

The Hidden Knowledge

Rev. 2:19

“I know . . .”

. . . deeds

. . . love

. . . faith

. . . perseverance

The Hidden Knowledge

Rev. 2:19

“I know . . .”

Fruit of the Spirit

Love & Faith

Gal. 5:22-23

. . . deeds

. . . perseverance

The Hidden Knowledge Revealed

Rev. 2:20, 22

“Jezebel . . .”

- 1. Claimed To Speak For God*
- 2. Teaching Error*
- 3. Leading The People Astray*
- 4. Committing Sexual Sin*

The Hidden Knowledge Revealed

Rev. 2:20-21

“But . . .”

. . . You tolerate Jezebel



The Hidden Knowledge Revealed

Rev. 2:20-21

They Ignored Jesus' Command

. . . in Matthew 18:15-20

- *Seek To Restore A Sinning Believer*
- *Process Is Described*

The Hidden Knowledge Revealed

Rev. 2:20-21

“Given Her Time To Repent But . . .”

. . . She will not repent

The Hidden Knowledge Revealed

Rev. 2:21

Why False Teacher?

- *Maybe Not a Believer – 1 Cor. 2:12-14*
- *Untaught – 2 Peter 3:15-16*
- *Pre-occupied With Sensational – 1 Tim. 1:3-7*
- *Want a Following – John 12:19*
- *Motivated By Personal Desires – 2 Pet. 2:2-3*

The Encouragement

Rev. 2:17

Two rewards . . .

. . . Rule the nations with Jesus

. . . Given the Morning Star

Conclusion

- **Do Not Tolerate: False Teachers or Sin**
- **God Holds The Followers Responsible Too!**
- **Large Crowds Are Not A Sign of God's Blessing**
- **Attempt To Rescue A Sinning Believer**
- **God Gives Rewards To The Faithful**