

# “Here Comes the Bride”

Revelation 19:1-9

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## Connect:

- 1) How was your break over the holidays?
- 2) What was unique about Christmas this year?

## Discuss:

- 1) Read Revelation 19:1-9. What are some of your personal thoughts regarding Sunday’s sermon?
- 2) Most Americans who identify as Christians are deciding church is not worth their commitment, resources, or time. Why do you think that is?
- 3) When we commit ourselves to a faithful church we are uniting our lives to the Bride of Christ, which is mentioned in this passage. Before you commit to any bride you need to have some questions answered. What are some questions you would want answered?
- 4) Discuss the Bride’s family background. (Apostolic- Matt 16, Catholic- Rev 9:6+8, and Presbyterian- Rev 9”1+4) What was something you learned or were reminded of about Her background?
- 5) Describe the Bride’s faith now by explaining the following terms. Then answer, what about that faith stirs your heart commitment?
  - Evangelical
    - Biblical (19:9)
    - Personal (19:1-2)
    - Missional (19:7-8)
- 6) When we commit ourselves to a local church we are committing to the Bride of Christ for the purpose of Christ. What is that purpose (19:7-8) and are even the different generations to be a part of it?

## Partner:

1. Share and pray for any prayer requests you have.
2. Commit to praying for these requests throughout the week.