

My everything

Revelations 1:4-8

Introduction:

I used to think as I'm sure many of you did, that I didn't need anything or anyone. Then one day I realized that I needed someone and that someone was the Lord Jesus Christ and that I needed HIS save grace. That day I realized as I still realize that HE is my everything. Is HE your everything? In a world that is always changing there is one person that never does and that is the Lord Jesus Christ my everything.

Scripture:

John, to the seven churches which are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from Him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven Spirits who are before His throne, 5 and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn from the dead, and the ruler over the kings of the earth. To Him who loved us and washed us from our sins in His own blood, 6 and has made us kings and priests to His God and Father, to Him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. 7 Behold, He is coming with clouds, and every eye will see Him, even they who pierced Him. And all the tribes of the earth will mourn because of Him. Even so, Amen. 8 "I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End," says the Lord, "who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty."

key Points:

1. Our everything
2. Our redeemer
3. He is everlasting

Body:

1. Our everything
 - a. Who is and who was and who is to come.
 - i. We see that God's eternal presence is not limited by time.
 - (1) HE is here in the present
 - (2) HE was in the past
 - (3) And HE will be there in our future.
2. Our Redeemer (Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn from the dead)
 - a. HE paid the price on calvary's cross.
 - b. For it is by HIS grace we have been saved. (Eph. 2:8-9)
 - c. Have you been washed in the blood that flowed from that precious bleeding side?
 - d. It was through that sacrifice that Christ Jesus made us priests and kings to HIS God and Father.
 - e. HE gives us life eternalHE is our everything or HE should be.
3. HE is everlasting.

- a. The Alpha and the Omega
 - i. The beginning and the end.
 - ii. If HE is the beginning and the end that means HE is everything in between.
 - iii. HE is the author and finisher of our faith. (Heb. 12:2)
 - iv. HE is almighty.
 - (1) Almighty-having complete power;

Conclusion:

Is HE your Almighty? Your Redeemer? Your everything? We don't truly live until we live in Christ and HE becomes our everything.