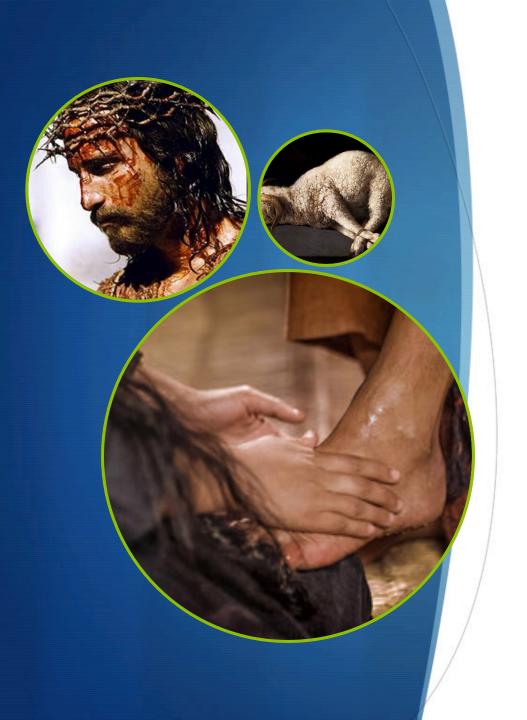
# What is The Bible? Part III: Revelation

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The AIR we breathe...

Authority
Inspiration
Revelation



## The Bible has authority to...

- Reveal God and His mission
- Shape us to be like Jesus
- Direct us to walk & work with Him



### The Bible is God-breathed

- Not written by God or even dictated
- Inspired by man's greatest experiences and revelations
- ♦ A secure foundation to seek inspiration

#### What is Revelation?

- Apocalypto to reveal or uncover
- Not information
- Comes by wrestling with
  - Nature
  - Earlier revelations
  - Experience
- ♦ The Bible is God's revelation to man



#### The Nature of Revelation



- ♦ Why?

#### The Revelation of God

- ♦ Creator Adam & Eve
- ♦ Faithful Friend Abraham
- ♦ Saviour Joseph
- ♦ Redeemer Moses
- ♦ Shepherd King David
- ♦ Loving Father Jesus



#### Revelation Is Contextual

- ♦ Not all eternal truth
- To help take the next step
- Sacrifice
- Slavery
- Hardness of hearts

