

# EARS2HEAR

# WHEN ANCIENT LETTERS MEET CURRENT REALITY

## LAODICEA - MARCH 28

### KEY SCRIPTURES

Revelation 3:14-22

Romans 5:3, 4

Ezekiel 11:19, 20

Jeremiah 17:9,10

II Corinthians 1:20

Ezekiel 36:26

Romans 7:18-25

Revelation 22:17

Romans 8:1-4

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Colossians 1:15-17

1. Do you think the description given to Laodicea as “the church in denial” is appropriate? If so, why or why not?
2. Wealth is amoral, neither good nor bad *morally*, so why is wealth sometimes a disadvantage *spiritually*?
3. What are some of the ways we can fall into denial related to our spiritual intimacy with Jesus?
4. The analogy of Jesus vomiting lukewarm water seems harsh, what does it imply about the importance of spiritual intimacy in our daily walk with Jesus?
5. Why does Jesus rebuke the church at Laodicea? What is His driving motive?
6. In Revelation 3:20 the word picture is that of Jesus *knocking at a door*. What does that imply about Jesus’ desire for us and what does it imply about what we should do?
7. Spiritual renewal is a partnership with God. What is God’s part and what is our part?
8. Spiritual intimacy is more of a journey than a single event. What is implied in a *daily journey toward spiritual intimacy* that is different that a *single* event?