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**Principles of Bible Interpretation:**

* Read **B\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** - the whole book
* Read **O\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** - consult Old Testament references
* Read **C\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** - for personal application

“Blessed is the one who reads aloud the words of this prophecy, and blessed are those who hear, and who keep what is written in it.” Revelation 1:3

**Respond to the Revelation of Jesus:**

1. Humbly **B\_\_\_\_\_** in fearful reverence for the **O\_\_\_\_\_** (v. 4-5), eternal (v. 8), **G\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** God

(v. 7, 17)

1. Joyfully **O\_\_\_\_\_** in faithful service to the **S\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** (v. 3, 5), shepherd (v. 9), speaking King (v. 10)
2. Gratefully **W\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** in fervent appreciation for our **R\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** (v. 5) and Restorer (v. 6) who is returning soon (v. 7, 13-16)

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**Respond to the Revelation of Jesus:**

1. Humbly **Bow** in fearful reverence for the **One** (v. 4-5), eternal (v. 8), **Glorious** God

(v. 7, 17)

1. Joyfully **Obey** in faithful service to the **Sovereign** (v. 3, 5), shepherd (v. 9), speaking King (v. 10)
2. Gratefully **Worship** in fervent appreciation for our **Redeemer** (v. 5) and Restorer (v. 6) who is returning soon (v. 7, 13-16)