



7 Letters in 7 Months

Map of the 7 Churches of Asia

Revelation 2 & 3



THRACE

MACEDONIA

ITALY

Rome

4. **THYATIRA**
Corrupt Church

5. **SARDIS**
Dead Church

BLACK SEA

BITHYNIA & PONTUS

ASIA

GALATIA

3. **PERGAMUM**
Compromising Church

Amphipolis Neapolis
Berea Thessalonica

Byzantium

Delphi
Olympia Athens
Sparta

AEGEAN SEA

PHRYGIA

CAPPADOCIA

2. **SMYRNA**
Persecuted Church

ACHAIA

6. **PHILADELPHIA**
Faithful Church

PAMPHYLIA

CILICIA

COMMAGENE

SICILY

MALTA

CRETE

CYPRUS

SYRIA

1. **EPHESUS**
Loveless Church

MEDITERRANEAN SEA

7. **LAODICEA**
Lukewarm Church

LYCIA

Antioch

JUDEA
Jerusalem

CYRENAICA

EGYPT

Alexandria

Memphis

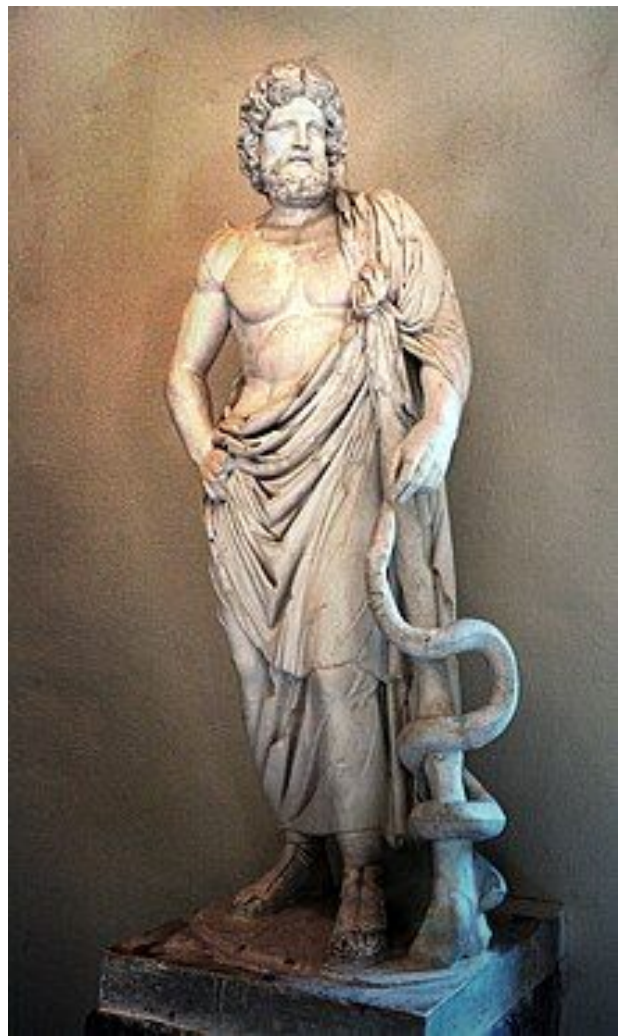
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Letter to the church at Pergamum

Rev. 2:12-17



Rev. 2: 12

“The One who has the sharp two-edged sword.”

Rev. 1: 16

“and out of (Jesus) mouth came a sharp two-edged sword”

Rev. 19: 15

“From (Jesus) mouth comes a sharp sword, so that with it He may strike down the nations”

Hebrews 4: 12

“For the word of God → is living and active and sharper than any two-edged sword, and → piercing as far as the division of soul and spirit, of both joints and marrow, and → able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart.”

Rev. 2: 13

“I know where you dwell, where Satan’s throne is; and you hold fast My name, and did not deny My faith, even in the days of Antipas, My witness, My faithful one, who was killed among you, where Satan dwells.”

Rev. 2: 14-15

14 “But I have a few things against you, because you have there some who hold the teaching of Balaam, who kept teaching Balak to put a stumbling block before the sons of Israel, to eat things sacrificed to idols, and to commit acts of immorality.

15 Thus you also have some who in the same way hold the teaching of the Nicolaitans.”

Rev. 2: 16

“Repent therefore; or else I am coming to you quickly, and I will make war against them with the sword of My mouth.”

1 John 1:9

“If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.”

Rev. 2: 16

“Repent therefore; or else I am coming to you quickly, and I will make war against them with the sword of My mouth.”

Rev. 2: 17a

“He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To him who overcomes, to him I will give some of the hidden manna, and I will give him a white stone and a new name written on the stone which no one knows but he who receives it.”

Rev. 2: 17b

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John 6:35, 51

35 “I am the bread of life. He who comes to me will never go hungry, and he who believes in me will never be thirsty.”

51 “I am the living bread that came down from heaven. If anyone eats of this bread, he will live forever.”

Rev. 2: 17b

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“Taken as a whole, the message to the church in Pergamum is a warning against compromise in morals or teaching and against deviating from the purity of doctrine required of Christians.”

Bible Knowledge Commentary, pg. 936
