singing: Crown HIM with many crowns (1st verse)

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The author of Hebrews writes in chapter 1, verses 1-4; "God who at sundry times and in divers manners spake in time past unto the fathers by the prophets, Hath in these last days spoken unto us by his Son, whom he hath appointed heir of all things, by whom also he made the worlds; Who being the brightness of his glory, and the express image of his person, and upholding all things by the word of his power, when he had by himself purged our sins, sat down on the right hand of the Majesty on high; Being made so much better than the angels, as he hath by inheritance obtained a more excellent name than they."

It is quite common for men to mention the term "the last days" as if it referred to some future time. Yet it is quite clear in the scripture that the "last days" is referring to the very time in which we live. The last days or age began when JESUS CHRIST was born of a virgin, taking upon HIMSELF flesh and blood, and manifesting HIMSELF as the PROPHET of GOD, the PRIEST, KING, and the REDEEMER of HIS elect.

There is no shortage of modern day "prophets" who go about to regale us with their predictions and interpretations of the "end times" which they tell us are right around the corner. They are generally self styled experts on the books of Revelation, Daniel, and Ezekiel, and can accurately (as they suppose) tell us all of the events which are yet to occur based on their "revelations" and 'stylized interpretations".

While we cannot say with absolute certainty that there are no future events referred to in the book of the Revelation, we are certain that CHRIST is the sum and substance of that book even as HE is the very subject of every page in the whole Bible. John plainly tells us that the book which he wrote is not a book of revelations (plural) but rather THE Revelation (without an "s") of JESUS CHRIST.

A man may be able to count the hairs on the horses' tails and define the various beasts that arise in that book but if a man does not see CHRIST and HIM crucified and reigning in triumphant state then he has missed the meaning of that book and has no understanding of the purpose of scripture or the work of the SAVIOR who has come to redeem HIS children from the sin which has overcome them and would destroy them apart from HIS work in their behalf.

It is CHRIST alone, CHRIST crucified and CHRIST triumphant that we are called to preach. We are waiting for no future time or age wherein CHRIST shall reign in majesty but do currently bow down before HIS mediatorial throne and worship HIM as the KING of kings, and LORD of lords. Oh that HE might be exalted in the earth and the heavens both now and forever. "Who is like unto thee, O LORD, among the gods? who is like thee, glorious in holiness, fearful in praises, doing wonders? Thou stretchedst out thy right hand, the earth swallowed them. Thou in thy mercy hast led forth the people which thou hast redeemed: thou hast guided them in thy strength unto thy holy habitation."

"Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honor, and glory, and blessing. And every creature which is in heaven, and on the earth, and under the earth, and such as are in the sea, and all that are in them, heard I saying, Blessing, and honor, and glory, and power, be unto him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb forever and ever." (Rev 5:12-13)

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singing (Crown HIM the LORD of Life who triumphed oer the grave and rose victorious in the strife for those HE came to save.)