

## **The Future is Sealed**

### **Revelation 5.1-4**

#### **The Scroll is Shown (v.1).**

*"Then I saw in the right hand of him who was seated on the throne a scroll written within and on the back, sealed with seven seals."*

*"To the King of the ages, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory forever and ever. Amen." (1 Tim 1:17 esv)*

*"Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are his judgments and how inscrutable his ways!" (Rom 11:33 esv)*

#### **The Search Begins (vv.2-4).**

*And I saw a mighty angel proclaiming with a loud voice, "Who is worthy to open the scroll and break its seals?" 3 And no one in heaven or on earth or under the earth was able to open the scroll or to look into it, 4 and I began to weep loudly because no one was found worthy to open the scroll or to look into it.*

*"But we impart a secret and hidden wisdom of God, which God decreed before the ages for our glory. None of the rulers of this age understood this, for if they had, they would not have crucified the Lord of glory." (1 Cor 2:7-8 esv)*

*"I heard, but I did not understand. Then I said, "O my lord, what shall be the outcome of these things?" He said, "Go your way, Daniel, for the words are shut up and sealed until the time of the end." (Dan 12:8-9 esv)*