

1.	Vision of J.C	. among 7	Churches	1-3
A	. Introductio	n		1:1-

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#### **CREDITS:**

#### THE

#### REVELATION

- >Starring Jesus Christ
- Production -

GOD

> Special Effects -

His Angel

>Cameras -

John

No Sequel

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### 7 SPIRITS

- **✓** Angels
- ✓ Majesty of God not HS
- ✓ Activity in Churches
- ✓ Function Isa 11:2
- ✓Fullness Zech 4:1-10

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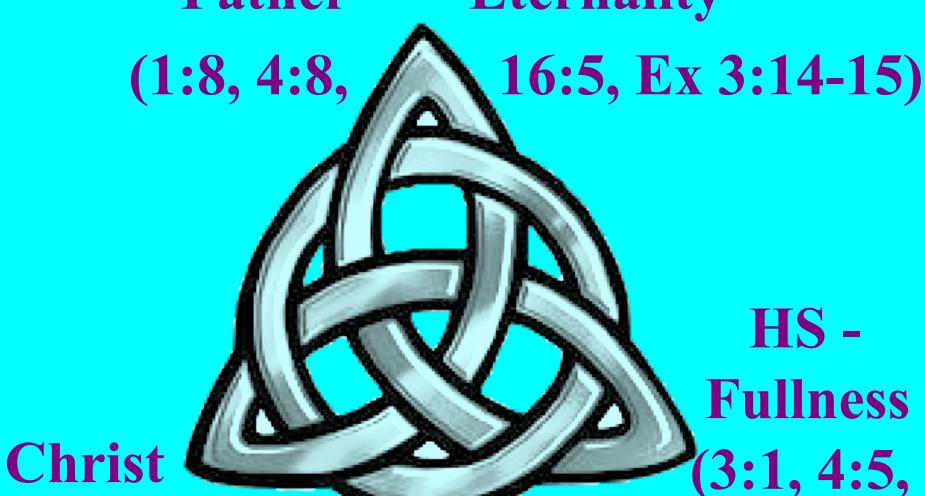
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- >What he has done 1:5-6
- >What He shall do 1:7



## Who He Is

### Witness

lit. = the Witness, the Faithful

**God Himself** 

Heaven

History

Future - Deut 18:15

All truth - Jn 18:37, 14:6

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### Resurrection

πρωτότοκος (prototokos)

1<sup>st</sup> in preeminence

1:18

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- Witness
- Resurrection
- Kingship

19:12, 16

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>His Love

Love when yet sinners - Rom 5:8 present participle - on-going love

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- >His Love
- > His Redemption

Slain Lamb (5:6, 9, 12, 13:8)

aorist tense - finished work

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### FUNCTION of PRIEST

1. Mediate

- 2. Offer praise
- 3. Pray
- 4. Witness
- 5. Sacrifice



