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Revelation 3:1-6 "And to the angel of the church in Sardis write, 'These things says He who has the seven Spirits of God and the seven stars: "I know your works, that you have a name that you are alive, but you are dead. ²Be watchful, and strengthen the things which remain, that are ready to die, for I have not found your works perfect before God.[a] ³Remember therefore how you have received and heard; hold fast and repent. Therefore if you will not watch, I will come upon you as a thief, and you will not know what hour I will come upon you. ⁴You[b] have a few names even in Sardis who have not defiled their garments; and they shall walk with Me in white, for they are worthy. ⁵He who overcomes shall be clothed in white garments, and I will not blot out his name from the Book of Life; but I will confess his name before My Father and before His angels. ⁶"He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches.'"

1. Jesus' Assessment of _____

- (a) They had an _____ (vs 1)
- (b) They became _____ (vs 2)
- (c) They had _____ (vs 2)

2. Jesus' _____

- (a) Jesus wanted them to _____ (vs 2)
- (b) Jesus wanted them to _____ (vs 3)
- (c) Jesus wanted them to _____ (vs 3)

Why is it important to rely on Jesus?

- 1. He is the _____ of spiritual life (*John 14:1-6*)
- 2. He is the _____ of spiritual life (*Psalm 17:8, John 17:11, Jude 1:24, 2 Timothy 1:12*)

Eph. 5:14 "Wake up, O sleeper, rise from the dead... (then) Christ will shine on you"