

## Once Upon a Future 2/16/2025 | The Throne Room Reflect + Discuss

- Do you have a favorite story of good versus evil? What do you love about the story? Why do you think people like stories of good versus evil?
- Read Revelation 4:1-11. These verses describe an awe-inspiring throne room. What is happening
  in the throne room? What imagery stands out to you, and how does it shape your understanding
  of God's power?
- Revelation 4:11 declares, "You are worthy, our Lord and God." What does it mean for God to be worthy in your life?
- Read Revelation 5:1-8. Are you surprised by the imagery of the one who is worthy to open the scroll? What is it that makes Him worthy? What does this reveal about God's plan for the world?
- The Kingdom of God is led by a lamb, not a lion. How does this shape your understanding of leadership and authority? As Christ followers, what can we learn from our leader's actions?
- Read Revelation 5:9-14. What does this reveal about God's plan for the world? What does this
  reveal about Jesus' role? How can these verses help us understand our role in God's story?
- In what ways did Revelation 4 & 5 give hope to the 7 churches in the 1st century? How can it give us hope in the 21st century?

## Pray

Pray for God to help us grasp a greater understanding of His plan for the world. Pray that we may recognize the depths of God's power and that we may be in growing awe of the slain Lamb. As we continue to reflect on this message, pray that the Holy Spirit will deepen our longing to worship our worthy God forever and ever.

## Next Steps

Check out the <u>resources page</u> for links to several Bible reading plans and other helpful tools. Explore other opportunities for growth and transformation by checking out <u>courses</u>.