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Ephesus – The Cold Church
Smyrna – The Suffering Church
Pergamum – The Compromising Church

I. The address [12]

-Revelation 2:1

-Revelation 2:8

II. The encouragement [13]

- A. “I know where you dwell”
 - B. “where Satan’s throne is”
 - C. “Yet you hold fast my name and you did not deny my faith”
 - D. “Antipas my faithful witness”
 - 1. He was the norm for the time
 - 2. He changed the meaning of the word “witness”
 - 3. He received the Lord’s title
- Revelation 1:5

III. The rebuke [14-15]

- A. The teaching of Balaam and the teachings of the Nicolaitans

- B. Idolatry and sexual immorality

-Malachi 2:14-15

-1 Corinthians 6:16-17

-1 Corinthians 6:9-11

IV. The instruction [16]

- A. “repent”
- B. “I will come to you soon...the sword of my mouth”

V. The promises [17]

- A. Hidden manna – our feast

-Psalm 78:24

-John 6:33, 35

-Revelation 19:9

- B. White stone – Our entrance

- C. New name – Our identity