



**DEAR CHURCH:
LEAVE THE INDIFFERENCE!**

“¹⁴Write this letter to the angel of the church in Laodicea. This is the message from the one who is the Amen the faithful and true witness, the beginning of God’s new creation: ¹⁵I know all the things you do, that you are neither hot nor cold. I wish that you were one or the other!

¹⁶But since you are like lukewarm water, neither hot nor cold, I will spit you out of my mouth!

¹⁷You say, I am rich. I have everything I want. I don’t need a thing! And you don’t realize that you are wretched and miserable and poor and blind and naked. ¹⁸So I advise you to buy gold from me gold that has been purified by fire. Then you will be rich. Also buy white garments from me so you will not be shamed by your nakedness, and ointment for your eyes so you will be able to see. ¹⁹I correct and discipline everyone I love. So be diligent and turn from your indifference.

²⁰Look! I stand at the door and knock. If you hear my voice and open the door, I will come in, and we will share a meal together as friends. ²¹Those who are victorious will sit with me on my throne, just as I was victorious and sat with my Father on his throne. ²²Anyone with ears to hear must listen to the Spirit and understand what he is saying to the churches.”

Revelations 3:14-22 nlt

Introduction:

“⁸These people honor me with their lips, but their hearts are far from me.”

Matthew 15:8 nlt

“⁶A son honors his father, and a slave his master. If I am a father, where is the honor due me? If I am a master, where is the respect due me? says the Lord Almighty. It is you priests who show contempt for my name. But you ask, How have we shown contempt for your name?”

Malachi 1:6 niv

1. The _____ of the indifferent church.

“¹⁷You say, I am rich. I have everything I want. I don’t need a thing! And you don’t realize that you are wretched and miserable and poor and blind and naked.”

Revelations 3:17 nlt

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2. The _____ of the indifferent church.

"¹⁸So I advise you to buy gold from me gold that has been purified by fire. Then you will be rich. Also buy white garments from me so you will not be shamed by your nakedness, and ointment for your eyes so you will be able to see." Revelations 3:18 nlt

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3. The _____ of the indifferent church.

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Revelations 3:19-20 nlt*

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Conclusion:

"²²Anyone with ears to hear must listen to the Spirit and understand what he is saying to the churches." Revelations 3:14-22 nlt