

# The Letter To The Philadelphia Church (Rev 3:7-13) #3 The Conqueror As A Pillar In God's Temple (Christ's Motivation To His People)

## #1 The Church & The Open Door

Door = **opportunity**  
for outreach & missions

- Common language
- Good network
- Stirred hearts

Church was limited,  
faced persecutions  
& severe trials

Nothing can & should  
us from proclamation

## #2 Christ & The Key Of David

Key = **authority**  
& sovereignty  
of Jesus Christ

Both admission &  
exclusion are in his  
powers & under His will

Seize vs. giving  
excuse (open door)  
& wait vs. taking over  
control (closed door)

His coming again must  
compel our faithfulness in  
"enlarging Christ's assets"

Pillar = **security** in the  
Lord Jesus (significant  
for the church who is in an  
earthquake prone region)

In times of physical  
insecurity, we need to  
find our security in Christ