

## REVELATION, CHAP IV.

Q. Whom do the Jasper and the Sardine Stone symbolize?

A. God and the Lamb, in One.

Q. What is the color of the Sardine?

A. Flame-color, the devouring fire.—*Isaiah xxxiii.*,  
14.

Q. What is the color of the Jasper?

A. Sea-green, yet clear as crystal; Christ the Mediator.

Q. What is the hue of the Emerald?

A. Light green: the glory and the brightness round about.

Q. Who are the twenty-four crowned Elders?

A. The twelve Patriarchs and the twelve Apostles.

Q. Where are they named in this Book?

A. In chap. xxi., 12, 14.

Q. Show one grand distinction between them?

A. Christ descended from the Patriarchs, and the Apostles came from Christ. His Person unites both in one Church or Body.

Q. What symbolic beings are the four beasts?

A. The four cherubim, leaders of the heavenly worship, and of the ten thousand times ten thousand angels.

Q. How should the word rendered "beasts" be translated?

A. "Beings." The Greek term, *zoa* is from the verb *zao*, *sum*, to be.

Q. What is symbolized by the sea of glass before the throne?

A. The perfect Justice and brightness surrounding God's Throne. The solar splendor.