



Is it ~~It's~~ the End of the World as We Know It! ~~??~~

A sermon series exploring the end times and the Book of Revelation

CHOOSING YOUR ETERNITY **REVELATION 21:1-8**

THEN I SAW “A NEW HEAVEN AND A NEW EARTH,” FOR THE FIRST HEAVEN AND THE FIRST EARTH HAD PASSED AWAY, AND THERE WAS NO LONGER ANY SEA. ² I SAW THE HOLY CITY, THE NEW JERUSALEM, COMING DOWN OUT OF HEAVEN FROM GOD, PREPARED AS A BRIDE BEAUTIFULLY DRESSED FOR HER HUSBAND. ³ AND I HEARD A LOUD VOICE FROM THE THRONE SAYING, “LOOK! GOD’S DWELLING PLACE IS NOW AMONG THE PEOPLE, AND HE WILL DWELL WITH THEM. THEY WILL BE HIS PEOPLE, AND GOD HIMSELF WILL BE WITH THEM AND BE THEIR GOD. ⁴ ‘HE WILL WIPE EVERY TEAR FROM THEIR EYES. THERE WILL BE NO MORE DEATH’ OR MOURNING OR CRYING OR PAIN, FOR THE OLD ORDER OF THINGS HAS PASSED AWAY.”

⁵ HE WHO WAS SEATED ON THE THRONE SAID, “I AM MAKING EVERYTHING NEW!” THEN HE SAID, “WRITE THIS DOWN, FOR THESE WORDS ARE TRUSTWORTHY AND TRUE.”

⁶ HE SAID TO ME: “IT IS DONE. I AM THE ALPHA AND THE OMEGA, THE BEGINNING AND THE END. TO THE THIRSTY I WILL GIVE WATER WITHOUT COST FROM THE SPRING OF THE WATER OF LIFE. ⁷ THOSE WHO ARE VICTORIOUS WILL INHERIT ALL THIS, AND I WILL BE THEIR GOD AND THEY WILL BE MY CHILDREN. ⁸ BUT THE COWARDLY, THE UNBELIEVING, THE VILE, THE MURDERERS, THE SEXUALLY IMMORAL, THOSE WHO PRACTICE MAGIC ARTS, THE IDOLATERS AND ALL LIARS—THEY WILL BE CONSIDERED TO THE FIERY LAKE OF BURNING SULFUR. THIS IS THE SECOND DEATH.”

IN THE END, _____

THEN I SAW "A NEW HEAVEN AND A NEW EARTH," FOR THE FIRST HEAVEN AND THE FIRST EARTH HAD PASSED AWAY ...

"AT THAT TIME PEOPLE WILL SEE THE SON OF MAN COMING IN CLOUDS WITH GREAT POWER AND GLORY. AND HE WILL SEND HIS ANGELS AND GATHER HIS ELECT FROM THE FOUR WINDS, FROM THE ENDS OF THE EARTH TO THE ENDS OF THE HEAVENS."

(MARK 13:26-27 NEW INTERNATIONAL VERSION)

IN THE END, THERE WILL BE

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THOSE WHO ARE VICTORIOUS WILL INHERIT ALL THIS... THE COWARDLY, THE UNBELIEVING, THE VILE, THE MURDERERS, THE SEXUALLY IMMORAL, THOSE WHO PRACTICE MAGIC ARTS, THE IDOLATERS AND ALL LIARS—THEY WILL BE CONSIGNED TO THE FIERY LAKE OF BURNING SULFUR.

"WHEN THE SON OF MAN COMES IN HIS GLORY...HE WILL SEPARATE THE PEOPLE ONE FROM ANOTHER AS A SHEPHERD SEPARATES THE SHEEP FROM THE GOATS. HE WILL PUT THE SHEEP ON HIS RIGHT AND THE GOATS ON HIS LEFT....THEN THE KING WILL SAY TO THOSE ON HIS RIGHT, 'COME, YOU WHO ARE BLESSED BY MY FATHER; TAKE YOUR INHERITANCE, THE KINGDOM PREPARED FOR YOU... THEN HE WILL SAY TO THOSE ON HIS LEFT, 'DEPART FROM ME, YOU WHO ARE CURSED, INTO THE ETERNAL FIRE PREPARED FOR THE DEVIL AND HIS ANGELS."

(MATTHEW 25:31FF NEW INTERNATIONAL VERSION)

IN THE END, YOUR

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TO THE THIRSTY I WILL GIVE WATER WITHOUT COST FROM THE SPRING OF THE WATER OF LIFE.

"THEN THEY WILL GO AWAY TO ETERNAL PUNISHMENT, BUT THE RIGHTEOUS TO ETERNAL LIFE."

(MATTHEW 25:46 NEW INTERNATIONAL VERSION)