2019 Western Christadelphian Bible School



Doug Davis - Picton, Ontario Exploring the Millennial Period Class 5 - The End of the Millennial Period

Today's Overview

 Overview of the final events leading to the end of the millennial period

- Qualities of Immortals
- ► The final conflict
- Second Judgment
- God will be all in all

Immortal qualities – similar to angels

- 1. Independent Thinking (1 Ki 22:23)
- 2. Teleportation (Acts 8:39,40)
- 3. Visible / Invisible (2 Ki 6:14-17)
- 4. Do not marry (Mat 22:30)
- 5. Assist with creation (Job 38:7)
- 6. Are Immortal (Luke 20:36)
- 7. They care about mankind (Dan 10:14)
- 8. Not omnipresent, omnipotent, or omniscient (Dan 10:12-13)
- 9. Can Fly (Dan 9:21)



The End of the Millennial Period

Forgetting the past only to repeat it

"FOR I HAVE NO PLEASURE IN THE DEATH OF ANY ONE, SAYS THE LORD GOD; SO TURN, AND LIVE." EZEKIEL 18:32

Mortals Final Conflict – Revelation 20:7,8

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Parable of the Wheat and Weeds

Mat 13:24 Another parable he put before them, saying, "The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a man who sowed good seed in his field;

Mat 13:25 but while men were sleeping, his enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat, and went away.

Mat 13:26 So when the plants came up and bore grain, then the weeds appeared also.

Mat 13:27 And the servants of the householder came and said to him, 'Sir, did you not sow good seed in your field? How then has it weeds?'

Mat 13:28 He said to them, 'An enemy has done this.' The servants said to him, 'Then do you want us to go and gather them?'

Mat 13:29 But he said, 'No; lest in gathering the weeds you root up the wheat along with them.

Mat 13:30 Let both grow together until the harvest; and at harvest time I will tell the reapers, Gather the weeds first and bind them in bundles to be burned, but gather the wheat into my barn."

Second Resurrection – Revelation 20:4-6

- Those that came to Christ during the millennial period
- Those who died and are the wicked and who opposed God and Christ in their lives

"Then I saw thrones, and seated on them were those to whom judgment was committed. Also I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded for their testimony to Jesus and for the word of God, and who had not worshiped the beast or its image and had not received its mark on their foreheads or their hands. They came to life, and reigned with Christ a thousand years.

The rest of the dead did not come to life <u>until the thousand years were ended.</u> This is the first resurrection.

Blessed and holy is he who shares in the first resurrection! Over such the second death has no power, but they shall be priests of God and of Christ, and they shall reign with him a thousand years."

Book of Life

"And whosoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire."

Revelation 20:15



What about those who have no knowledge of God or Jesus

- What of the people that ever lived but did not know God or Jesus.
- When they die they are no more, like the beasts.

"Though, while he lives, he counts himself happy, and though a man gets praise when he does well for himself, he will go to the generation of his fathers, who will never more see the light.

Man cannot abide in his pomp, he is like the beasts that perish

Psalm 49:18-20

Second resurrection and judgment

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Lake of Fire

- Judgment
- Those not found in the book of life
- They will be thrown into the Lake of Fire.
- Lake of Fire mentioned four times in the bible:
 - ▶ Rev. 19:20
 - ▶ Rev. 20: 10, 14, 15



"Far be it from thee to do such a thing, to slay the righteous with the wicked, so that the righteous fare as the wicked! Far be that from thee! Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right?"

GENESIS18:25

New Jeruslaem

"I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more.

And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband; and I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, the dwelling of God is with men. He will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning nor crying nor pain any more, for the former things have passed away."

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Revelation 21:1-5



Times of Joy and Gladness

- Isa 65:19 I will rejoice in Jerusalem, and be glad in my people; no more shall be heard in it the sound of weeping and the cry of distress.
- Jer 31:12 They shall come and sing aloud on the height of Zion, and they shall be radiant over the goodness of the LORD, over the grain, the wine, and the oil, and over the young of the flock and the herd; their life shall be like a watered garden, and they shall languish no more.
- Rev 7:17 For the Lamb in the midst of the throne will be their shepherd, and he will guide them to springs of living water; and God will wipe away every tear from their eyes."
- Isa 35:10 And the ransomed of the LORD shall return, and come to Zion with singing; everlasting joy shall be upon their heads; they shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.

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And 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 from the fountain of the water of life without payment.

He who conquers shall have this heritage, and I will be his God and he shall be my son.

Revelation 21:5-7



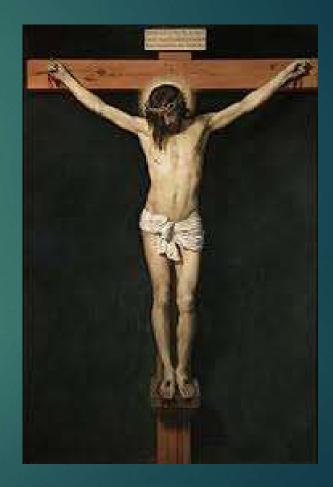
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All-In-All: God, Jesus, and Immortals

Rev 21:4 he will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning nor crying nor pain any more, for the former things have passed away."

1Co 15:28 And when all things shall be subdued unto him, then shall the Son also himself be subject unto him that put all things under him, that God may be all in all.



God's plan is in motion

"remember the former things of old; for I am God, and there is no other; I am God, and there is none like me, declaring the end from the beginning and from ancient times things not yet done, saying, <u>'My counsel shall stand, and I will</u> <u>accomplish all my purpose</u>"

Isaiah 46:8-10

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"just as you saw that a stone was cut from a mountain by no human hand, and that it broke in pieces the iron, the bronze, the clay, the silver, and the gold. A great God has made known to the king what shall be hereafter. The dream is certain, and its interpretation sure."

Daniel 2:45

"Amen, Come, Lord Jesus!"

REVELATION 22:21