

Christ's Second Coming And The Judgment

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- 1) **Matthew 24:36, 42-44, 48-50** Does anyone know when Christ will return? _____.
- 2) **Mark 13:32-37** Christ's second coming could be at what time? _____.
- 3) **John 5:28-29** At the end of time all shall come up out of the _____.
- 4) **John 6:44** People will be raised up at the _____.
- 5) **Acts 17:30-32** What did some people do when they heard of the resurrection of the dead _____.
- 6) **Acts 24:15** There will be a resurrection of the dead, both the _____ and _____.
- 7) **1 Corinthians 15:51-58** How long will it take to be changed from a mortal body to an immortal body?
_____.
- 8) **Hebrews 9:27** What two appointments do we have? _____.
- 9) **Revelation 1:7** Who will see the Lord when He comes? _____.
- 10) **1 Thess. 4:16-18** The resurrected dead and the living who are saved will meet the Lord in the _____.
- 11) **1 Thessalonians 5:1-6** The Lord's coming will be as a _____.
- 12) **2 Thessalonians 1:7-9** Vengeance will be taken on those that _____ and that _____.
- 13) **1 John 2:3-4** One who says he knows God and does not keep His commandments is a _____.
- 14) **2 Peter 3:3-12** When the Lord comes the earth and the works therein shall be _____.
- 15) **2 Timothy 4:1** What will the Lord do at His appearing? _____.
- 16) **1 John 2:28-29** We must abide in Christ so we will have _____ at His coming.
- 17) **Acts 17:30-31** God has appointed a day in which He will _____.
- 18) **Matt. 25:31-34, 41, 46** The lost will go into _____ punishment but the righteous into life _____.
- 19) **Matthew 7:13-14** _____ will be saved but _____ will be lost.
- 20) **Matthew 7:21-23** What will the Lord say to the lost? _____.
- 21) **John 5:22** The Judgment has been committed to _____.
- 22) **Ecclesiastes 12:13-14** God shall bring every _____ into Judgment.
- 23) **Romans 2:2-11** Will anyone escape the judgment of God? _____.
- 24) **Romans 14:10-12** Who will give account of himself to God? _____.
- 25) **Colossians 3:24-25** With the Lord there is no _____.
- 26) **Hebrews 4:13** All things are _____ and _____ to the eyes of God.
- 27) **Hebrews 10:25-31** It is a _____ to fall into the hands of the living God.
- 28) **2 Peter 2:4-9** Who is reserved in chains of darkness for Judgment? _____.
- 29) **John 12:48** What will be the standard of Judgment? _____.
- 30) **2 Corinthians 5:10** Who will appear before the judgment seat of Christ? _____.
- 31) **Revelation 20:10-15** Those whose names are not in the Book of Life were cast into the _____.

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We don't know when the Lord will return. It could be tonight, tomorrow, or 10 thousand years from now. No one knows. But when a person draws his last breath, his fate is sealed. Every person, whether living or dead, will witness the Lord's return. The first thing that will happen is the dead will be raised and then there will be the Judgment. The Lord's return will be a total surprise and a sad day for the majority of people in the world. The atheist will be surprised because he is so sure that there is no God. There is also the practicing atheist who claims to believe in God, but does nothing about it. He will also be surprised, but it will be too late then.

Also when the Lord returns, all those who are followers of the world's many false religions: such as Mohammedanism, Buddhism, Confucianism, Hinduism, etc. will be surprised to learn there is only one true God, but again it will be too late. When the Lord returns it will be too late for the millions of Jews who are still practicing Judaism, and are still waiting on the Messiah's first appearance. Jesus told some Jews in His day, "For if you do not believe that I am He, you will die in your sins" (John 8:24). Many Jews today are still dying in their sins as they are waiting for the Messiah first appearance. It will be a horrible day when they realize that Jesus' first appearance was 2000 years ago, but it will be too late then.

When the Lord returns it will be too late for people, sincere as they may be, who are in denominationalism. Sadly they never learned that the Lord has only one plan of salvation by which the Lord forgives our sins and save us, and not the many different plans that men have devised. It is sad they never learned that the Lord has only one true church that He is going to save, and it is not made up of any of the many different denominations that men have established, but it will be too late then.

It will also be a sad day for those who are lukewarm Christians, because they didn't remain truly faithful to the Lord. To the lukewarm Christians at Laodicea the Lord said in Revelations 3:16, "So then because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spew thee out of My mouth." Jesus also says in Luke 12:47, "And that servant, who knew his master's will, and did not prepare himself or do according to His will, shall be beaten with many stripes". We must be prepared for the Lord's return.

All of these we've mentioned: the atheist, those involved in the world's many false religions, the Jews practicing Judaism, those involved in denominationalism, and the unfaithful Christians who are not prepared will be horribly surprised and terrified at the Lord's return and will be lost in the torments of an eternal Hell. They never even thought that this could happen to them. Sad as it is they will follow their master, who is Satan, into eternal punishment and be there forever and ever.

But when the Lord returns, those who truly belong to Him and are prepared, will be overcome with joy and happiness, beyond description. 1 Corinthians 2:9 says, "Eye has not seen, nor ear heard, nor have entered into the heart of man the things which God has prepared for those who love Him". We cannot imagine how wonderful it will be, but we cannot afford to be wrong about our salvation. There will be no second chances. We must be prepared.