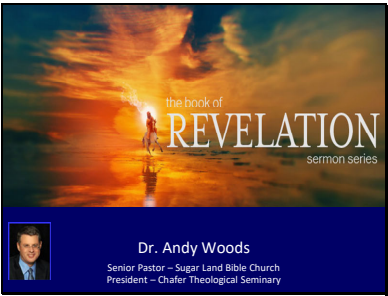


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Slide 4

The Eternal State

Revelation 21–22

I. The New Heavens & Earth (21:1-8)

II. The New Jerusalem (21:9–22:5)

III. Epilogue (22:6-21)

Revelation 21

The Eternal State

The New Jerusalem

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I. The New Heavens & Earth

Revelation 21:1-8

A. A New Creation (1)

B. A New City (2)

C. A New Fellowship (3)

D. A New Order (4-5)

E. A New Satisfaction (6)

F. A New Realization (7)

G. A New Holiness (8)

Revelation 21

The Eternal State

The New Jerusalem

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The Eternal State

Revelation 21–22

I. The New Heavens & Earth (21:1-8)

II. The New Jerusalem (21:9–22:5)

III. Epilogue (22:6-21)

Revelation 21

The Eternal State

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### II. The New Jerusalem

Revelation 21:9–22:5

- A. Four Titles (9-10)
- B. Glory (11)
- C. Construction (12-14)
- D. Measurements (15-17)
- E. Materials (18-21)
- F. Relationship to God (22-23)
- G. Relationship to the Nations (24-26)
- H. Holiness (27)
- I. Contents (22:1-5)

Revelation 21

The Eternal State  
The New Jerusalem

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Revelation 21:9–22:5

- A. Four Titles (9-10)
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- E. **Materials (18-21)**
- F. Relationship to God (22-23)
- G. Relationship to the Nations (24-26)
- H. Holiness (27)
- I. Contents (22:1-5)

Revelation 21

The Eternal State  
The New Jerusalem

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### E. The City's Materials

Revelation 21:18-21

- 1. Its Wall (18)
- 2. Its Foundations (19-20)
- 3. Its Gate (21a)
- 4. Its Street (21b)

The Eternal State

Revelation 21:1-5

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E. The City's Materials

Revelation 21:18-21

1. Its Wall (18)

2. Its Foundations (19-20)

3. Its Gate (21a)

4. Its Street (21b)

The Eternal State

Revelation 21:1-8, according to this promise, and for now, however, and a new earth in which to live forever and ever.  
2019-11-11

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E. The City's Materials

Revelation 21:18-21

1. Its Wall (18)

2. Its Foundations (19-20)

3. Its Gate (21a)

4. Its Street (21b)

The Eternal State

Revelation 21:1-8, according to this promise, and for now, however, and a new earth in which to live forever and ever.  
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**Charles Ryrie**  
The Ryrie Study Bible

"21:19–20 chalcedony. Probably a greenish-blue agate stone. (The exact composition and color of all these precious stones is unknown.) sardonyx. Red and white stone. sardius. Bright red. chrysolite. Golden in color. beryl. Sea green. topaz. Yellow-green. chrysoprase. Apple green. jacinth. Blue. amethyst. Purple."

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**E. The City's Materials**  
Revelation 21:18-21

1. Its Wall (18)

2. Its Foundations (19-20)

3. **Its Gate (21a)**

4. Its Street (21b)

The Eternal State

Assembled in my assembly in His presence, and for the thousandth of a year, we will be together in the new heaven and new earth.

2017-2018

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E. The City's Materials

Revelation 21:18-21

1. Its Wall (18)

2. Its Foundations (19-20)

3. Its Gate (21a)

4. Its Street (21b)

The Eternal State

Revelation 21:3, according to this promise, will be the eternal state of the world in which the saints will dwell.

2017-2018

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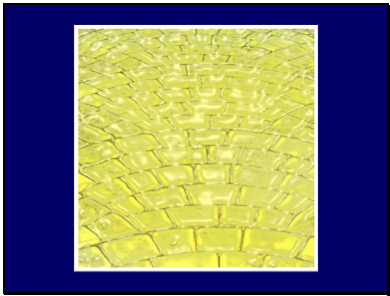
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David L. Turner

*"The New Jerusalem in Revelation 21:1-22:5, Consummation of a Biblical Continuum," Dispensationalism, Israel, and the Church, ed., Craig A. Blaising and Darrell L. Bock (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1992), 277.*

**DISPENSATIONALISM, ISRAEL AND THE CHURCH**  
The Jewish and Christian  
Theological Foundations of  
Dispensationalism

Edited by  
Craig A. Blaising  
and Darrell L. Bock

"Perhaps the absence of oysters large enough to produce such pearls and the absence of sufficient gold to pave such a city (viewed literally 1380 miles squared and high) is viewed as sufficient reason not to take these images as fully literal!...the preceding discussion serves to warn against a 'hyper-literal' approach to apocalyptic imagery...."

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**II. The New Jerusalem**  
Revelation 21:9-22:5

- A. Four Titles (9-10)
- B. Glory (11)
- C. Construction (12-14)
- D. Measurements (15-17)
- E. Materials (18-21)
- F. Relationship to God (22-23)**
- G. Relationship to the Nations (24-26)
- H. Holiness (27)
- I. Contents (22:1-5)

Revelation 21

The Eternal Stone  
The New Jerusalem

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E. The City's Relationship to God  
Revelation 21:22-23

1. No Temple (22)

2. No Luminaries (23)

The Eternal State

*No temple here, according to His promise,  
and for now heaven and earth are in  
which righteousness dwells.*  
2 Peter 3:13

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Slide 23

E. The City's Relationship to God  
Revelation 21:22-23

1. No Temple (22)

2. No Luminaries (23)

The Eternal State

*No temple here, according to His promise,  
and for now heaven and earth are in  
which righteousness dwells.*  
2 Peter 3:13

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Israel's Four Temples

1. Solomon's pre exilic temple (Kings and Chronicles)

2. Zerubbabel's post exilic temple (Ezra 1-6; John 2:20)

3. Antichrist's temple (Dan 9:27; Matt 24:15; 2 Thess 2:4; Rev 11:1-2)

4. Millennial temple (Ezek 40-48)

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Slide 26

The Millennium Temple

THE MILLENNIUM TEMPLE 500 x 500 CUBITS (750 x 750 FT)

North Gate

Outer Court

West End

Altar

East Gate

South Gate

1 Mile

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TEMPLE COMPARISONS

THE MILLENNIUM TEMPLE 500 x 500 CUBITS (750 x 750 FT)

HEROD'S TEMPLE

TABERNACLE

SOLOMON'S TEMPLE

FOOTBALL FIELD

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E. The City's Relationship to God  
Revelation 21:22-23

1. No Temple (22)

2. No Luminaries (23)

The Eternal State

Nevertheless we, according to His promise, look for new heavens and a new earth in which righteousness dwells.  
2Peter 3:13

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Millennium and Eternal State		
	Rev. 20:1-10	Rev. 21-22
Time	20:4	22:5
Luminaries	Isa. 30:26	21:23; 22:5
Temple	Ezek. 40-48	21:22
Death	Isa. 65:20	21:4
Satanic activity	20:7	20:10
Rebellion	20:8-9	21:27

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Genesis 1:1-3

"<sup>1</sup>In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. <sup>2</sup>The earth was formless and void, and darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was moving over the surface of the waters. <sup>3</sup> Then God said, 'Let there be light'; and there was light."



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Slide 31

Deuteronomy 4:19

“And beware not to lift up your eyes to heaven and see **the sun and the moon and the stars**, all the host of heaven, and be drawn away and **worship them and serve them**, those which the Lord your God has allotted to all the peoples under the whole heaven.”



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II. The New Jerusalem  
Revelation 21:9–22:5

- A. Four Titles (9-10)
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- C. Construction (12-14)
- D. Measurements (15-17)
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- F. Relationship to God (22-23)
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- H. Holiness (27)
- I. Contents (22:1-5)

Revelation 21

700 spiritual stones

The New Jerusalem

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Genesis 11:1-4

<sup>1</sup> **Now the whole earth used the same language and the same words.** <sup>2</sup> It came about as they journeyed east, that they found a plain in the land of Shinar and settled there. <sup>3</sup> They said to one another, “Come, let us make bricks and burn them thoroughly.” And they used brick for stone, and they used tar for mortar. <sup>4</sup> They said, “Come, let us build for ourselves a city, and a tower whose top will reach into heaven, and let us make for ourselves a name, otherwise we will be scattered abroad over the face of the whole earth.”



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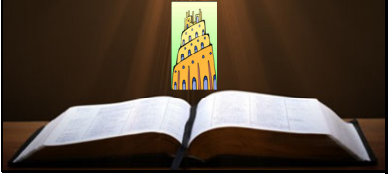
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Genesis 11:6

The Lord said, "Behold, they are one people, and they all have the same language. And this is what they began to do, and now nothing which they purpose to do will be impossible for them."



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Spread of the Mother-Child Cult		
	Mother	Child
Assyria	Ishtar	Tammuz
Phoenicia	Astarte	Baal
Egypt	Isis	Osirus/Horus
Greece	Aphrodite	Eros
Rome	Venus	Cupid
Asia	Cybele	Desius
India	Isi	Aswara
Roman Catholicism	Mary	Jesus
Israel	Queen of Heaven (Jer. 7:18; 44:17)	Tammuz (Ezek. 8:14-15)
Alexander Hislop, <i>Two Babylons</i>		

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God's Doctrine of Nations	
Since Babel	Deut. 32:8; Acts 17:26
Millennium	Isaiah 2:4; 66:18; Zech. 14:16-18 Rev.12:5; 20:3
Eternal State	Rev. 21:24, 26

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**Zechariah 14:16-18**

“Then it will come about that any who are left of all the nations that went against Jerusalem will go up from year to year to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, and to celebrate the Feast of Booths. <sup>17</sup> And it will be that whichever of the families of the earth does not go up to Jerusalem to worship the King, the LORD of hosts, there will be no rain on them. <sup>18</sup> If the family of Egypt does not go up or enter, then no *rain will fall* on them; it will be the plague with which the LORD smites the nations who do not go up to celebrate the Feast of Booths.”



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**Revelation 12:5**

“And she gave birth to a son, a male *child*, who is to rule all the nations with a rod of iron; and her child was caught up to God and to His throne.”



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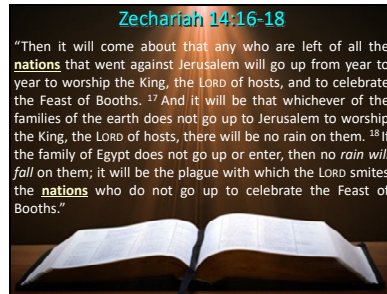
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<b>Eden = Probationary Environment</b>	
<b>Eden (Genesis 1-2)</b>	<b>Eternal State (Rev 21-22)</b>
<b>Division: light/darkness 1:4</b>	<b>No night 21:25</b>
<b>Division: land/sea 1:10</b>	<b>No sea 21:1</b>
<b>Sun &amp; moon 1:16</b>	<b>No sun &amp; moon 21:23</b>
<b>Garden 2:8-9</b>	<b>City (21:2)</b>
<b>River flowing out of Eden 2:10</b>	<b>River flowing from throne 22:1</b>
<b>Gold in the land 2:12</b>	<b>Gold in the city 21:21</b>
<b>Tree of life in the middle of garden 2:9</b>	<b>Tree of life throughout city 22:2</b>
<b>Bdellium and onyx stone 2:12</b>	<b>All manner of stones 21:19</b>
<b>God walking in the garden 3:8</b>	<b>God dwelling with His people 21:3</b>

Henry Morris, Genesis Record, p.33

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- A. Four Titles (9-10)
- B. Glory (11)
- C. Construction (12-14)
- D. Measurements (15-17)
- E. Materials (18-21)
- F. Relationship to God (22-23)
- G. Relationship to the Nations (24-26)
- H. Holiness (27)
- I. Contents (22:1-5)

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Revelation 21:8

"But for the cowardly and unbelieving and **abominable** and murderers and immoral persons and sorcerers and idolaters and all **liars**, their part will be in the lake that burns with fire and brimstone, which is the second death."



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Philippians 3:9

"and may be found in Him, not having a righteousness of my own derived from *the* Law, but that which is through faith in Christ, the righteousness which *comes* from God on the basis of faith."



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Eternal State is Future

I. No Satan (Rev 20:10)  
II. No sea (Rev 21:1)  
III. No death, crying, or pain (Rev 21:4)  
IV. No Sun (Rev 22:5)  
V. No Moon (Rev 21:23)  
VI. No temple (Rev. 21:22)  
VII. No night (Rev 21:25)  
VIII. No evil (Rev 21:27)  
IX. No Tree of Knowledge (22:1)  
X. No curse (Rev 22:3)



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II. The New Jerusalem

Revelation 21:9-22:5

A. Four Titles (9-10)

B. Glory (11)

C. Construction (12-14)

D. Measurements (15-17)

E. Materials (18-21)

F. Relationship to God (22-23)

G. Relationship to the Nations (24-26)

H. Holiness (27)

I. Contents (22:1-5)

Revelation 21

The Eternal State

The New Jerusalem

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I. The City's Contents

Revelation 22:1-5

1. Its River (1)

2. Its Trees (2)

3. No Curse (3a)

4. God's Presence (3b-5)

The Eternal State

Revelation 21:1-5, according to this promise, and the new Jerusalem and a new world in which the redeemed will dwell.

22:1-5

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I. The City's Contents

Revelation 22:1-5

1. Its River (1)

2. Its Trees (2)

3. No Curse (3a)

4. God's Presence (3b-5)

The Eternal State

Revelation 21:1-5, according to this promise, and the new Jerusalem and a new world in which the redeemed will dwell.

22:1-5

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Revelation 22:1

"Then he showed me a river of the water of life, clear as crystal, coming from the throne of God and of the Lamb."



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Eden = Probationary Environment	
Eden (Genesis 1-2)	Eternal State (Rev 21-22)
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Sun & moon 1:16	No sun & moon 21:23
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God walking in the garden 3:8	God dwelling with His people 21:3

Henry Morris, Genesis Record, p.33

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Revelation 3:21

PROMISE TO THE OVERCOMERS

"He who overcomes, I will grant [future tense of didōmi] to him to sit down with Me on My throne, as I also overcame and sat down [aorist tense of kathizō] with My Father on His throne."



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Revelation 3:21 in Progressive Dispensationalism

“One may object that the throne at the right hand of God is not the Davidic throne, which is earthly. The objection might be raised by appealing to a text like **Revelation 3:21**, where Jesus distinguishes between ‘my throne,’ in which the overcomer will sit, and the Father’s throne, on which Jesus currently sits. The argument is made that the throne on which Jesus sits in Acts is the Father’s throne, not David’s...this throne of the lamb, set next to the Father, is alluded to again in **Revelation 22:1**. This is the same throne that Jesus occupies in the consummation! He exercises Davidic rule now even as he will exercises it then.”

Danrell Rock, “The Reign of the Lord Christ,” in Dispensationalism, Israel and the Church, ed. Craig Blaising and Danrell Rock (Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1992), 50, 62.

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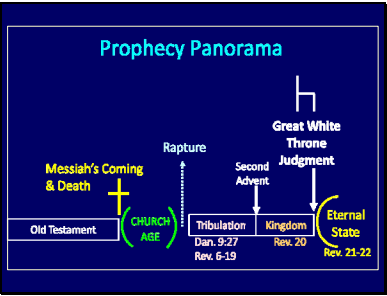
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Eternal State is Future

- I. No Satan (Rev 20:10)
- II. No sea (Rev 21:1)
- III. No death, crying, or pain (Rev 21:4)
- IV. No Sun (Rev 22:5)
- V. No Moon (Rev 21:23)
- VI. No temple (Rev. 21:22)
- VII. No night (Rev 21:25)
- VIII. No evil (Rev 21:27)
- IX. No Tree of Knowledge (22:1)
- X. No curse (Rev 22:3)



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I. The City's Contents  
Revelation 22:1-5

1. Its River (1)

2. **Its Trees (2)**

3. No Curse (3a)

4. God's Presence (3b-5)

The Eternal State

Revelation says, according to His promise, that for now, however, and a new earth is made (Revelation 21:1)



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Eden = Probationary Environment	
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Henry Morris, Genesis Record, p.33	

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Eternal State is Future

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II. No sea (Rev 21:1)

III. No death, crying, or pain (Rev 21:4)

IV. No Sun (Rev 22:5)

V. No Moon (Rev 21:23)

VI. No temple (Rev. 21:22)

VII. No night (Rev 21:25)

VIII. No evil (Rev 21:27)

IX. No Tree of Knowledge (22:1)

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### Heaven

Q: Will there be time in Heaven?



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Slide 59

### Genesis 1:14

Then God said, "Let there be lights in the expanse of the heavens to separate the day from the night, and let them be for signs and for seasons and for days and years."



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### I. The City's Contents

Revelation 22:1-5

1. Its River (1)
2. Its Trees (2)
3. **No Curse (3a)**
4. God's Presence (3b-5)

The Eternal State

Revelation 22:1-5, according to the promises, will be the eternal state of the saints in the new heaven and new earth.

John 1:1-3



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Romans 8:19-22

<sup>19</sup> For the anxious longing of the creation waits eagerly for the revealing of the sons of God. <sup>20</sup> For the creation was subjected to futility, not willingly, but because of Him who subjected it, in hope <sup>21</sup> that the creation itself also will be set free from its slavery to corruption into the freedom of the glory of the children of God. <sup>22</sup> For we know that the whole creation groans and suffers the pains of childbirth together until now.

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The whole creation groans and suffers!

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GENESIS 3: THE FALL OF MAN

"This chapter is the pivot on which the whole Bible turns"

W. H. Griffith Thomas

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Genesis 3 Structure

- 3:1-5 Temptation by the serpent
- 3:6 Sin of Adam and Eve
- 3:7-13 Results of the sin
- 3:14-19 Imposition of divine judgments
- 3:20-24 God's provision in spite of the sin



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Divine Judgments (3:14-19)

- Serpent (3:14-15)
- Woman (3:16)
- Man (3:17-19)



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Serpent (3:14-15)

- Serpent's body (3:14)
- Protevangelium (3:15)



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Woman (3:16)

Painful child birth (3:16a)

Relational conflict (3:16b)



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Man (3:17-19)

Painful labor (3:17-19a)

Death (3:19b)



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I. The City's Contents

Revelation 22:1-5

1. Its River (1)

2. Its Trees (2)

3. No Curse (3a)

4. God's Presence (3b-5)

The Eternal State

Revelation 22:1-5, according to the promises, will be the eternal state of the city, the new Jerusalem, the city of God.

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Millennium and Eternal State		
	Rev. 20:1-10	Rev. 21-22
Time	20:4	22:5
Luminaries	Isa. 30:26	21:23; 22:5
Temple	Ezek. 40-48	21:22
Death	Isa. 65:20	21:4
Satanic activity	20:7	20:10
Rebellion	20:8-9	21:27

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Genesis 1:1-3

"<sup>1</sup>In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth. <sup>2</sup>The earth was formless and void, and darkness was over the surface of the deep, and the Spirit of God was moving over the surface of the waters. <sup>3</sup>Then God said, 'Let there be light'; and there was light."



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Deuteronomy 4:19

"And beware not to lift up your eyes to heaven and see the sun and the moon and the stars, all the host of heaven, and be drawn away and worship them and serve them, those which the Lord your God has allotted to all the peoples under the whole heaven."



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Mark Hitchcock

101 Answers to the Most Asked Questions About the End Times  
(Sisters, OR: Multnomah, 2001), 212.

"Christ will rule over His kingdom on this present earth for one thousand years, and He will reign forever. The future kingdom of God has two parts or phases. Phase one is the millennial reign of Christ on this earth (Rev. 20:1–6), and phase two is the eternal state (Rev. 22:5). As I once heard it described, the Millennium is the front porch of eternity."

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Revelation 5:10

"You have made them to be a kingdom and priests to our God; and they will reign [*basileuō*] upon the earth [*gē*]."



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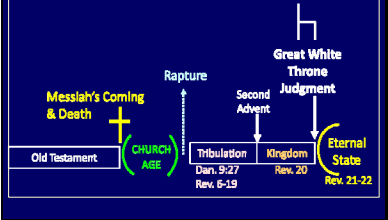
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Prophecy Panorama



The diagram illustrates the 'Prophecy Panorama' as a sequence of events. It begins with the 'Old Testament' leading to the 'Messiah's Coming & Death'. This is followed by the 'CHURCH AGE'. A vertical dashed line labeled 'Rapture' separates the Church Age from the 'Tribulation' (Dan. 9:27, Rev. 6-19). The 'Tribulation' leads to the 'Kingdom' (Rev. 20), which is preceded by the 'Second Advent'. The 'Kingdom' leads to the 'Great White Throne Judgment', which is preceded by the 'Rapture'. Finally, the 'Great White Throne Judgment' leads to the 'Eternal State' (Rev. 21-22).

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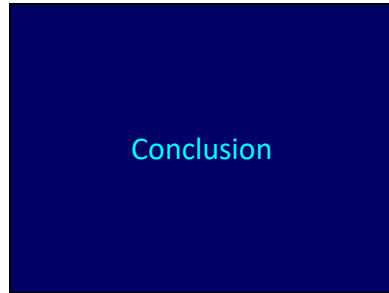
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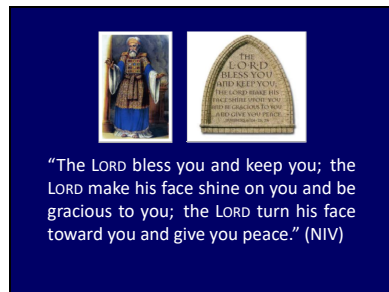
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John 3:19-21-<sup>19</sup> This is the judgment, that the Light has come into the world, and men loved the darkness rather than the Light, for their deeds were evil. <sup>20</sup> For everyone who does evil hates the Light, and does not come to the Light for fear that his deeds will be exposed. <sup>21</sup> But he who practices the truth comes to the Light, so that his deeds may be manifested as having been wrought in God.

## **19-20**

Gen. 9:12-14-<sup>12</sup> God said, “This is the sign of the covenant which I am making between Me and you and every living creature that is with you, for all successive generations; <sup>13</sup> I set My bow in the cloud, and it shall be for a sign of a covenant between Me and the earth. <sup>14</sup> It shall come about, when I bring a cloud over the earth, that the bow will be seen in the cloud

## **21**

And the streets are made of what? Gold. When a man heard he was about to die, he desperately gathered up his life’s greatest accumulation—gold bars. When he did finally enter heaven, toting the heaven load, one angel poked another angel in the ribs. He said, “Hey, look, that guy brought pavement!”

1 Tim. 6:10-For the love of money is a root of all sorts of evil, and some by longing for it have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many griefs.

Rev. 21:3-And I heard a loud voice from the throne, saying, “Behold, the tabernacle of God is among men, and He will dwell among them, and they shall be His people, and God Himself will be among them.

## 23

Isa. 30:26-The light of the moon will be as the light of the sun, and the light of the sun will be seven times *brighter*, like the light of seven days, on the day the LORD binds up the fracture of His people and heals the bruise He has inflicted.

1 Tim. 6:16—who alone possesses immortality and dwells in unapproachable light, whom no man has seen or can see. To Him *be* honor and eternal dominion! Amen.

## 24

Deut. 32:8-When the Most High gave the nations their inheritance, When He separated the sons of man, He set the boundaries of the peoples According to the number of the sons of Israel.

Acts 17:26-and He made from one *man* every nation of mankind to live on all the face of the earth, having determined *their* appointed times and the boundaries of their habitation.

## 25

Gen. 3:22-24-<sup>22</sup> Then the LORD God said, “Behold, the man has become like one of Us, knowing good and evil; and now, he might stretch out his hand, and take also from the tree of life, and eat, and live forever”—<sup>23</sup> therefore the LORD God sent him out from the garden of Eden, to cultivate the ground from which he was taken. <sup>24</sup> So He drove the man out; and at the east of the garden of Eden He stationed the cherubim and the flaming sword which turned every direction to guard the way to the tree of life.

## 27

Rev. 20:12-And I saw the dead, the great and the small, standing before the throne, and books were opened; and another book was opened, which is the **book of life**; and the dead were judged from the things which were written in the books, according to their deeds.

Rev. 20:15-And if anyone's name was not found written in the **book of life**, he was thrown into the lake of fire.

Rev. 13:8-All who dwell on the earth will worship him, *everyone* whose name has not been written from the foundation of the world in the **book of life** of the Lamb who has been slain.

Rev. 17:8-The beast that you saw was, and is not, and is about to come up out of the abyss and go to destruction. And those who dwell on the earth, whose name has not been written in the **book of life** from the foundation of the world, will wonder when they see the beast, that he was and is not and will come.

## **22:2**

1 Cor. 15:49-Just as we have borne the image of the earthy, we will also bear the image of the heavenly.

1 John 3:2-Beloved, now we are children of God, and it has not appeared as yet what we will be. **We know that when He appears, we will be like Him**, because we will see Him just as He is.

John 21:9-14-<sup>9</sup> So when they got out on the land, they \*saw a charcoal fire *already* laid and fish placed on it, and bread. <sup>10</sup> Jesus \*said to them, "Bring some of the fish which you have now caught." <sup>11</sup> Simon Peter went up and drew the net to land, full of large fish, a hundred and fifty-three; and although

there were so many, the net was not torn. <sup>12</sup> Jesus said to them, “**Come and have breakfast.**” None of the disciples ventured to question Him, “Who are You?” knowing that it was the Lord. <sup>13</sup> Jesus \*came and \*took the bread and gave *it* to them, and the fish likewise. <sup>14</sup> This is now the third time that Jesus was manifested to the disciples, after He was raised from the dead.

Luke 21:25-There will be signs in sun and moon and stars, and on the earth **dismay among nations**, in perplexity at the roaring of the sea and the waves.

Gen. 3:22-<sup>22</sup> Then the LORD God said, “Behold, the man has become like one of Us, knowing good and evil; and **now, he might stretch out his hand, and take also from the tree of life, and eat, and live forever**”—

#### **4**

1 Tim. 6:16—who alone possesses immortality and **dwells in unapproachable light**, whom no man has seen or can see. To Him *be* honor and eternal dominion! Amen.

John 1:18- **No one has seen God at any time**; the only begotten God who is in the bosom of the Father, He has explained *Him*.

Exod. 33:20- But He said, “**You cannot see My face**, for no man can see Me and live!”

Rev. 3:12-He who overcomes, I will make him a pillar in the temple of My God, and he will not go out from it anymore; and I will write on him the **name** of My God, and **the name of the city of My God, the new Jerusalem, which comes down out of heaven** from My God, and My new **name**.

## 5

Isa. 30:26-The light of the moon will be as the light of **the sun,** **and the light of the sun will be seven times *brighter*,** like the light of seven days, on the day the LORD binds up the fracture of His people and heals the bruise He has inflicted.

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### **Conclusion**

Numbers 6:24-26- The LORD bless you, and keep you;  
<sup>25</sup> The LORD make His face shine on you, And be gracious to you; <sup>26</sup> The LORD lift up His countenance on you, And give you peace.'