

1. Pre-Trib. Rapture

a. Imminency

Jas. 5:8-9- ⁸You too be patient; strengthen your hearts, for the coming of the Lord is near. ⁹Do not complain, brethren, against one another, so that you yourselves may not be judged; behold, the Judge is standing right at the door.

1 Cor. 1:7- so that you are not lacking in any gift, awaiting eagerly the revelation of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Philip. 3:20- For our citizenship is in heaven, from which also we eagerly wait for a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ.

1 John 3:2-3- ²Beloved, 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. ³ And everyone who has this hope fixed on Him purifies himself, just as He is pure.

Eph. 2:14-16-¹⁴For He Himself is our peace, who made both *groups into* one and broke down the barrier of the dividing wall, ¹⁵by abolishing in His flesh the enmity, *which is* the Law of commandments *contained* in ordinances, so that in Himself He might make the two into one new man, *thus* establishing peace, ¹⁶and might reconcile them both in one body to God through the cross, by it having put to death the enmity.

Jas. 2:10-For whoever keeps the whole law and yet **stumbles in one point, he has become guilty of all.**

Rom. 6:14-For sin shall not be master over you, for **you are not under law** but under grace.

b. Exemption from Divine Wrath

1 Thess. 5:9-For God has not destined us for **wrath**, but for obtaining salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Rom. 5:9- Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from the **wrath** of *God* through Him.

Rom. 8:1-Therefore there is now **no condemnation** for those who are in Christ Jesus.

Rev. 3:10-Because you have kept the word of My perseverance, **I also will keep you from the hour of testing**, that *hour* which is about to come upon the whole world, to test those who dwell on the earth.

Rev. 11:18- And the nations were enraged, and Your **wrath** came, and the time *came* for the dead to be judged, and *the time* to reward Your bond-servants the prophets and the saints and those who fear Your name, the small and the great, and to destroy those who destroy the earth.”

Rev. 14:10-he also will drink of the wine of the **wrath** of God, which is mixed in full strength in the cup of His anger; and he will

be tormented with fire and brimstone in the presence of the holy angels and in the presence of the Lamb.

Rev. 15:1-Then I saw another sign in heaven, great and marvelous, seven angels who had seven plagues, *which are* the last, because in them the **wrath** of God is finished.

Rev. 15:7-Then one of the four living creatures gave to the seven angels seven golden bowls full of the **wrath** of God, who lives forever and ever.

Rev. 16:1-Then I heard a loud voice from the temple, saying to the seven angels, “Go and pour out on the earth the seven bowls of the **wrath** of God.”

Rev. 16:19-The great city was split into three parts, and the cities of the nations fell. Babylon the great was remembered before God, to give her the cup of the wine of His fierce **wrath**.

Rev. 19:15-From His mouth comes a sharp sword, so that with it He may strike down the nations, and He will rule them with a rod of iron; and He treads the wine press of the fierce **wrath** of God, the Almighty.