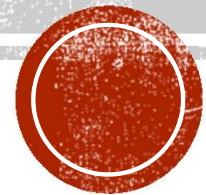


REVELATION 21 & 22 — THE ETERNITY

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OUTLINE OF REVELATION

- 1-3 - Introduction
 - 4-11 - Salutation & Occasion
 - 12-18 - Vision of the Risen Christ
 - 19 - Outline of the Book
 - 20 - Prep for Chapters 2 and 3
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- Write the things which you have seen, and the things which are, and the things which will take place after this. (Rev. 1:19)





THE SEALS AND TRUMPETS



- **Chapter 10**

- The “Little Book” , The Seven Thunders

- **Chapter 11**

- The Temple, The Two Witnesses

- **Chapter 12**

- The woman, The Man Child, & the Dragon

- **Chapter 13**

- The Two Beats



- **Chapter 14**
 - Lamb on Zion & 144,000, Angels and their Gospels
- **Chapter 15**
 - Seven Angels seven golden bowls
- **Chapter 16**
 - Wrath of God
- **Chapter 17 and 18**
 - Mistry Babylon
- **Chapter 19**
 - The Return of the King



SYNOPSIS OF FINAL SECTION

- Chapter 17 & 18 → Mystery Babylon
- Chapter 19 → The Return of the King
- Chapter 20 → The Millennium
- Chapter 21 → Eternity
- Chapter 22 → Conclusion



REV. 19 – SUMMARIZED

- Jesus come with the armies of heaven
- Birds get ready to feast
- Beast, kings of the earth and their armies to fight Jesus
- Beast and false prophet captured, and cast into the lake of fire
- The rest were killed
 - Who are the rest?
 - People with the mark of the beast?
 - Tribulation saint the made it through
- Birds eat them



REV. 20 — SUMMARIZED

- Satan is bound for a 1000 years
- Thrones setup
- Soul of:
 - Beheaded, not worship the beast, no image, or mark
- Lived and reigned with Christ for 1000 year
- Rest of the dead did not come to live until the 1000 years is over
- Satan release after the 1000 years
- Satan deceives nations
 - The rest of the dead comes to live?
- Fire comes down from heaven and destroy them
- Devil cast to the lake of fire
- The Great White Throne Judgment
 - Saw the dead small and great
 - Books open and the Book of Life open
 - Judged according to their works
 - Sea, death and Hades gave up the dead
 - Death and Hades cast to the lake of fire



REV. 21 – ALL THINGS MADE NEW

- Now I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away. Also there was no more sea.
- 2 Peter 3:10, 13 ¹⁰ But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night, in which the heavens will pass away with a great noise, and the elements will melt with fervent heat; both the earth and the works that are in it will be burned up... ¹³ Nevertheless we, according to His promise, look for new heavens and a new earth in which righteousness dwells.



REV. 21 – ALL THINGS MADE NEW

- ² Then I, John, saw the holy city, **New Jerusalem**, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. ³ And I heard a loud voice from heaven saying, “Behold, the tabernacle of God *is* with men, and He will dwell with them, and they shall be His people. God Himself will be with them *and be* their God. ⁴ And **God will wipe away every tear from their eyes**; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away.”



REV. 21 – ALL THINGS MADE NEW

- ⁵ Then He who sat on the throne said, “Behold, I make all things new.” And He said to me, “Write, for these words are true and faithful.” ⁶ And He said to me, “**It is done!** I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. I will give of the fountain of the water of life freely to him who thirsts. ⁷ He who overcomes shall inherit all things, and I will be his God and he shall be My son.



REV. 21 – ALL THINGS MADE NEW

- ⁸ But the **cowardly**,
unbelieving, abominable, murderers,
sexually immoral, sorcerers, idolaters,
and all liars shall have their part in the
lake which burns with fire and
brimstone, which is the second death.’’

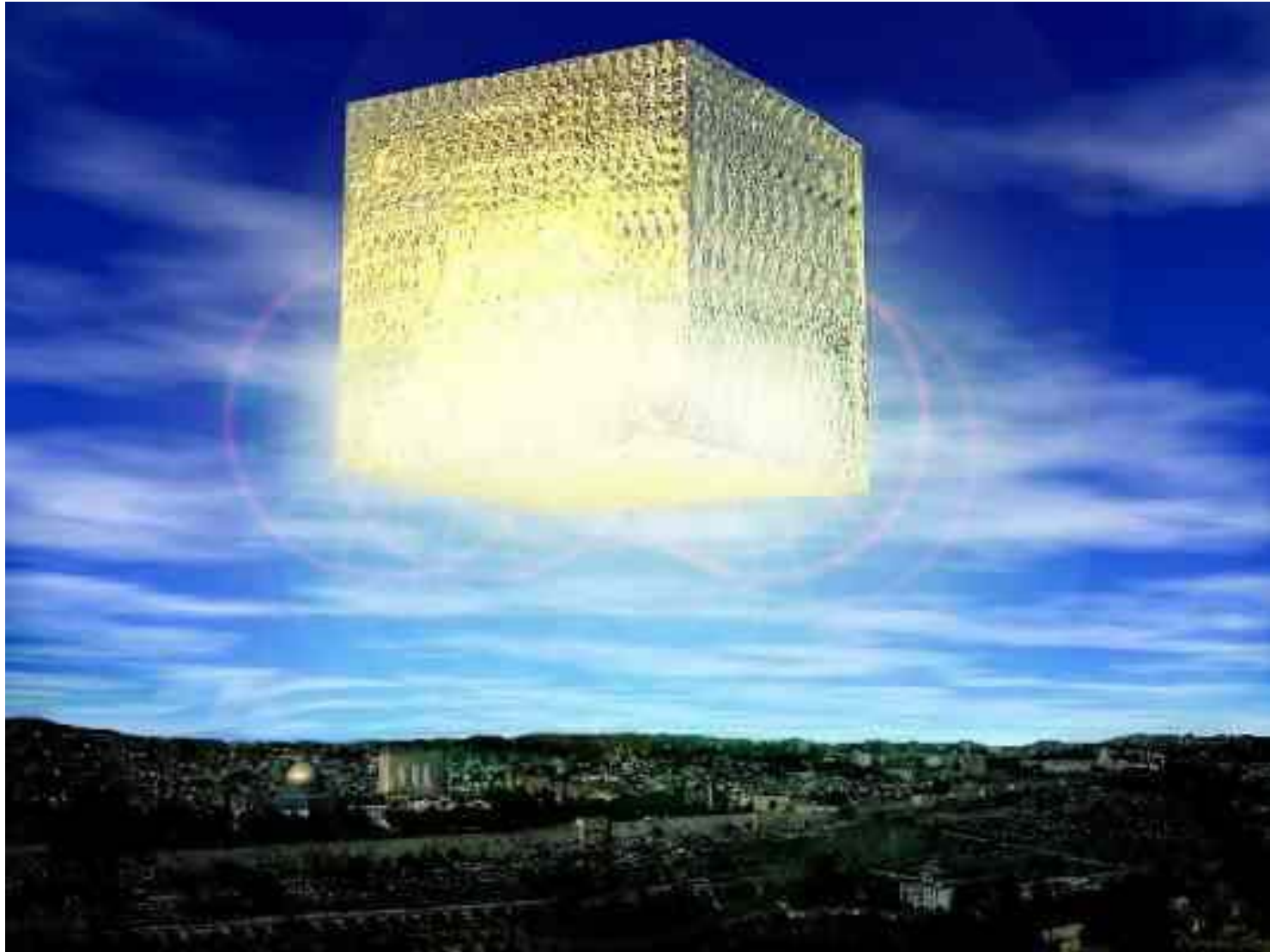


REV. 21 - THE NEW JERUSALEM

- ⁹ Then one of the seven angels who had the seven bowls filled with the seven last plagues came to me and talked with me, saying, “Come, I will show you the bride, the **Lamb’s wife.**” ¹⁰ And he carried me away in the Spirit to a great and high mountain, and showed me the great city, the **holy Jerusalem**, descending out of heaven from God, ¹¹ having the glory of God. Her light *was* like a most precious stone, like a jasper stone, clear as crystal.
- Iaspis: diamond, opal, or topaz







REV. 21 - THE NEW JERUSALEM

- ¹² Also she had a great and high wall with twelve gates, and twelve angels at the gates, and names written on them, which are *the names* of the twelve tribes of the children of Israel: ¹³ three gates on the east, three gates on the north, three gates on the south, and three gates on the west. ¹⁴ Now the wall of the city had twelve foundations, and on them were the names of the twelve apostles of the Lamb.



REV. 21 - THE NEW JERUSALEM

- ¹⁵ And he who talked with me had a gold reed to measure the city, its gates, and its wall. ¹⁶ The city is laid out as a square; its length is as great as its breadth. And he measured the city with the reed: twelve thousand furlongs. Its length, breadth, and height are equal. ¹⁷ Then he measured its wall: one hundred *and* forty-four cubits, *according* to the measure of a man, that is, of an angel.



REV. 21 - THE NEW JERUSALEM

- ¹⁸ The construction of its wall was of jasper; and the **city was pure gold, like clear glass.** ¹⁹ The foundations of the wall of the city *were* adorned with all kinds of precious stones: the first foundation *was* jasper, the second sapphire, the third chalcedony, the fourth emerald, ²⁰ the fifth sardonyx, the sixth sardius, the seventh chrysolite, the eighth beryl, the ninth topaz, the tenth chrysoprase, the eleventh jacinth, and the twelfth amethyst. ²¹ The twelve gates *were* twelve pearls: each individual gate was of one pearl. And the street of the city *was* pure gold, like transparent glass.



PRECIOUS STONES

- Breastplate of the high priest
 - Ex. 28; 15-21; 31-34; 39:10-14
- Connected to the Mazzeroth
 - Josephus Ant. Iii.7.7
 - Philo De Monarchia, ii.5; cf. Vit. Mos iii. 14
- John's order is the reverse of the zodiacal order
- Cf. heavenly Eden Ezek. 28:13



PRECIOUS STONES

- Jasper (iaspis): clear
 - Associated with Pisces, and Simeon
- Sapphire (sappheiros): blue
 - Ex. 24:10, the foundation of God
 - Moffatt: blue; Pliny, opaque with gold specks
 - Petrie agrees
- Chalcedony (Chalkedon): greenish
 - Robertson, green silicate of copper
 - Associated with Capricorn, Naphtali
- Emerald (smaragdus) green
 - Associated with Saggitarius, Asher



PRECIOUS STONES

- Sardonix (sardonix) red
 - Robertson: white with layers of red
 - Associated with scorpio, Dan
- Sardius (sardios): fiery red
 - Pliny: red for Sardis; Swete: fiery red
 - Associated with Libra, Levi
- Chrysolite (chrysolithos): golden yellow
 - Moffatt: golden hue
 - Robertson, golden like our topaz
 - Associated with Virgo, Zebulon
- Beryl (berullos): green
 - Roberson: like an emerald; Pliny: sea green
 - Associated with Leo, Judah



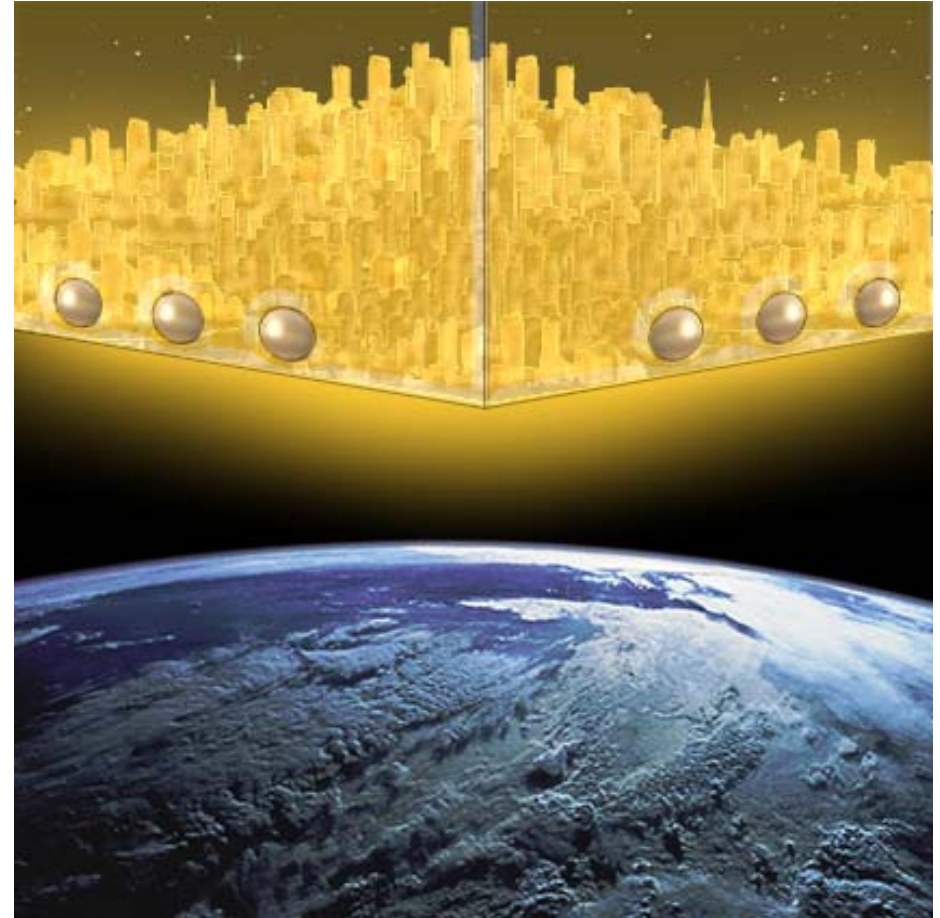
PRECIOUS STONES

- Topaz (topazion): greenish yellow
 - Robertson: golden greenish stone
 - Associated with Cancer, Issachar
- Chrysoprasus (chrusoprasos): gold-green
 - Robertson: a golden leek
 - International Bible Encyclopedia, sea green
 - Associated with Gemini, Benjamin
- Jacinth (huakinthi): violet; hyacinth
 - Associated with Taurus, Joseph
- Amethyst (amethustos): purple
 - Associated with Aries, Gad



REV. 21 - THE NEW JERUSALEM

- ²¹ The twelve gates were twelve pearls: each individual gate was of one pearl. And the street of the city was pure gold, like transparent glass.



THE GLORY OF THE NEW JERUSALEM

- ²² But I saw **no temple** in it, for the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb are its temple. ²³ The city had **no need of the sun** or of the moon to shine in it, for the glory of God illuminated it. The Lamb *is* its light. ²⁴ And the nations of those who are saved shall walk in its light, and the kings of the earth bring their glory and honor into it. ²⁵ Its gates shall **not be shut** at all by day (there shall be no night there).



THE GLORY OF THE NEW JERUSALEM

- ²⁶ And they shall bring the glory and the honor of the nations into it. ²⁷ But there shall by no means enter it anything that defiles, or causes an abomination or a lie, but only those **who are written in the Lamb's Book of Life.**



REV. 22 - THE RIVER OF LIFE

- And he showed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding from the throne of God and of the Lamb. ² In the middle of its street, and on either side of the river, *was* the tree of life, which bore twelve fruits, each *tree* yielding its fruit every month. The leaves of the *tree were* for the healing of the nations. ³ And there shall be no more curse, but the throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it, and His servants shall serve Him.



REV. 22 - THE RIVER OF LIFE

- ⁴ They shall see His face, and His name *shall be* on their foreheads. ⁵ There shall be no night there: They need no lamp nor light of the sun, for the Lord God gives them light. And they shall reign forever and ever.



REV. 22 - THE TIME IS NEAR

- ⁶ Then he said to me, “These words *are* faithful and true.” And the Lord God of the holy prophets sent His angel to show His servants the things which must shortly take place. ⁷ **“Behold, I am coming quickly! Blessed *is* he who keeps the words of the prophecy of this book.”**



REV. 22 - THE TIME IS NEAR

- ⁸ Now I, John, saw and heard these things. And when I heard and saw, I fell down to worship before the feet of the angel who showed me these things. ⁹ Then he said to me, “*See that you do not do that.* For I am your fellow servant, and of your brethren the prophets, and of those who keep the words of this book. **Worship God.**” ¹⁰ And he said to me, “**Do not seal the words of the prophecy of this book,** for the time is at hand. ¹¹ **He who is unjust, let him be unjust still; he who is filthy, let him be filthy still; he who is righteous, let him be righteous still; he who is holy, let him be holy still.**”



REV. 22 - JESUS TESTIFIES TO THE CHURCHES

- ¹² “And behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward *is* with Me, to give to every one according to his work. ¹³ I am the Alpha and the Omega, *the* Beginning and *t he* End, the First and the Last.”¹⁴ **Blessed are those who do His commandments, that they may have the right to the tree of life, and may enter through the gates into the city.** ¹⁵ But outside *are* dogs and sorcerers and sexually immoral and murderers and idolaters, and whoever loves and practices a lie.



SEVEN GLORIES OF REDEEMED:

- 1. No curse
- 2. Throne of God and Lamb
- 3. His servants shall serve Him
- 4. Eternal vision: His face
- 5. His Name in their foreheads
- 6. Eternal day; no night
- 7. Eternal Reign
- Amen, Even so, Come, Lord Jesus!



REV. 22 - JESUS TESTIFIES TO THE CHURCHES

- ¹⁶ “I, Jesus, have sent My angel to testify to you these things in the churches. I am the Root and the Offspring of David, the Bright and Morning Star.” ¹⁷ And the Spirit and the bride say, “Come!” And let him who hears say, “Come!” And let him who thirsts come. Whoever desires, let him take the water of life freely.



REV. 22 - A WARNING

- **¹⁸ For I testify to everyone who hears the words of the prophecy of this book: **If anyone adds to these things, God will add to him the plagues that are written in this book;** ¹⁹ **and if anyone takes away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part from the Book of Life, from the holy city, and *from* the things which are written in this book.****



REV. 22 - I AM COMING QUICKLY

- ²⁰ He who testifies to these things says, “**Surely I am coming quickly.**” Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus! ²¹ The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ *be* with you all. Amen.

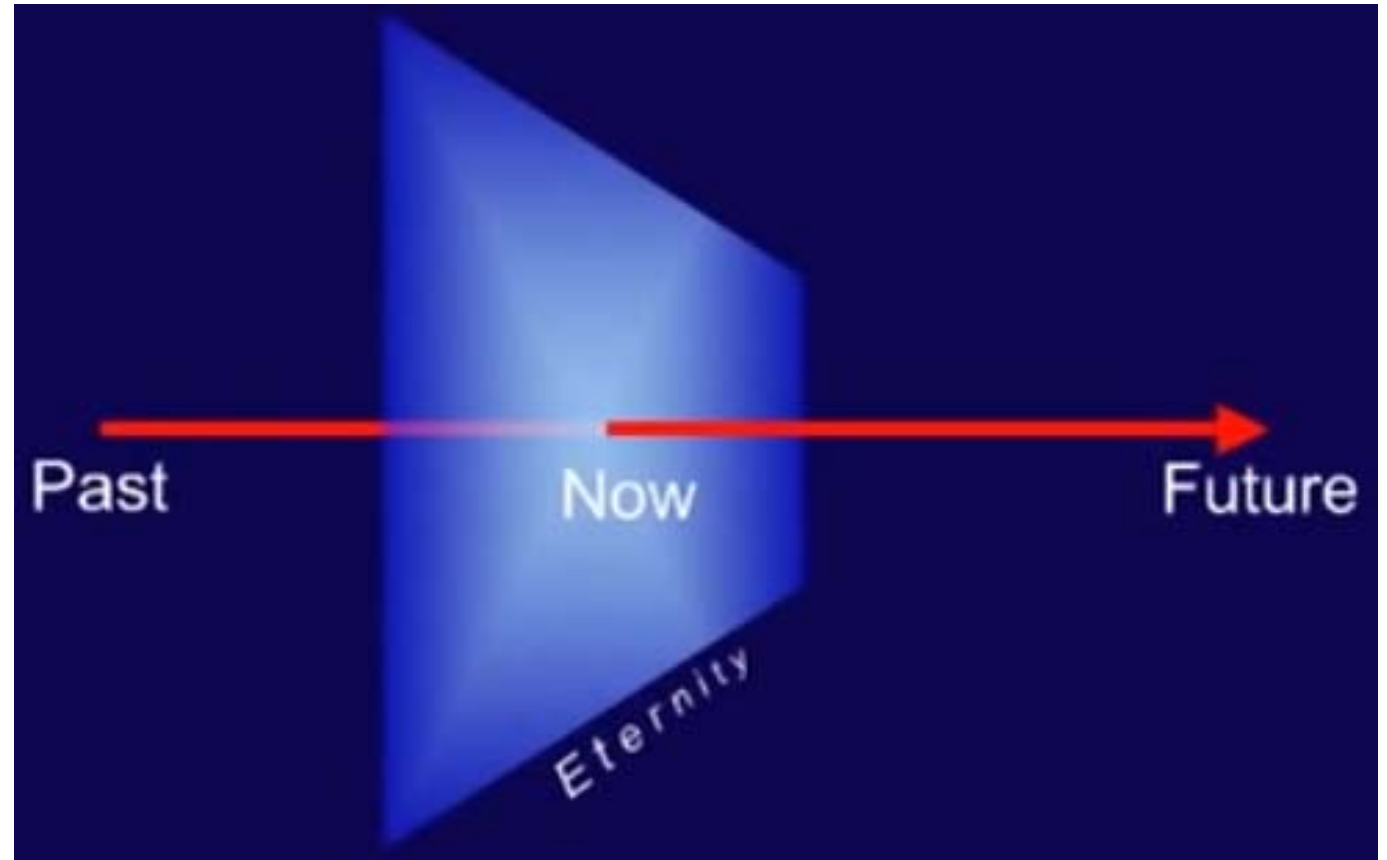


I AM COMING QUICKLY

- ¹¹ For no other foundation can anyone lay than that which is laid, which is Jesus Christ. ¹² Now if anyone builds on this foundation *with* gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, straw, ¹³ each one's work will become clear; for the Day will declare it, because it will be revealed by fire; and the fire will test each one's work, of what sort it is. ¹⁴ If anyone's work which he has built on *it* endures, he will receive a reward. ¹⁵ If anyone's work is burned, he will suffer loss; but he himself will be saved, yet so as through fire. **(1 Corinthians 3)**



- Past – Memory
- Future – Hope
- Right Now – Gift
 - (Present)



WHY NOW?

- We can argue about when the rapture will occur, ...
- Your eternity is only a heartbeat away
 - A car crash ...
 - A stray bullet ...
 - An unexpected stroke ...
 -
- You have an appointment
 - - No “accident’s” in God’s Kingdom
- Where will you find yourself?
 - How sure are you?
 - What is the basis of your conviction



LORD LORD

- ²¹ “Not everyone who says to Me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ shall enter the kingdom of heaven, **but he who does the will of My Father in heaven.** ²² Many will say to Me in that day, ‘Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in Your name, cast out demons in Your name, and done many wonders in Your name?’ ²³ And then I will declare to them, ‘I never knew you; depart from Me, you who practice lawlessness!’



OUR COMING KING

- Inspired by Pastor S. D. Lockridge
- He is:
 - King of the Jews (racial)
 - King of Israel (national)
 - King of all the ages
 - King of Heaven
 - King of Glory
 - King of Kings
 - Lord of Lords
- Do you know Him?
 - Do you really?



OUR COMING KING

- A prophet before **Moses**
- A priest after **Melchizedek**
- A champion like **Joshua**
- An offering in place of **Isaac**
- A king from the line of **David**
- A wise counselor about **Solomon**
- A beloved/rejected/exalted son like **Joseph**



OUR COMING KING

- The Heavens declare His glory ...
- And the firmament show his handiwork...
- He who is,
- Who was,
- And who always will be
- The first and the last
- He is the Alpha and Omega
 - The Aleph and the Tau
 - The A and the Z



OUR COMING KING

- He is the “I AM that I AM”
 - The voice of the Burning Bush!
- The Captain of the Lord’s Host
- The conqueror of Jericho
- He is the enduringly strong
 - Entirely sincere
 - Eternally steadfast
- He is immortally graceful
 - Imperially powerful
 - Impartially merciful



OUR COMING KING

- In Him dwells
 - The fullness of the Godhead bodily
 - The very God of very God
- He is our Kinsman-Redeemer
 - And He is our Avenger of Blood
 - He is our City of Refuge
- Our Performing High Priest
 - Our personal Prophet
 - Our Reigning King



OUR COMING KING

- He's the loftiest idea in Literature
- He's the highest personality in Philosophy
- He's the fundamental doctrine of Theology
- He's the Supreme Problem in "higher criticism"!
- He's the Miracle of the Ages
 - The superlative of everything good



OUR COMING KING

- We are the beneficiaries of a **love letter**:
- It was written in blood, On a wooden cross, Erected in Judea, 2000 years ago
- He was crucified on a cross of wood
- Yet He made the hill which it stood.
- By Him were all things made that were made; without Him was not anything made that was made;
- By Him are all things held together!



OUR COMING KING

- What held Him to that cross?
 - It wasn't the nails!
- (At any time He could have declared, "I'm out of here!")
- It was His love for you and me



OUR COMING KING

- He was born of a woman
 - So that we could be born of God
- He humbled himself
 - So that we could be lifted up
- He became a servant
 - So that we could be made co-heirs
- He suffered rejection
 - So that we could become His friends
- He denied Himself
 - So that we could freely receive all things
- He gave Himself
 - So that He could bless us in every way



OUR COMING KING

- He is available to the tempted and the tried
- He blesses the young
- He cleanses the lepers
- He defends the feeble
- He delivers the captives
- He discharges the debtors
- He forgives the sinners
- He franchises the meek
- He guards the besieged
- He heals the sick
- He provides strength to the weak
- He regards the aged
- He rewards the diligent
- He serves the unfortunate
- He sympathizes and He saves!



OUR COMING KING

- His Offices are manifold
- His Reign is righteous
- His Promises are sure
- His Goodness is limitless
- His Light is matchless
- His Grace is sufficient
- His Love never changes
- His Mercy is everlasting
- His Word is enough
- His Yoke is easy and His burden is light!



OUR COMING KING

- He's indescribable
- He's incomprehensible
- He's irresistible
- He's invincible!
- The Heaven of heavens cannot contain Him
- Man cannot explain Him
- The Pharisees couldn't stand Him
 - And learned that they couldn't stop Him
- Pilate couldn't find any fault with Him
 - The witnesses couldn't agree against Him
- Herod couldn't kill Him
 - Death couldn't handle Him
 - The grave couldn't hold Him!



OUR COMING KING

- He has always been and always will be
- He had no predecessor and will have no successor
- You can't impeach Him and He isn't going to resign!
- His name is above every name
 - That is the name of Yeshua
- Every knee shall bow
 - Every tongue shall confess
- That **Jesus Christ is Lord**
- His is the kingdom, the power and the glory ... for ever and ever... Amen!

