# **Revelation: Hope for the Last Days**

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## The Return of the King – Rev. 19:11-21

■ Revelation 19:11-21 describes the climax of the glorious return of Jesus Christ to the Earth. This is not to be confused with the Rapture of the Church, which occurs seven years prior to the Second Advent. The Return of King Jesus is described by John in terms of its announcement (v11-13), Christ's armies (v14), Christ's authority (v15-17), and the victory of Christ over His enemies (v18-21).



The Second Coming of Christ is the \_\_\_\_\_ of prophecy

- Matthew 24:27-31
- Zechariah 14:3-4

### The reasons for the Second Coming of Christ

- To fulfill numerous \_\_\_\_\_ in the Bible
- To \_\_\_\_\_ the nations
- To remove \_\_\_\_\_\_ from his earthly dominion
- To establish His \_\_\_\_\_ on earth

### The distinction between the \_\_\_\_\_ and the Return of Christ

The Rapture	The Return (Second Coming)
Christ comes in the air (1 Thess. 4:16-17)	Christ comes to the earth (Zech. 14:4)
Christ comes for His saints (1 Thess. 4:16-17)	Christ comes with His saints (Jude 1:14-15)
Believers depart the earth (1 Thess. 4:16-17)	Unbelievers are taken away (Matt. 24:37-41)
Christ claims His bride (John 14:1-3)	Christ comes with His bride (Zech. 14:3-5)
Christ comes to reward (1 Thess. 4:17)	Christ comes to judge (Matt. 25:31-46)
It is imminent; without signs (1 Cor. 15:51-55)	It is predicted by many signs (Matt. 24:4-29)
It is a time of blessing & comfort (1 Thess. 4:17-18)	It is a time of destruction & judgment (2 Thess. 2:8-12)
The Tribulation begins afterwards	The Millennium begins afterwards

The \_\_\_\_\_ of King Jesus as conqueror (Rev. 19:11-13)

The \_\_\_\_\_ that accompany King Jesus (Rev. 19:14)

The \_\_\_\_\_ of King Jesus (Rev. 19:15-16)

#### The \_\_\_\_\_ of King Jesus over His enemies (Rev. 19:17-21)

- Stage 1: Assembling the Nations in the Jezreel Valley (Rev. 16)
- Stage 2: The Destruction of Babylon (Rev. 17-18)
- Stage 3: The Attack against Jerusalem (Zech. 14:1-2)
- Stage 4: Antichrist attacks the Jews at Edom (Jer. 49:13-14)
- Stage 5: The National Regeneration of Israel (Hosea 6:1-3; Zech. 12:10)
- Stage 6: Christ delivers Remnant Israel at Bozrah (Isaiah 63:1)
- Stage 7: The Battle from Bozrah to Jerusalem (Joel 3:12-13)
- Stage 8: The Mt. of Olives Victory Ascent (Zech. 14:3-5)

#### **Next Steps**

- I will \_\_\_\_\_\_ who reigns and is victorious
- □ I will accept \_\_\_\_\_\_ to the marriage supper of the Lamb
- I will \_\_\_\_\_ until that Day

## For further study

- 1. Amir Tsarfati prophecy updates & teaching videos (www.beholdisrael.org)
- 2. Dr . Constable's Notes on Revelation (https://planobiblechapel.org/tcon/notes/pdf/revelation.pdf)
- 3. The End, by Mark Hitchcock