

Second Coming Any Second

Matthew 24:42-44

“Therefore keep watch, because you do not know on what day your Lord will come. But understand this: If the owner of the house had known at what time of night the thief was coming, he would have kept watch and would not let his house be broken into. So you also must be ready, because the Son of Man will come at an hour when you do not expect him.”

1. The Circumstances Before His Second Coming Any Second. Matt 24:4-41

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2. The Command Before His Second Coming Any Second....Keep Watch v 42

Why are we to keep watch?

- a. Consider the Reason....you do not know on what day
- b. Consider the Relationship...your Lord
- c. Consider the Reality...will come

3. The Composure Before His Second Coming Any Second. V43-4

Illustration of house owner and arriving thief

- a. **A Caring posture**...an owner with investment
- b. **A Conditional probability**....If he knew
- c. **A Calm practice**...he would have been ready
- d. **A Complete preparation**...So, you also must be ready v44

What does being ready actually look like?

1. **Attitude of spiritual expectation**
2. **Atmosphere of spiritual enjoyment**
3. **Actions of spiritual engagement**

