

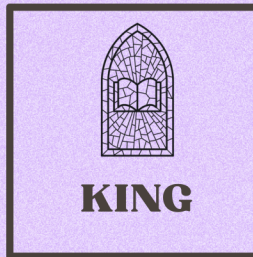
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SOON RETURNING KING: PASTOR FERNANDO MORALES



Foundation Verse

Ephesians 2:10: "For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them."



FRAME Questions:

1. **Why is the return of Jesus so important?**
2. **What's the nature of his return?**
3. **How can we prepare for His return?**

OPENING IMAGE

As of 8 September 2022, King Charles I, formerly known as The Prince of Wales, took the throne of England following the passing of his mother, Queen Elizabeth II. The whole world was captivated by the transfer of power and the British monarchy, which is full of interesting symbolism, most of which involves crowns. It's worth noting that many of these crowns feature valuable and historic gemstones, each with a deep historical and symbolic significance. These gemstones not only add to the aesthetic of the royal crowns but also link them to the history and tradition of the monarchy.

On the other hand, the crown associated with Jesus in the New Testament has a profoundly different meaning. It's not a symbol of material wealth and earthly power but rather an emblem of suffering, humility, and sacrifice. According to the New Testament accounts, Roman soldiers mockingly placed a crown of thorns on Jesus' head. This cruel act was meant to ridicule his claim as the "King of the Jews" and his authority.

Why is the return of Jesus so Important?

"Because King Jesus will Bring Truth & Justice"

Jesus must come back again. His work of redemption on earth will not be done until He puts all things under His feet. (1 Cor 15:27) When we look at the state of the world today, we see a lot of wrong things happening - injustice, inequality, and suffering. It can be disheartening to witness these things and wonder if there will ever be a resolution. However, scripture assures us that Jesus, as the great balancer of all things, will return one day and make all wrong things right once and for all

Question #1

How does the idea of Jesus returning as the great balancer of all things provide hope and assurance in the face of injustice, inequality, and suffering in the world today?

What's the nature of his return?

Read Revelation 19:11-16,



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This King will come with full authority over the earth.

The verse speaks of His rule with a "rod of iron," indicating the establishment of a just and unshakable dominion. His role as the sovereign ruler is affirmed as He treads the winepress of God's wrath - a reminder that His justice is as much a part of His nature as His love. His second coming will bring victory over the enemy (Rev 20:1-3) tells us that Jesus will be restoring his people & establish himself as King of Kings forever.

Question #2

The second coming of Jesus is often contrasted with His humble birth as a baby in a manger, which was unexpected by the people of His time. How does His second coming differ from His first? And why is this difference significant?

How Can we Prepare for His Return?

New Testament believers are also urged to be ready for the Lord to come again.

1. "and to wait for his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, Jesus who delivers us from the wrath to come." (1Th 1:10)

Wrap-Up

1. How can you actively engage in spreading the Gospel in your context?
2. Why is it important for believers to gather together and partake in communion? How do these practices contribute to the sense of community and anticipation of Christ's return?

2. "And not only the creation, but we, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies." (Rom 8:23)

3. "For through the Spirit, by faith, we ourselves eagerly wait for the hope of righteousness." (Gal 5:5)

Question #3

Often people try to find healing in other things like substances or people instead of seeking comfort and healing from God? How can we see help those who are going through tough times with pain, illness, or emotional distress?

Share The Gospel

Mat 28:19

Gather together &

Partake of Communion.

Heb 10:25

1Co 11:26

Stay Awake

Mat 24:42

Knowing Christ as the soon-returning King brings Hope. Our blessed Hope is the appearance of Jesus Christ with full power and authority to make all wrong things right visibly and tangibly and establish his Rule forever and ever.