

Lesson 7 – Enoch's Warning: The Lord is Coming (14-16)

Main Passage: Jude 14–16

"It was about these that Enoch, in the seventh generation from Adam, prophesied: "Look! The Lord comes with tens of thousands of his holy ones to execute judgment on all and to convict all the ungodly concerning all the ungodly acts that they have done in an ungodly way, and concerning all the harsh things ungodly sinners have said against him." These people are discontented grumblers, living according to their desires; their mouths utter arrogant words, flattering people for their own advantage."

I. Enoch and His Prophecy

- Enoch was the seventh from Adam, a prophet who walked with God and was taken up without seeing death.
- His prophecy was preserved in Jewish tradition and quoted by Jude to warn of God's coming judgment.

-- Enoch was the _____ from Adam.

-- He _____ with God and was taken up.

II. The Certainties of God’s Judgment

- Jude emphasizes three unshakable truths about God's judgment through Enoch's prophecy.

1. The Lord’s guaranteed return.

2. He comes with myriads of holy ones.

3. He comes to execute judgment on all the ungodly.

-- The judgment is so certain, Enoch spoke in the _____ tense.

-- The word 'myriads' refers to _____ of holy ones.

III. With Whom Does the Lord Come?

- Two interpretations: believers (saints) or angels—context leans toward angels as instruments of judgment.
- Angels are described as God's _____ in several biblical passages.
- Saints are said to judge during the _____ kingdom.

IV. The Purpose of His Coming

- The Lord comes to expose and convict the ungodly in their deeds, words, and hearts.
- His judgment will expose _____ sins and pronounce guilt.
- The ultimate result is _____ punishment for all who reject God.

V. Characteristics of the Ungodly

- Jude gives five clear descriptions of apostates, particularly regarding their speech and lifestyle.
- They are _____ and always discontent.
- Their speech is _____ and flattering for self-gain.

Answer Key

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| 1. Seventh | 7. Hidden |
| 2. Walked | 8. Eternal |
| 3. Past (aorist) | 9. Grumblers |
| 4. Tens of thousands | 10. Arrogant |
| 5. Instruments of judgment | |
| 6. Millennial | |