

Jesus Is Coming Again

Revelation 1:7-12

Revelation 1:1: The Revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave Him to show His servants - things which must shortly take place. And He sent and signified it by His angel to His servant John. (1:1,4, 9; 22:8)

The Revelation (Greek - apokalupsis) of Jesus Christ:
Unveiled, uncovered or revealed; something that was previously hidden but is now clearly visible!

Revelation 1:2-3: Who bore witness to the word of God, and to the testimony of Jesus Christ, to all things that he saw. Blessed is he who reads and those who hear the words of this prophecy, and keep (do, keep, take to heart) those things which are written in it; for the time is near.

Revelation 1:4: John, to the seven churches which are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from Him who is and who was and who is to come and from the seven Spirits (Sevenfold Spirit) who are before His throne.

Revelation 1:5: And from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn from the dead, and the ruler over the kings of the earth. To Him (be the glory) who loved us and washed (freed) us from our sins in His own blood.

Revelation 1:6: And has made us kings and priests to His God and Father, to Him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

Revelation 1:7: Behold, He is coming with clouds, and every eye will see Him, even they who pierced Him. And all the tribes of the earth will mourn because of Him. Even so, amen.

Zechariah 12:10: I will pour on the house of David and on the inhabitants of Jerusalem the Spirit of grace and supplication; then they will look on Me whom they pierced. Yes, they will mourn for Him as one mourns for his only son, and grieve for Him as one grieves for a firstborn.

Jesus introduces Himself!

Revelation 1:8: "I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the End," says the Lord, "who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty."

Revelation 22:12-13: And behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward is with Me, to give to every one according to his work. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End, the First and the Last."

(Isaiah 41:4)

Revelation 22:16: 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.

Revelation 22:17: 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.

Micah 5:2: But you, Bethlehem, though you are little among the thousands of Judah, yet out of you shall come forth to Me the One to be Ruler in Israel, whose goings forth are from of old, from everlasting.

Almighty - the One who has His hands on everything!

It means Jesus has sovereign control over everything!

Revelation 1:9: I, John, both your brother and companion in the tribulation and kingdom and patience of Jesus Christ, was on the island that is called Patmos for the word of God and for the testimony of Jesus Christ.

Tribulation - affliction, distress, trouble, hardship, suffering, pressure, crushing weight

Revelation 1:10: I was in the Spirit on the Lord's Day, and I heard behind me a loud voice, as of a trumpet.

Revelation 1:11-12: Saying, "I am the Alpha and the Omega, the First and the Last," and, "What you see, write in a book and send it to the seven churches which are in Asia: to Ephesus, to Smyrna, to Pergamos, to Thyatira, to Sardis, to Philadelphia, and to Laodicea." Then I turned to see the voice that spoke with me.

Harpazo - carry off by force, snatched away, rescue from the danger of destruction

