

## Watch and Pray Always

Luke 21:25-38

Luke 21:25-27: And there will be signs in the sun, in the moon, and in the stars; and on the earth distress (extreme anxiety) of nations, with perplexity (without resources, left wanting, embarrassed, in doubt, not knowing which way to turn), the sea and the waves roaring; men's hearts failing them from fear and the expectation of those things which are coming on the earth, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken. Then they will see the Son of Man coming in a cloud with power and great glory.

Luke 21:28: Now when these things begin to happen, look up and lift up your heads, because your redemption draws near.

Q. Have you been redeemed? Left Behind?

It is finished!

1 Corinthians 6:19-20: Or do you not know that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God, and you are not your own? For you were bought at a price; therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God's.

Luke 21:29-31: Then He spoke to them a parable: "Look at the fig tree, and all the trees. When they are already budding, you see and know for yourselves that summer is now near. So you also, when you see these things happening, know that the kingdom of God is near."

Luke 21:32: Assuredly, I say to you, this generation (genea- race) will by no means pass away till all things take place.

Luke 21:33: Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will by no means pass away (eternal).

Luke 21:34-35: But take heed to yourselves, lest your hearts be weighed down (depressed or dulled) with carousing, drunkenness, and cares of this life, and that Day come on you unexpectedly. For it will come as a snare on all those who dwell on the face of the whole earth.

Luke 21:36: Watch therefore, and pray always that you may be counted worthy to escape all these things that will come to pass, and to stand before the Son of Man.

### The Promises of Jesus! -> Luke 21:36

Luke 17:34: I tell you, in that night there will be two in one bed: the one will be taken and the other will be left.

Luke 17:35-36: Two women will be grinding together: the one will be taken and the other left. Two men will be in the field: the one will be taken and the other left.

In context, the one that is left is the one that is facing judgment like the days of Noah and Lot!

Revelation 3:10: Because you have kept My command to persevere, I also will keep you from the hour of trial which shall come upon the whole world, to test those who dwell on the earth.

Luke 21:37-38: And in the daytime He was teaching in the temple, but at night He went out and stayed on the mountain called Olivet. Then early in the morning all the people came to Him in the temple to hear Him.

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