<pre>Look Up The Return Of The King - (# 2) October 1, 2023</pre>
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29 Immediately after the tribulation of those days shall the sun be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light, and the stars shall fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens shall be shaken:

31 And he shall send his angels

with a great sound of a trumpet,

elect from the four winds, from

one end of heaven to the other.

and they shall gather together his

Matthew 24:29-36

30 And then shall appear the sign of the Son of man in heaven; and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.

Matthew 24:29-36

32 Now learn a parable of the fig tree; When his branch is yet tender, and putteth forth leaves, ye know that summer is nigh:

Matthew 24:29-36

33 So likewise ye, when ye shall see all these things, know that it is near, even at the doors.

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34 Verily I say unto you, This generation shall not pass, till all these things be fulfilled. Matthew 24:29-36

35 Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away. Matthew 24:29-36

36 But of that day and hour knoweth no man, no, not the angels of heaven, but my Father only.

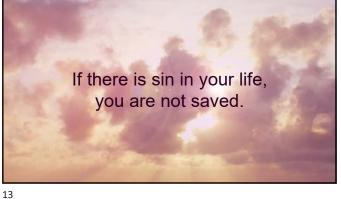
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Matthew 24:36

God has given us a road map to follow that leads to salvation.





Serving God is all about doing what His Word tells us to do.

Loving God, loving our fellow man, and obeying God.

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1) Signs After Tribulation.

Immediately after the tribulation of those days shall the sun be darkened, and the moon shall not give her light, and the stars shall fall from heaven, and the powers of the heavens shall be shaken:

Matthew 24:29

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And as he sat upon the mount of Olives, the disciples came unto him privately, saying, Tell us, when shall these things be? and what shall be the sign of thy coming, and of the end of the world?

Matthew 24:3

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It is important that we, the church, do not become lazy, care-free, or negligent.

when He will set up His Kingdom.

Here in Matthew 24,

Jesus' disciples are asking Him

Jesus gives the disciples a list of things to watch for. All of them, after tribulation.

We must remain faithful, prayerful, and obedient.

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Watch therefore: for ye know not what hour your Lord doth come.

Matthew 24:42

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Watch therefore, for ye know neither the day nor the hour wherein the Son of man cometh.

Matthew 25:13

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These are
"Second Coming of Christ"
prophecies,
and the "Rapture of the Church"
is at least seven years before that.

1) Signs After <u>Tribulation</u>.

2) Jesus Will Appear In The Clouds.

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And then shall appear the sign of the Son of man in heaven: and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory.

Matthew 24:30

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Jesus tells His disciples this in answer to their questions.

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9 And when he had spoken these things, while they beheld, he was taken up; and a cloud received him out of their sight.

Acts 1:9–11

10 And while they looked stedfastly toward heaven as he went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel;

Acts 1:9–11

11 Which also said, Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven? this same Jesus, which is taken up from you into heaven, shall so come in like manner as ye have seen him go into heaven.

Acts 1:9-11

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Behold, he cometh with clouds; and every eye shall see him, and they also which pierced him: and all kindreds of the earth shall wail because of him. Even so, Amen.

Revelation 1:7

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After this I looked, and, behold, a door was opened in heaven: and the first voice which I heard was as it were of a trumpet talking with me; which said, Come up hither, and I will shew thee things which must be hereafter.

Revelation 4:1

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If you want to go to heaven, repent of your sin, and turn away from it.

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Sin with not be in heaven and neither will sinners.

1) Signs After Tribulation.

2) Jesus Will Appear In The Clouds.

 Jesus' Words Shall Not Pass Away.

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Heaven and earth shall pass away, but my words shall not pass away.

Matthew 24:35

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There are things
that are temporal (temporary) and
there are things
that are eternal (forever).

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It is time we started thinking, and living like we are going to spend eternity somewhere, because we are. 28 Marvel not at this: for the hour is coming, in the which all that are in the graves shall hear his voice,

John 5:28-29

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29 And shall come forth; they that have done good, unto the resurrection of life; and they that have done evil, unto the resurrection of damnation.

John 5:28-29

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I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing: therefore choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live:

Deuteronomy 30:19

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Do you acknowledge Jesus and proclaim Him before the world, or do you deny Him and live like the world?

32 Whosoever therefore shall confess me before men, him will I confess also before my Father which is in heaven.

What we confess,

what we believe, and

the things we do,

are the answers to the test.

Do you honor God

by your words and your actions, or do you dishonor Him?

Matthew 10:32-33

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33 But whosoever shall deny me before men, him will I also deny before my Father which is in heaven.

Matthew 10:32-33

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An effective way to examine yourself is to ask yourself, would Jesus think that, or would Jesus say that, or would Jesus do that?

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I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture.

John 10:9

It is time for us to stop the sinfulness of this world and start living like Christians.

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God wants you in Heaven, but the only way in is through the door of His Son, Jesus Christ.

7 But the end of all things is at hand: be ye therefore sober, and watch unto prayer.

1 Peter 4:7-8

8 And above all things have fervent charity among yourselves: for charity shall cover the multitude of sins.

1 Peter 4:7-8

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