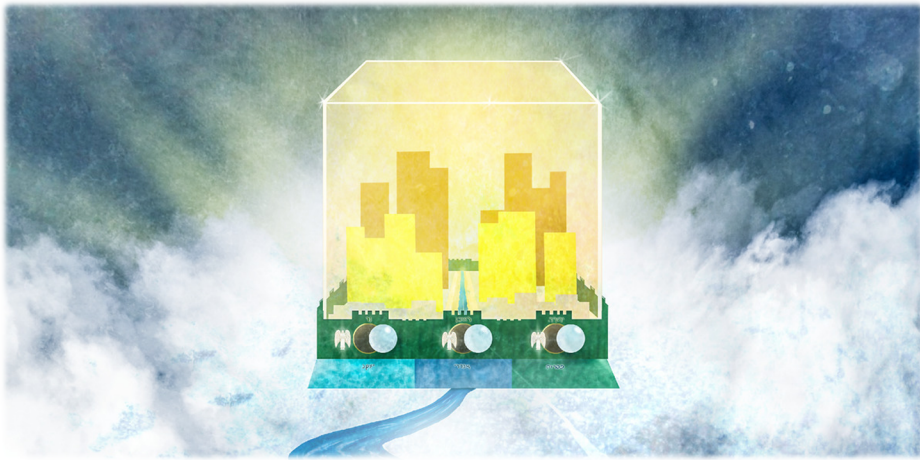


LOOKING AHEAD

- Read [Revelation 21:9-27](#) about **New Jerusalem**.
- How big is this city?
- Should we take this image literally or symbolically?
- What will light this city?
- Who will be allowed to enter this city?



ETERNITY! Revelation 21:1-8

GOD'S PARADISE (21:1-4)

There is going to be a new beginning for God's creation.

- v.1 – God is going to create a **new** _____ and a **new** _____.
- v.2 – Our future home is going to be called **new** _____.
- v.4 – God says, “The first _____ have passed away.”
- v.5 – God says, “Behold, I am making all _____ **new**.”

Isaiah 65:17:

For behold, I create new heavens and a new earth; and the former things will not be remembered or come to mind.

Eternity will be a paradise because:

1. There will be perfect _____ & _____ (v.1).

2. There will be perfect _____ & _____ (v.2).

Observations about **New Jerusalem**:

- Jesus said this city will be our future _____ place (Rev. 3:12).
- This city is depicted as coming down from _____ (Hebs. 11:10).
- She is described in terms of a _____ adorned for her husband.

3. There will be perfect _____ & _____ (v.3).

4. There will be perfect _____ & endless _____.

The "No Mores" of Eternity

There will be ...

- No more _____ (21:1)
- No more _____ (21:4)
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- No more _____ (21:4).
- No more _____ (21:6).
- No more _____ (21:8,27).
- No more _____ (21:22).
- No more _____ or _____ or _____ (21:23; 22:5).
- No more _____ gates (21:25).
- No more _____ (22:3).

GOD'S PROMISE (21:5-8)

- **Promise #1:** God says, "I am making _____." v.5
- **Promise #2:** God says, "It is _____." v.6a
- **Promise #3:** God says, "I will give to the one who _____ ..." v.6b
- **Promise #4:** God says, "He who _____ will inherit ..." v.7
- **Promise #5:** God assures us the _____ will not experience the New Heaven and the New Earth. v.8