

# Introduction

We now transition into the Eternal State. This is the final state in which man finds himself

### Recap

- Image of God
  - "The structure and function in which God made man to represent and imitate Him in relation to God, neighbor, and creation."
- $\circ$  Resurrection
  - Resurrection was always the plan
  - All men will resurrect
  - We all will be raised at Jesus Christ's second coming

# **Magnified and Diminished**

- The image of God in the Elect is perfectly amplified
- The image of God in the Reprobates is permanently revoked

## **Dwelling Place**

- New Jerusalem (Elect)
  - Restored Earth
  - Lake of Fire (Reprobates)
    - Unknown outer darkness

#### **Responses to God's work**

- Elect
  - Every knee bows in joy and adoration
  - Praise God for his judgment of the wicked
- Reprobates
  - Every knee bows in submission
  - $\circ$  They eternally curse God
  - They eternally weep

#### **Quality of bodies**

- Elect
  - Incorruptible (will not decay)
  - Glorious (magnificent honor and radiance)
  - Powerful (Greater capacity for worship)
  - Spiritual (Pure heart and faculties)
- Reprobates
  - The image of God revoked
  - Eternally Corrupting
  - Ultimately Dishonorable



Infinitely WeakUtterly Carnal