

“The Rapture ... And Then” – The Other Side

INTRODUCTION: 2 Thessalonians 2:7-12

- What about those “*left behind*” after the “*Rapture*”?
- Are you prepared for the Lord’s return?

Revelation 6:1-2 – The “*white horse*” of the “*Anti-Christ*”.

- He promises to solve the chaos left after the Rapture.
- He will bring a “*false peace*”, supported by organized religion.

6:3-4 – The “*red horse*” of bloody war – Rev. 12:12

6:5-6 – The “*black horse*” of mourning and starvation.

- To buy or sell, you must have the “*mark of the beast*” –

13:16-17

6:7-8 – The “*pale horse*” of epidemics and plagues.

6:9-11 – Those who have never heard the Gospel will have the

opportunity to be saved ... a “*1st chance*”, not a “*2nd chance*”

– 2 Thess. 2:10-11, Revelation 14:6

- 144,000 Jews will be saved, to go into the Millennial Kingdom.

6:12-17 – God will unleash the forces of nature.

8:1 – Heaven will stand speechless and spellbound.

- God gave us His Son, Jesus ... the Bible ... the Gospel ...
yet these have been rejected.

Chapter 8 – Speaks of massive destruction on Earth.

Chapter 9 – Speaks of evil creatures on Earth – 9:6

Chapter 16 – Speaks of sores & ulcers ... death – 16:3

16:4 – They have spurned the “*Water of Life*”.

16:10-11 – Darkness and pain doesn’t bring about repentance.

16:17 – Finally, the “*Great Tribulation*” will end.

- Satan’s “*kingdom*” has been devastated.

20:11-15 – The end result of the LOST ... the “*lake of fire*”.

21:1-5 – The SAVED will enjoy eternity with Jesus.

CONCLUSION:

- Jesus is coming ... Are you ready? 22:6-7
- 22:17 – The final invitation of the Bible.
- Sin **WILL** be punished ... Jesus or you.
- Jesus can save you from eternal torment ... come to Him!