

The End of the World As We Know It

Matthew 25:31-46

Jesus Is Coming Back As Victorious King

- We don't know <u>WHEN</u> He's coming. (Mark 13:32-33 and Matthew 24:42-44)
- We do know that He **IS** coming. (1 Thessalonians 4:15-18)
- SO... Live AWAKE!

God Will Judge Everyone Who's Ever Lived

With Jesus as the judge: (Acts 10:42, 2 Timothy 4:1)

- On the predetermined day, God "will <u>JUDGE</u> the world in righteousness." (Acts 17:30-31) This is "the day of wrath when God's righteous judgment will be revealed" when all will be judged based on what they <u>HAVE DONE</u>. (Romans 2:4-5, Revelation 20:11-13)
- According to God's <u>JUSTICE</u> and wrath against sin, the wicked will be consigned to hell. (Revelation 20:15, Romans 2:6-8)
- According to God's mercy and grace, the redeemed those whose names are written in the **BOOK OF LIFE** will be received into heaven. (Romans 14:10-12, John 5:24, Romans 8:1, 1 John 5:11-13)
- God is just, God's universe is **FAIR**. (Colossians 3:25)
- **SO...** Live **SOBER**. Live **ALIVE**. Live **GRACED**.

Heaven Awaits The Redeemed

Or more accurately, the **NEW or RENEWED** creation awaits the redeemed. (Revelation 21:1-5)

• **SO...** Come back next week!