



The Glory Days Are Still to Come!

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Text: Revelation 20:1-6

Passage Summary: As we consider the glory days that are still to come, they revolve around the _____ of Christ to this earth, leading to the _____ of the prayer Jesus taught us to pray in Matthew 6:9-10:

“This, then, is how you should pray: ‘Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.’”

Matthew 6:9-10

180 Degree Truth #1: See that the impact of the arrival of the Kingdom is revealed through the _____ reign of Christ on _____! (20:1-6)

Calvary East Valley holds to dispensational premillennialism, which sees the millennium as a literal 1000 year period of time where Christ will return to rule and reign on this earth following the tribulation. Along with Old Testament saints, church age saints, and martyred tribulation saints, we look forward to participating with Christ in His rule and reign with resurrected, glorified bodies in these glory days that are still to come.

In this view, we hold that the church and Israel are distinct entities in the outworking of God’s eternal plan of salvation in Christ, and that God will fulfill His unique promises and purposes for the Nation of Israel as His salvation plan moves toward its consummation.

Application: Recognize when it comes to the millennial reign of Christ, it will be characterized by a time of...

- Unparalleled _____ and _____! (v.1-3)

“And I saw an angel coming down out of heaven, having the key to the Abyss and holding in his hand a great chain. He seized the dragon, that ancient serpent, who is the devil, or Satan, and bound him for a thousand years.”

Revelation 20:2-3

Remember: When it comes to the millennial reign of Christ, the promise of this golden age to come is real, but a tenacious _____ fueled by a _____ God conviction will be required for those who want to experience the hope that is inherent within it now!

- Undeserved _____ and _____! (v.4-5)

“I saw thrones on which were seated those who had been given authority to judge. And I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded because of their testimony for Jesus and because of the word of God...They came to life and reigned with Christ a thousand years.”

Revelation 20:4

Remember: When it comes to the millennial reign of Christ, _____ and _____ with Christ will be a privileged part of all that is to come; so don’t settle or be deceived by a power grab in the here and now, but rather look forward to all that God has in store for those who belong to Christ!

- Unending _____ and _____! (v.6)

“Blessed and holy are those who have part in the first resurrection. The second death has no power over them, but they will be priests of God and of Christ and will reign with him for a thousand years.”

Revelation 20:6

Remember: When it comes to the millennial reign of Christ, only those who have two _____ will _____ it; we must be physically born, but we also must be spiritually born again through faith in Christ!

Core Conviction to Live By: Resolutely determine that when it comes to the glory days, you will no longer look _____ with a sigh, concluding they are relegated to a thing of the past, but rather look _____ with the faith filled, hope filled expectation that Biblically speaking, the glory days are still to come!