

# ARABIC BAPTIST CHURCH BOSTON

Grow in Hope

«ننمو في الرجاء»

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Key Verse الأية المختارة

رومية 15 : 13

“ وَلِيَمَلَأْكُمْ إِلَهُ الرَّجَاءِ كُلَّ سُرُورٍ وَسَلَامٍ فِي الْإِيمَانِ  
لِتَزِدَادُوا فِي الرَّجَاءِ بِقُوَّةِ الرُّوحِ الْقُدُسِ ”

““And may the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace in believing, that you may abound in hope through the power of the Holy Spirit” Romans 15: 13

# Introduction

- We hear this phrase a lot now “There is no Hope?”
- Dante's Inferno sign over the gate to Hell Road

**“ABANDON ALL HOPE YE WHO ENTER HERE”**

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- Rom 15:4 For whatever things were written before were written for our learning, so that we through patience and comfort of the Scriptures might have hope.
- لَأَنَّ كُلَّ مَا سَبَقَ فَكُتِبَ كُتِبَ لِأَجْلِ تَعْلِيمِنَا حَتَّىٰ بِالصَّبْرِ وَالتَّعْزِيَةِ بِمَا فِي الْكُتُبِ يَكُونُ لَنَا رَجَاءٌ

# What is Hope

- **Webster:** “Desire accompanied by expectation of or belief in fulfillment” "الرغبة يرافقها توقع أو الايمان في التحقيق"

- Our Christian Hope in **Heb 11:1** “Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen.”

وَأَمَّا الْإِيمَانُ فَهُوَ الثِّقَّةُ بِمَا يُرْجَى وَالْإِيْقَانُ بِأُمُورٍ لَا تُرَى.

- **Tit 2:13** looking for the blessed hope, and the appearance of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ,

مُنْتَظِرِينَ الرَّجَاءَ الْمُبَارَكِ وَظُهُورَ مَجْدِ اللَّهِ الْعَظِيمِ وَمُخْلِصِنَا يَسُوعَ الْمَسِيحِ،

# Hope Is

1. A hope in Eternal life (Titus 1:2; 3:7)

عَلَى رَجَاءِ الْحَيَاةِ الْأَبَدِيَّةِ

2. A hope in Salvation (1Thes. 5:8; Rom. 8:24-25)

وَحُودَةٌ هِيَ رَجَاءُ الْخَلَاصِ

3. A hope laid up in heaven (Col. 1:5)

مِنْ أَجْلِ الرَّجَاءِ الْمَوْضُوعِ لَكُمْ فِي السَّمَاوَاتِ

4. A hope of resurrection from the dead (Acts 23:6)

بولس قال أمام رؤساء اليهود: "عَلَى رَجَاءِ قِيَامَةِ الْأَمْوَاتِ أَنَا أُحَاكِمُ"

5. The hope of the Gospel – fulfillment of all the promises in the Gospel (Col. 1:23) وَغَيْرَ مُنْتَقِلِينَ عَنْ رَجَاءِ الْإِنْجِيلِ،

6. The hope of His (Christ) Calling (Eph. 1:18; 4:4)

لِتَعْلَمُوا مَا هُوَ رَجَاءُ دَعْوَتِهِ

# Attributes of Our Hope

1. Good (2Thes. 2:16)

وَأَعْطَانَا عَزَاءً أَبَدِيًّا وَرَجَاءً صَالِحًا بِالنِّعْمَةِ،

2. Blessed (Titus 2:13) مُنْتَظِرِينَ الرَّجَاءَ الْمُبَارَكِ

3. Living (1Pet. 1:3) وَلَدْنَا ثَانِيَةً لِرَجَاءٍ حَيٍّ

4. Glorious (Col. 1:27) الَّذِي هُوَ الْمَسِيحُ فِيكُمْ رَجَاءُ الْمَجْدِ

5. Sure, Steadfast, and the Anchor of the Soul  
الَّذِي هُوَ لَنَا كَمِرْسَاةٍ لِلنَّفْسِ مُؤْتَمَنَةٌ وَثَابِتَةٌ (Heb. 6:19)

# Why Do We Hope

- A. Because God promised it (Titus 1:2)
  - He is “The God of hope” (Rom. 15:13)
  - God confirmed by an oath (Heb. 6:17-19)
  - It is given through God’s grace (2Thes. 2:16)
- B. Because of Jesus
  - He is our hope (1Tim. 1:1)
  - We have hope for the resurrection because He rose from the dead (1Pet. 1:3; 1Cor. 15:12-20)

# Who Can Have This Hope

- Those who are in Christ (1Thes. 4:13-14)

فَكَذَلِكَ الرَّاقِدُونَ بِيَسُوعَ سَيُحْضِرُهُمُ اللَّهُ أَيْضاً مَعَهُ.

- Those whom Christ is in (Col. 1:27)

الَّذِي هُوَ الْمَسِيحُ فِيكُمْ رَجَاءُ الْمَجْدِ

- Those who have been begotten (1Pet. 1:3)

الَّذِي حَسَبَ رَحْمَتِهِ الْكَثِيرَةَ وَلَدَنَا ثَانِيَةً لِرَجَاءِ حَيِّ

- Those who are justified (Titus 3:7)

حَتَّى إِذَا تَبَرَّرْنَا بِنِعْمَتِهِ نَصِيرُ وَرَثَةَ حَسَبَ رَجَاءِ الْحَيَاةِ الْأَبَدِيَّةِ.



# Our Hope: Jesus is Coming Again

- Act 1:11 The two angels said to the disciples “Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing up into the heaven? This same Jesus who is taken up from you into Heaven, will come in the way you have seen Him going into Heaven.”
- وَقَالَ: «أَيُّهَا الرِّجَالُ الْجَلِيلِيُّونَ مَا بِالْكُمْ وَاقْفِين تَنْظُرُونَ إِلَى السَّمَاءِ؟  
إِنَّ يَسُوعَ هَذَا الَّذِي اذْتَفَعَ عَنْكُمْ إِلَى السَّمَاءِ سَيَأْتِي هَكَذَا كَمَا رَأَيْتُمُوهُ  
مُنْطَلِقًا إِلَى السَّمَاءِ.»

# مجيء المسيح ثانية رجاء الكنيسة والمؤمنين

## The Second Coming of Christ

- The Lord Jesus will come by Himself
- We are waiting for the Lord Himself and not for events

”الرب يسوع سيأتي بنفسه“.

نحن لا نرجو أحداثاً، بل نرجو وننتظر الرب نفسه

# Why is Jesus Coming Again?

**First:** Jesus Must Come Back to Take His Church to Be with Him

**Second:** Jesus Must Come Back to Judge the World

**Third:** Jesus Must Come Back to Rule the World

# From Revelation

- The revelation of Jesus Christ, which God gave him to show to his servants the things that must soon take place.(Rev. 1:1)

- اِعْلَانُ يَسُوعَ الْمَسِيحِ، الَّذِي اَعْطَاهُ اِيَّاهُ اللهُ، لِئُرِيَ عِبِيدَهُ مَا لَا بُدَّ أَنْ يَكُونَ عَنْ قَرِيبٍ، وَبَيْنَهُ مُرْسِلًا بِيَدِ مَلَائِكِهِ لِعَبْدِهِ يُوحَنَّا،

- "Behold, I am coming soon, bringing my recompense with me, to repay everyone for what he has done.(Rev. 22:7)

- « هَا أَنَا آتِي سَرِيعًا. طُوبَى لِمَنْ يَحْفَظُ أَقْوَالَ نُبُوءَةِ هَذَا الْكِتَابِ .»

# The Shout of Hope

- **And the Spirit and the bride say, Come!** And let the *one* hearing say, Come! And let the *one* who is thirsty come. (Rev. 22:17)
- وَالرُّوحُ وَالْعَرُوسُ يَقُولَانِ: «تَعَالَ». وَمَنْ يَسْمَعُ فَلْيَقُلْ: «تَعَالَ». وَمَنْ يَعْطَشُ فَلْيَأْتِ. وَمَنْ يُرِدْ فَلْيَأْخُذْ مَاءَ حَيَاةٍ مَجَّانًا
- **He who testifies these things says, Yes, I am coming quickly, Amen. Yes, come, Lord Jesus.** (Rev.22:20)
- يَقُولُ الشَّاهِدُ بِهَذَا: «نَعَمْ! أَنَا آتِي سَرِيعًا». آمِينَ. تَعَالَ أَيُّهَا الرَّبُّ يَسُوعُ.

The Second Coming will happen in two phases  
مجيء المسيح ثانية سيتم على مرحلتين

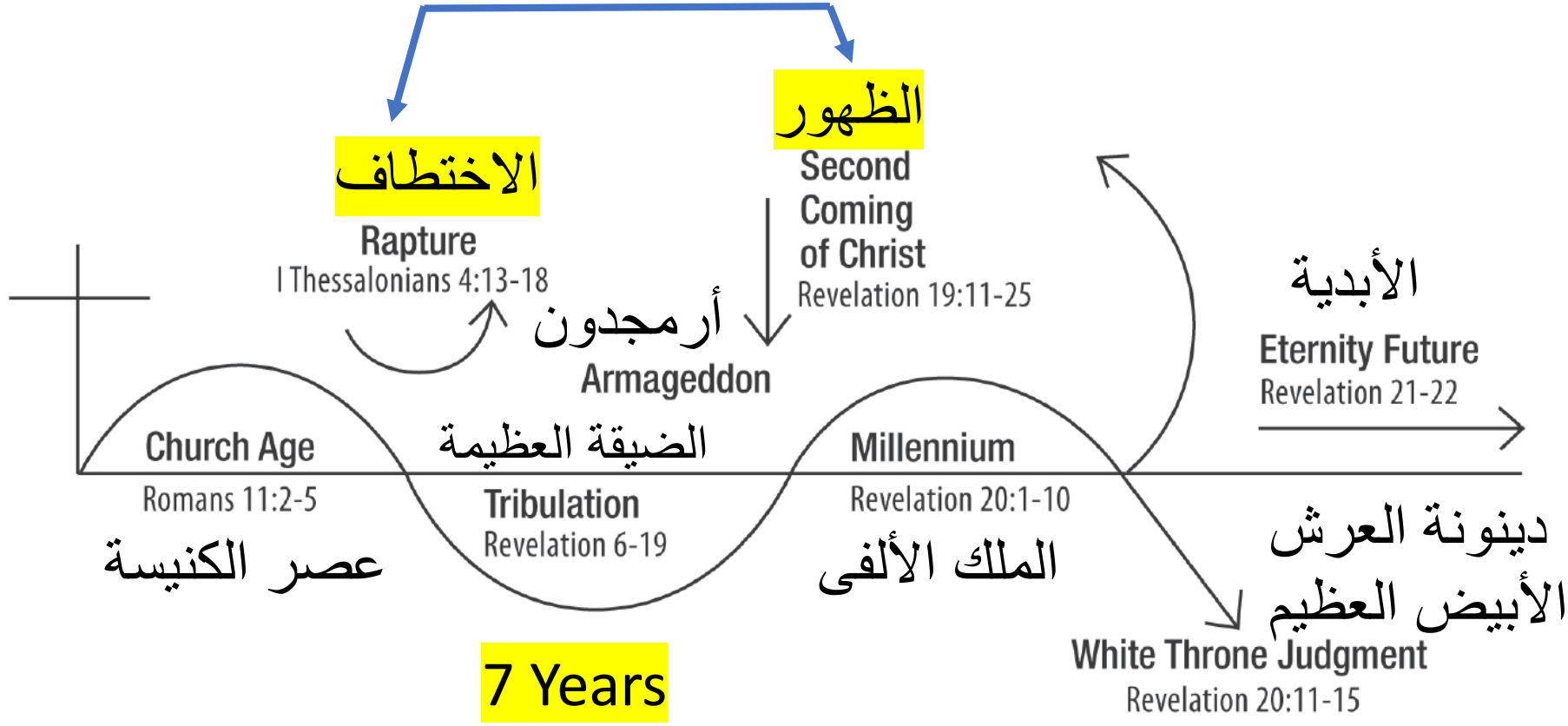
1. The Rapture, before the great tribulation and He is coming only for the believers
2. The Great Appearance of the Lord (All the world will see Him)

1. المرحلة الأولى وهي الإختطاف سيكون قبل الضيقة التي ستستمر سبع سنين.

2. المرحلة الثانية يأتي الرب يسوع ثانية إلى الأرض بصورة مرئية للعالم كله، ويملك ألف عام ويجلس على عرش داود وفي (الظهور) سيراه الجميع وستنظره كل عين والذين طعنوه.

# Timeline of the Second Coming of Christ

## The Second Coming of Christ



# First: Jesus Must Come Back to Take His Church to Be with Him

- Eph. 5:27 that He might present it to Himself as the glorious church, without spot or wrinkle or any such things, but that it should be holy and without blemish.
- لِكَيْ يُحْضِرَهَا لِنَفْسِهِ كَنِيسَةً مَّجِيدَةً، لَا دَنَسَ فِيهَا وَلَا غَضْنَ أَوْ شَيْءٌ مِنْ مِثْلِ ذَلِكَ، بَلْ تَكُونُ مُقَدَّسَةً وَبِلَا عَيْبٍ.



# Jesus meets His bride

## 1 Thessalonians 4:16-18 16

- “For the Lord Himself will descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trumpet of God; and the dead in Christ shall rise first. 17 Then we who are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and thus we shall always be with the Lord. 18 Therefore comfort one another with these words.”

- لَأَنَّ الرَّبَّ نَفْسَهُ سَوْفَ  
يَنْزِلُ مِنَ السَّمَاءِ بِهْتَافٍ،  
بِصَوْتِ رَئِيسِ مَلَائِكَةٍ  
وَبُوقِ اللَّهِ، وَالْأَمْوَاتُ فِي  
الْمَسِيحِ سَيَقُومُونَ أَوَّلًا .
- ثُمَّ نَحْنُ الْأَحْيَاءُ الْبَاقِينَ  
سَنُخْطَفُ جَمِيعًا مَعَهُمْ  
فِي السُّحْبِ لِمُلَاقَاةِ الرَّبِّ  
فِي الْهَوَاءِ، وَهَكَذَا نَكُونُ  
كُلَّ حِينٍ مَعَ الرَّبِّ .
- لِذَلِكَ عَزُّوا بَعْضُكُمْ  
بَعْضًا بِهَذَا الْكَلَامِ .

# The Participants of the Rapture

1. The Lord Jesus himself ( الرَّبُّ نَفْسَهُ )
2. The archangel ( رَئِيسِ مَلَائِكَةٍ ) (Dan. 10:13, 21; 12:1; Jude 9; Rev. 12:7).
3. The resurrected bodies of dead believers:  
( وَالْأَمْوَاتُ فِي الْمَسِيحِ سَيَقُومُونَ ) “for this corruptible must put on incorruption.”
4. The translated bodies of living believers:  
( نَحْنُ الْأَحْيَاءُ الْبَاقِينَ )  
“and this mortal must put on immortality.”

# The Judgment Seat of Christ

حساب المؤمنین ومکافاتهم عند کرسی المسیح

2 کو 10:5 لَانَّهُ لَا بُدَّ اَنْنَا جَمِيعًا نُظْهَرُ اَمَامَ كُرْسِيِّ الْمَسِيحِ،  
لِيُنَالَ كُلُّ وَاٰحِدٍ مَّا كَانَ بِالْجَسَدِ بِحَسَبِ مَا صَنَعَ، خَيْرًا كَانَ  
اَمْ شَرًّا.

2Co 5:10 “For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each one may receive the things *done* through the body, according to that which he has done, whether good or bad.”

# المكافأة للمؤمنين الأمناء وهي الأكاليل

## The Rewards at The Seat of Christ

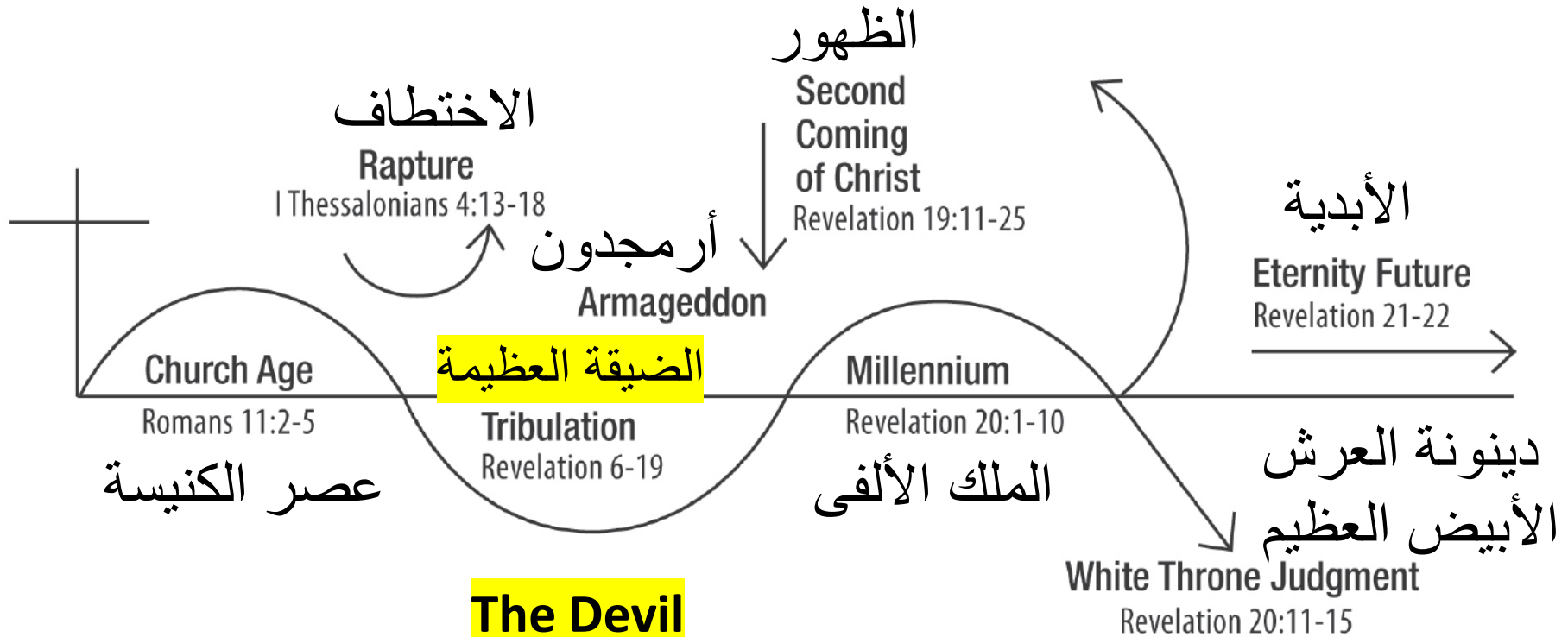
- **CROWN OF REJOICING for the soul winners** إكليل الإفتخار والفرح لرابحي النفوس. (1 تس 2:19)
- **CROWN OF GLORY (1Pet 5:2-4) for the shepherds of souls** إكليل المجد للرعاة الذين يرعون رعية الله (1 بط 4:5)
- **CROWN OF RIGHTEOUSNESS (2Tim 4:8) for those who love His appearance.** إكليل البر للذين يحبون ظهوره. (2 تي 4:8)
- **IMPERISHABLE (UNCORRUPTIBLE) CROWN. (1Cor 9:25-27) for whom who strive for the mastery is temperate in all things.** إكليل لا يفنى. (1 كو 9:25) وَكُلُّ مَنْ يُجَاهِدُ يَضْبِطُ نَفْسَهُ فِي كُلِّ شَيْءٍ
- **CROWN OF LIFE (James 1:12) for those who endure the test (persecution** إكليل الحياة للذي يحتمل التجربة. (يع 1:12)

# Second: Jesus Must Come Back to Judge the World

- **2 Th 1:7-9** “at the revealing of the Lord Jesus from Heaven with the angels of His power, in flaming fire taking vengeance on those who do not know God and who do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, who shall be punished with everlasting destruction from the presence of the Lord and from the glory of His power”.

• عِنْدَ اسْتِعْلَانِ الرَّبِّ يَسُوعَ مِنَ السَّمَاءِ مَعَ مَلَائِكَةِ قُوَّتِهِ، فِي نَارٍ لَهِيْبٍ، مُعْطِيًا نَقْمَةً لِلَّذِينَ لَا يَعْرِفُونَ اللَّهَ وَالَّذِينَ لَا يُطِيعُونَ أَنْجِيلَ رَبِّنَا يَسُوعَ الْمَسِيحِ، الَّذِينَ سَيُعَاقَبُونَ بِهَلَاكِ أَبَدِيٍّ مِنْ وَجْهِ الرَّبِّ وَمِنْ مَجْدِ قُوَّتِهِ

# The Great Tribulation



**The Devil**

**The Antichrist**

**The Beast**

**7 Years**

**The Great Tribulation**

# The Great Tribulation الضيقة العظيمة

تبدأ الضيقة العظيمة بعد اختطاف الكنيسة من العالم مباشرة، 1تس  
11:5-15:4

Starts after the Rapture (1Thes 4:15 – 5:11)

ستتسكب دينونات الله العادلة على العالم غير المؤمن (ارميا 7:30،  
دانيال 27:9، 1:12، 2تس 12:7، رؤيا 16).

The plagues during the tribulations (Seals, Trumpets,  
the Bowls, see Rev. 11-18)

Daniel's prophesy (Dan 9:24-27, Matt 24)

وتمثل الضيقة الاسبوع السبعين كما تنبأ دانيال في نبوته (دانيال 24:9-  
27، متى 23:24-31، 25:31-46).

# The Appearance of Jesus At the end of the 7 years of Tribulation

ظهور الرب (يوم الرب) نزوله على جبل الزيتون  
(الإستعلان)

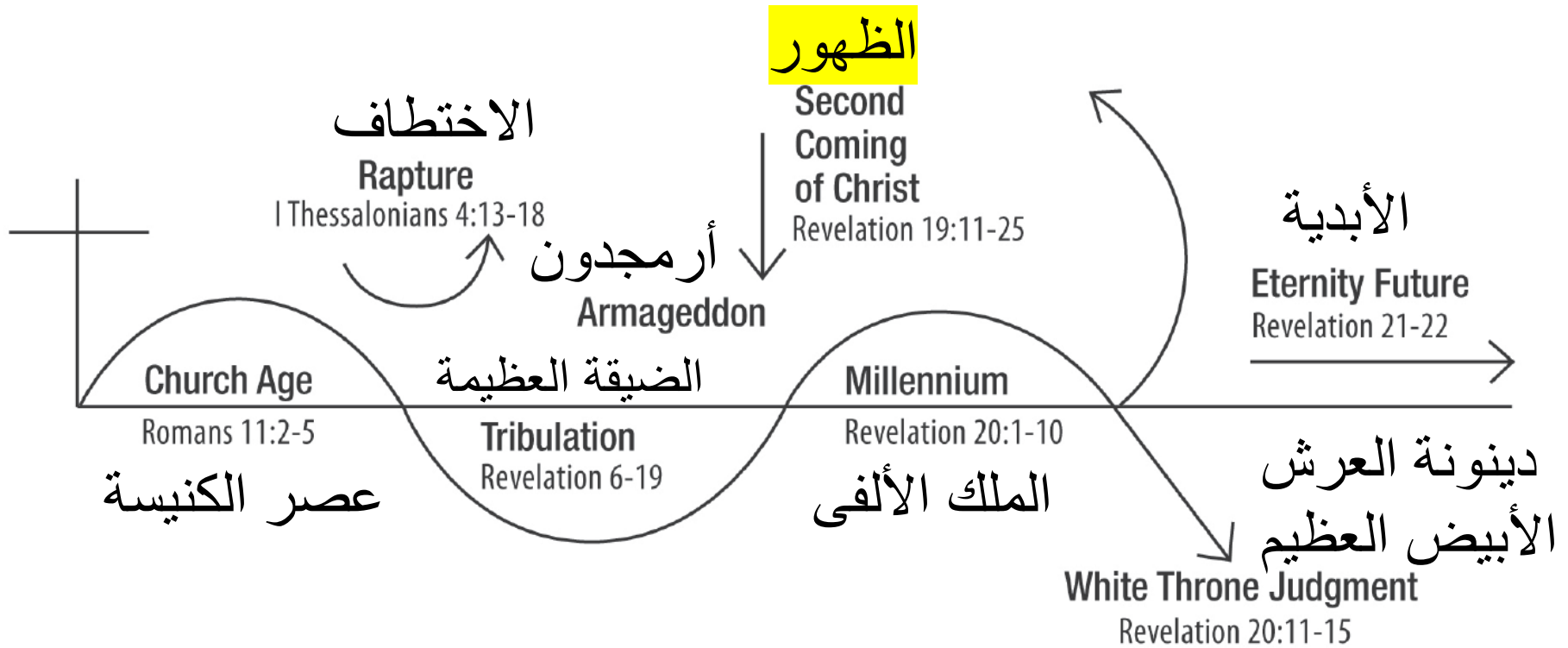
«وَمَتَى جَاءَ ابْنُ الْإِنْسَانِ فِي مَجْدِهِ وَجَمِيعُ الْمَلَائِكَةِ الْقُدِّيسِينَ مَعَهُ فَحِينئذٍ يَجْلِسُ عَلَى كُرْسِيِّ مَجْدِهِ.»  
Mat 25:31

Mat 25:31 But when the Son of Man comes in His glory, and all the holy angels with Him, then He shall sit on the throne of His glory.





# The Appearance of Christ



# Jesus Return To Earth (The Appearance)

- Jesus will come Personally
- Jesus will come Literally
- Jesus will come Visibly
- Jesus will come Suddenly
- Jesus will come Dramatically
- Jesus will come Gloriously
- Jesus will come Triumphantly



# God's Judgement on the Sinners of the Great Tribulation

- **Rev 19:21** And the rest were slain by the sword of Him who sat on the horse, it proceeding out of His mouth. And all the birds were filled from their flesh.
- وَالْبَاقُونَ قُتِلُوا بِسَيْفِ الْجَالِسِ عَلَى الْفَرَسِ الْخَارِجِ مِنْ فَمِهِ،  
وَجَمِيعُ الطُّيُورِ شَبِعَتْ مِنْ لُحُومِهِمْ.

# God's Judgment of the Beast and the Antichrist at the End of the Tribulation

- Rev 19:20 And the beast was taken, and with him the false prophet doing signs before it, (by which he deceived those who had received the mark of the beast), and those who had worshiped his image. The two were thrown alive into the Lake of Fire burning with brimstone.
- وفي نهاية الضيقة عند ظهور الرب يسوع سينهي حكم الوحش والنبي الكذاب ويقبض على الوحش والنبي الكذاب وي طرح الإثنان حيين إلى بحيرة النار المتقدة بالكبريت

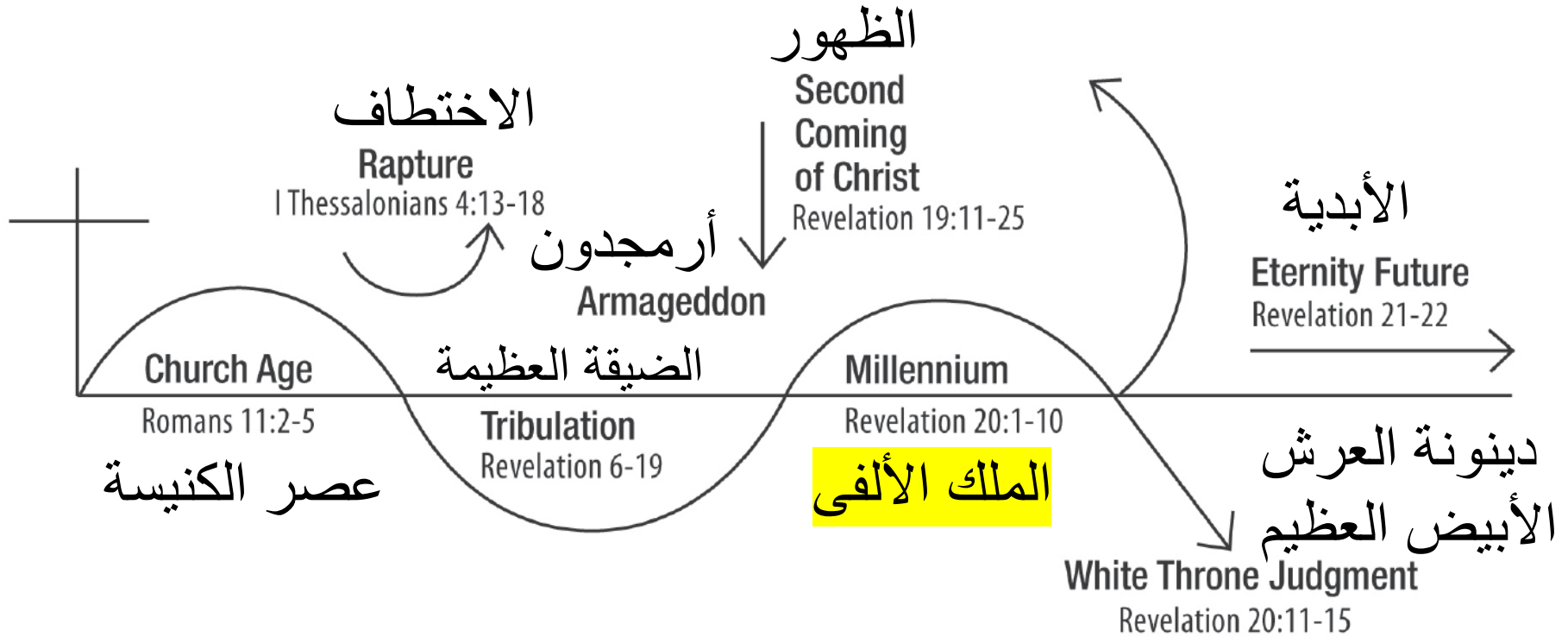
# God's Judgment of The Satan at the End of the Tribulation

- **Rev 20:1-3** “And I saw an angel come down from Heaven, having the key of the abyss and a great chain in his hand. And he laid hold on the dragon, that old serpent, who is the Devil and Satan, and bound him a thousand years. And he cast him into the abyss and shut him up and set a seal on him, that he should deceive the nations no more until the thousand years should be fulfilled. And after that he must be loosed a little time”
- وفي نفس الوقت يقبض على التنين الحية القديمة الذي هو إبليس والشيطان ويقيده لمدة ألف سنة وي طرح في الهاوية ويغلق عليه ويختتم عليه لكي لا يضل الأمم في ما بعد حتى تتم الألف سنة، وبعد ذلك لا بد أن يُحلّ زماناً يسيراً

# Third: Jesus Must Come Back to Rule the World

- Rev 11:15 And the seventh angel sounded. And there were great voices in Heaven, saying, “The kingdoms of this world have become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of His Christ. And He will reign forever and ever.”
- ثُمَّ بَوَّقَ الْمَلَائِكَةُ السَّابِعُ، فَحَدَّثَتْ أَصْوَاتٌ عَظِيمَةٌ فِي السَّمَاءِ قَائِلَةً: «قَدْ صَارَتْ مَمَالِكُ الْعَالَمِ لِرَبِّنَا وَمَسِيحِهِ، فَسَيَمْلِكُ إِلَى أَبَدِ الْأَبَدِينَ».

# The Millennium



# The Millennium Kingdom of Christ الملك الألفي

The raptured Christians who will come with the Lord in the second phase of the second coming “The Glorious Appearance” will reign with The Lord over Tribulation nations entering the Millennium and Israel.

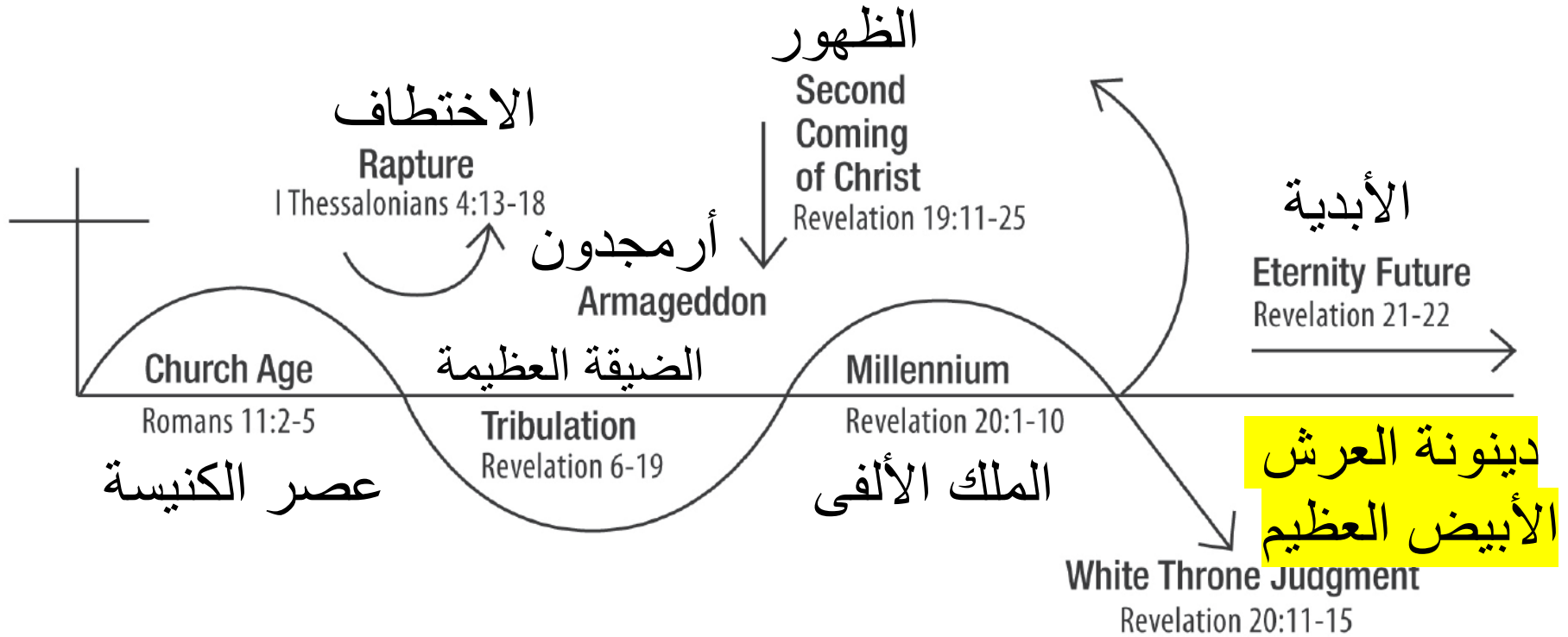
خلال هذا الوقت سيملك المؤمنون الذي اختطفوا والذين قاموا من السموات مع الرب على إسرائيل وعلى شعوب الأرض (حزقيال 37:21-28، دا 7:17-22، رؤيا 19:11-16).

Christ’s Millennium will be time of peace, prosperity, justice, righteousness, and long lives of the people who live on earth.

الملك الألفي للرب يسوع على الأرض سيكون مميزاً بالإنسجام والعدل والسلام والبر وطول الأعمار للناس العائشين فيه (اش 11، 56:17-25، حز 36:33-38).

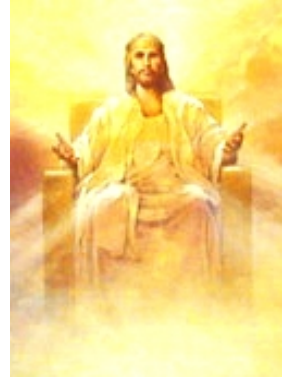


# The Great White Throne Judgement



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## دينونة الأشرار أمام العرش الأبيض العظيم



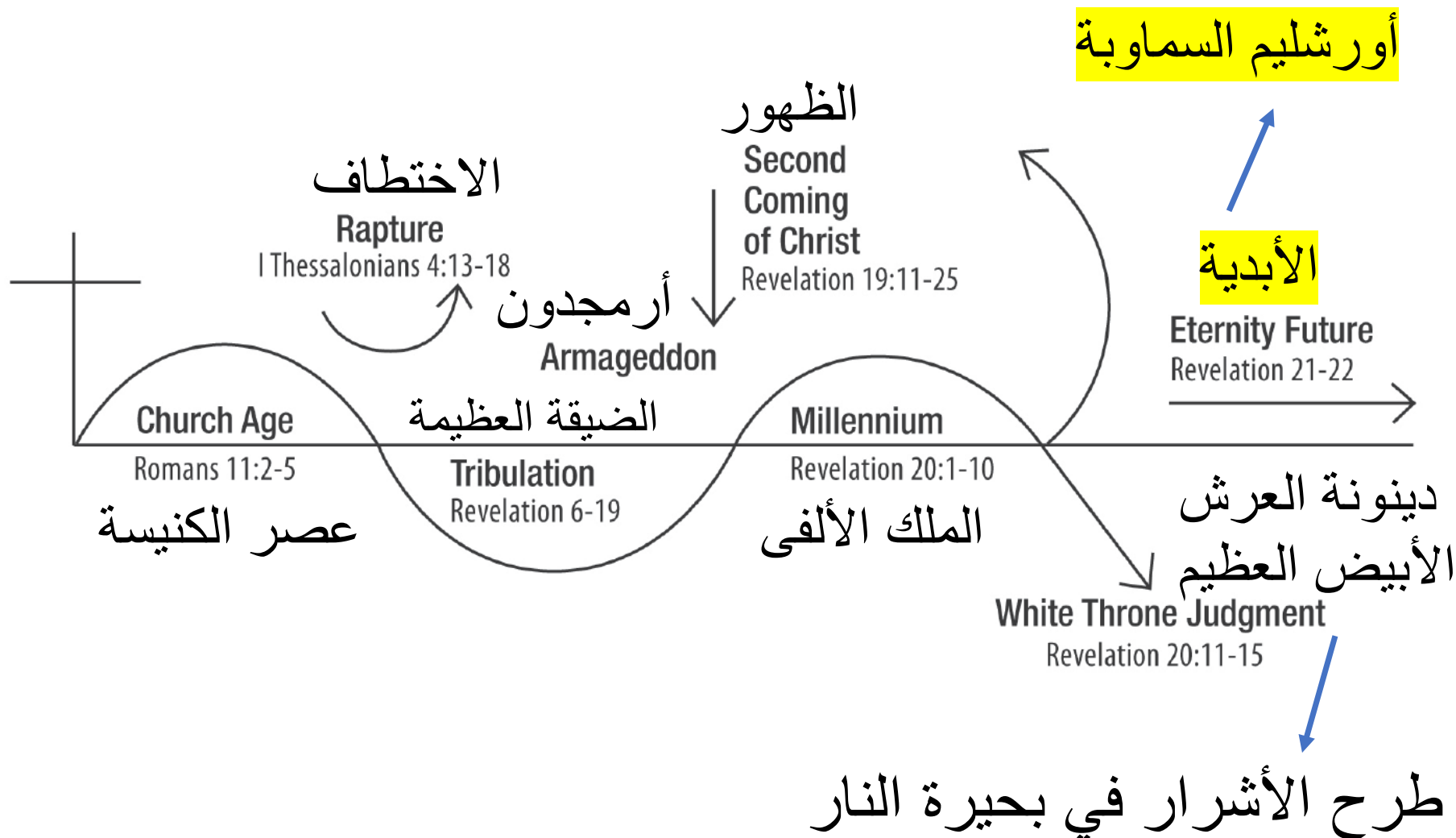
- **Rev 20:12** I also saw all the dead people standing in front of that throne. Every one of them was there, no matter who they had once been. Several books were opened, and then the book of life was opened. The dead were judged by what those books said they had done.
- وَرَأَيْتُ الْأَمْوَاتَ صَغَارًا وَكِبَارًا وَاقِفِينَ أَمَامَ اللَّهِ، وَانْفَتَحَتْ أَسْفَارٌ. وَانْفَتَحَ سِفْرٌ آخَرٌ هُوَ سِفْرُ الْحَيَاةِ، وَدِينَ الْأَمْوَاتُ مِمَّا هُوَ مَكْتُوبٌ فِي الْأَسْفَارِ بِحَسَبِ أَعْمَالِهِمْ.

# The Judgment of the Sinners in Hell

## دينونة الأشرار في جهنم

- **Rev 20:15** Anyone whose name wasn't written in the book of life was thrown into the lake of fire.
- وَكُلُّ مَنْ لَمْ يُوَجَدْ مَكْتُوبًا فِي سِفْرِ الْحَيَاةِ طُرِحَ فِي بُحَيْرَةِ النَّارِ.
- Mark 9:44 where their worm dies not, and the fire is not quenched.
- "حيث دودهم لا يموت ونارهم لا تطفأ"

# Eternity, The New Jerusalem



# The New Creation of Heaven and Earth

## سَمَاوَاتٍ جَدِيدَةٍ وَأَرْضًا جَدِيدَةً

- **Rev 21:1** And I saw a new heaven and a new earth. For the first heaven and the first earth had passed away. And the sea no longer is.
- ثُمَّ رَأَيْتُ سَمَاءً جَدِيدَةً وَأَرْضًا جَدِيدَةً، لِأَنَّ السَّمَاءَ الْأُولَى وَالْأَرْضَ الْأُولَى مَضَتَا، وَالْبَحْرُ لَا يُوجَدُ فِي مَا بَعْدُ.

# The New Jerusalem



Rev 21:3 And I heard a great voice out of Heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God *is* with men, and He will dwell with them, and they will be His people, and God Himself will be with them and be their God.

وَسَمِعْتُ صَوْتًا عَظِيمًا مِنَ السَّمَاءِ قَائِلًا: «هُوَذَا مَسْكَنُ اللَّهِ مَعَ  
النَّاسِ، وَهُوَ سَيَسْكُنُ مَعَهُمْ، وَهُمْ يَكُونُونَ لَهُ شَعْبًا. وَاللَّهُ نَفْسُهُ  
يَكُونُ مَعَهُمْ إِلَهًا لَهُمْ.»

# In Conclusion

- How to Grow in our Hope?

# Live in Hope

- 1Th 4:13 But I would not have you ignorant, brothers, concerning those who are asleep, that you be not grieved, even as others who have no hope.
- نُمْ لَا أُرِيدُ أَنْ تَجْهَلُوا أَيُّهَا الإِخْوَةُ مِنْ جِهَةِ الرَّاqِدِينَ، لِكِي لَا تَحْزَنُوا  
كَالْبَاقِينَ الَّذِينَ لَا رَجَاءَ لَهُمْ.



# Attend Church Regularly

- **Heb 10:25** not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is, but exhorting one another, and so much the more as you see the Day approaching.
- غَيْرَ تَارِكِينَ اجْتِمَاعَنَا كَمَا لِقَوْمٍ عَادَةً، بَلْ وَاعِظِينَ بَعْضُنَا بَعْضًا، وَبِالْأَكْثَرِ عَلَى قَدْرِ مَا تَرَوْنَ الْيَوْمَ يَقْرُبُ،

# Take Communion Regularly

- 1Co 11:26 For "as often as you eat this bread and drink this cup, you show" the Lord's death until He shall come.
- فَإِنَّكُمْ كُلَّمَا أَكَلْتُمْ هَذَا الْخُبْزَ وَشَرِبْتُمْ هَذِهِ الْكَاسَ تُخْبِرُونَ بِمَوْتِ الرَّبِّ إِلَى أَنْ يَجِيءَ.

# Be Spiritually Minded

- **Col 3:1** If then you were raised with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ is sitting at the right hand of God. Be mindful of things above, not on things on the earth. For you died, and your life has been hidden with Christ in God. When Christ our Life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with Him in glory.

• فَإِنْ كُنْتُمْ قَدْ قُمْتُمْ مَعَ الْمَسِيحِ فَاطْلُبُوا مَا فَوْقَ، حَيْثُ الْمَسِيحُ جَالِسٌ  
عَنْ يَمِينِ اللَّهِ. اهْتَمُّوا بِمَا فَوْقَ لَا بِمَا عَلَى الْأَرْضِ،

• لِأَنَّكُمْ قَدْ مِتُّمْ وَحَيَاتِكُمْ مُسْتَتِرَةٌ مَعَ الْمَسِيحِ فِي اللَّهِ.

• مَتَى اظْهَرَ الْمَسِيحُ حَيَاتِنَا، فَحِينَئِذٍ تَظْهَرُونَ أَنْتُمْ أَيْضاً مَعَهُ فِي  
الْمَجْدِ.

# Love One Another

- 1Th 3:12 And may the Lord make you to increase and abound in love toward one another and toward all, even as we also toward you,
- 1Th 3:13 in order to establish your hearts blameless in holiness before God, even our Father, at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ with all His saints.

• وَالرَّبُّ يُنْمِيكُمْ وَيَزِيدُكُمْ فِي الْمَحَبَّةِ بَعْضَكُمْ لِبَعْضٍ وَلِلْجَمِيعِ، كَمَا نَحْنُ أَيْضاً لَكُمْ،

• لَكِنِّي يُثَبِّتُ قُلُوبَكُمْ بِلاَ لَوْمٍ فِي الْقَدَاسَةِ، أَمَامَ اللَّهِ أَبِينَا فِي مَجِيءِ رَبِّنَا يَسُوعَ الْمَسِيحِ مَعَ جَمِيعِ قَدِّيسِيهِ.

# Remain Steadfast

- Jas 5:8 You also be patient, establish your hearts, for the coming of your Lord draws near.  
• فَتَأَنَّنُوا أَنْتُمْ وَتَثَبُّوا قُلُوبَكُمْ، لِأَنَّ مَجِيءَ الرَّبِّ قَدْ اقْتَرَبَ.

# Live Holy Lives

- 1Jn 3:3 And everyone who has this hope on him purifies himself, even as that One is pure.

• وَكُلُّ مَنْ عِنْدَهُ هَذَا الرَّجَاءُ بِهِ، يُطَهِّرُ نَفْسَهُ كَمَا هُوَ طَاهِرٌ.

# Reach the Lost

- Jud 1:20-23 “But pity some, making distinction. But save others with fear, snatching them out of the fire; hating even the garment having been stained from the flesh.

• . وَأَرْحَمُوا الْبَعْضَ مُمَيِّزِينَ وَخَلَّصُوا الْبَعْضَ بِالْخَوْفِ مُخْتَلِفِينَ  
مِنَ النَّارِ، مُبْغِضِينَ حَتَّى التَّوْبِ الْمُدْنَسِ مِنَ الْجَسَدِ.

# Effect of Knowing the Rapture on Us

تأثيرت انتظارنا لمجيئ المسيح الثانى

- Converting influence on seeking hearts

• «أَمِنُ بِالرَّبِّ يَسُوعَ الْمَسِيحِ فَتَخَلَّصَ أَنْتَ وَأَهْلُ بَيْتِكَ» . Act .  
16:31

- Caring influence on soul-winning hearts

• 2Co 5:20 إِذَا نَسَعَى كَسْفَرَاءَ عَنِ الْمَسِيحِ، كَأَنَّ اللَّهَ يَعِظُ بِنَا.  
نَطْلُبُ عَنِ الْمَسِيحِ: تَصَالِحُوا مَعَ اللَّهِ.

- Cleansing influence on sinning hearts

• 1Jn 3:3 وَكُلُّ مَنْ عِنْدَهُ هَذَا الرَّجَاءُ بِهِ، يُطَهَّرُ نَفْسَهُ كَمَا هُوَ  
طَاهِرٌ.



# Effect of Knowing the Rapture on Us

تأثيرت انتظارنا لمجيئ المسيح الثانى

- Calming influence on scared hearts

• **Joh 14:1** «لَا تَضْطَرِبْ قُلُوبُكُمْ. أَنْتُمْ تُوْمِنُونَ بِاللَّهِ فَأَمِنُوا

بِى.

- Comforting influence on sorrowing hearts

• 1Th 4:13 ثُمَّ لَا أُرِيدُ أَنْ تَجْهَلُوا أَيُّهَا الْإِخْوَةُ مِنْ حَيْثُ الرَّاqِدينَ، لِكى لَا تَحْزَنُوا كَالْباقينَ الذينَ لَا رَجَاءَ لَهُم

- Controlling influence on serving hearts (Luk

لِتَكُنْ أَحْقَاؤُكُمْ مَمْنُوقَةً وَسُرْجُكُمْ مُوقَدَةً (12:35)

موقفنا بينما ننتظر مجئ الرب

## Our Action in Waiting for Christ's Return

1. Occupy ( خذ مكانك واعمل )
  - استخدم مواهبك (Luke 19:11-27 the talents)
  - Work diligently and with honesty اعمل بجدية وامانة
  - Plan wisely كن حكيما فى الخدمة
  - Invest carefully استخدم مواردك بعناية
2. Purify (The pure Bride– Tit 2:11-13, 1John 3:1-3) نقى سلوكك وتكرس
3. Watch (Mark 13:31-37, 2Tim 4:7-8, Luke 12:35, 39, 40) اصح وسهر
4. Worship (1Cor. 11:23-40) أعبد الرب