

**The Second Coming**

**Of Jesus Christ!**

# Same Night He was Betrayed

Jesus final day on earth began after sunset at the beginning of the Passover.

John 13-17 Records the Passover Night

John 18-19 Records the Passover Day

*Now before the Feast of the Passover, when Jesus knew that His hour had come that He should depart from this world to the Father, having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end. Jn. 13:1*

# Where I Go You Can't

From the institution of the Lord's Supper, and throughout the night, Jesus spoke of "going away"

*Little children, I shall be with you a little while longer. You will seek Me; and as I said to the Jews, 'Where I am going, you cannot come,' so now I say to you. Jn. 13:33*

# Where Are You Going?

*Simon Peter said to Him, "Lord, where are You going? Jesus answered him, "Where I am going you cannot follow Me now, but you shall follow Me afterward." Jn 13:36*

*I go to prepare a place for you. 3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and receive you to Myself; that where I am, there you may be also. 4 And where I go you know, and the way you know." ... 19 "A little while longer and the world will see Me no more, but you will see Me. Because I live, you will live also." Jn. 14:19*

# After The Resurrection

*Now when He had spoken these things, while they watched, He was taken up, and a cloud received Him out of their sight. 10 And while they looked steadfastly toward heaven as He went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel, 11 who also said, "Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing up into heaven? This same Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will so come in like manner as you saw Him go into heaven."*

*Acts 1:9-11*

# The Second Time

*And as it is appointed for men to die once, but after this the judgment, 28 so Christ was offered once to bear the sins of many. To those who eagerly wait for Him He will appear a second time, apart from sin, for salvation. Heb 9:27-28*

For those who “eagerly wait for Him”

He will appear a second time

For Salvation

# What are “we” to Think?

- Comfort one another 1 Th 4:13-18
- Look Forward - Anticipation 2Pet 3:10-13
- Motivation– faithful service – Lk 12-35-38
- “ – Strangers/Pilgrims Heb 11:13-15
- Justice upon evildoers 2 Th 1:5-10
- Victory to the saints Rom 8:18-21
- CAN'T DO UNLESS WE KNOW FACTS!

# 1 Th 4:16-18

**A Shout** – *“a stimulating cry ...  
by which...a signal is given...”*

**Voice of an Archangel** – *...the  
sound of uttered words..*

**Command for the angels? Mt  
13:39,41; 16:27 || Th 1:7**

# 1 Th 4:16-18

**The Trumpet Ex 19:16,19**

*The dead in Christ rise first.*

*Jn 5:25; 28-29*

*1 Cor 15:52*

*Twinkling of an Eye? That glint  
when catching the sun. An Instant*

# Twinkling of an Eye

**Time ends**

**Eternity begins**

**Soul's return**

**Living bodies change**

**Death is swallowed in victory**

**Mortal puts on immortality**

# *Jesus Shall so Come Acts 1:9-11*

**Every eye will see him. Rev 1:7**

**Descend from heaven with a shout. 1Th 4:16-18**

**voice of the archangel,**

**trump of God:**

**The dead in Christ shall rise first;**

**We that are alive that are left, shall together  
with them be caught up in the clouds**

**meet the Lord in the air:**

**so shall we ever be with the Lord.**

# *A Mystery Revealed I Cor 15:51-53*

- All shall not sleep, but all shall be changed
- In the twinkling of an eye at the last trump: for the trumpet shall sound, the dead shall be raised.
- as in Adam all die, so also in Christ shall all be made alive.
- each in his own order: Christ the firstfruits;
- then they that are Christ's, at his coming.

# Death Swallowed in Victory

**1 Cor 15:53-54**

**we shall be like Him 1 Jn 3:2**

**transform body of our humble state to  
conform with body of His glory Phil 3:20-21**

**as we have borne the image of the man of  
dust, we shall also bear the image of the  
heavenly Man. 1 Cor 15:49**

# Death Swallowed in Victory

when Christ, who is our life, is revealed,  
then you also will be revealed with Him in  
glory. Col 3:4

when he shall come to be glorified in his  
saints, and to be marvelled at in all them  
that believed II Th 1:10

# As a Thief

**2 Pet 3:10-13**

**heavens will pass away with a roar**

**Elements destroyed with intense heat**

**earth and its works will be burned up**

**heavens being on fire shall be dissolved**

**the elements shall melt with fervent heat.**

**We look for a new heaven and a new earth**

# **As a Thief**

**2 Pet 3:10-13**

**looking for and earnestly desiring?**

**Are these passages like old friends?**

**Seeing that these things are thus all to be dissolved,**

**what manner of persons ought ye to be in holy living and godliness?**

