



WHAT'S NEXT?

Part II



"You continued looking until a stone was cut out without hands, and it struck the statue on its feet of iron and clay, and crushed them." Dan. 2:34

"...and his dominion will be taken away, annihilated and destroyed forever." Dan. 7:26

"...but he will be broken without human agency." Dan. 8:25

"...even until a complete destruction, one that is decreed, is poured out on the one who makes desolate." Dan. 9:27

1. A Great Servant will Take a Stand for Israel.

"See to it that you do not despise one of these little ones, for I say to you, that their angels in heaven continually behold the face of My Father who is in heaven." Matt. 18:10

- 2. A Horrific Distress is Coming.
- 3. A Timely Rescue will Take Place.

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4. A RESURRECTION IS GUARANTEED. Vs. 2

"And many of those who sleep in the dust of the ground will awake, these to everlasting life, but the others to disgrace and everlasting contempt."

vs. 2

*There is a bodily resurrection ahead for each of us.

"...it is appointed for men to die once and after this comes judgment." Heb. 9:27

*The resurrection of Jesus assures our bodily resurrection.

*There is a resurrection to Life eternal.

*The resurrection to Life is guaranteed by faith.

"He who believes in the Son has eternal life..." John 3:36

"Truly, truly, I say to you, he who hears My word, and believes Him who sent Me, has eternal life, and does not come into judgment, but has passed out of death into life." John 5:24

*For some there is a resurrection to misery.

Disgrace: An existence of shame, regret and anger.

Contempt: An existence which a person will despise.

*The resurrection to misery is also eternal.

"And I saw thrones, and they sat upon them, and judgment was given to them. And I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded because of the testimony of Jesus and because of the word of God, and those who had not worshiped the beast or his image, and had not received the mark upon their forehead and upon their hand; and they came to life and reigned with Christ for a thousand years. The rest of the dead did not come to life until the thousand years were completed. This is the first resurrection." **Rev. 20:4-5**

5. A <u>REWARD</u> WILL BE HERE SOON. Vs. 3

"And those who have insight will shine brightly like the brightness of the expanse of heaven, and those who lead the many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever." "Whatever you do, do your work heartily, as for the Lord rather than for men; knowing that from the Lord you will receive the reward of the inheritance. It is the Lord Christ whom you serve." Col. 3:23-24

"His Master said to him, 'Well done, good and faithful slave; you were faithful with a few things, I will put you in charge of many things, enter into the joy of your Master." Matt. 25:21

"Behold, I am coming quickly, and My reward is with Me, to render to every man according to what he has done." Rev. 22:12

"For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, that each one may be recompensed for his deeds in the body..." 2 Cor. 5:10

"Each man's work will become evident; for the day will declare it...if any man's work which he has built upon it remains, he shall receive a reward." 1 Cor. 3:13-14 "And those who have insight will shine brightly like the brightness of the expanse of heaven, and those who lead the many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever." vs. 3

"Those who have insight"

"Those who lead"

"...the people who know their God will display strength and take action. And those who have insight among the people will give understanding to many..." Dan. 11:32-33 "Thus says the Lord, 'Let not a wise man boast of his wisdom, and let not the mighty man boast of his might, let not a rich man boast of his riches; but let him who boasts boast of this, that he understands and knows Me, that I am the Lord who exercises lovingkindness, justice, and righteousness on earth; for I delight in these things,' declares the Lord." Jer. 9:23-24

Salvation is a gift, given apart from any effort on my part. Rewards are earned, given as a result of personal effort. Salvation is given due to the work and love of Jesus for me. Rewards are given for works resulting from my love for Jesus.

APPLICATION FOR ME:

"But as for you, Daniel, conceal these words and seal up the book until the end of time; many will go back and forth, and knowledge will increase." Dan. 12:4



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