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Finally! Heaven at Last!

Message #3

Series

HEAVEN: YOU WERE MADE FOR THIS

A Biblical Study of What Heaven is Really All About

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5 Then He who sat on the throne said, "Behold, I make all things new." And He said to me, "Write, for these words are true and faithful."

6 And He said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. I will give of the fountain of the water of life freely to him who thirsts. 7 He who overcomes shall inherit all things, and I will be his God and he shall be My son. 8 But the cowardly, unbelieving, abominable, murderers, sexually immoral, sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars shall have their part in the lake which burns with fire and brimstone, which is the second death." Revelation 21:1-8 NKJV

5 Phrases of “the Big Picture” of Heaven

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2. A CENTRAL _____ PLACE

3. GOD _____ HIS PEOPLE

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4 And God will wipe away every tear from their eyes; there shall be no more death, nor sorrow, nor crying. There shall be no more pain, for the former things have passed away.” (v.4)

4. COMPLETE _____

Genesis 3:16-19

The Four-Fold Result of Sin

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

3 He is despised and rejected by men,
 A Man of sorrows and acquainted with grief.
 And we hid, as it were, our faces from Him;
 He was despised, and we did not esteem Him.
 4 Surely He has borne our griefs
 And carried our sorrows;
 Yet we esteemed Him stricken,
Smitten by God, and afflicted.
 5 But He was wounded for our transgressions,
 He was bruised for our iniquities;
The chastisement for our peace was upon Him,
And by His stripes we are healed. Isaiah 53:3-5 NKJV

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ONE FINAL WARNING

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