

28 - THE NEW HEAVEN AND NEW EARTH (REVELATION 21:1-22:5)

I. The New Heaven and New Earth Created (Revelation 21:1)

A. The New Heaven and Earth (Revelation 21:1a)

- John sees a new heaven and a new earth.

B. The Old Heaven and Earth (Revelation 21:1b)

- The old heaven and old earth had passed away.

II. The New Jerusalem Described (Revelation 21:2-8)

A. John's Vision of the City (Revelation 21:2)

- John sees the emergence of the city as a bride for Christ.

B. The Loud Voice from Heaven (Revelation 21:3-4)

1. The Presence of God (Revelation 21:3)

- The voice announces that God Himself will dwell with the saints.

2. No More Sorrow and Pain (Revelation 21:4)

- There will no longer be any pain or sorrow.

C. The One Who Sat on the Throne (Revelation 21:5-8)

1. The Proclamation (Revelation 21:5)

- He proclaims that He will make all things new.

2. The Promise (Revelation 21:6-7)

- He proclaims the promise of Salvation to those who overcome.

3. The Judgment (Revelation 21:8)

- The wicked will experience eternal judgment.

III. The New Jerusalem as the Bride (Revelation 21:9-11)

A. The Angel Shows John the Bride (Revelation 21:9)

- An angel shows John the city as a Bride.

The Prophecy Series: The Book of Revelation

B. The Bride Described (Revelation 21:10-11)

- The city is spectacular as it descends from God.

IV. The New Jerusalem as the City (Revelation 21:12-27)

A. The Description of the City (Revelation 21:12-21)

- John sees a great spectacular city.

B. No Temple (Revelation 21:22)

- The new city has no temple because God dwells in their midst.

C. The Light of the City (Revelation 21:23)

- There is no need for light because the presence of God illuminates the city.

Scripture Isaiah 60:19-20 (ESV)

¹⁹ The sun shall be no more your light by day, nor for brightness shall the moon give you light; but the Lord will be your everlasting light, and your God will be your glory. ²⁰ Your sun shall no more go down, nor your moon withdraw itself; for the Lord will be your everlasting light, and your days of mourning shall be ended.

D. The Glory of the Nations (Revelation 21:24-26)

- The glory and tribute of the nations is brought to the city.

E. The Inhabitants (Revelation 21:27)

- The saved will inhabit the city.

V. The River of the Water of Life (Revelation 22:1-2a)

- John sees the river of life proceed from the throne of the Lamb.

VI. The Tree of Life (Revelation 22:2b)

- John sees the Tree of Life which brings healing.

VII. The Throne of God (Revelation 22:3-4)

- John sees the throne of God.
- The inhabitants will see the face of God.

VIII. The Saints' Reign with God (Revelation 22:5)

The Prophecy Series: The Book of Revelation

- The saints will rule with God forever and ever.