

Lesson 37 – Revelation 21:1-22:5
Our _____ Home

1. The New _____ and the New _____ (21:1):

- a. *Read* 2 Pet 3:10.
- b. We don't know much, but it will be _____ different from what we have now:
 - 1) _____ of the earth's surface is covered by water with approximately _____ of that being oceans and seas. These will _____ be _____ on the new earth.
 - 2) Based on 21:23, the _____ and the _____ may also be absent in the new heaven.

2. The New _____ (21:2-22:5):

- a. The _____ Surrounding Its Arrival:
 - 1) Did it exist during the Millennial Kingdom?
 - a) If so, why (i.e., what was its purpose)?
 - b) If so, is it the same or an upgraded and enhanced version?
 - 2) Who will reside in it?
 - a) Option 1: The saints of _____ ages.
 - b) Option 2: Based on the use of the word "bride" in verses 2 & 9, only the saints of the _____ age.
 - c) If Option 1 is correct, then what is the purpose of the new heaven and the new earth and how do we explain verse 21:24?
 - d) If Option 2 is correct, then how do we explain verses 21:12 & 14?
 - 1] Verse 12 serves to _____ this as the future home of the _____ saints.
 - 2] Verse 14 serves to _____ this as the future home of the _____ saints.
- b. The _____ of Its Arrival:
 - 1) A New _____ (21:3):
 - a) _____ = standing or _____, a place or _____ in which someone is assigned to stand or remain.
 - b) That which was _____ (i.e., John 1:14) now becomes _____!

2) A New _____ (21:4-6):

- a) _____ = state or _____ with respect to circumstances.
- b) “The word for “new” (Gr., kainos) means to be both new in _____ and new in the sense of _____ made. It connotes a _____ change” (Walvoord, pg. 316).

3) A New _____ (21:7):

- a) _____ = an _____ or _____ in an undertaking or enterprise.
- b) An _____ (see Eph 1:11 & 1 Pet 1:4) to “inherit _____ things”.

4) A New _____ (21:8):

- a) *Read* 1 Cor 6:9-11.
- b) There will be ____-versions of these, but not any _____ or _____ versions.

c. Its _____ Upon Arrival (21:9-22:5):

1) Its Dimensions:

- a) It could be in the shape of a _____, but most likely it is in the shape of a _____.
- b) Why does it have dimensions and what are the ramifications/implications of this revelation?

1] *Read* John 14:1-3.

2] What will determine the location and size of our home in this New Jerusalem?

a] *Read* John 4:36 – What wages and what are we to do with them?

b] *Read* 1 Cor 3:10-14 – What reward?

2) Its Gates and Its Wall (21:17-21):

- a) The gates represent _____ people (i.e. _____ believers) therefore they are made of _____ jewel.
- b) The foundations of the wall represent _____ peoples (i.e. _____ believers) therefore they are made of _____ jewels.

3) The Nine-fold Divine _____ of Its _____:

- a) “And there shall in no wise enter into it any thing that defileth” (21:27) – Perfect _____.
- b) “Pure water of life ... the tree of life ... and the leaves of the tree were for the healing (i.e., the _____) of the nations” (22:1-2) – Perfect _____.
- c) “And there shall be no more curse” (22:3) – Perfect _____.¹
- d) “But the throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it” (22:3) – Perfect _____.¹
- e) “And His servants shall serve him” (22:3) – Perfect _____.¹
- f) “And they shall see his face” (22:4) – Perfect _____.¹
- g) “And his name shall be in their foreheads” (22:4) – Perfect _____.¹
- h) “And there shall be no night there; and they need no candle, neither light of the sun; for the Lord giveth them light” (22:5) – Perfect _____.¹
- i) “And they shall reign for ever and ever” (22:5) – Perfect _____.¹

¹Walvoord, pg. 332, who is quoting Smith who was quoting a variation A.T. Pierson’s summary of the wonderful blessings contained in verses 3-5.