

HOPE SABBATH SCHOOL

The Sanctuary – Part 9

The Pre-Advent Judgment

Welcome to Hope Sabbath School--an in-depth interactive study of the Word of God. We are continuing a series of studies on The Sanctuary. Our topic today: The Pre-Advent Judgment

Scripture Theme Song: These are the ones – Rev. 7:14-17

Prayer

- 1) Daniel's vision of the judgment
 - a) Daniel 7:1-8 (parallel's Daniel's vision in Ch 2)
 - b) Daniel 7:9-14
 - i) Ancient of Days (Daniel 4:34)
 - ii) Son of Man (Matthew 16:27, 19:28, 24:30)
 - c) Books were opened
 - i) Book of life (Revelation 3:5, 13:8, Daniel 12:1; Revelation 20:12)
 - ii) Book of remembrance (Mal 3:16)
 - iii) God's book (Psalm 56:8) Same as #2?
 - iv) Which books are opened in the time of judgment?
 - v) Why are the books opened? Is it not clear to the Ancient of Days and to the Son of Man who the saints are? 2 Timothy 2:19

- vi) Who are the ten thousand times ten thousand who stand before the throne in this judgment scene? Rev 5:11
- 2) Judgment pattern
 - a) Genesis 3:8-19
 - b) Genesis 4:3-12
 - c) Deut 13:12-15 "inquire, search out, ask diligently"
 - d) Why does God carefully investigate when nothing is hidden from His sight? Doesn't He already know all things?
- 3) The Time of the Judgment
 - a) Daniel 7:7-10, 21,22,25,26
 - b) When does this time of judgment occur?
 - i) While the little horn power still has some dominion on the earth.
 - ii) Before the everlasting kingdom is established.
- 4) When the Judgment ends
 - a) Daniel 7:13-14 – Son of Man receives the kingdom
 - b) Daniel 7:22 – verdict in favor of the saints
 - c) Daniel 7:25-26 – enemies of God's kingdom judged
 - d) Daniel 7:27 – kingdom given to the saints
- 5) Assurance in the time of the Judgment
 - a) Psalm 96:11-13
 - b) John 5:24
 - c) What causes the saints to rejoice as they consider God's final judgment?
 - d) What counsel would you give to a friend who is fearful about the final judgment?
 - e) Why is the pre-advent judgment Good News for you?