

# **Revelation**

# **Jesus**

# **Returns**

**6-10-18**

Revelation 19:1–2 (ESV)

After this I heard what seemed to be the loud voice of a **great multitude** in heaven, crying out,

**“Hallelujah!**

Salvation and glory and power belong to our God,

<sup>2</sup> for his judgments are true and just;

for **he has judged the great prostitute**

**who corrupted the earth with her immorality,**  
and has avenged on her the blood of his servants.”

**(O/H) Hallelujah! God has judged the Great prostitute; The counterfeit of the world system! Worshipping anything other than God is classified as immorality.**

Revelation 19:3–8 (ESV)

<sup>3</sup> Once more they cried out,

**“Hallelujah!**

The smoke from her goes up forever and ever.”

<sup>4</sup> And the **twenty-four elders** and the **four living creatures** fell down and worshiped God who was seated on the throne, saying, **“Amen. Hallelujah!”** <sup>5</sup> And from **the throne** came a voice saying,

“Praise our God,  
all you his servants,  
you who fear him,  
small and great.”

<sup>6</sup> Then I heard what seemed to be the voice of a **great multitude**, like the roar of many waters and like the sound of mighty peals of thunder, crying out,

**“Hallelujah!**

For the Lord our God  
the Almighty reigns.

<sup>7</sup> Let us rejoice and exult  
and give him the glory,  
for **the marriage of the Lamb has come,**  
and **his Bride has made herself ready;**

<sup>8</sup> it was granted her to clothe herself  
with fine linen, bright and pure” —

for **the fine linen is the righteous deeds of the saints.**

**(O/H) Hallelujah! Along with the prostitute being judged, the marriage of the Lamb has come, and HIS Bride, the Church, has made herself ready!**

**THE PROSTITUTE VERSE THE BRIDE OF CHRIST!**  
**The immoral marriage partner the Prostitute has been judged! Now the pure marriage partner the Bride has made herself ready.**

**Heaven’s rejoicing has signaled the defeat of all the enemies of God. The time engagement has ended. Now it is the time for the church, prepared by loyalty, and suffering to enter into her full experience of salvation and glory with her beloved spouse, Christ.**

Revelation 19:9–10 (ESV)

<sup>9</sup> And the angel said to me, **“Write this: Blessed are those who are invited to the marriage supper of the Lamb.”** And he said to me, **“These are the true words of God.”** <sup>10</sup> Then I fell down at his feet to worship him, but he said to me, “You must not do that! I am a fellow servant with you and your brothers who hold to the testimony of Jesus. Worship God.” **For the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy.**

**The celebration of the Marriage Supper of the Lamb doesn't just close Revelation and the Great Tribulation. This Marriage Supper closes all of world history!**

**The words spoken by the Christian prophets come from the Spirit of God, who is the Spirit of the risen Jesus; for the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy.**

**At Jesus' First Coming, HE fulfilled HIS purpose by redeeming mankind with HIS victory at the cross! Now Jesus at HIS Second coming will fulfill HIS purpose of eradicating evil and restoring the earth. Jesus returns as the Warrior Messiah!**

**Before we look at Jesus' Second Coming, let us review Pre-Tribulation doctrine, which declares that the present day believers are caught up to heaven before the Great Tribulation and the Second Coming of Christ.**

1 Thessalonians 4:16–18 (ESV) O/H

<sup>16</sup> For the Lord himself will descend from heaven with a cry of command, with the voice of an archangel, and with the sound of the trumpet of God. And **the dead in Christ will rise first.** <sup>17</sup> Then we who are alive, who are left, will be “caught up” together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and so we will always be with the Lord. <sup>18</sup> Therefore encourage one another with these words.

1 Corinthians 15:51–52 (ESV) O/H

<sup>51</sup> Behold! I tell you a mystery. We shall not all sleep (die), but we shall all be changed, <sup>52</sup> in a moment, in the “twinkling” of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and **the dead will be raised imperishable, and we shall be changed.**

**As we have seen in Revelation the details of Christ’s return are clearly laid out. However the catching up of believes is not clearly laid out. No one knows the time and it is a surprise like a thief in the night.**

1 Thessalonians 5:2–4 (ESV)

<sup>2</sup> For you yourselves are fully aware that **the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night.** <sup>3</sup> While people are saying, “There is peace and security,” then sudden destruction will come upon them as labor pains come upon a pregnant woman, and they will not escape. <sup>4</sup> But you are not in darkness, brothers, for that day to **surprise you like a thief.**

**Now Jesus Returns, the WARRIOR MESSIAH, riding on a white horse returning TO ERADICATE EVIL AND RESTORE THE EARTH!**



Revelation 19:11–16 (ESV)

<sup>11</sup> Then I saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse! The one sitting on it is called Faithful and True, and in righteousness he judges and makes war. <sup>12</sup> His eyes are like a flame of fire, and on his head are many diadems, and he has a name written that no one knows but himself. <sup>13</sup> He is clothed in a robe dipped in blood, and the name by which he is called is The Word of God. <sup>14</sup> And the armies of heaven, arrayed in fine linen, white and pure, were following him on white horses.

<sup>15</sup> From his mouth comes a sharp sword with which to strike down the nations, and he will rule them with a rod of iron. He will tread the winepress of the fury of the wrath of God the Almighty. <sup>16</sup> On his robe and on his thigh he has a name written, King of kings and Lord of lords.

**In verse 14, like their leader this army with Jesus is riding white horses to victory. Their clothing is identical to the Brides in verse 8. These are the victorious resurrected and raptured saints. Rev.17:14 also indicates this!**

Revelation 17:14 (ESV)

They will make war on the Lamb, and the Lamb will conquer them, for he is Lord of lords and King of kings, **and those with him are called and chosen and faithful.**

**Jesus' return and this judgment seem to be at the time of the battle of Armageddon in Rev.16:16.**

Revelation 19:17–18 (ESV)

<sup>17</sup> Then I saw an angel standing in the sun, and with a loud voice he called to all the birds that fly directly overhead, **"Come, gather for the great supper of God,**  
<sup>18</sup> **to eat the flesh of kings, the flesh of captains, the flesh of mighty men, the flesh of horses and their riders, and the flesh of all men, both free and slave, both small and great."**

**Jesus hates Evil and it will be eradicated!**

**Jesus Himself will cast the antichrist and the false prophet into the Lake of Fire where they will remain for all eternity!**

Revelation 19:19-20 (ESV)

<sup>19</sup> And I saw **the beast** and **the kings** of the earth with their armies gathered to make war against him who was sitting on the horse and against his army.

<sup>20</sup> And **the beast** was captured, and with it **the false prophet** who in its presence had done the signs by which he deceived those who had received the mark of the beast and those who worshiped its image. **These two were thrown alive into the lake of fire that burns with sulfur.**

**This also is a clear teaching on the reality of Hell as the Lake of Fire where all who have not accepted Jesus will be doomed! This time of Judgment is clearly predicted in the NT.**

2 Thessalonians 2:7–10 (ESV)

<sup>7</sup> For the mystery of lawlessness is already at work. Only he who now restrains it will do so until he is out of the way. <sup>8</sup> And then the lawless one will be revealed, whom the Lord Jesus will kill with the breath of his mouth and bring to nothing by the appearance of his coming. <sup>9</sup> The coming of the lawless one is by the activity of Satan with all power and false signs and wonders, <sup>10</sup> and with all wicked deception for those who are perishing, because they refused to love the truth and so be saved.



## **The OT predicts the antichrist's death!**

Daniel 7:11 (ESV)

And as I looked, the beast was killed, and its body destroyed and given over to be burned with fire.

## **When Jesus returns as Warrior Messiah HE completes HIS purpose of eradicating evil.**

Revelation 19:21 (ESV)

<sup>21</sup> And the rest were slain by the sword that came from the mouth of him who was sitting on the horse, and all the birds were gorged with their flesh.

**TRUTH! Jesus will return to Judge the earth!**  
**HOWEVER WE HAVE GOOD NEWS! Those who trust in Jesus will not be thrown into the Lake of Fire, but will spend eternity with Jesus in HIS glorious Heaven! Therefore:**

Revelation 22:17 (ESV) O/H

The Spirit and the Bride say, "Come." And let the one who hears say, "Come."

**Prophetic Team**

***Hear from the Holy Spirit to change the current situation or impact the future***