

The Final Reckoning Discussion Questions

Revelation 20:6-15

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1. Read Revelation 20:4-6. Who have you thought of ruling with Christ during the 1000-year reign of Christ? Will all believers reign or just those from the Tribulation? Explain your answer.
2. Who all is involved in the “first resurrection?” Who is involved in the second resurrection? What is the difference between the two?
3. Why are those in the first resurrection “blessed and holy?”
4. How are believers’ participants in Christ’s victory?
5. What was the job of the priests in the Old Testament? What job will believers have in the 1000-year reign of Christ a “priests of God and Christ?”
6. Read the seven “blessed” statements in Revelation 1:3, 14:13, 16:15, 19:9, 20:6, 22:7, 22:14. If we want to be blessed according to these verses what things do we need to do?
7. After experiencing Christ as ruler for 1000 years, why will people rebel and refuse to believe and follow God? Do you have trouble accepting that people will hate God and disbelieve Him after experiencing His rule? Why or why not? Do you have trouble envisioning the number of people who will rebel? Why or why not?
8. Read Matthew 25:41. Who was the lake of fire created for? Will they be the only ones in the lake of fire? Why or why not? If not, who else will be in the lake of fire and why?
9. Read Revelation 4:2-6 & 20:11. Are the thrones in these two passages the same throne? Why or why not? If you apply the description of Revelation 4 to the Great White Throne, and the fact that the earth and sky fled from His presence, how would an unsaved person feel like standing before the throne for judgment?
10. What will the judgment look like for the unbeliever? What will their deeds on earth do for them? What will their punishment be?
11. Read 1 Corinthians 3:10-15. What will the judgment look like for believers? What will their deeds on earth do for them?
12. What is the purpose of these rewards? What will we do with them? How many rewards do you want to have in Heaven? Why? Are you doing the right things with the right motives to receive them?
13. Are you absolutely, positively sure that you will go to Heaven? Why or why not? What do we have to do to go to Heaven?