

How Knowing The End Impacts Your Daily Life

The Grand Story of God

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INTRODUCTION

Main Idea: Knowing how God's story ends enables you to overcome everything you face!

I. Realize Christ Is Coming Back

"Look, he is coming with the clouds," and "every eye will see him, even those who pierced him"; and all peoples on earth "will mourn because of him." So shall it be! Amen. Revelation 1:7

"Look, I am coming soon! My reward is with me, and I will give to each person according to what they have done.

Revelation 22:12

"Men of Galilee," they said, "why do you stand here looking into the sky? This same Jesus, who has been taken from you into heaven, will come back in the same way you have seen him go into heaven." Acts 1:11

See Also 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

II. Realize God Will Judge Evil And Reward Faithfulness

For he has set a day when he will judge the world with justice by the man he has appointed. Acts 17:31

For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each of us may receive what is due us for the things done while in the body, whether good or bad. 2 Corinthians 5:10

Unbelievers are punished

Revelation 20:11-15

Believers are rewarded

Revelation 21:1-4

III. Realize Your Choice Effects Your Eternity

"Therefore keep watch, because you do not know on what day your Lord will come. ⁴³ But understand this: If the owner of the house had known at what time of night the thief was coming, he would have kept watch and would not have let his house be broken into. ⁴⁴ So you also must be ready, because the Son of Man will come at an hour when you do not expect him.

Matthew 24:42-44

See also Matthew 24-25, 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11