

KNOW WHAT YOU BELIEVE - PAUL E. LITTLE

CHAPTER 10: THINGS TO COME

Theme: When Jesus comes again, believers will be judged and then enjoy eternity with God in heaven. Unbelievers will also be judged and then spend eternity in hell.

1. Explain this sentence: "Both Old and New Testaments contend that history is moving to a climax and the sovereign God is in control."

1. How is the fact that Christ is coming again an incentive for holy living? In what ways has this fact affected your daily life?

2. How would you explain the tribulation and the Rapture?

3. Define and explain the following terms: Pretribulation Midtribulation Post-tribulation

4. What is the difference between premillennialism, amillennialism and postmillennialism?

5. What happens to believers' bodies when they are resurrected?

6. What happens to dead believers before they are resurrected? What happens to dead unbelievers before they are resurrected?

7. How would you explain this sad fact: "There is no biblical evidence for believing in the final restoration of the lost or in the universal salvation of all men"? How can this reality encourage you to witness to unbelievers?

8. Describe heaven and what will happen to believers there. Also describe hell and what will happen to unbelievers there.

9. If Jesus came back today, do you know for certain that you would be with him in heaven? If you are not certain, what would you need to do to become certain? Do you have a friend or family member who needs to hear about God's gift of salvation and promise of eternity in heaven? Ask the Lord to help you share the good news with this person.

Heaven will be the perfection for which we have always longed.