

The GLORY Of Our Lord's 2nd Coming

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It would serve us well to keep GOD's big picture in mind. What follows helps provide blessing toward the worthy goal of living in His victory during these most troublesome times.

The challenges of contemporary end-time *tribulation from the world* bring on a heaviness IF we let them. "But God!"

If we ponder the realities of the full Counsel of the Word of God, we put our tribulations in proper perspective. As we consider the glories of Jesus Christ's return, Romans 8:18 sure contributes to the bringing of comfort and a helpful mindset. Stop now, read this awesome, most encouraging passage before continuing to read on.

As we venture even closer to the beginning of the *War Against The Saints*, may we never lose sight of this: **[Enduring resolve is critical](#)**. In this commitment to *endure to the end*, keep Isaiah 5:18-23 in mind – God's protective, discerning-of-culture Counsel is sincerely awesome!

While there are many ways to foster encouragement tied to the reality of the big end-time picture, let's *shift gears* and review one additional dynamic of the puzzle – the piece of the puzzle being the present, end-time tribulation against God's people in Christ Jesus.

Consider the following irony ...

Our persecutors are actually contributing to the make up of our eternal state in that we will be rewarded for our sufferings (which they bring on). While they seek to do us harm, they, in fact, are actually instruments which allow us, in our glorified, rewarded state, a *better* resurrection. In our rewarded state, we will use our rewards NOT for personal exaltation or pride (a *look what I did* kind of attitude) BUT toward the end of further glorifying our God Most High. God's exaltation is our goal and to honor Him in this way includes our contributions in our eternal state. Yes indeed, let's look at the big picture concerning this huge blessing ... praising Him *f o r e v e r* in a heightened state due to our enemies' persecution of us. What irony indeed.

Let's live GOD's transcendent perspective – Is. 55:8-11 – not a carnal, worldly one!

When we address *the big picture*, we are calling for a reality check given so many perspectives are SO short-sighted these days when the temporal tyrannies of the immediate stuff are the focus. We need to include within the dynamic of our perspective, God's big picture reality lest we chose dangerous life options due to failing to live under the reality that it is God and His eternal things that matter most. The *tyrannies* of present urgencies are nothing when one puts them in the context of **life everlasting**.

So where does this leave us, application wise?

We MUST make wise decisions, not knee-jerk reactionary ones. We must understand the holistic dangers of compromise, for this HUGE aspect of living during the *end of days* bears eternal consequence in so many ways.

As we contemplate our Lord's glorious 2nd Coming – including, 1. His initial appearing, later, 2. our rapture gathering AND eventually, 3. His Second Advent to the earth – may we find helpful incentives toward living out what God has clearly outlined for His end-time people in Jesus Christ. *Heavenly Father, may our living sacrifices be glory to Your holy name, oh God Most High.*

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