



Come, Lord Jesus! Revelation 22

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Review: Revelation 1-21

Big Idea: The conclusion of this prophecy should be the beginning of a life-long desire to see Jesus return. Until then, you can overcome, because he's already won!

Revelation 22 ESV

6 And he said to me, "These words are trustworthy and true. And the Lord, the God of the spirits of the prophets, has sent his angel to show his servants what must soon take place." 7 "And behold, I am coming soon. Blessed is the one who keeps the words of the prophecy of this book." 8 I, John, am the one who heard and saw these things.

12 "Behold, I am coming soon, bringing my recompense with me, to repay everyone for what he has done. 13 I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end."

20 He who testifies to these things says, "Surely I am coming soon." Amen. Come, Lord Jesus!

You can count on Revelation to come true. (6) 2 Peter 1:21

You can count on the return of Jesus. (7) 2 Peter 3:8-9

You can count on no time to repent when Jesus comes. (11)

Application:

- Call out to Jesus.
- Keep his revelation.
- Share it with your world!

Are you ready?

The more you live for heaven, the less you will live for earth.

Conclusion: verse 20 "Amen. Come, Lord Jesus."

LifeGroup Study Guide

Come Lord Jesus Revelation 22:7-21

Promise What is the greatest promise that someone on earth made to you? How did that promise make you feel?

What promise did Jesus give **22:6, 12, 20** ? Compare to John 14:1-6; Acts 1:11; 2 Pet 3:3-9. What does soon mean, in light of the fact that John was writing Revelation in the first century?

Read 2 Timothy 4:8 and 1 Peter 1:8. What do Paul and Peter say about Jesus' return and love? How can we cultivate this love?

Blessing 22:7, 14 Review the seven blessings (beatitudes) of Revelation (1:3; 14:3; 16:15; 19:9; 20:6; 22:7; 22:14)
What two blessings are given in this chapter, what do they mean, and how can we realize them?

Worship 22: 8-9 What commandment does the angel give John to do until Jesus comes?

Sealed 22:10-11 What does the angel say not to seal? Why? What does he say is sealed? Why? Compare Daniel 12:9-10

Name 22:12-16 Look again at the Name of Jesus as He describes Himself. What do these names mean in light of His promise to come again?

I Am

Alpha & Omega; First and Last

Jesus

Root and Offspring of David

Bright and Morning Star

Invitation 22:17-21 What is the invitation extended by the Spirit and the Bride of Christ? How does this compare to Jesus' invitation to Come Follow me?

Ready or not?

How are you demonstrating your hope in His coming?

What invitation(s) are you extending to those without hope?