

“The Seven Great Judgments of God”

Lesson #43

1. God has, does, and will _____ but He will judge with _____ and _____. Psalm 9:8
2. God has made _____ the righteous _____. John 5:22 & 23.
3. There are many judgments in Scripture, some are _____, some are _____, and many are _____.

* **Special Notation:** Since God is just and holy, His judgments are a manifestation of perfect justice. If there is no judgment upon men and nations for sins, then what God has said in His Word is false. God is a God of love -- but He is also a God of judgment. All judgments are tempered with mercy. All of his judgments are just. A day of judgment will come to those who reject His plan of redemption through His Son. To those who have accepted Christ, His judgment for sin has redeemed you. To those who have not accepted Christ, the judgments of God are yet future and will vindicate God’s justice.

4. The first great judgment we will look at is the _____ by Christ on the cross. John 3:16-18
5. This judgment of sin was for _____. John 5:24; Rom. 8:1-3; II Cor. 5:21
6. Christ’s judgment on sin was _____. Heb. 10:10, 14 & 17; Ps. 103:12
7. The second great judgment is for _____ and it is known as the _____ or the _____. II Cor. 5:10; Rom. 14:10
8. This judgment _____ determine our salvation but rather our _____. I Cor. 3:11-15
9. The Bema seat will take place after the _____ of the church and before the _____ reign of Christ. I Thess. 4:17
10. The Bible speaks of _____ of reward which will be given at this point in time:
 - A. The _____ or martyr’s crown. Rev. 2:10 and James 1:12
 - B. The _____ or the _____ crown. I Pet. 5:1-4
 - C. The _____ or the _____ crown. I Thess. 2:19 and 20

D. The _____ for those who _____ the coming of Christ. II Tim. 4:8

E. The _____ crown which comes for _____.
I Cor. 9:25-27

11. The third judgment spoken of in Scripture is _____. I Cor. 11:28-32

12. Self judgment avoids being _____ by God and it comes when we _____ our sins. I John 1:8 and 9

* To review: The three judgments of believers are: Christ's judgment of sin in the _____; personal, self-judgment in the _____; and the judgments for rewards at the Bema seat in the _____.

13. The fourth judgment found in Scripture is the coming judgment of _____, the Jewish people, which was prophesied in Ezekiel 20:34-37 and in Jeremiah in Jer. 30:7 and also in Rev. 4-19.

14. The judgment of Israel will result in their _____ as the _____ they had been looking for but missed. Zech. 12:10; Romans 11:25-27

15. God's fifth judgment will be the judgment of the _____ which will take place after the _____ (not the rapture) of Christ found in Matthew 25:31-33 and 40.

A. What is the reason for this judgment? The _____ of the Jews during the _____ period.

B. The sheep are _____ saved _____ the tribulation.

C. The _____ are the Gentiles who did not get saved during the tribulation period and who _____ or _____ the Jews during this time period.

16. God's sixth judgment (these have not been given in a chronological order), will be the judgment of the _____ which will correspond with the judgment of _____. Rev. 20:2-10; Jude 6; II Peter 2:4; Matt. 25:41

17. Christians will be _____ in that judgment. I Cor. 6:3

18. The final judgment the Bible speaks of is the _____ judgment. This judgment is for the _____ and for those who died _____ as Lord and Savior. Rev. 20:11 & 12

19. This judgment takes place _____ after the first resurrection. Rev. 20:4 & 5

20. This judgment is _____ on their _____. Rev. 20:12 & 13

21. There are two witnesses against them:

A. _____

B. _____

22. The _____ are books of _____ and the Book is the _____
_____. Rev. 20:12

23. The _____ in Rev. 20:14 is _____ death in the
_____ and eternal _____ from God.

Conclusion

The main thrusts of this study have been the great joys and blessings of the Christian life as compared to the doom of eternal damnation because one dies in unbelief. If this lesson has taught you the “rewards” of the Christian life; that you can judge yourself and confess and be forgiven; that Jesus died for you *regardless* of your past sins -- then, this lesson will have accomplished its purpose.

The God of judgment is the same God who gave His Son to save you. We do not have the right nor the authority to question His Word. Accept His judgments and you will accept His Son. When you accept His Son, you will accept your “gift” to serve where He places you (I Cor. 4:5 -- read now).