The City of God, Part II

Revelation 21:22-22:5

I. It will be a place of God’s perfect presence. (v. 22-26)

“no temple” (Revelation 3:12; 7:15; 11:1-2, 19; 14:15, 17; 15:5-8; 16:1, 17; 21:22; Ezekiel 47:7-14; Acts 7:47-50; 17:23-25 Isaiah 66:1-2; John 4:23-24)

“sun…moon…light…glory of God…Lamb” (Genesis 1:3, 14; 1 John 1:5; 3:2; Revelation 21:1; 1 Timothy 6:16; Isaiah 24:23; 60:19-22; John 8:12)

“nations of them which are saved” (Acts 2:4-11; Genesis 12:2-3; Galatians 3:8)

"the kings of the earth do bring their glory and honour into it.” (1 Peter 2:9; Revelation 1:5; 5:9-10)

“gates of it shall not be shut” (Isaiah 60:11, 18; Revelation 14:13; Hebrews 4:3-11;

“And they shall bring the glory and honour of the nations into it.” (Revelation 4:9-11; 5:12-13; Jeremiah 9:23-24)

II. It will be a place of God’s perfect purity. (v. 27-1)

“defileth” (Matthew 15:18-20)

“abomination” (Matthew 24:15; Luke 16:15; Revelation 17:4-5; 22:15; John 8:44; Ephesians 4:25)

“Lamb’s book of life” (Revelation 1:5; 3:5; 13:8; 20:12, 15; Ephesians 2:1, 12-13; 1 Corinthians 6:9-11)

“pure river…clear as crystal” (Revelation 4:6; Genesis 2:10-14)

“water of life” (John 4:13-14; 7:37-38; Psalm 46:4; Isaiah 12:3)

III. It will be a place of God’s perfect provision. (v. 2-5)

“tree of life” (Genesis 2:9; 3:22-24; Proverbs 3:18; 11:30; 13:12; 15:4; Revelation 2:7)

“leaves…healing of the nations” (Ezekiel 47:12; Revelation 21:4; 22:3; Matthew 24:45; Luke 9:2; 12:42; 20:35-36; 24:42-43; Genesis 18:1-8; Acts 10:41)

“no more curse” (Isaiah 65:20, 25; Romans 8:20-22; Genesis 3:14, 17; Revelation 21:4)

“but the throne of God and of the Lamb shall be in it; and his servants shall serve him:” (Genesis 2:15; Revelation 21:3; 7:15-17; Luke 12:35-40; Luke 16:10-11; Matthew 25:21, 23)

“And they shall see his face” (Psalm 4:6; 11:7; 13:1; 17:15; 27:9; 30:7; Exodus 33:20; John 1:18; 1 Timothy 6:16; Matthew 5:8; Job 19:25-27; Numbers 6:24-26)

“and his name shall be in their foreheads.” (Exodus 28:36-38; Revelation 3:12; 14:1)

**“**And there shall be no night there; and they need no candle, neither light of the sun; for the Lord God giveth them light:” (Psalm 27:1; 36:9; John 8:12)

“and they shall reign for ever and ever.” (2 Timothy 2:12; Revelation 3:21; Philippians 3:21; 1 John 3:2)