18 - Coronation

Scriptures: • Revelation 20:1-6

- Zechariah 14:8-9, 16-21
- Many Portions of the Old Testament Prophets
- Focal Point: The 1,000-Year Reign of Christ on Earth
- Principal Characters: Jesus
 - Israel
 - The Nations

Primary Events: • The Binding of Satan for 1,000 Years

- The Cleansing of the Earth
- The Righteous Physical Reign of Christ
- 1. When Christ returns to the earth, Satan will be chained in the bottomless pit for 1,000 years (Revelation 20:1-3). His evil influence will be gone from the earth.
 - This 1,000-year period is referred to as the millennium.
 - Every 1,000 years we have a new millennium, but this 1,000-year period is special because it's **the** millennium.
 - The term "thousand years" is mentioned six times in Revelation 20:1-8.
- 2. Christ will set up His kingdom on this earth for 1,000 years. Revelation 20:1-6
 - The center of His kingdom will be Jerusalem. Micah 4:2; Zechariah 8:3, 21-22, 14:16
 - Notice I said "this earth." Christ's kingdom isn't over after 1,000 years. It's just a honeymoon to prepare people for Christ's eternal kingdom. Luke 1:30-33
 - After 1,000 years, there will be a new heaven and earth, and Christ's reign will stretch into eternity.
- Israel will be regathered and given the entire land area of Palestine, never to be removed again (Amos 9:14-15; Jeremiah 23:6; Ezekiel 34:11-16; Isaiah 11:10-12; Micah 4:6-7) and will live under a new covenant. Jeremiah 31:31-37; Hebrews 8:7-13; Ezekiel 36:16-38
 - The 12 apostles will be on 12 thrones judging the 12 tribes of Israel. Matthew 19:27-28
 - This will be a fulfillment of many Old Testament prophecies. Isaiah 62:3; Zechariah 9:16; Isaiah 60:1-15

- 4. All nations will worship the King, Jesus Christ. Psalm 72:11, 17; Isaiah 2:2-3; Zechariah 14:16
- 5. War will be abolished (peace on earth at last). Israel 2:4; Micah 4:3
- 6. Righteousness and justice will prevail. Psalm 72:7; Jeremiah 23:5-6
 - There will be some individuals who will rebel outwardly against Christ's rule during His 1,000-year reign, but they will incur immediate judgment. Isaiah 11:3-5, 29:20-21, 65:20; Jeremiah 31:29-30
 - The earth will be full of the knowledge of the Lord. Isaiah 11:9
- 7. Nature will be tamed. Isaiah 11:6-8
- 8. There will be a resurrection before the 1,000-year kingdom. Revelation 20:4-6
 - Our resurrection is 7 years earlier, at the rapture.
- 9. There will be four groups of people living during the millennial reign of Christ:
 - Believers who were killed during the tribulation and are resurrected
 - Those who lived through the tribulation time period and were led into the kingdom in flesh and blood bodies
 - Those who will be born during the millennium
 - Believers that form the body of Christ that were raptured out seven years earlier
 - We will be reigning over the angelic host and the heavenlies.

19 - Condemnation

Scriptures:		Revelation 20:7-15 2 Peter 3:7-12
Focal Point:	٠	The Final Judgment
Principal Characters:	•	God
	٠	Satan
	٠	The Unsaved
Primary Events:	٠	The Destruction of the Present
		Earth
	٠	The Doom of Satan
	٠	The Great White Throne Judgment

- 1. At the end of Christ's 1,000-year kingdom, Satan will be loosed. Revelation 20:7-8
 - Many will have entered the kingdom with physical, unredeemed bodies. They will have children and repopulate the earth. They will still possess a sin nature.
 - Children will have to be taught that there was once a devil who deceived people on the earth. They will have to be taught that there was once wickedness, murder, rape, etc., on the earth.
 - During the millennial reign of Christ on earth, those in fleshly bodies will have to make a decision concerning Jesus Christ. This is the reason for Satan's loosing. It will force individuals to make a decision.
 - Although outward rebellion won't be allowed, many will inwardly despise Christ and His righteous reign.
- 2. Sadly, many people will follow Satan in his rebellion against Christ, but will be immediately destroyed. Revelation 20:9
- 3. Satan will be cast into the lake of fire for eternity. Revelation 20:10
- 4. The Great White Throne Judgment will occur. Revelation 20:11-15
 - This is a judgment of all unsaved people throughout the ages. Their judgment will be based upon the Word of God (vs. 12). John 12:48
 - Death will give up its bodies, and hell will give up its souls and spirits to stand and be judged one final time.
 - The unsaved will be cast into the lake of fire, which is "the second death."
 - While most of the people at this judgment are unsaved, this is probably the time when believers during the millennium will also give an account for their lives and decisions.
- 5. The present earth will be destroyed by fire. 2 Peter 3:10-13; Hebrews 1:10-12