

MARCH 6, 2022 / ETERNITY / REVELATION 21:1-8 ALL PEOPLE WILL SPEND ETERNITY SOMEWHERE.

THE BIBLE IS THE STORY OF GOD'S RESCUE AND RENEWAL OF THE WORLD HE CREATED. IN THE END, HEAVEN AND HELL ARE NOT THE MAIN POINT OF THE BIBLE'S MESSAGE OR DESTINATION. INSTEAD, THE STORY ENDS NOT IN HEAVEN BUT ON A NEW EARTH WHERE LIFE, AS GOD INTENDED, IS FINALLY EXPERIENCED.

Read Revelation 21:1-8.

1. What is your understanding of eternity?

2. What is the difference between heaven and eternity (Revelation 21:1-4)? (see 2 Corinthians 5:8; Philippians 1:22-24; Luke 23:43)

3. What is the main reason given why people go to hell in the Bible (Revelation 21:8)? (see 2 Thessalonians 1:6-10; Revelation 16:9).

4. What is the most amazing thing said here about eternity (Revelation 21:4)?

5. From what you can learn from this longer description, what will life be like for all of eternity (Revelation 21 & 22)?

6. How might this larger vision shape your living and your priorities today?

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Below are some additional resources to help you deepen your knowledge and experience with the core truth in today's sermon. These resources include book references, articles, videos, podcasts, and RightNow Media material that can use by yourself or with a group. If you are not currently registered for Right Now Media, **click here.** Each resource is hyperlinked below, so you can click it.

- Judgment Day Message by Rob Cattalani
- Divine Judgment and Resurrection Hope by the Bible Project
- The Doctrine of Hell by Paul David Tripp
- Confronting Christianity "How could a loving God send people to Hell?" (Chapter 12, pg. 209-224) by Rebecca McLaughlin
- The Reason for God Series from RightNow Media, "How can God send people to Hell?" by Tim Keller