

God's City: My Home
Revelation 21:5-8

"He who was seated on the throne said, 'I am making everything new!' Then he said, 'Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true.' He said to me: 'It is done. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. To him who is thirsty I will give to drink without cost from the water of life. He who overcomes will inherit all of this, and I will be his God and he will be my son. But the cowardly, the unbelieving, the vile, the murderers, the sexually immoral, those who practice magic arts, the idolaters and all liars – their place will be in the fiery lake of burning sulfur. This is the second death.'"

1. God will make everything new.
2. We can be assured the description of this city is accurate.
3. Who is going to live in this city?
4. A warning and a blessing.

God's City and my home can be summed up with two phrases –

Memory Verse: Revelation 21:5

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Weekly Reading:

Day 1	1 Corinthians 15:1-11
Day 2	1 Corinthians 15:12-34
Day 3	1 Corinthians 15:35-58
Day 4	Revelation 21:9-21
Day 5	Revelation 21:22-27

Study Questions:

- 1 How does the present Heaven which we talked about last week differ from the New Earth?

On pages 82-85 in the book *Heaven* by Randy Alcorn, he charts three eras of mankind and earth. It is a great way to begin to compare human history and human destiny as we look at past (Genesis 1 & 2), present (Genesis 3- Revelation 20), and future (Revelation 21 & 22).

- 2 What do you find most encouraging about this chart?
- 3 After reading 1 Corinthians 15, what is the importance of understanding and believing in the physical resurrection of the body?
- 4 What do you think your resurrected body will be like? What scriptures might support your answer? (Look at Philippians 3:20-21 and 1 John 3:2)
- 5 What do you think your relationship with others will be like in Heaven? What about your spouse, your children, and others close to you on this earth?