

All Inclusive Vacation

Handout #14

How do we know that haven is going to be better than we can imagine?

Answer: The Bible says, "Eye hath not seen ear nor heard...the things which God hath prepared (1 Corinthians 2:9).

What is the difference between Heaven and the New Jerusalem?

Answer: God prepares a place for us in heaven where we dwell with him for 1,000 years then the New Jerusalem, which is a city that is a perfect square, descends to Earth and becomes our place for all eternity. (Revelation 20:4-5 21:10)

Facts regarding haven:

1. We get to eat from the tree of life which bears twelve different fruits every month (Revelation 22:2)
2. Jesus is currently in Heaven building a place for us (John 14:1-2)
3. We get to build your own home and vineyard (Isaiah 65:21-23)
4. We get to play with exotic animals (Isaiah 65:23)
5. We will be like angels and fly (Matthew 22:30, 1 Thessalonians 4:17)
6. We will judge the world (1 Corinthians 6:2)
7. We will continue to learn (Matthew 8:11)
8. We will keep the Sabbath (Isaiah 66:23)

Facts about the New Jerusalem:

1. It is only after the New Jerusalem comes down that there will be no more tears or sorrow (Revelation 21:4)
2. 12 gates, with 12 angels and at each gate the name of the twelve tribes of Israel. The wall of the city had twelve foundations and in them the names of the twelve apostles of the Lamb. (Revelation 21:12-14)
3. In the New Jerusalem we will not be able to remember the former world of sin (Isaiah 65:17).
4. Streets are paved with gold (Revelation 21:21)
5. There will be no temple because God and Jesus are the temple (Revelation 21:22)