

Revelation Series

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Rev. 20:4, “And I saw thrones, and they sat on them, and judgment was committed to them. Then I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded for their witness to Jesus and for the word of God, who had not worshiped the beast or his image, and had not received his mark on their foreheads or on their hands. And they lived and reigned with Christ for a thousand years.

Rev. 20:5, “But the rest of the dead did not live again until the thousand years were finished. This is the first resurrection.”

8 Judgments 5 Resurrections



Church Age

Tribulation

Millennial Kingdom

Eternal State

The "First" Resurrection (saved)
Christ, Rapture, 2 Witnesses, OT
and Trib Saints

Second Resurrection
(unsaved)



Bema
Judgment
Seat of
Christ



- Surviving Gentiles
- Surviving Jews
- Old Testament Saints
- Tribulation Saints

Antichrist
False Prophet



Great White
Throne
Unsaved Dead



Lake
of Fire

← Satan

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John 5:29, “and will come forth; those who did the good deeds to a resurrection of life, those who committed the evil deeds to a resurrection of judgment.”

Daniel 12:2, “Many of those who sleep in the dust of the ground will awake, these to everlasting life, but the others to disgrace and everlasting contempt.”

1 Cor. 15:23, “But each one in his own **order:
Christ the firstfruits, afterward those who are
Christ’s at His coming.**

**τάγμα tágma;
to arrange in an orderly
manner.**

**Anything arranged in order or
in array such as a body of
troops, a band, cohort
In the NT, “order, sequence, or
turn (1 Cor. 15:23).”**

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μέρος *meros*, “part, share, portion, lot”

The first death is bodily, so, too is the second.

Matthew 10:28, “Do not fear those who kill the body but are unable to kill the soul; but rather fear Him who is able to destroy both soul and body in hell.”

Rev. 20:7, “Now when the thousand years have expired, Satan will be released from his prison

Rev. 20:8, “and will go out to deceive the nations which are in the four corners of the earth, Gog and Magog, to gather them together to battle, whose number is as the sand of the sea.”

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Rev. 20:11, “Then I saw a great white throne and Him who sat on it, from whose face the earth and the heaven fled away. And there was found no place for them.”

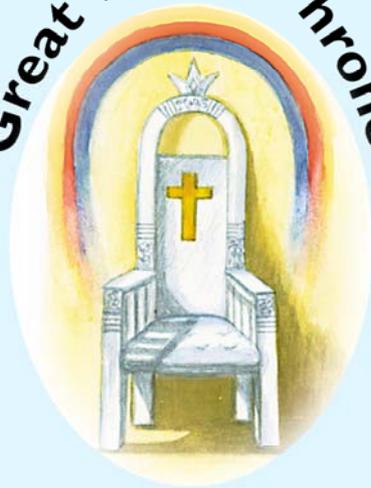
Rev. 20:12, “And I saw the dead, small and great, standing before God, and books were opened. And another book was opened, which is the Book of Life. And the dead were judged according to their works, by the things which were written in the books.”

Rev. 20:13, “The sea gave up the dead who were in it, and Death and Hades delivered up the dead who were in them. And they were judged, each one according to his works.”

Rev. 20:14, “Then Death and Hades were cast into the lake of fire. This is the second death.”

Rev. 20:15, “And anyone not found written in the Book of Life was cast into the lake of fire.”

Great White Throne



Books of Man's Works

Rev 20:12-13



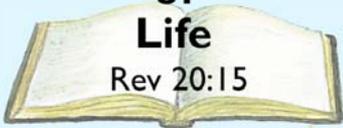
Lamb's Book of Life

Rev 21:27



The Book of Life

Rev 20:15



Jn 5:22



Sheol—Hades

Former Paradise

Great Gulf

Torment—Lk 16:18-31



Lake of Fire



Prison of Fallen Angels—2 Pet 2:4; Jude 6

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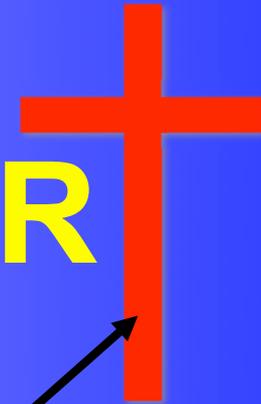
Blessing

Declared
Righteous

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Isaiah 64:6
 2 Corinthians 5:21
 6 For all of us have become
 21 He made Him who
 like one who is unclean,
 knew no sin *to be* sin on
 our behalf, so that we
 are like a filthy garment;
 might become the
 righteousness of God in
 Him.

Col. 2:13, “And you, being dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, He has made alive together with Him, having forgiven you all trespasses,

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John 3:18,

**“He who believes on Him is not condemned,
but he who believes not is condemned already,
because he has not believed in the name of the
only begotten Son of God.”**

Question:

What about statements that a person dies in their sin?

“in your sins,” John 8:24,

1 Cor. 15:17, “And if Christ is not risen, your faith is futile; you are still in your sins!”

“in your sins” = being spiritually dead, Eph 2:1

“in your sins” is not the same as “for your sins”