

Christ
Our
Saviour

Lesson 32

The Home of the
Saved

All Scriptures in this lesson are from the
New King James Bible

To prepare for this lesson, read:

Christ Our Saviour, pages 179-183

In our previous lesson we learned that the day of Christ's coming is a day of judgment. According to the first sentence of this lesson, what is that day for the evil?

Beginning with the first letter, circle every other letter. The circled letters will reveal your answer.

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What is it for the earth and for God's people?

Unscramble the word to learn what the day of judgment is for God's people.

A day of RIMEOEDPTN

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Let's learn what the word **REDEMPTION** means. The root word is redeem, which means to buy back what has been sold, to regain possession of something given up or taken away.

In a spiritual sense, **redeem** means "to rescue and deliver from the bondage of sin, and the penalties of God's violated law." *Webster's 1828 Dictionary*

Let's look at some examples in the Bible:

You remember Abraham and his nephew Lot? Well, Lot and his family were taken captive. Genesis chapter 14 tells the story. When Abram (that was before God changed his name to Abraham) learned about the capture of Lot and his family, he took his own armed men and pursued the army who had captured his family.

Genesis 14:16 says “And he brought back all the goods, and also brought again his brother Lot, and his goods, and the women also, and the people.” That is a form of redemption. Abram redeemed Lot from the bondage of his captivity.

God’s people Israel had moved to Egypt where there was plenty of food during the time of famine. As time went on they became slaves in Egypt and were in bondage there.

Help finish the verses by filling in the necessary blanks.

Exodus 6:6, 7 “Therefore say to the children of Israel, I am the LORD; I will bring you out from u_____ the b_____ of the Egyptians, I will r_____ you out from their b_____, and I will r_d__m you with an outstretched arm and with great judgments. I will t_k__ you as My people, and I will be your God. Then you shall know that I am the LORD your God who br_ngs you ___t from __nd__r the b_rd__ns of the Eg_pt__ns.”

There are also other stories in the Bible that illustrate redemption, but the most important one is about Jesus and what He did for us.

In a spiritual sense, “the purchase of God's favor by the death and sufferings of Christ; the ransom or

deliverance of sinners from the bondage of sin and the penalties of God's violated law by the atonement of Christ." *Webster's 1828 Dictionary*

Finish each verse by filling in necessary blanks or unscrambling words.

In other words:

1 Corinthians 15:3 "C_____ d__d f_r o____ s_ns."

Ephesians 1:7 "In H_m we have r_d_mpt__n through His OBDLO _____, for f_rg_v__n__ss of s____, according to the riches of his grace;"

Colossians 1:14 "In whom we have r_____ through His bl__d, the forgiveness of sins:"

Galatians 3:13 "Christ has MEDEREDE _____ us from the curse of the law, having become a curse for us (for it is written, 'Cursed is everyone who hangs on a tree'),"

Titus 2:14 "who gave Himself for us, that He might r_d__m us from every lawless d_____ and purify for Himself His own special people, zealous for good works."

What did God create the earth to be? second paragraph of the story; Genesis 1:28, 29

Decode the answer by substituting for each letter the letter that comes after it in the alphabet. (Remember A comes after Z)

A B C D E F G H I J K L M
N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

LZM'R GNLD

Fill in the blanks for the verses in Genesis 1:28, 29.

“Then God blessed them, and God said to them, ‘Be ___ui___u_ and m_lt_pl_; f___ the ___rth and subdue it; have d_m_n__n over the f___ of the sea, over the ___i_____ of the ___r, and over e_____ living _____ that moves on the earth.’ And God said, ‘See, I have given you every herb that y__lds _____d which is on the face of all the ___rth, and every tr___ whose fr__t yields _____d; to you it shall be for f___d.’”

The story said, “To this earth angels have come, with the message of redemption, and its hills and valleys have echoed their songs of rejoicing.” For whose special birth did this very thing happen? Luke 2:8-14

Circle the correct answer.

SAMSON

MOSES

JESUS

For what purpose did God create this earth?
Isaiah 45:18

Unscramble the word to learn why God created this earth.

to be ABDEHIINT _____

What does “inhabited” mean?

Choose the correct answer.

___ create ___ occupy (live in) ___ burn up

Whatever God does, how long does it last?

Ecclesiastes 3:14

Use the alphabet code below to find out how long God’s works last.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
												

N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
												

      

In the Sermon on the Mount, what did Jesus say the meek would inherit? Matthew 5:5

Beginning with the first letter, cross out every other letter. The letters remaining will tell you what the meek would inherit.

PTLHMEOEKAURGFH

When Jesus was on this earth, the only Scriptures He had to read and learn from are what we call the Old Testament. Does the Old

Testament talk about the meek inheriting the earth? Psalm 37:11

Fill in each vowel to reveal the answer.

“B__t th__ m__k sh__ll __nh__r__t th__ ____rth,
 __nd sh__ll d__lght th__ms__lv__s __n th__
 __b__nd__nc__ __f p__c__.”

See also the following Scripture.

Psalm 37:29 The righteous shall inh__r__t the l__nd,
 And dw__ll in it f__r__v__r.

How is God going to cleanse this earth before He creates “new heavens and a new earth”? 2 Peter 3:7

Fill in the blanks.

“But the _____ and the _____ which are now _____ by the same _____, are reserved for _____ until the _____ of judgment and perdition of ungodly men.”

What is going to dwell in the new heavens and the new earth? 2 Peter 3:13

Use the code on page 6 to learn what will be in the new heavens and new earth.



Do we have any comprehension of what heaven or the new earth is going to look like? 1

Corinthians 2:9

Choose the correct word to fill in the blanks of the verse below.

HEART, EYE, PREPARED, EAR, THINGS,
SEEN, ENTERED

“But as it is written: ‘_____ has not _____, nor _____ heard, Nor have _____ into the _____ of man The _____ which God has _____ for those who love Him.’”

How does God give us glimpses of what that glorious land is going to look like? 1

Corinthians 2:10

Use the alphabet code below to reveal the answer.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16	15	14

N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

7 19 9 12 6 20 19 19 18 8

8 11 18 9 18 7

What kind of water is going to be in heaven and the new earth? Revelation 7:17 (See also

Revelation 22:1)

Choose the correct answer.

- stagnate water
- no water
- living fountains of water

What do we learn about the tree of life?

Revelation 22:2

Check all that apply.

- grows on either side of the river
- bears twelve fruits
- leaves are for healing

Where will God's people dwell? Isaiah 32:18

Match the correct word in the column on the left to fill in the blanks of the verse.

Quiet	“My people will dwell in a
Peaceful	_____ habitation, In
Secure	_____ dwellings, and in
	_____ resting places,”

Will there be any more violence or destruction?

Isaiah 60:18, first half

Circle the correct answer. **Yes** **No**

What will the walls and gates be called? Isaiah 60:18, last half

Use the code at the bottom of page 8 to decode the answer.

Walls called $\frac{\quad}{8} \frac{\quad}{26} \frac{\quad}{15} \frac{\quad}{5} \frac{\quad}{26} \frac{\quad}{7} \frac{\quad}{18} \frac{\quad}{12} \frac{\quad}{13}$

Gates called $\frac{\quad}{11} \frac{\quad}{9} \frac{\quad}{26} \frac{\quad}{18} \frac{\quad}{8} \frac{\quad}{22}$

What will God's people be doing? Isaiah 65:21

Fill in the blanks and then read the verse again.

“They shall _____ and _____ them; They shall _____ and _____ their fruit. They shall not build and another inhabit; They shall not plant and another eat; For as the days of a tree, so shall be the days of My people, And My elect shall long enjoy the work of their hands.”

The Old Testament prophet Isaiah tells us more about what the heaven and the new earth are going to look like. Isaiah 35:1; 55:13; 11:6, 9

Read all these verses carefully and then underline the parts of each verse that tell about what heaven and the new earth are going to look like.

Isaiah 35:1 “The wilderness and the wasteland shall be glad for them, And the desert shall rejoice and blossom as the rose;”

Isaiah 55:13 “Instead of the thorn shall come up the cypress tree, And instead of the brier shall come up the myrtle tree; And it shall be to the Lord for a name, For an everlasting sign that shall not be cut off.”

Isaiah 11:6, 9 “The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, The leopard shall lie down with the young

goat, The calf and the young lion and the fatling together; And a little child shall lead them. 9 They shall not hurt nor destroy in all My holy mountain, For the earth shall be full of the knowledge of the Lord As the waters cover the sea.”

Revelation expands our picture of heaven and the new earth. Revelation 21:4

Fill in all the “o”s.

“And G__d will wipe away every tear fr__m their eyes; there shall be n__ m__re death, n__r s__rr__w, n__r crying. There shall be n__ m__re pain, f__r the f__rmer things have passed away.”

See also what the Prophet Isaiah declared centuries before. Isaiah 33:24

Think about this verse and underline the part you like best.

“And the inhabitant will not say, ‘I am sick’; The people who dwell in it will be forgiven their iniquity.”

How does Isaiah and Revelation describe the New Jerusalem, the capital of the glorified new earth? Isaiah 62:3; Revelation 21:11, 24

Unscramble the words to reveal the answer.

Isaiah 62:3 “You shall also be a CONRW _____ of YGOLR _____ In the hand of the Lord, And a AYROL _____ diadem In the hand of your God.”

Revelation 21:11, 24 11 “having the glory of God. Her HLITG _____ was like a most precious ESONT _____, like a jasper stone, clear as crystal.” 24 “And the nations of those who are VSDAE _____ shall ALWK _____ in its light, and the kings of the earth bring their glory and honor into it.”

What does the Lord say about Himself? Isaiah 65:19 (See also Revelation 21:3)

Match the words in the column on the left to the blanks in the verse.

Weeping	“I will _____ in Jerusalem,
No	And joy in My people; The voice
Voice	of _____ shall _____ longer
Rejoice	be heard in her, Nor the
	_____ of crying.

Why will there only be righteousness in the new earth? Revelation 21:27

Choose the correct answer.

There shall not enter anything that

___ defiles

___ causes an abomination

___ is a lie

___ all of the above

___ none of the above

What have God's people done to prove themselves so they can dwell with Him?

Revelation 14:5; 7:14, 15

Choose the correct word or phrase in the list of words/phrases below to fill in the texts.

without fault, blood, washed their robes,
Lamb, no deceit, made them white

Revelation 14:5 "And in their mouth was found _____, for they are _____ before the throne of God."

Revelation 7:14, 15 "And I said to him, "Sir, you know." So he said to me, "These are the ones who come out of the great tribulation, and _____ and _____ in the _____ of the _____. Therefore they are before the throne of God, and serve Him day and night in His temple. And He who sits on the throne will dwell among them."

Revelation 14:5 said, "in their mouth was found no guile (deceit)." What does guile mean?

According to a Bible concordance guile means "to decoy, to trick (bait)". You know that when one goes fishing the hook is baited to make the fish think there is food. In reality it's a decoy, it's a trick, in order to catch the fish.

Another way we could read Revelation 14:5 is: "And in their mouth was found no fish bait (no tricks)."

Let's see what Job had to say about himself and deceit. Job 27:4

Use the alphabet code below to decode the answer.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
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N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
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What did King David, the Psalm writer, have to say about deceit? Psalm 120:2

Fill in the vowels to finish reading the verse.

“D_l_v_r m__ s___l, __ L__rd, fr_m l__ng l_ps;
 __nd fr_m __ d_c__tf_l t__ng__.

Let's see if King Solomon, the wisest king, had anything to see about deceit (lying). Proverbs 12:22

Use the code on page 14 to be able to read the answer.

λ ψ ι ν γ λ ι π σ α ρ ε

α ν α β ο μ ι ν α τ ι ο ν

τ ο τ η ε λ ο ρ δ,

β υ τ τ η ο σ ε ω η ο

δ ε α λ τ ρ υ τ η φ υ λ λ ψ

α ρ ε η ι σ

δ ε λ ι γ η τ.

Read again Revelation 21:27. It says nothing is going to enter heaven that defiles, not even one who tells a lie. So being truthful and obedient are extremely important if we want to go to heaven.

Let's close this set of lessons with a promise Jesus gave. Revelation 22:14

Fill in the consonants to be able to finish reading this promise.

“_e_e_ a_e _ey _a_ _o_ _i_
 o a_e_, _a_ _ey _ay _a_e
 i _o_ _e_ _ee_ o_ _i_e, a_ _ay_ e_e_
 i_ _ou_ _e_ _a_e_ i_o_ _e_ _i_y.”

Lesson Review

Matching

On the next page, read the phrase in column A and write the letter of the matching phrase from column B on the line.

A

- __ Redeem means
- __ Christ died
- __ Earth created
- __ Whatever God does
- __ The meek shall
- __ Kind of water in new earth
- __ Where God's people dwell
- __ Walls & gates called
- __ God's people will
- __ The wolf shall
- __ A little child
- __ God shall wipe away
- __ Guile means

B

- a. living fountains
- b. peaceful habitation
- c. to be man's home
- d. dwell with the lamb
- e. salvation and praise
- f. rescue
- g. trick, bait, deceit
- h. build houses
- i. lasts forever
- j. shall lead them
- k. every tear from their eyes
- l. for our sins
- m. inherit the earth

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