



ONE DAY: Hope in the End Times

Part One: "The Return"

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Today's Main Scripture: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

We can live with _____, knowing that ONE DAY,
Christ will _____ for all who love Him.

THE REVELATION OF CHRIST'S RETURN

1. The _____ of His Return

"Therefore, be alert, because you don't know on what day your Lord will return." Matthew 24:42 (GWT)

2. The _____ of His Return

When Christ returns, no one who
_____ will be left behind!

"When everything is ready, I will come and get you, so that you will always be with me where I am." John 14:3 (NLT)

3. The _____ of His Return

• A sudden _____.

• A loud _____.

"I assure you that a time is coming, in fact has already come, when the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God and when they have heard it they will live!" John 5:25 (JBP)

(Continued on reverse)

• A glorious _____.

"Our homeland is in heaven, where our Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ, is; and we are looking forward to his return from there. When he comes back, he will take these dying bodies of ours and change them into glorious bodies like his own, using the same mighty power that he will use to conquer all else everywhere." Philippians 3:20-21 (TLB)

• A miraculous _____.

"In a moment, in the twinkling of an eye... For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised incorruptible, and we shall be changed." 1 Corinthians 15:52 (NKJV)

• A unending _____.

"Therefore encourage one another with these words." 1 Thessalonians 4:18 (NIV)

Prophecy brings _____ to the saved
and a _____ to the lost.

FATHER GOD, Thank you for the promise of Christ's return. I believe that ONE DAY, He is coming back for me, and I want to be ready! Lord Jesus, today I confirm that I trust you completely as my personal Lord and Savior. May I be faithful in waiting and living for you! In Christ's Name, AMEN

THIS WEEK IN SMALL GROUPS

Icebreaker: Describe a time when you learned the value of waiting.

Scripture: Let different members share a verse from this teaching that impacted them personally. What does it mean for them?

Talk It Over: What are some ways we can stay encouraged as we wait for the return of the Lord?

Prayer: Pray for each member of the group to wait faithfully for God.



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