

# **THE ETERNAL STATE**

## **Revelation 21-22**

**Today let's look at what's ahead when we live together  
with God in a perfect place forever**

### **I. WHAT WILL ETERNITY BE LIKE?** - Revelation 21:1-8

#### **A. JOHN'S VISION (1-2)**

1. Everything's changed (1) > See II Peter 3:10
2. Everything's exciting (2)

#### **B. AN ANGEL'S VOICE (3-4)**

1. Everyone's together (3)
2. Everyone's happy (4)

#### **C. GOD'S VOICE (5-8)**

1. Everything's new (5) > See II Peter 3:13
2. Everything's done (6a) > See I Corinthians 15:24-28
3. Everything's provided (6b)
4. Everyone's an heir (7) > See Hebrews 12:22-24

#### **D. SUMMARY: What will it be like?**

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2. Everything's exciting (2)
3. Everyone's together (3)
4. Everyone's happy (4)
5. Everything's new (5)
6. Everything's done (6a)
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### **II. WHAT WILL ETERNITY LOOK LIKE?** - Revelation 21:9-22:2

- John's angelic tour guide shows him the city (9-10)

#### **A. GLORIOUS (11)**

#### **B. GREAT (12-17)**

- A majestic magnificence in the gates, foundations and dimensions

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## C. GLISTENING (18-21)

- The purest of golds and gems!

## D. GLOWING (22-25)

## E. GROWING (26)

- The best from every people brought into it

## F. GODLY (27)

- No impure practices or practitioners (See 21:8 also)

## G. GRAND (22:1-2)

1. A river flowing from God's throne (1)
2. The Tree of Life bearing 12 kinds of fruit each month (2)

III. **WHAT WILL WE DO FOR ETERNITY?** - Revelation 22:3-5

## A. SERVE HIM (3)

1. Who: God and the Lamb
2. What: Service > "Latreuo" is a priestly service
3. How: Without any curse complications

## B. SEE HIS FACE (4)

1. Moses and Elijah were not allowed to do so in their natural bodies
2. Worshipping and admiring Him
3. Growing in our understanding from His in person teaching - See I Cor. 13:12

## C. REIGN FOREVER (5)

1. Being a king over God's creation and creatures
2. Restored to the creation dominion mandate in Gen. 1:28

**CONCLUSION:****God has quite the trip planned for us in eternity**

- Have you made your reservation?
- You can come! - See Rev. 22:17
- Any thirsty can come without cost to them and drink of this water of life

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