

Entering and Reigning in The Kingdom-Our ONLY Focus-Part 8
The Incomparable Gospel of Jesus Christ

Hebrews 1:13 To which of the angels did God ever say, "Sit at my right hand until I make your enemies a footstool for your feet"? **14** Are not all angels ministering spirits sent to serve those who will inherit salvation?

Hebrews 2:1 We must pay more careful attention, **THEREFORE**, (*why-fore?*) to what we have heard, **so that we do not drift** away.

2 For if the message spoken by angels was binding, and every violation and disobedience received its just punishment, **3** how shall **WE** (*Hebrews is addressed predominantly to the redeemed*) escape if we ignore **such a great salvation**? This **salvation**, which was first announced by the Lord, was confirmed **TO US** by those who heard him. **4** God also testified to it by signs, wonders and various miracles, and gifts of the Holy Spirit distributed according to his will.

Hebrews 9: 28 so Christ was sacrificed once to take away the sins of many people; and he will appear a second time, not to bear sin, **BUT to BRING salvation to those who are waiting for him.**

Mark 1:14 After John was put in prison, Jesus went into Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God. **15** "The time has come," he said. "**The kingdom of God is near. Repent and believe the good news!**"

Hebrews 9:11 When Christ came as high priest of the good things that are already here, he went through the greater and more perfect tabernacle that is not man-made, that is to say, not a part of this creation.

12 He did not enter by means of the blood of goats and calves; but he entered the Most Holy Place **ONCE** for all by his own blood, having obtained eternal (*age-lasting*) redemption.

Hebrews 6: 13 When God made his promise to Abraham, since there was no one greater for him to swear by, he swore by himself, ¹⁴saying, "I will surely bless you and give you many descendants." **15 And so after waiting patiently**, Abraham received what was promised.

Hebrews 11:8 **By faith** Abraham, when called to go to a place he would later receive as his inheritance, **obeyed and went**, even though he did not know where he was going. **9** By faith he made his home in the promised land like a stranger in a foreign country; he lived in tents, as did Isaac and Jacob, who were heirs with him of the same promise. **10** For he was looking forward to the city with foundations, whose architect and builder is God. **11** By faith Abraham, even though he was past age—and Sarah herself was barren—**was** enabled to become a father because he considered him faithful who had made the promise. **12** And so from this one man, and he as good as dead, came descendants as numerous as the stars in the sky and as countless as the sand on the seashore.

Luke 14:26 "If anyone comes to me and does not hate his father and mother, his wife and children, his brothers and sisters—yes, even his own life—he cannot be my disciple.

John 14: 12 I tell you the truth, anyone who has faith in me will do what I have been doing. He will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father.

Matthew 25: 31 "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, he will sit on his throne in heavenly glory.

32 All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate the people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats. **33** He will put the sheep on his right and the goats on his left. **34** "Then the King will say to those on his right, 'Come, you who are blessed by my Father; **take your inheritance, the kingdom prepared for you** (*so the inheritance is in the Kingdom to come*) since the creation of the world.

35 For !!!!!!! ----- I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in,

36 I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.' **37** "Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink? **38** When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing clothes and clothe you? **39** When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?' **40** "The King will reply, 'I tell you the truth, whatever **you DID** (*They did something*) for one of the least of these brothers of mine, **you did** for me.' **41** "Then he will say to those on his left (*He is now addressing the goats-still his flock*), 'Depart from me, you who are cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels. **42** For I was hungry and you gave me nothing to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, **43** I was a stranger and you did not invite me in, I needed clothes and you did not clothe me, I was sick and in prison and you did not look after me.'

44 "They also will answer, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or needing clothes or sick or in prison, and did not help you?' **45** "He will reply, 'I tell you the truth, **whatever you did not do** for one of the least of these, you did **not do** for me.' **46** "Then they will go away to eternal (age-lasting punishment) punishment, but the righteous to eternal (*age-lasting life in the Kingdom*) life."

Matthew 7:22 (King James Version) 22 Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not **prophesied** in thy name? and in thy name have **cast out devils?** and **in thy name done many wonderful works?**

Isaiah 52:7 How beautiful on the mountains are the feet of those who bring **good news**,

1. who proclaim **peace**,
 2. who bring **good tidings**,
 3. who proclaim **salvation**,
- who say to Zion, "Your God reigns!"

Romans 10:15 And how can they preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!" **16** But not all the Israelites accepted the good news. For Isaiah says, "Lord, who has believed our message?"

2 Corinthians 4:4 New Living Translation (NLT) 4 Satan, who is the god of this world, has blinded the minds of those who don't believe. (the redeemed who do not see The Kingdom) They are unable to see the glorious light of the Good News. **They don't understand** this message about the glory of Christ, who is the exact likeness of God.

2 Corinthians 4:1 Therefore, *(read Chapter 3 for the why-fore)* since through God's mercy we have this ministry, we do not lose heart. **2** Rather, **we** have renounced secret and shameful ways; we do not use deception, *(implies some teachers in the assembly were using it)* nor do **we** distort the word of God. On the contrary, **by setting forth the truth** plainly **we** commend ourselves to every man's conscience in the sight of God. **3** And even if **our gospel** *(the good news of the coming Kingdom)* **is veiled,** it is veiled to those who are perishing.

3:16 Even to this day when Moses is read, a veil covers **their** hearts. **16** But whenever anyone turns to the Lord, the veil is taken away.

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Acts 1:3 After his suffering, he showed himself to these men and gave many convincing proofs that he was alive. **He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the kingdom of God.**