Lesson 12 – How Jesus Will Come Again

1)	How should a Christian feel toward the second coming?					
	Titus 2:13 > "Looking for that hope, and the glorious appearing of the great God and our Saviour Jesus Christ;"					
NOTE: A Christian should look forward to that great day with hope.						
2)	Were there promises made concerning the first coming of Jesus?					
	Isaiah 7:14 > "Therefore the Lord shall give you a sign; Behold, a shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel."					
3)	Were the Old Testament promises regarding the first coming of Jesus fulfilled?					
	Matthew 1:23 > "Behold, a shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, with us."					
	NOTE: This is just one example of hundreds of prophecies regarding the first coming of Jesus. Do you think that the prophecies regarding His second coming are trustworthy as well?					
4)	For what primary reason did Jesus come the first time?					
	Isaiah 53:5 > "But he was wounded for, he was bruised for: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are"					
	NOTE: Jesus came the first time to pay the price for sin. He is coming the second time to end sin, and to take His people home.					
5)	What promise did Jesus make in regards to his coming?					
	John 14:1-3 > "Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you,, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also."					
	NOTE: We can rest assured that the second coming is not a bedtime story, nor is it an allegory of some sort. Jesus has promised that He will come again to take His children where He now is.					

6)	What warning message will be proclaimed before the second coming of Jesus?				
	Revelation 18:1-4 > "And after these things I saw another angel come down from heaven, having great power; and the earth was lightened with his glory. And he cried mightily with a strong voice, saying, Babylon the great is fallen, is fallen, and is become the habitation of devils, and the hold of every foul spirit, and a cage of every unclean and hateful bird. For all nations have drunk of the wine of the wrath of her fornication, and the kings of the earth have committed fornication with her, and the merchants of the earth are waxed rich through the abundance of her delicacies. And I heard another voice from heaven, saying,, my people, that ye be not partakers of her sins, and that ye receive not of her plagues."				
	NOTE: This is God's last call to people to come out of Babylon. That is, false systems of Worship which teach false doctrines.				
7)	How will Jesus come again for the second time?				
	Acts 1:11 > "Men of Galilee, why do you stand gazing up into the heaven? This same Jesus who is taken up from you into Heaven, will come way you have seen Him going into Heaven."				
	1 Thessalonians 4:16-17 > "For the Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: Then we which are alive <i>and</i> remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, in in : and so shall we ever be with the Lord."				
	Revelation 1:7 > "Behold, he cometh with clouds; and shall him, and they <i>also</i> which pierced him: and all kindreds of the earth shall wail because of him. Even so, Amen."				
	Matthew 24:27, 30 > "For as lightning comes out of the east and shines even to the west, so also will be the of the Son of man and they shall the Son of man coming in the clouds of the heaven with power and great glory."				
	Matthew 24:31 > "He shall send His angels with a $_$ of a $_$, and they shall gather His elect from the four winds, from one end of the heavens to the other."				
	NOTE: When Jesus comes there will be nothing secret about it. We must read the verses carefully. When Jesus comes, every eye will see Him. He will not touch the ground. He will send His angels to gather the elect. The voice of God raises the righteous dead in Christ, and they're all gathered together with the righteous				

living to meet the Lord in the air.

8)	What does it mean that He comes with the clouds?					
	Psalm 104:3 > "Who layeth the beams of his chambers in the waters: who maketh the his: who walketh upon the wings of the wind:"					
	Psalm 68:17 > "The of God <i>are</i> twenty thousand, <i>even</i> thousands of: the Lord <i>is</i> among them, <i>as in</i> Sinai, in the holy <i>place</i> ."					
	NOTE: The clouds represent innumerable host of angels that will accompany Jesus as He comes back as King of Kings. (Hebrews 12:22, Revelation 5:11)					
9)	Why is it important to understand how Jesus will come?					
	Matthew 24:23-26 > "Then if any man shall say unto you, Lo, here is Christ, or there; believe it not. For there shall arise false Christs, and false prophets, and shall shew great signs and wonders; insomuch that, if it were possible, they shall					
	2 Corinthians 11:14 > "And no marvel; for himself is transformed into an angel of"					
	NOTE: This issue is of vital importance because the deception will look so good, so holy, and so perfect, that even those who are the very chosen of God, could be led astray if it were possible.					
10) What does Jesus promise at the end of the book of Revelation?					
Revelation 22:20 > "He which testifieth these things saith, I conquickly. Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus."						
	NOTE: This is more true now than when it was penned by John on the Isle of Patmos. Jesus is coming very soon!					
	IS IT YOUR DESIRE					
	I understand that the Second Coming of Jesus is not a secret event. I understand that it will be visible, audible, and climactic. I want to meet Jesus in the air when He comes again. Yes or No					