

Revelation 22:6-12 EPILOGUE: THE BELIEVERS RESPONSE

- ! The angelic guidance v. 6
 - " These words are true and faithful
 - They originate from God Almighty
 - His angel having been sent to share
 - # For the sake of His Bond-servants
 - The message:
 - # These things that must soon take place
 - * Perspective: God=s
- ! The Lord Christ Jesus adds: v. 7
 - " BEHOLD! I am coming quickly!
 - " Blessed is he who heeds the words of this prophecy Revelation 1:3
- ! John validates his observations v. 8
 - " I actually heard and saw these things
 - " John falls down and worships the angel
 - John is rebuked by the angel
 - # I am a fellow servant
 - * Of yours
 - * The prophets like yourself
 - * Those who heed the words of this book
 - # WORSHIP GOD!
- ! The angel then offers additional direction to John: v. 10-11a
 - " Do NOT seal up the words of this prophecy
 - It is simple to read and heed
 - # No mystery, no code
 - It brings obedience and worship to Christ Jesus
 - It is the whole counsel of God
 - " "The time is near"
 - Leads to expectant life in Christ Jesus
 - Adds a sense of Godly urgency to life in Christ
 - Leads to obedient, righteous and holy living
- ! The response of the reader and listener v. 11b
 - " Two types
 - Wrong, will still do wrong; filthy, remains filthy
 - Righteous, will still practice righteousness; holy, still keeping themselves holy
- ! Christ Jesus confirms the angels directive v. 12
 - " Behold, I am coming quickly
 - " My reward is with me
 - To render to every man according to his deeds

Revelation 22:13-21 THE LAST SCRIPTURE: AN INVITATION

- ! The Authority v. 13, 16
- " I AM
 - " The Alpha and the Omega
 - " The First and the Last
 - " The Beginning and the End
 - " I Jesus
 - Sent My angel
 - To testify to you these things for the churches
 - " I AM
 - " The Root and descendant of David
 - Paradox: Divine and human
 - " The bright morning star
 - Numbers 24:17; 2 Peter 1:19; Rev. 2:28; John 8:12
- ! The Invitation v. 17
- " The Spirit and the bride
 - Say Come!
 - " The One who hears
 - Says Come!
 - " LET the thirsty one come
 - " LET the one who wishes TAKE the water of life
 - WITHOUT COST!!
- ! The Benefits and Incentives v. 14-15
- " Blessed v. 20:7; 1:3; 7:14;14:13; 16:15; 19:9; 20:6
 - Those with washed robes
 - Who have the RIGHT to the tree of life
 - They may enter the city by the gates
 - They are not going to be outside!
 - # They will not be burdened by sin again
- ! The Warning
- " To add to this prophesy
 - One will receive the plagues written herein
 - " To take away from the prophesy
 - One will have their part in the tree of life and the Holy City taken away
- ! The Certainty of all these things v. 20-21
- " He who testifies says
 - Yes, I am coming quickly!
 - " John says
 - Amen. Come Lord Jesus!

The GRACE of the LORD JESUS be with all. Amen.