

## **Deeper Life Notes**

*The Return of Christ: "What We Don't Know for Sure"*

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**Warm up:** Is it possible to be ready for something that we think unlikely to happen in the near future?

***\*CHRIST IS COMING, READY OR NOT, RAIN OR SHINE!***

**Read:** Mark 13:32-37

**EFCA Statement of Faith - 9. Christ's Return:** We believe in the personal, bodily and glorious return of our Lord Jesus Christ. The coming of Christ, at a time known only to God, demands constant expectancy and, as our blessed hope, motivates the believer to godly living, sacrificial service and energetic mission.

### **THREE ABSOLUTES WE DON'T KNOW OF CHRIST'S RETURN**

**1. WE DON'T KNOW SPECIFICALLY \_\_\_\_\_<sup>1</sup> CHRIST WILL RETURN"**

Mark 13:32-37

**2. WE DON'T KNOW SPECIFICALLY \_\_\_\_\_,<sup>2</sup> CHRIST WILL COME."**

Matthew 24:21-29

1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

**3. WE DON'T KNOW SPECIFICALLY \_\_\_\_\_<sup>3</sup> WILL BE SAVED."**

<sup>1</sup> WHEN

<sup>2</sup> HOW

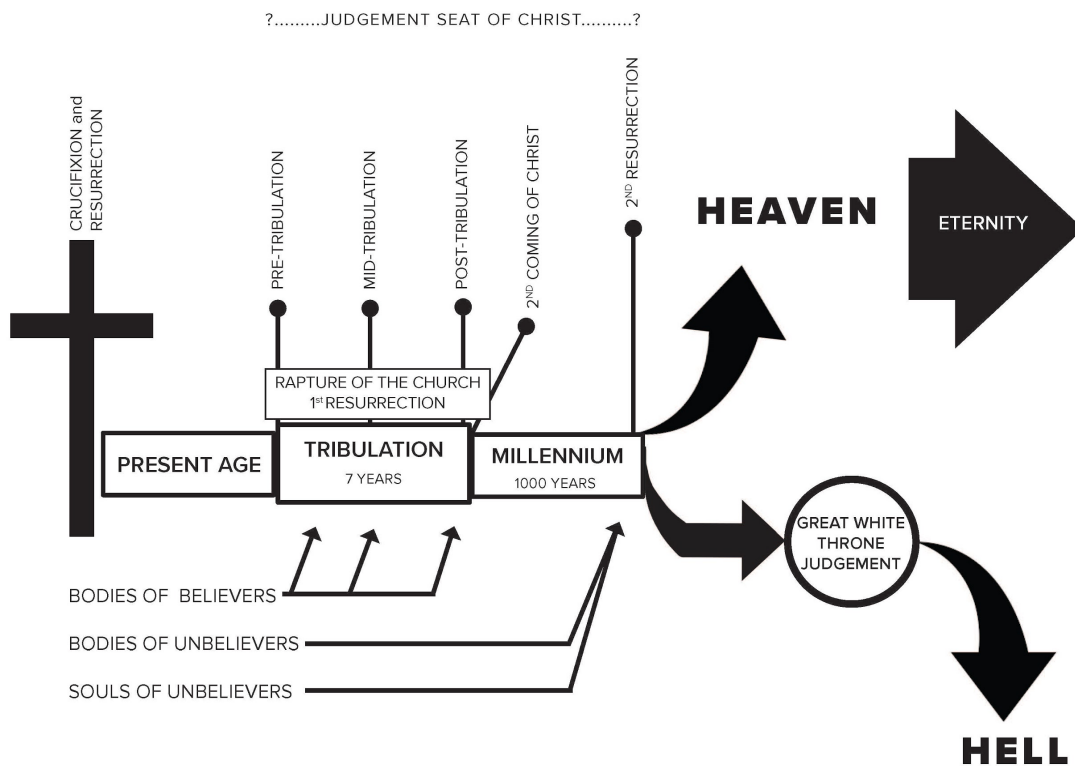
<sup>3</sup> WHO

## How can we live set apart for God and for God's purposes?

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In Conclusion:

"We believe in the personal, bodily and \_\_\_\_\_<sup>8</sup> return of our Lord Jesus Christ." (EFCA Statement of Faith, Article 9)



<sup>4</sup> Constant expectancy

<sup>5</sup> Godly living

<sup>6</sup> Sacrificial service

<sup>7</sup> Energetic mission

<sup>8</sup> premillennial