

# Revelation 20:11-15

## *Christ The Judge The Final Judgment*



# **Revelation 20** ***The Millennium Reign*** ***and Final Judgment***

- V1-3 Satan captured and locked away
- V4-6 Christ's Millennium Reign
- V7-10 Satan's Revolt and Destruction
- V11-15 Great White Throne Judgment



# ***Are we going to face Judgment?***

## **Great White Throne**



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***YES! Christ Reign!  
Judgment Comes!***

- Who is the Judge?
- How are we Judged?
  - On what Basis?
- What's the Outcome?

## **Revelation 20:11-15**

***<sup>11</sup> Then I saw a great white throne and him who was seated on it. The earth and the heavens fled from his presence, and there was no place for them. <sup>12</sup> And I saw the dead, great and small, standing before the throne, and books were opened. Another book was opened, which is the book of life. The dead were judged according to what they had done as recorded in the books. <sup>13</sup> The sea gave up the dead that were in it, and death and Hades gave up the dead that were in them, and each person was judged according to what they had done. <sup>14</sup> Then death and Hades were thrown into the lake of fire. The lake of fire is the second death. <sup>15</sup> Anyone whose name was not found written in the book of life was thrown into the lake of fire.***

# Great White Throne

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## Throne of Kingly Sovereignty

*Great in status, power, and authority.*

**Incomparable Purity and Impeccable Integrity**

*White in purity and holiness*



# Who is on the Throne?

## God or Jesus?

### **2 Timothy 4:1**

*In the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who will judge the living and the dead,*

***Jesus is the Judge***

**John 5:22, Acts 10:42, 17:31**



### **2 Corinthians 5:10**

*For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ,*

## **Who will be judged?**

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### **All Humanity**

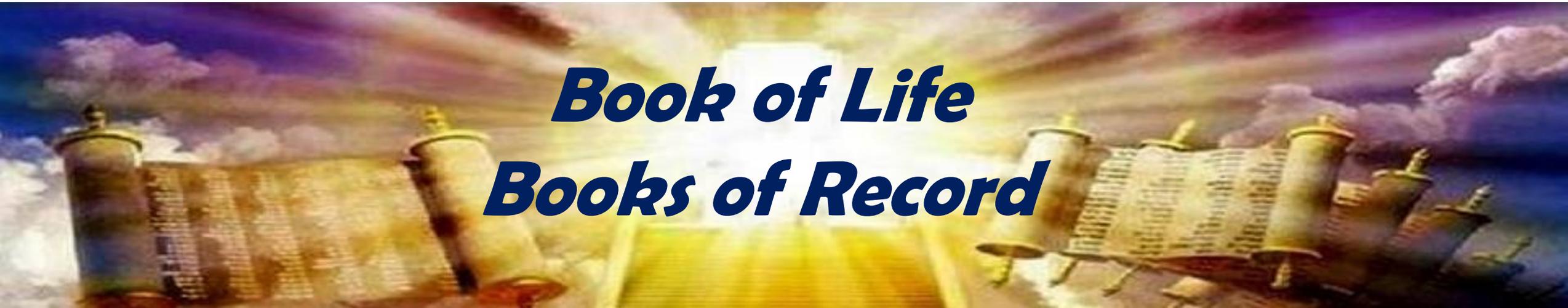
***All the dead, great and small,  
Those in the sea, death, Hades.***



## How are they judged?

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done as recorded in the books.*

**By Books and Actions**



***Book of Life  
Books of Record***

# **Books of Record**

**The records of every  
person's life**

*Everything they have said,  
done, thought, felt.*

**It is not a balancing book**



**All are judged according  
to what they had done**

**Jeremiah 17:10**

*“I the Lord search the heart and  
examine the mind, to reward a man  
according to his conduct, according  
to what his deeds has done.”*

**Matthew 16:27**

*For the Son of Man is going to come in  
his Father’s glory with his angels, and  
then he will reward each person  
according to what they have done.*



# On What Objective Basis

## **By The Law and Word of God**

### **The Law Romans 2:12-13**

***<sup>12</sup> All who sin apart from the law will also perish apart from the law,  
and all who sin under the law will be judged by the law.***

***<sup>13</sup> For it is not those who hear the law who are righteous in God's sight,  
but it is those who obey the law who will be declared righteous.***



# Those Without the Law

## **Roman 2:14-15**

*(Indeed, when Gentiles, who do not have the law, do by nature things required by the law, they are a law for themselves, even though they do not have the law. <sup>15</sup> They show that the requirements of the law are written on their hearts, their consciences also bearing witness, and their thoughts sometimes accusing them and at other times even defending them.)*

**Judge apart from the law**

**By their consciences  
Do what is right**



# The Word of God

## Hebrews 4:12-13

***<sup>12</sup> For the word of God is alive and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart. <sup>13</sup> Nothing in all creation is hidden from God's sight. Everything is uncovered and laid bare before the eyes of him to whom we must give account.***

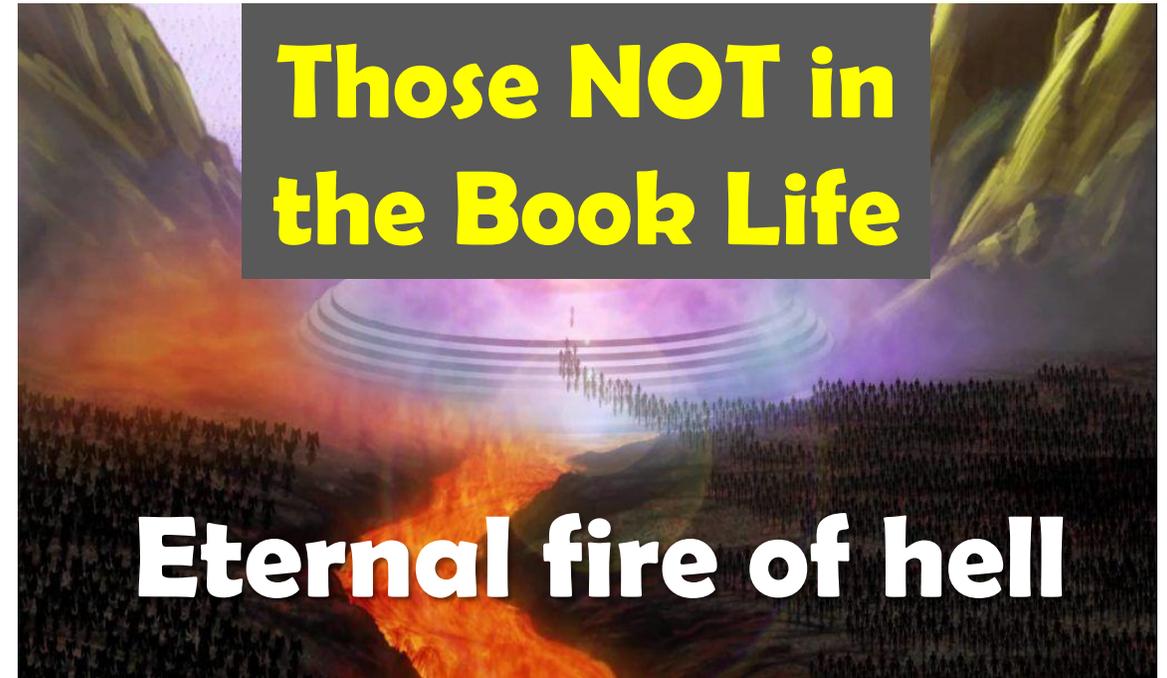


# The Sentence

***14 Then death and Hades were thrown into the lake of fire. The lake of fire is the second death.***

***15 Anyone whose name was not found written in the book of life was thrown into the lake of fire.***

**Death and Hades  
Disappear  
Second Death!**



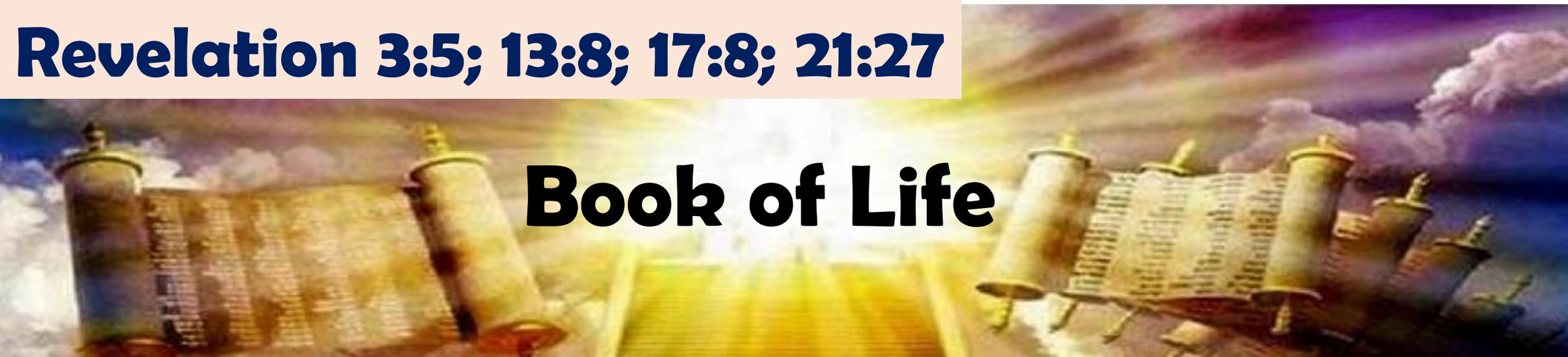
# Good news!

*Saints whose names are  
in The Book of Life will be  
saved and spare from Hell*

***Book of life  
belonging to the Lamb***

**Revelation 3:5; 13:8; 17:8; 21:27**

**Book of Life**



# **Most Wonderful News!**

**Revelation 13:8; 17:8**

*Our names are in the  
Book of Life from  
Creation of the World!*

**By His Sovereign Grace**

**Ephesians 1:3-6**

**Books of records are clean!**

**Our sins are Blotted out!**



**Be Thankful**  
**Live the Faithful and**  
**Righteous Life**

**Our works will be  
tested by fire**

**1 Corinthians 3:12-15**

*If anyone builds on this foundation using gold, silver, costly stones, wood, hay or straw, <sup>13</sup> their work will be shown for what it is, because the Day will bring it to light. It will be revealed with fire, and the fire will test the quality of each person's work.*



**Two groups of People**  
**in the world**

**Saved and Unsaved**

**2 Peter 3:9**

**God wants EVERYONE  
to be saved**

***GO Be Witnesses***  
***Share the Good News***



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Endure to the End**

***Be Overcomers through  
Christ in us Alone***



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