



Series – Revelation Study Guide 13: Revelation 22 Week Commencing 24th November 2019

## Please read Revelation 22.1-5 and Genesis 3.16-24

- 1. What similarities does the new city have to the Garden of Eden, and what differences?
- 2. Please read **Revelation 5.9-10**. Our work in the new creation is described as 'serving God' and 'reigning' with Him. What might that involve? How will it differ from our work now because of the removal of the curse?

The 'bells' which rang individually and clearly and distinctly as Jesus spoke to the 7 churches in the early chapters of Revelation became a multi-bell drama of sound as John described God-given visions of heavenly beings, and angels, and demons, and Babylon, and the beast, and the victorious Lamb – at times confusing, disorientation and overwhelming. But we were still able to make out the dominant tune of the bells (more or less). Here in this closing chapter the bells all sound in simple, straightforward unison time and again – like news at ten – so that we hear clearly the concluding words of God for all readers - and receive the blessing of God by 'keeping the words of this prophesy' (Revelation 22.7). But what are these important 'Words' we are to keep?

## Please read **Revelation 22.8-9** – Worship God Alone!

3. How are you being distracted (or deceived) from worshipping God only? What/who else are you worshipping? How will you keep the Words of this prophesy and gain the blessing?

Please read **Revelation 22.10-13; 2 Timothy 2.3-7** – The Time is Near, Fix your Eyes on Jesus and His Reward!

4. How do these verses help you get a sense of perspective? How will you keep the Words of this prophesy and gain the blessing?

Please read **Revelation 22.14-17** – This is Urgent, Pass it On!

5. How is God speaking to you from these concluding verses? How will you keep the Words of this prophesy and gain the blessing?

Please read **Revelation 22.18-19** – Don't Mess with the Message!

6. How are you tempted to mess with the message? How will you keep the Words of this prophesy and gain the blessing?

## Please read Revelation 22.20-21

7. How do you feel about the Coming Again of the Lord Jesus?