

## Jesus' Second Coming - Revelation 19

**The Second Coming:** an essential Christian doctrine and the subject of extensive revelation. Rev 1:2, 7

**Rapture:** Jesus said that He would go away, and come back to gather believers. John 14:3

### Rapture: 1 Thess 4:13-18

Christ appears in the air

Jesus returns FOR His Bride

Jesus comes as a Bridegroom

Jesus comes as a deliverer from wrath

Dead NT saints resurrected when Jesus

Jesus descends in the air

Living believers receive immortal bodies  
as they are taken to Heaven

The world is left unjudged

Unbelievers remain on earth

The world continues to sin

Addresses only the saved

Can happen at any moment

No talk of Jesus as King on Earth

Satan continues his evil reign

### 2<sup>nd</sup> Coming: Rev 19:11-16

Christ returns to the Earth

Jesus returns WITH His Bride

Jesus comes as a King

Jesus comes a warrior and judge with wrath

Dead OT saints resurrected after Jesus' return

Living believers remain in mortal bodies on  
earth during the Millennium

The world is judged

Believers remain on earth

Righteousness is established

Addresses the saved and the unsaved

Many signs must first occur

Jesus returning as King of Kings, with the Kingdom  
being given to Him (Rev 11)

Satan is cast into the Abyss (demons are imprisoned  
in Babylon)

He is coming to judge the wicked, and give them what they deserve. Their sin and rebellion against God  
earns them death. Rev 19:11, 15, 18-21

“The kingdom mandate is God’s original commission for humanity to reflect God’s character and extend  
God’s rule and will across the earth.” Michael Vlach Gen 1:28

At the Tower of Babel, God scattered the people and created nations, then God gave the nations over to be ruled by spiritual forces. Deut 32:3

The Lord to Israel: you are not going to have a king again until the one appears who has the right to judge the kingdom.... And I will give it to Him. **Ezekiel 21:26-27**

Jesus is coming back to:

- judge
- receive the Kingdom and fulfill His Father's kingdom mandate.
- rule over the earth in righteousness.
- reign in His majesty, and make the earth a wonderful , peaceable kingdom.

Jesus returns as judge of the wicked to:

- eradicate the rebels.
- defeat all forces of evil that have ruled over the nations.
- pay unrepentant sinners the wages of death that they are due

Jesus returns to earth to RESCUE Israel:

- the remnant of Jews will call for Him to save them from the Antichrist.
- they will acknowledge their sin of rejection of Him,
- they will know that Jesus is their Messiah.
- He will come and rescue them.