<u>Revelation: God Is In Control</u> Part 14 <u>11/13/11</u> "The Reward of the Rapture" Part 4

Text: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 and 1 Corinthians 3:10-15

Review

- The Events of the Rapture of the Church 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
 - v. 16 "The Lord Himself" John 14:1-3

Some things which take place when Christ returns . . .
Jesus comes from Heaven.
With a "Shout".
With the voice of the archangel.
The Trumpet of God.

5) The dead in Christ rise first.

"In Christ" -

1 Corinthians 12:12-14 Daniel 12:1-2 Revelation 21:1-6

6) Believers who are alive at the time of the Rapture of the Church.

v. 17

Key Point: Every ______in Jesus Christ will be ______ from the earth to be united with the Lord.

7) We shall always be with the Lord!

v. 18 Now that's comforting!

The Judgement Seat of Christ 1 Corinthians 3:10-15

<u>Key Point:</u> The Judgement Seat of Christ takes place_____ the______of the church. Great White Throne Judgement Revelation 20:11-15 Revelation 22:12

2 Corinthians 5:10

Romans 14:10-12

1 Corinthians 3:10-15

vv. 10-11

Some things we must ask ourselves:

1) Have I	God's will for my life?
2) Have I	His commandments?
3) Have I	the ministry God has called me to do?
4) Have I	the spiritual gifts God has given to me?
5) Have I wisely	the physical gifts God has entrusted
to me for His purposes	and glory?

v. 13

"Fire"

vv. 14-15

1 Corinthians 9:24-27 "Crowns" Diadem: Stephanos:

Fire Crowns mentioned in the Bible

1) The	crown. 1 Corinthians 9:14-15
2) The crown of	1 Thessalonians 2:19
3) The crown of	2 Timothy 4:7-8
4) The crown of	James 1:12 & Revelation 2:10
5) The crown of	1 Peter 5:2-4

Luke 19:11-27 "... have authority over _____

<u>Key Point:</u> The rewards that Jesus gives to His bride, the Church, represent ______and _____during the Millennial Reign of Christ on earth.