



How it Ends: How the Bible Ends

A fascinating lesson is to see how God ended the Bible. The writing of the Bible involved over 1,500 years; 3 languages; and 40 different writers. Pages were written in times of peace and war. And the central message is God redeeming us and having a relationship with us that continues eternally. Within the Bible are precious promises and serious warnings. We see amazing miracles and the patience of God. The Bible is the most sold, translated and distributed book of all time.

Everything we need to be godly is within the pages of the Bible (2 Pet 1:3)

The word of God is able to save us (Rom 1:16)

God's word grants freedom (Jn 8:31-32)

What are some things that the Bible won't do?

- A. When we come to Revelation 22, this is the final page written by God through inspiration
- There are three voices in this final chapter
 - Angelic messenger, John, Jesus

1. The Character of the city—Description of Heaven (22:1-5)

What's missing (3, 5): _____

What's there (4, 5b): _____

- 2. The Promises of God (6-7): 1. _____
- 2. _____

- 3. The Call to Worship God (8-9):
How does the angel describe himself?

- 4. A reminder that the time is near (10-11)
 - 3x it states that "I am coming quickly"
 - this bookends what was said at the beginning (1:1)

- 5. A repeat of God's promise (12-15)
In what way is Jesus the "first" and the "last"? _____

- 6. The Invitation of God (16-17):
How is Jesus described in this section? _____
- Who is the bride? _____

- 7. A Dire Warning about handling God's word (18-19)
 - Does this warning only apply to the book of Revelation? _____

- 8. The Plea for Jesus to come (20-21)
The coming of Jesus would do what? _____

The O.T. ends with: _____

The N.T. ends with: _____

Three Expectations When you Follow the Bible:

1. You can expect to _____ it
2. You can expect to _____ it
3. You can expect a _____ life when following it

The Challenge of the City

1. Keep God's _____
2. Keep our lives _____
3. Keep _____ Jesus

